



Hotel and Dive Package Prices and Booking Information 2023

This document provides you with options for lodging on St. Eustatius (Statia) while diving with Golden Rock Dive Center (GRDC). From quiet country-side getaway to high-end private villas, Statia has several lodging options to offer with your dive package. Take your time to look through and start planning your dive trip to Statia!



Small, Friendly, and Flexible; Diving with Golden Rock Dive Center is a relaxed, fun, and unique experience. We provide a valet diving experience in small groups to allow people to dive the way they want. Our divers leave feeling like family, not just another diver on a crowded boat. Come have an authentic Caribbean vacation on a safe, friendly island and escape mass tourism.

GRDC has two covered boats, EZ-Goin and Stumpy, that have easy water entries and sturdy ladder exits. We can accommodate large private groups up to 16 people, but we specialize in small, personalized diving groups. Our dive guides are all full instructor status and our boats are equipped with a captain, emergency O2 kits, VHF/radio device, and first-aid kits.

Exclusive Eco-Diver Packages: In addition to our standard excellent dive vacation, you can choose to support the environment and many of the local entrepreneurs that are committed to sustainable practices here on Statia. This package gets you the special nature experiences with this exclusive opportunity. Add \$500 per person to the standard dive package prices to get the intimate nature and historic experience with the island's specialists as well as the Eco-Friendly welcome bag. Everyone's favorite are the local BBQs by one of our Statia fishermen and chefs! We do all of the organizing and scheduling for you so you can just come along stress-free to enjoy all of what Statia has to offer. This package is available for 5 or more nights. For less nights or custom Eco-Diver experiences, contact us directly for a custom package and pricing. (eco-options vary depending on availability)

GRDC has been providing dive services and courses Since 1994

Book a package in advance and save on our a la carte dive and hotel price. The quoted prices are based on a 2-dive day, but you can add on to customize your dive vacation.

As with any purchase of dive packages, there are no refunds or returns on unused portion of the package.

Exclusive Eco-Diver Package prices include: Add \$500 per person for the Eco-Diver package

- Project Aware Certification
- Educational talk and eco-dive with marine scientist
- Turtle Talk with Turtle Specialist followed by the Night Dive to the “Turtle Hotel” (Night dive not included and costs \$79 per person)
- Guided hike with local terrestrial specialist (Iguana or tropic bird)
- Local sustainably harvested fish/Lobster BBQ with drinks
- Tour of local Apiary (bee farm) with handmade honey soap bar
- Historic walking tour
- Island tour by van
- Free water bottle with refills, reef-safe sunscreen
- All below standard dive package inclusions

All package prices include:

- Lodging as specified
- Diving as specified
- Daily breakfast (unless otherwise specified)
- Airport Transfer round trip
- Hotel and government taxes
- Wonderful dive vacation

Add on dives @ \$57 per dive, Night Dives @ \$79 per dive (minimum of 4 divers required)

Prices quoted do not included gratuities. Gratuities can be added at your discretion and are appreciated

All divers are required to purchase a Marine Park pass at \$6 per dive or \$30 unlimited. The cost of the passes are payable in cash at the dive center. Nitrox is available for \$5/tank. Rental gear is available for \$40/day.

All quoted prices can be reserved with a deposit via Credit Card using TAB online payment platform (excludes 4% fees or international bank transfer with \$20 bank transfer fee)

Group Discount: 8th person free (dive package and hotel). Based on a minimum 7 night/10 dive package. Compensated hotel room is based on double occupancy of lowest room rate.

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The **Golden Rock Resort** is Stacia's first resort with all new luxury amenities located on the Atlantic side of the island (about a 15-20 minute shuttle ride to the dive center). Golden Rock Resort is independent from Golden Rock Dive Center, but like us, they are focused on supporting nature and the local community through sustainable practices.

They offer impeccable customer service, leaving all of our guests very happy! A perfect pairing to our valet dive services. Relax by the luxurious pool with drinks after the dives before heading to the Breeze restaurant for dinner. They offer a free island shuttle all day to get to the dive center and around the island. Deluxe Rooms and Villa Suites have a small kitchenette while the Golden Rock Suites have a full kitchen. All bookings include breakfast. For more information www.goldenrockresort.com.

