

A tropical beach scene featuring a clear blue sky, turquoise water, and a dense line of palm trees in the background. Large palm fronds are in the foreground, framing the right side of the image. The word "MATUNGOU" is centered in a white rectangular box.

MATUNGOU

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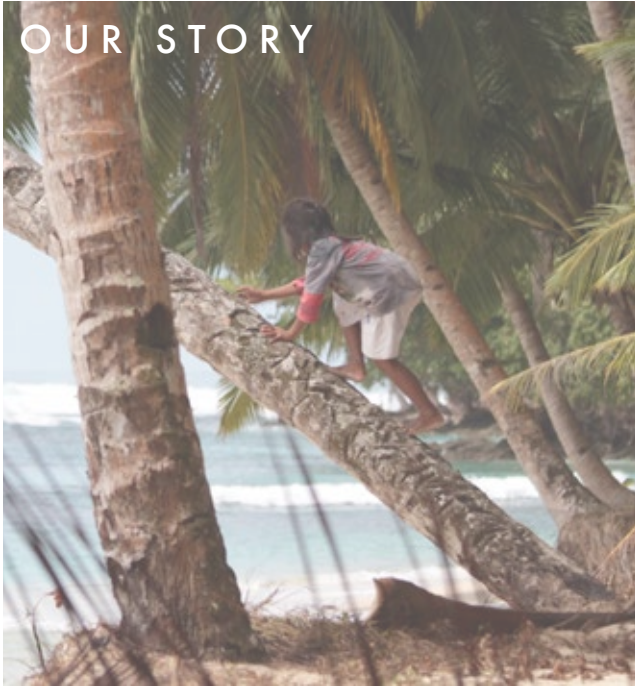
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OUR STORY



Left: Local girl enjoying island life

Below: Local Tribesman, always happy to share a story

Matungou was born out of a **shared love** of the Mentawai Islands' iconic surf, and The Mentawai People. While we remain mesmerised by the **perfect waves**, we are under no illusion that the surf industry has a big responsibility when it comes to **supporting the local island community**. You will be sure to enjoy the perfect surf and learn about our efforts to pave the way to a fair, clean and happy future for The Mentawai Islands and their People.



YOUR HOSTS



Adri is a local family man running the show out on The Island. He knows the surf industry in The Mentawai better than anyone and has been keeping surfers safe and entertained since the first surfers ventured out this way in the early 1990's. He'll gladly tell you stories of his times with Jack Johnson, Kalani Robb, Kelly Slater and Pamela Anderson to name a few...

Oli, Luke, Hugh and Dave are close friends of Adri and have been at the heart of Matungou through its period of conception. Between them they will be on hand to respond to your enquiries and to ensure you feel well-prepared for your trip out to The Islands.

Mama runs the kitchen providing top notch food for all our guests, whilst Papa is busy lighting up Matungou with his infectious smile.



Left: Adri,
Matungou
Partner
with guest,
Gearoid
McDaid
Top Right,
Mama &
Papa
Bottom: Oli,
Matungou



ACCOMMODATION



We have private beach-side bungalows available with king, double or twin-single bed. There is an option to add beds if required (there is plenty of space).

Each bungalow has a bathroom with shower, sink and toilet. Towels are provided.

The Matungou main house has everything extra you require for a comfortable stay - dining area, fully stocked bar, chill out zone, and laundry room. Staff are always on hand to help.

Rooms are cleaned daily.

Wi-fi is available.

Top: View from the porch

Right: Tommy Butler & Emily enjoying a stretch after a long day surfing



PACKAGES

Prices starting from \$125 per person per day (all inclusive)

Included in ALL Packages:

Price includes pick-up / drop-off from Siberut
(If you wish to travel via Tua Pejat there will be an additional charge of \$150 for each pick-up / drop-off per group)

1 x Private speed boat per group for daily use - 2 trips daily

1 x Beach Front Bungalows with large fans in each bungalow

Western style bathroom

3 X Meals per day (Breakfast / Lunch / Dinner)

Omelettes and Noodles whenever you wish!

Drinking Water, Tea, Coffee

Not Included:

Transfer from Airport to arrival into The Mentawai

Wifi - \$10 USD per hour or \$30 Unlimited.

