

FABULOUS PHILIPPINES- PUERTA GALERA AND THE CORON WRECKS

January 23-February 4, 2027

The Atlantis Puerto Galera Resort & The Adventurer Liveboard

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You cannot say “been there, done that, got the t-shirt” when you’re talking about diving in the Philippines. Easy Divers has been there four times and we continue to be amazed and thrilled with the beauty and diversity of the marine life. So, we’re going back! And, who wouldn't want to repeat the royal treatment that is the norm from the Atlantis Resort and Adventurer Yacht staff? On this trip, we will board the Adventurer for 7 days of diving the wrecks of Coron and Apo Reef, then we will be spoiled at Atlantis Puerto Galera with more fantastic diving-including Verde Island.

Due to the airline schedules from most gateway cities, it is generally going to be necessary to overnight at the well-appointed Belmont Hotel on both ends of the trip. This is a great way to get some rest and recuperation first from the plane ride, and then from all the diving fun.



After our overnight at the Belmont, we will board our floating hotel, the Adventurer Liveboard. On our private, luxury yacht we will enjoy eight more days of supreme adventure on the Coron Wrecks Itinerary. Enjoy exploring sunken WWII wrecks in Coron Bay and diving in Phillipines second largest marine park, Apo Reef. This charter starts with diving in Apo Reef, inaccessible to day boats from Mindoro Island. Expect to see white tip sharks, spotted eagle rays, hawksbill turtles, bumphead parrot fish and sea snakes. We then spend several days around Coron and Busuanga, including various wrecks averaging 300 ft in length and all within recreational limits. The surrounding views of the volcanic vertical cliffs with the crystal blue water are mesmerizing.

Each cabin is serviced daily, and has its own air conditioning and en-suite bathroom. The main salon has a flat screen TV, plenty of movies and games, and a nice area for relaxing.

On the dive deck there is plenty of space to hang our wetsuits, stash our gear, shower in fresh hot water, dry off with ever present warm beach towels, and have room to work on our cameras at the dedicated camera table. The top party deck has chaise lounges, wet bar, hot tub, and a variety of sitting areas in both shade and sun.

Our final stop is the Puerto Galera resort, where we will be greeted with a cold welcome beverage, a thorough hotel briefing, and a nice teasing five-minute neck massage. The dive operation is the epitome of EASY diving! After checking in, everyone is assigned a spacious cubby for their gear. After the first dive, our gear will be assembled and placed on the boats for us each time. During the surface intervals we travel back to the resort for water, tea, and cakes before returning to do it all over again.

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At the end of the day, our gear will be washed and put up for us (our gear has never been so clean!)

Dives are typically scheduled for 9:00, 11:00, 2:00, 4:00 and night, and really, they are each so spectacular you don't want to miss one, unless of course it's for a 90 minute massage!

Certainly, a trip of this length requires some great food options! Both the hotel and boat offer a variety of freshly prepared meals and snacks all day long. We were impressed by having several choices of appetizer, entrée, and dessert at each meal. The food is well prepared, plentiful, and delicious.

Trip fees include:

- Pre-trip overnight in Manila Hotel, The Belmont based on double occupancy
- Domestic flight from Manila to Coron
- Transfer from Sablayan to Puerta Galera
- Transfer from Puerta Galera to Manila
- 5 nights accommodations based on double occupancy at Puerta Galera
- All meals at Atlantis Restaurant
- Coffee, tea and filtered water
- Unlimited Internet access while at resort
- Unlimited scheduled boat diving (up to five dives per day)
- 1 specialty day trip to Verde Island with lunch and beverages
- Free Nitrox (\$320 value); all divers MUST be Nitrox certified prior to trip
- 8 days, 7 nights boat accommodation based on DBL occupancy on Adventurer
- Typically 4 dives per day
- All meals and snacks on board
- Complimentary local soft drinks, beer and social servings of wine on board

Trip Fees:

Lock in these prices with your initial deposit as soon as possible.

Garden Suite Room and Deluxe Boat Cabin

\$6195, per person, based on double occupancy

\$1500 deposit per person due at time of reservation

Garden Suite Room and Owners Suite Cabin (one available)

\$6695 per person, based on double occupancy

\$1500 deposit per person due at time of reservation

Half of total payment due on July 20, 2026. Final payment is due November 17, 2026.



NOT INCLUDED:

Airfare from US Gateway City to Manila, Philippines

Extra baggage allowance for Cebu Airlines - \$TBD roundtrip
Marine Park Fees - \$180 on boat; \$5 daily at Puerta Galera (subject to change by Philippine Govt.)

DAN – Evacuation/Accident Insurance (**mandatory** for Liveaboard)

Staff gratuities – about 10% the cost of the trip

Travel Protection Insurance (cost based on age of participant and cost of trip)



Please note: Your deposit is a promise to travel. Reservations are confirmed and staff engaged, so please understand that trip deposits are non-refundable. Full details concerning cancellations and Travel Protection Insurance are available on your Easy Divers Travel Application.

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