KANDOLHU
MALDIVES

Island dreams come true in Kandolhu. This piece of paradise in the North Ari atoll is made for exclusive escapes fringed by a house reef brimming with natural wonders, dotted with five distinctly designed villa categories, and presents sensational dining offers.

Authentic hospitality meets laidback luxury at Kandolhu.

GUEST VILLAS

Retreat in style to one of our thirty impeccable villas, inspired by contemporary Maldivian design and offering sophisticated comfort. Choose from three beachfront villa types, each just steps from the beach with a private deck nestled within lush tropical greenery. For an exceptional experience, indulge in our overwater villas: the Ocean Pool Villa with its spacious living area and stunning "glass box" bathroom featuring floor-to-ceiling windows, or the Deluxe Ocean Pool Villa boasting a sprawling deck with a private pool and hammock, your personal vantage point for watching tropical fish glide by against the backdrop of mesmerising sunsets.

6 BEACH VILLAS – 85 SQM

These villas feature bedrooms with a king bed, and a spacious open air garden bathroom with a jetted bathtub, shower and twin vanity. A second outdoor shower is set in the garden. The veranda at the front is complete with a plush daybed, a dining area and a sundeck with sun loungers and sun umbrella.

8 DUPLEX POOL VILLAS – 150 SQM

The ground level includes a dedicated living area with daybed, a wardrobe and a garden bathroom with shower, twin vanity, freestanding bath. The veranda at the front offers an outdoor daybed and dining area. A separate terrace features the pool (18 sqm). The upper level features a spacious and airy bedroom, complete with a second bathroom and a balcony that comes with an outdoor daybed and a seating area with views out to the ocean.

5 POOL VILLAS – 150 SQM

The Pool Villa features a lavish bedroom with a king-sized bed, facing the pool and the blue lagoon beyond. Walk through the expansive wardrobe to access the large open air bathroom featuring a freestanding bath, shower, twin vanity and an outdoor garden shower. The large veranda features an outdoor daybed whilst the oversized deck houses a pool (9 sqm), sunloungers, sun umbrella and a dining area.

7 OCEAN POOL VILLAS – 90 SQM

The Ocean Pool Villas includes a large bedroom with king bed, day bed and walk-in wardrobe. The bathroom is open and airy with shower, twin vanity and a bathtub, and features a sliding door which opens up to a large outdoor deck, which includes sun loungers, sun umbrella, a plunge pool (7 sqm), and infinite views of the Indian Ocean.