(We are sorry to charge for internet but it is extremely expensive to get internet to the island)

Service charge (Feel free to tip our staff directly)

Also available but not included:

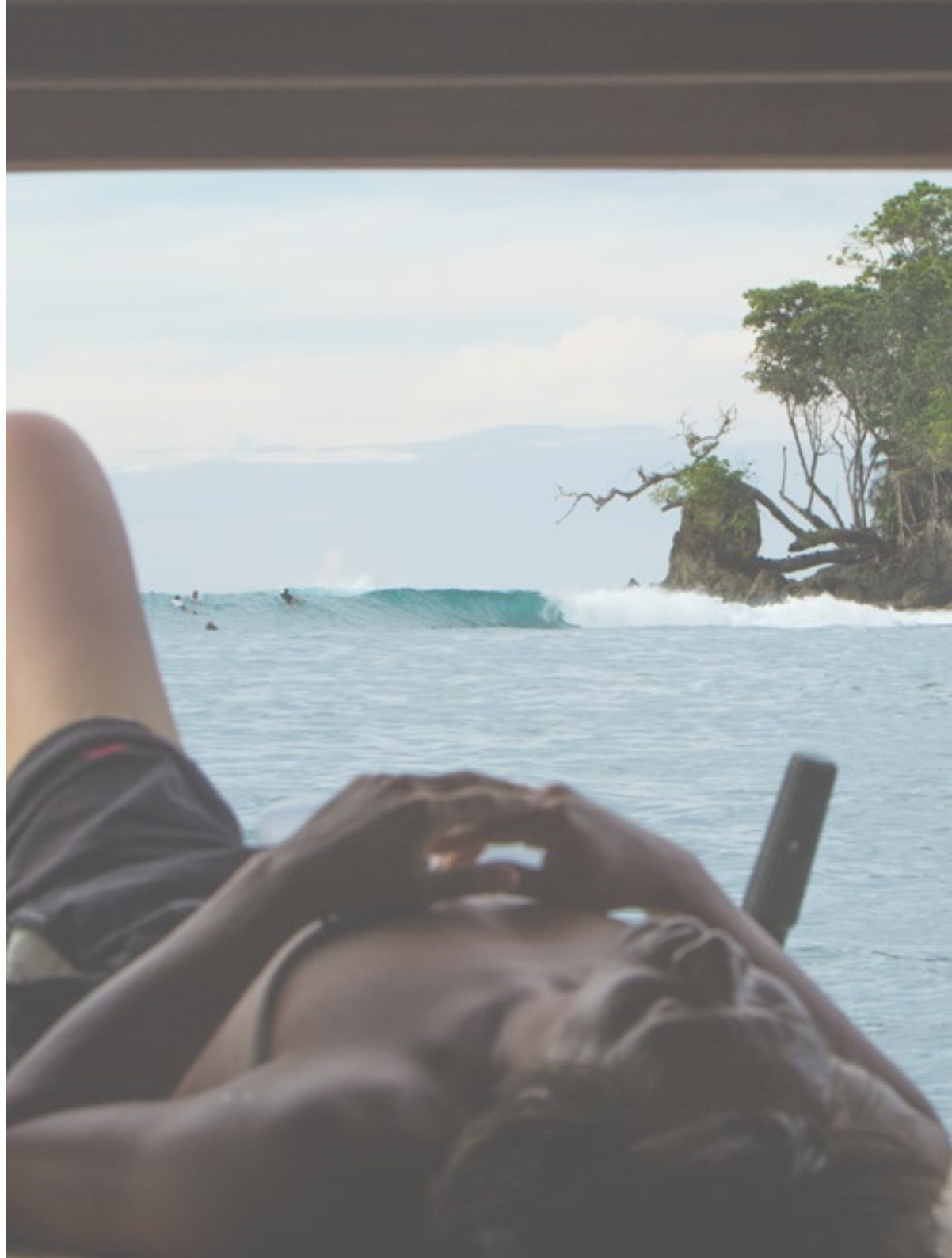
Soft drinks - coke/sprite/pocari

Bintang

Clothes washing facilities

Direct Speedboat Transfer from Padang to Matungou -

See alternative Transfer options



FOOD & DRINK



We only buy local produce. If you want burgers and fries then probably best you go elsewhere because we serve an Indonesian menu of fish, chicken and vegetable curries.

Pick your fish for dinner...we often buy our fish from the beach in the morning when the local fishermen row to our shore to sell their mornings catch. If you're up early then you can choose your fish for dinner.

We are in the process of developing our vegetable patch to grow and serve our own greens.

MATUNGOU

BREAKFAST

3 Egg Omelette

Free - range Mentawai eggs, tomatoes & shallots

Mei Omelette

Indo - style breakfast of free - range Mentawai eggs with egg noodle combo

Banana Pancakes

Served with hazelnut & chocolate spread

DRINKS

The Matungou Smoothie

Banana, mango, coconut milk & coconut pulp with passion fruit seeds

Fresh Coconut Water

Sourced from our own trees

Brew of sweet tea or Sumatran coffee



ACTIVITIES

We imagine you are here to enjoy the amazing waves that surround the islands. However, if surfing is not your main reason for visiting there is still plenty the Island has to offer. Water based activities such as snorkeling, swimming, fishing and paddle-boarding are all available at Matungou.

