Puri Asu Resort, North Sumatra - Indonesia

PURI ASU RESORT is the ultimate Surfer's Paradise. Enjoy the best in comfort and privacy along with easy access to some of the best and most consistent waves in the world.

We pride ourselves on guest safety, comfort and access to great waves. You don't have to waste precious moments of your holiday walking or paddling out to get into position, we take you with one of our 4 boats.

We are a family friendly resort with accommodation and activity options for couples and young adults.

Where is Asu Island?

Asu Island is 1 of the 8 islands in the Hinako Archipelago, West Nias, North Sumatra, Indonesia. There are no cars on Asu Island and the local population is about 70 people. Puri Asu Resort is 15 km offshore of West Nias Island.

Latitude: 0, 56" N Longitude: 97, 16" E

How do we get to Puri Asu Resort?

Guests arrive at Medan International Airport (KNO) Sumatra.

Medan is reachable from Jakarta, Singapore, Kuala Lumpur, Bangkok, Hong Kong, Manilla, and other major Asian capitals.

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Our experienced travel agent, Boraspati Express Tour will pick up guests at the airport in Medan and take them to a 3-4 star hotel close to the airport for the night.

The following morning around 6am, guests fly 50 minutes to Nias Island Gunungsitoli, Binaka Airport (GNS). After arrival in Nias, our driver picks guests up at the airport and drives across Nias Island (2 hours of beautiful tropical scenery) to Sirombu Harbor. Our speedboat takes guests from the harbor to Asu Island in 30 minutes. This service is detailed in the FEE below.

Land and sea transfers-NIAS-ASU-NIAS is \$150
 USD round trip per person.

From Binaka Airport Nias (GNS) to Sirombu Harbor then Asu Island and back to Airport (GNS).

Please note: Arrival/Departures in Medan and transfer to and from Nias Island are done directly BY GUEST with our travel agency in Medan, Boraspati Express Tour and Travel.

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PURI ASU RESORT is a peaceful sanctuary to those who are looking to escape the typical, mainstream, highly commercial holiday resort.

- · Most consistent waves in Indonesia.
- · All rooms have air conditioning.
- Western standard bathrooms with hot water showers.
- Family-friendly and suitable for children.
- Flexible dining options from our internationally-trained chef.

• SUP's, fishing equipment, and snorkelling gear are free of charge.

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- NO extra costs for boat surf transfers to other spots in the area.
- · Beach front Yoga gazebo.
- Surf view private gazebo.
- Fitness and yoga gazebo.

all guests.

Jetski for Tow-in and water safety.
 The tropical paradise that surrounds Puri Asu Resort offers more than just amazing surfing. The resort offers plenty of recreational equipment to make exploring and enjoying the local environment easy for

Please contact us regarding Yoga instruction and photography service for specific information during your dates of stay.

It is safe to walk around the island., everybody knows each other and there is no crime or aggression. Island living!

Superior Accommodation

Our three brand new Two bedroom Two bathroom private villas are now available for our guests. We had a team of builders from Bali come all the way to Asu to construct these special units.

Each unit has:

OCEAN VIEW

KING SIZE BEDS NORTH SUMATRA

Air Conditioning

Hot Water Shower

Surfboard Rack

Sea View Veranda with lounge chairs Fine stone wood and ceramic throughout

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Standard Accommodation

Our original building, this large wooden house was built by hand in South Sumatra and brought in pieces to Asu Island.

The House has:
4 BEDROOMS
2 SHARED BATHROOMS
SINGLE BEDS 2 PER ROOM
OCEAN VIEW LIVING ROOM
Air Conditioning
Hot Water Showers

Standard Accommodation Beach Cottage

This unit has 3 Queen sized beds One bathroom with hot water
Air Conditioned
Terrace Hammocks
10 Meters from the beach
Ideal for families or 3 friends travelling together

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The Dining Experience

Each day the resort's chef prepares a variety of food and as often as possible, uses seafood caught by local fishermen and our guests.

Breakfast: All guests order individually from a wide selection of breakfast choices. 7:00am – 10:00am

Lunch: Usually Indonesian cuisine, it is diferent every day. 12:00 – 14:00

Dinner: Buffet style, Western or seafood, always fresh. 18:00 – 21:00

Homemade desserts are served after dinner. Ice Cold 660ml Large Bintang Beers are \$6.

Our chefs can accommodate most dietary requirements or eating preferences, so please let us know in advance of your visit so we can prepare for you.

Surf Overview

The Hinako's Islands are one of the most consistent surf destinations in the entire world. Its broad exposure towards the southern Indian Ocean provides these islands with consistency and high quality waves all year long. When Asu is good our boat will take you from your bed to the peak in 5 minutes any time of day you like.

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There are five waves in our area, with a distance of 5 to 50 minutes by speedboat.

Our goal is to get you the most and best waves of your life.

Seasons and Swells

The main surfing season is March 1st- December 1st.

March: Small to medium and glassy conditions.

April: Small to medium and glassy conditions.

May: Medium to Large swells and glassy conditions.

June: Solid swells and generally clean conditions.

July and August: Bigger swells and offshore winds.

September: Bigger Swells and offshore winds.

October: Consistent medium swells and smooth conditions.

November: Small to medium and glassy conditions.

We Mostly Surf Asu and Bawa, Here Is An Overview Of All Spots

Asu - left hand wave that works on all tides, big and small swells, and south wind conditions. From 2-6 feet, it is a perfect and fun wave peeling over coral reef with barrels and variety of conditions.

Asu can handle up to 10 foot waves and still maintain good shape.

