



# AUSSIE DIVERS PHUKET PADI 5 STAR IDC CENTER



## MV Pawara Trip Schedule

Departure: 1st Day – 8 -11pm - Thap Lamu pier, Phang Nga.

Free scheduled transfer from anywhere in Phuket / Khao Lak Center to the MV Pawara on trip departure day.

### Schedule Pickup Times on Trip Departure day;

NOTE: \* if pickup is outside these times additional charges apply.

16:30 – 17:00 Chalong, Kata, Karon

17:00 – 17:30 Patong, Kathu, Rassada Pier, Phuket Town, Panwa Beach

17:30 – 18:00 Kamala, Surin, Cherg Talay, Thalang, Ao Poh

18:00 – 18:30 Mai Khao, Nai Yang and Airport

19:00 – 19:30 Khao Lak Center, Nang Thong

Return: Final Day – 3:30pm - Thap Lamu pier, Phang Nga. Transfer Phuket Airport (approximately 5:30pm and to Phuket hotels (approximately 6:30pm for Phuket).

Last dive of the final day is normally completed by 12:00pm - Note: if you have to fly the same day you will NOT be able to partake in the last 2 dives or reschedule.

This is to allow for your 18 hour minimum surface interval / no fly time (as recommended by PADI).

**Brief Itinerary** (schedules are subjected to changes according to weather and sea condition)

**Day 1.** (No Diving): Scheduled Pickup Times (between 5-7:30pm\*), transfer to Thap Lamu pier, Phang Nga (near Khao Lak) to waiting MV Pawara. Warm Welcome and Dinner served. Sail overnight to Similans (sailing time between 4-5 hours)

**Day 2.** (4 dives): Best of the Similans: 3 dives from Anita's Reef, Boulder City, Shark Fin Reef, Elephant Head Rock, West of Eden, North Point then sunset dive around Similans Islands

**Day 3.** (4 dives): 3 dives from Anita's Reef, Boulder City, Shark Fin Reef, Elephant Head Rock, West of Eden, North Point then night dive around Similans Islands



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**Day 4.** (4 dives): Koh Tachai and Richelieu Rock + night dive

**Day 5.** (2 dives): Koh Bon then leave for Thap Lamu pier (4pm)

**Diving days:** 4 days (14 dives)

Exotic Culinary Delights: breakfast / lunch / snacks are served after each dive.  
Dinner served after final dusk or night dive.

## General Information

**Water Temp:** between 27-30 degrees Celsius,

**Air Temp:** 28-35 degrees Celsius, Visibility: 10-40m+

**Levels of Experience:** ALL levels for divers & non-divers.

**Best Time to Dive:** mid-November to mid-April

**What's included?** All nights accommodation & 5 meals/ day onboard, tea, coffee, fruit, snacks, towels, **Nitrox**, dive guide, all dives, 12 liter air tanks, use of weights & belt, 2-way land transfer (from within scheduled pick up points and times; Phuket & Khao Lak), 14 dives

**What's excluded?** Airfare to Phuket, accommodation on land, equipment rental, dive/travel insurance, Marine Park fees, large tank, soft drinks, beer, wine and courses (on request)

### Trip Extras:

15 Liter Tank: THB 300 per day

Rental equipment, per item per day:

- BCD THB 200
- Regulator THB 200
- Wetsuit THB 50,
- Fins THB 25
- Mask and Snorkel THB25
- Dive computer THB 250
- Torch THB 250
- Large tank THB 350
- Full Set THB 500 per day (BCD, regs, wetsuit, fins, mask & snorkel)

Others

- Soft drinks THB 40
- Beer THB 80

### MV Pawara Notes;

Marine Park fee; THB 1,800/ diver and THB 1,000 non-diver. To be collected in cash at beginning of trip (Thai baht preferred). No exceptions.



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Free scheduled pickups and drop offs anywhere in Phuket & Khao Lak

Minibus Transfer times between 30 minutes and 2 hours depending on where you are located

Dive Insurance is strongly recommended for this trip. We also strongly advise you get adequate travel insurance. Please check your travel insurance policy for your diving needs.

If you not covered them we recommend DAN (Divers Alert Network).



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