

A glorious wreck

The Solomon Islands can genuinely be described as untouched and one of the best ways to see some of this destination's magical spots is with Solomon Islands Discovery Cruises - onboard their vessel the *MV Taka*. One of the most fascinating experiences on this cruise is the visit to Roderick Bay, where a cruise ship named *World Discoverer* struck a large uncharted rock and was grounded on the shoreline to avoid sinking. That unfortunate event happened on April 30, 2000. After nearly two decades being beaten by the elements, the wreck is ravaged by rust and overgrown with plant life. Against this unique backdrop, guests will enjoy a barbeque on the beach, a fantastic swim (with rope swing) and a cultural performance by a group from the local village.



Step back in time

When you live in a modern, western country, it's easy to take your way of life for granted. Houses, cars, internet, social media, shopping malls, running water, electricity and the list goes on! But when you visit a place like the Solomon Islands, you have the opportunity to put things into perspective and experience a way of life that's changed little in the last 100 years. So when you get a chance – soak it up!



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Explore the depths with Dive Munda

Based at Agnes Gateway Hotel on the waterfront at Munda Village, Dive Munda are one of the Solomon Islands leading dive operators. In fact, they've won a multitude of travel, tourism and business excellence awards to prove it. Under the guidance of Operations Director, Belinda Botha, Dive Munda will ensure you make the most of your time underwater, exploring everything from World War II Wildcat fighters to sunken Japanese freighters, and a plethora of vibrant marine life including schools of pelagic fish, manta rays and pristine coral reef.



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