Bawa – **Never goes flat**. Righthander, lots of variety. Surfable from 2-8 feet. Over 10 feet it is time to break out the jet-ski.

Hamutala Left - Is a perfect symetrical high performance wave. In glassy or off-shore conditions 4 – 6 second barrels are possible from the take off. **Needs a big swell to work** and stays fun sized when other spots are too big.

From 2 – 6 feet and technically doesn't get any bigger than this; it does become more hollow and round.

Hamutala Right — Often called Mini Bawa It's a **friendly** wave up to 6 feet, then it shows it's power. Deep water and thick lips when it is over 6 feet.

Sirombu - is a sheltered rippable right-hander located near the Sirombu harbour. Its the **best for intermediate surfers and works when things are a bit messy**. Some barrels, sand and reef bottom.

Afulu - is located 40-50 minutes from Asu. A dream left-hander on the Nias mainland and offers incredible tube rides with rippable walls. **Needs large swell** to work.

Salonako -45 minutes from Asu. "Super Perfect" right-hander and can provide challenging barrel rides. Super fast, with sand and reef bottom. It **needs larger ground swell to work.**

Bommie - is a deep water slab, very close by but needs a low tide, east wind and solid swell to work.



Puri Asu Resort Rates 2019

*Superior - \$2,250 USD per person Less than 10 nights \$240 per night 11th night onwards \$200 per night

Non-surfers, companions or children (7 – 15 years old) will cost **\$100 USD** per person per night

- Inclusive of:
- 10 nights' accommodation.
- 1 king size bed
- 1 private bathroom per bungalow
- All meals, buffet lunch and dinner Unlimited boat surf transfers.

Land and sea transfers- **\$150 USD** round trip per person. From Binaka Airport Nias (GNS) to Sirombu Harbor then Asu Island and back to Airport (GNS).

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Puri Asu Resort Rates 2019

*Standard - \$1,250 USD per person Less than 10 nights \$135 per night

- Non-surfers, companions and children (7 - 15)years old) will cost \$100 USD per night.

Inclusive of:

10 nights' accommodation.

All meals,

2 single beds per room with shared bathroom. All meals, buffet lunch and dinner - Unlimited boat surf transfers.

Use of Small open boat when conditions allow.

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What is not included in the packages

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WE RECCOMEND YOU BUY A SIMPATI BRAND SIM CARD IN MEDAN AIRPORT.

In ASU, a SIM card for internet package is \$20 with 4GB credit.

If you do not have an unblocked phone we have a hotspot phone you can use with your SIMPATI SIM card.

OTHER THINGS NOT INCLUDED

- -\$25 VISA fee on your arrival in Indonesia
- -Specialty snacks / Beer / Souvenirs/
- -Tips for the staff (Tipping is not mandatory but appreciated! And is distributed among the local staff only).
- -Puri Asu Resort is not responsible for airline board fees or baggage policies.
- -Puri Asu Resort does not accept any responsibility for

late arrival or non-arrival of surfboards/surfboard bags or any other luggage.

- -Puri Asu Resort is not responsible for outside hotel stays, meals, and transportation besides airport transfers in Nias.
- -We will Always assist our guests in any way possible but payment for the above is guest responsability.

Payment Terms and Conditions

- * All credit card transactions are subject to **a 5**% processing charge (only Visa and MasterCard).
- -We need a 50% deposit at the time of booking to confirm your trip. Reservations/bookings/trips/spaces etc are not guaranteed until deposit is received.
- -Deposits are non-refundable.

Final Payment is due at least 30 days prior to departure and is non-refundable.

- -In the case of last minute bookings, payment for the stay must be paid upon arrival the first day of trip.
- Payment may be paid by cash, Visa, MasterCard, or bank transfer.
- -Any form of payment constitutes acceptance of the Terms and Conditions stated on this site.
- -All wire transfers require a US\$25 processing fee due to incoming bank charges.

Cancellation and Liability Policy. Please Read.

- -Cancellation of a trip must be made a minimum of 30 days before your arrival date.
- -There are no refunds or partial refunds given for early departures from a designated trip, due to illness, injury, weather conditions, swell forecasts, wind forecasts, equipment malfunction, broken boards, bad waves or other reasons.
- -In addition, there are no refunds given for reasons pertaining to unstable global, national, or local political situations that do not directly pose a threat to the safe operations of our trips.
- -Travel Insurance is highly reccomended.
- -Puri Asu Resort is not responsible for airline board fees or baggage policies.
- -Puri Asu Resort does not accept any responsibility for late arrival or non-arrival of surfboards/surfboard bags or any other luggage.
- -Puri Asu Resort is not responsible for health problems arising from environmental factors during your stay
- -Puri Asu Resort will use all due care for the provision of its services and activities provided to guests.
- -Guests participate in activities and use services at Puri Asu Resort at their own risk.
- -No liability or responsibility is accepted by Puri Asu Resort for any injury, illness, damage, loss, accident, expense, or any other claim arising from involvement in any activities or provision of any services howsoever suffered, even in circumstances where staff of Puri Asu Resort may have negligently breached any duty of care that it or they may owe or have owed in connection with such activities, conduct, supervision, or the provision of services. Puri Asu Resort will no longer be liable for direct or indirect losses, arising from any such injury, illness, damage, loss accident, or expense including consequential loss or economic loss however caused.
- -Puri Asu Resort does not take responsibility for those inherent risks which may cause unfortunate accidents or incidents during ordinary or extrordinary travel conditions.

Puri Asu Resort will not be held responsible for injury, death, damage, loss, delay, cost, expense, or inconvenience arising from travel misfortunes beyond our control.



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