High Season Jan 1-April 14	Deluxe Room Top Floor			Ocean Villa Suite Top Floor			Golden Rock Suite Top Floor		
	Double Diver pp	Single Diver	Non-Diver	Double Diver pp	Single Diver	Non-Diver	Double Diver pp	Single Diver	Non-Diver
14 nights/20 dives	\$5895	\$10685	\$4795	\$6999	\$12899	\$5900	\$7590	\$14079	\$6490
10 nights/14 dives	\$4195	\$7620	\$3425	\$4985	\$9199	\$4215	\$5405	\$10040	\$4635
7 nights/10 dives	\$2975	\$5370	\$2395	\$3525	\$6475	\$2950	\$3820	\$7065	\$3245

Low Season April 15- Dec 14	Deluxe Room Top Floor			Ocean Villa Suite Top Floor			Golden Rock Suite Top Floor		
	Double Diver pp	Single Diver	Non-Diver	Double Diver pp	Single Diver	Non-Diver	Double Diver pp	Single Diver	Non-Diver
14 nights/20 dives	\$4970	\$8845	\$3875	\$6075	\$11060	\$4980	\$6665	\$12230	\$5565
10 nights/14 dives	\$3535	\$6300	\$2765	\$4325	\$7885	\$3555	\$4750	\$8720	\$3980
7 nights/10 dives	\$2515	\$4450	\$1940	\$3065	\$5555	\$2490	\$3360	\$6145	\$2785

Ground Floor Options for Deluxe Room and Villa Suites for \$25 per night per person less than list price



Old Gin House (OGH) is a long-standing Gold-Standard tradition for divers on St. John. With 14 garden view rooms, 2 ocean view rooms and 2 ocean view suites, and the Barrel Room Suite. OGH is perfect to host your larger group or treat your special dive buddy to a suite. Just a few minutes- walk to the dive center, they have newly renovated rooms. It has an historical old-world motif, a pool, and oceanfront dining and bar. Breakfast is included in all price quotes. OGH offers a full-service bar and restaurant for breakfast daily and dinner daily.

www.oldginhouse.com

	Garden View Room			Ocean View Room			Ocean View or Barrel Room Suites		
	Double Diver pp	Single Diver	Non-Diver	Double Diver pp	Single Diver	Non-Diver	Double Diver pp	Single Diver	Non-Diver
14 nights/20 dives	\$2625	\$3875	\$1525	\$3230	\$5140	\$2130	\$3890	\$6370	\$2790
10 nights/ 14 dives	\$1870	\$2760	\$1100	\$2300	\$3665	\$1530	\$2775	\$4540	\$2005
7 nights/10 dives	\$1355	\$1980	\$780	\$1655	\$2610	\$1080	\$1985	\$3225	\$1410



Papaya Inn is located in town making it easy to walk to restaurants, shops and sites. It is a little far from the dive shop, so a rental car is recommended (available for \$65/day for jeep and \$45/day for car). Surrounded by a private secret garden, this is a perfect location for our eco-divers with local organic bush tea tastings and food from the garden going directly on your breakfast plate! Each room type has a private balcony tucked away in the secret garden. Some rooms have full kitchen facilities (Family Double Room, Executive Suite, and the Apartments). Some of the rooms can be connected for families or groups of 4 that want separate spaces. At Papaya Inn, you will be treated like family in a beautiful and laid back environment surrounded by nature! <https://www.papayainn.com/>

	Standard Dbl Rm/Standard Studio			Family Dbl/Deluxe Dbl/Studio Extra			Executive Suite (1)				Apartment (2)		
	Dbl diver	Single diver	Non-Diver	Dbl Diver	Single Diver	Non-Diver	Dbl Diver	Single Diver	Triple Diver	Non-Diver (dbl/trp occ)	Dbl Diver	Single Diver	Non-Diver
14 nights/20 dives	\$2257	\$3005	\$1157	\$2347	\$3205	\$1247	\$2527	\$3564	\$2188	\$1427/1088	\$2465	\$3438	\$1364
10 nights/14 dives	\$1605	\$2139	\$835	\$1670	\$2281	\$900	\$1800	\$2539	\$1556	\$1028/786	\$1752	\$2448	\$983
7 nights/10 dives	\$1170	\$1543	\$595	\$1214	\$1642	\$640	\$1304	\$1822	\$1134	\$729/559	\$1272	\$1759	\$697



