

South Forgotten Islands Travel Information

Roddenberry Adventures Arenui Liveboard – South Forgotten Islands Trip 28-April 10-May 10 2018

(13 Days/12 Nights Saumlaki – Maumere Cruise)

GETTING TO INDONESIA

You will be responsible for booking your own travel to Indonesia. You will need to arrive to Indonesia by 26-April 2018 or earlier. Plan to book your return international flights for at least one day after disembarkation (11-May 2018), just in case there are any unforeseen delays on the return leg of the cruise. Local flight information is below to join Arenui's South Forgotten Island trip. This cruise starts in Saumlaki and ends in Maumere.

Most people in our group are flying into Bali-Denpasar (DPS) for a few days or a couple of weeks before. Once in Indonesia, you will need to fly to Saumlaki (S XK) which can be reached via Ambon. If you fly into Bali, you will take a local flight to Ambon on 27-April and overnight in Ambon the night before embarkation and then fly to Saumlaki the morning of 28-April.

The Arenui recommends the following local flight options from either Bali or Jakarta:

LOCAL FLIGHTS FROM/TO BALI

Flight from Ambon to Saumlaki departs in the morning, so plan to fly into Ambon on 27-APR and stay 1 night there before you fly to Saumlaki. Accommodation recommendation in Ambon is at **The Natsepa Hotel** in a Deluxe Lagoon Room at ~ USD \$160 per night (includes breakfast, tax & return airport transfers). If you would like us to have the Arenui help book this hotel for you let us know.

27-APR Bali-Ambon with **Lion Air** via Surabaya & Makassar with **Lion Air** JT929 0700-0650 / JT786 0900-1130 / JT768 1210-1450 (One way airfare of Bali to Ambon with Lion Air is currently starting from USD \$140 per person).

28-APR Ambon to Saumlaki with **Garuda Airways** GA7644 0810-0930 (One way airfare Ambon to Saumlaki with Garuda Airways is currently starting from USD \$130 per person).

10-MAY Maumere to Bali with **Garuda Airways** GA491 1205-1355

LOCAL FLIGHTS FROM/TO JAKARTA

From Jakarta, you will still need to fly in a night before the cruise embarkation 27-APR to arrive in Saumlaki on 28-APR (cruise embarkation day)

27-APR Jakarta to Saumlaki via Ambon & Makassar with **Garuda Airways** GA640 2345-0315 / GA640 0400-0650 / GA7644 0810-0930 (with this flight, you do not need to stay overnight in Ambon).

10-MAY Maumere to Jakarta via Bali with **Garuda Airways** GA491 1205-1355 / GA411 1535-1635 (Airfare Jakarta-Saumlaki and Maumere-Jakarta with Garuda Airways is currently starting from USD \$500 per person).