If you prefer to stay on land why not go exploring in the jungle or do some yoga in our special tree house. Yoga classes are available in peak season - please ask for more information. Matungou has its very own bar with great music - come and enjoy some story telling from the locals.



Top: The one and only Mark Occhilupo at our local break.

Centre: Guests enjoying some Music in our gardens

Left: We found Nemo at Matungou!

**SURF, SWIM,
PADDLE-BOARD, SNORKEL, FISH, YOGA, EXPLORE,
LET YOUR IMAGINATION RUN WILD IN THIS
TROPICAL PARADISE**

A TYPICAL DAY



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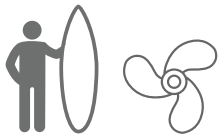


Wake up to the sound of waves lapping against the shoreline. Take a stroll on the beach with a fresh coconut water or coffee



Breakfast

Served from first light to allow you to surf from dawn



Explore the islands in your privately captained boat looking for that perfect spot for you and your gang to surf. Matungou can offer boards for those who do not have one!



Lunch

A much needed post surf re-fuel served between 11am and 1pm



PM

Surf, swim, fish, meditate its completely up to you. Feel free to bring a few beers out on the boat and spectate if you're all surfed out. Why not bring a snorkel and check out the reef beneath!



Dinner

Shower up and dinner is served! Evening meals are served anytime between 5pm and 7pm.



Grab a cold bintang or two. Check out the footage from the day, enjoy some music and relax in the bar. Adri will probably have his story-telling hat on so I hope you enjoy a good yarn!



Get some rest and refuel for tomorrows activities!

GETTING HERE

Getting to the Mentawai Islands can be tricky and needs careful planning. We offer various packages to make sure your trip is stress-free from the moment you step off the plane. If you would prefer to go solo we are still on hand to help, just get in touch.



Pick up - Padang International Airport



Overnight hotel / homestay in Padang

Before travelling to the islands (the ferry departs Padang at 7am)



Taxi to Padang Harbour

Pick-up the morning of your ferry crossing



Outbound Mentawai Fast Ferry

Ticket - 295,000 IDR per person (Surfboard bag approx 230,000 IDR)



A host from Matungou will be there to meet you

FERRY SCHEDULE

We offer pick-ups from both Tuapejat and Siberut. Let us know where you will be travelling to prior to departure and we will make sure to be there to collect you. Siberut would be the preferred pick-up as it is easily accessed from the island and doesn't incur additional charges to your package!

Monday

Padang - Tuapejat	06.00
Tuapejat - Padang	15.00

Tuesday

Padang - Sikabalan - Siberut	07.00
Siberut - Padang	15.00

Wednesday

Padang - Tuapejat	06.00
Tuapejat - Padang	15.00

Thursday

Padang - Tuapejat	06.00
Tuapejat - Padang	15.00

Friday

Padang - Tuapejat	06.00
Tuapejat - Padang	14.00

Saturday

Padang - Sikabalan - Siberut	07.00
Siberut - Padang	15.00

Sunday

Padang - Tuapejat	06.00
Tuapejat - Padang	15.00



TOP TRAVEL TIPS



Tropical, hot, and humid with a temperature range between 21 - 32 degrees Celsius. The water temperature - 27 degrees Celsius all year round. The dry season February - September & wet season typically October - January.



Be prepared to wear mosquito repellent in the evenings. Shout if you see a spider. Snakes can present themselves occasionally but we have experienced locals on hand. We're just being honest - you are on a tropical island after all!



Islands requirements - Generator, Bottled drinking water, Septic Tank. We encourage guests to understand the challenges of an off-grid setup. It's an education to see the lengths we've gone to to bring some often assumed comforts to our island.



Our location was chosen with one priority in mind - Safety. We are protected from the West/South-West with +50m high ground in under 5 minutes by foot. Tsunami risk is a genuine danger. Sleep well at Matungou.



If you require medication please remember to bring this with you to the island. We have a first aid kit at the camp but the closest medical facilities are in Padang.



We are sure you will have packed your passport but it would be useful to also bring a photocopy or other form of identification as a back-up (in case of emergencies).



There are no ATMs on the island for international banks. Please ensure you bring enough money for your return ferry ticket (if you are arranging your own transport) and bar tab.



Please see your GP for advice on which vaccinations you will require. Malaria is currently considered low risk in the Mentawai.

GET IN TOUCH



Please visit our website for information on availability and for a quote specific to your trip requirements.

www.thementawaiislands.com

We accept payments via paypal (3% transaction fee) and transferwise.

30% deposit and balance payable 4 weeks prior to date of arrival.



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