Statia Lodge is a peaceful countryside get-away located on the south end of the island overlooking the Caribbean Sea and St. Kitts. With a rustic feel, the ocean breeze keeps the open-air private bungalows and porch kitchenettes cool. There is a communal pool and BBQ area with lounging couches and pool-side seating, both covered and uncovered. Continental breakfast is served daily except Sundays and public holidays. Statia Lodge is closed in September. Prices listed include daily car rental. We add a special welcome package on your first night at Statia Lodge with a small selection of your preferred drinks and snacks since most people arrive late and prefer to relax with a drink and platter instead of driving back to town for a restaurant or store. www.statialodge.com

	Bungalow Hibiscus		
	Dbl Diver	Single Diver	Non-Diver
14 nights/20 dives	\$2522	\$3572	\$1455
10 nights/14 dives	\$1785	\$2526	\$1047
7 nights/10 dives	\$1350	\$1925	\$775

The logistics....

Travel and Dive Insurance:

So many life and environmental situations can interrupt your hard-earned travel plans. Weather, health issues, accidents... don't let these situations make you lose out on your vacation. We highly recommend trip and dive insurance to cover your flights, hotel, dive bookings, and any medical or dive accidents that may occur as well as some COVID related cancellations. For a few extra dollars, you can rest easy that you will be reimbursed and rebook your trip for another time. The Pandemic makes traveling significantly more challenging, so make sure to read the fine print from your travel insurance company.

Golden Rock Dive Center does not provide refunds for any reason.

ALL DIVERS should have dive insurance in case of a dive accident. The closest decompression chamber is on Saba which requires emergency helicopter flight \$\$\$\$

Here are a few companies with which we have had good experiences:

***Dive Assure: www.diveassure.com This is our top choice especially for traveling insurance. Dive Accident insurance is also available and can be combined with Travel Insurance. Some COVID-19 interruption and medical coverage as well as hurricane/weather coverage is available. Excellent coverage for reasonable prices. [Click this link to sign up](#)

Divers Alert Network: www.diversalertnetwork.org This is the Gold Standard for Dive Medical and Accident Insurance. ALL DIVERS should have dive insurance in case of a dive accident. Excellent dive medical insurance and dive medical support. Trip insurance is also available, but with less coverage than Dive Assure. Make sure to read the fine print.

World Nomad: www.worldnomads.com/travel-insurance/ ; offers travel insurance coverage for weather and COVID-19 situations

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Payment and Cancellation Policies (subject to change at any time; current price will be honored with a deposit)

For groups of 6 or more:

- \$100 non-refundable deposit per person due on confirmation to reserve quoted price and space
- 50% payment due 90 days
- Full payment due 60 days prior to arrival
- Payments should be made in lump sums via international bank transfer to our St. Eustatius Bank account with Windward Island bank
- Deposits and payments are non-refundable. Ensure you have travel insurance to cover all portions of your trip.

For groups less than 6:

- \$100 non-refundable deposit per person due on confirmation to reserve quoted price and space
- Full payment due 30 days prior to arrival
- For individual payments: Deposits and payments of \$5000 or less can be made via will be made with TAB online payment portal and subject to 4% fees (credit cards are used with this portal so you can get CC benefits with less credit card fee than the 4.6% charged by Windward Island Bank), or with international bank transfers.
- Group payments and payments >\$5000USD will be made via international bank transfer to our business account on Sint Eustatius at Windward Island Bank and WIB bank transfer fees will be waived.
- Ensure you have purchased Travel Insurance to reimburse the cost of your trip. Deposits are non-refundable.

Thank you for your time and interest in diving with us at Golden Rock Dive Center on St. Eustatius.

We look forward to working with you. Please do not hesitate to contact us with any questions you may have.

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