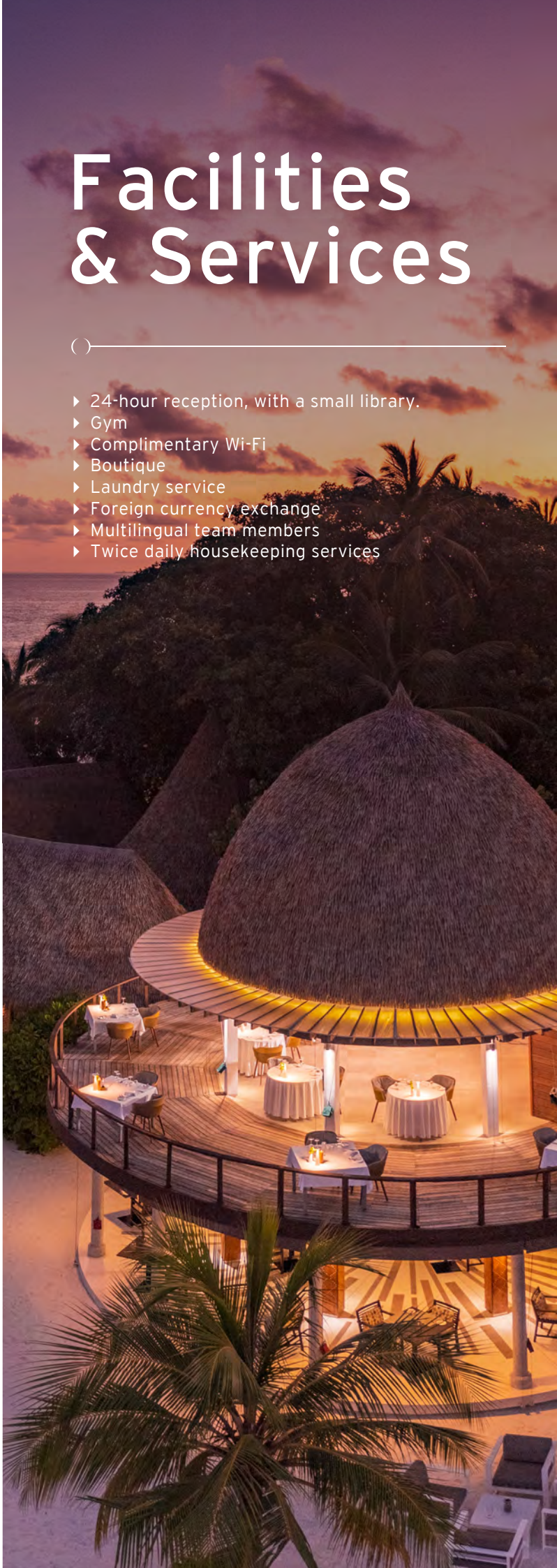
4 DELUXE OCEAN POOL VILLAS – 120 SQM

The Deluxe Ocean Pool Villas, expanding over 120sqm, offer enhanced space and an elevated experience of laidback luxury – with your complete comfort in mind. The interiors of the villa have been redesigned, to include a spacious bedroom, and bright bathroom space, with a chic bathtub overlooking the Indian Ocean – the perfect setting for relaxation. Outside on your expansive private deck, you will find sun loungers, a sun umbrella and your very own private pool (23sqm). Just beyond that, a hammock over the sea invites you to unwind while soaking in the sun and the breathtaking ocean views.

All villas feature king-sized bed, air conditioning, fan, Flat-screen TV with varied channel list, IDD telephone, mini bar and in-villa wine cellar, coffee machine, kettle, hairdryer, electronic safe, iron, ironing board, bath and beach towels, bathrobe, bathroom slippers, bath amenities, torch and Wi-Fi. All villas also feature sundecks with sun loungers and sun umbrella.

Facilities & Services

- 24-hour reception, with a small library.
- Gym
- Complimentary Wi-Fi
- Boutique
- Laundry service
- Foreign currency exchange
- Multilingual team members
- Twice daily housekeeping services



Dine

For a small and intimate island, Kandolhu offers plenty of options for dining. You have a choice of five à la carte restaurants, a bar, beach dining experiences as well as in-villa dining options available.

THE MARKET

Located facing the ocean, The Market is an all-day dining à la carte restaurant which serves international and local specialties in a relaxed ambiance. Only breakfast consists of a tasteful buffet, with a range of à la carte dishes also available to satisfy all taste buds.

OLIVE

Set on a higher level, Olive offers panoramic views of the ocean. Mediterranean classics and delicacies are the highlights of this open air restaurant.

SEA GRILL

Set right on the beach, Sea Grill opens as the sun sets over the island. You can savour sizzling meat or indulge in freshly caught fish served from the grill. A must-try is our authentic Indian cuisine, expertly prepared in our famous tandoor oven.

BANZAI

Discover the art of Japanese cuisine at Banzai. Choose from flavoursome sushi, succulent sashimi or meat and seafood grilled to perfection on the teppan, all to be enjoyed under a canopy of the starlit night sky.

ATA ROA

Where Mexico and Peru meet the equator line in the Maldives, presenting a light lunch with tacos and ceviches, coupled with sea breeze and a feel good vibe.

VILU BAR

A comfortable and chilled beach bar where you can relax whilst enjoying fabulous cocktails, fine wines, and fresh tropical juices. A tempting array of snacks is also on offer, perfect for satisfying any light cravings.

VILLA DINING

For a lazy day, Villa Dining offers a menu featuring international and local specialties.

PRIVATE DINING

To celebrate a special occasion or for a truly romantic experience with your loved one, book a private dining experience where you can design a menu together with the chef, to be had on a secluded corner of the beach.

Meal Plans

Kandolhu offers three different types of meal plans to suit different needs.

BED & BREAKFAST

- Breakfast at The Market
- Complimentary snorkelling equipment and unlimited usage of a wide range of non-motorised water sports

À LA CARTE DINING

- Breakfast, lunch, dinner at any of our 5 intimate, à la carte gourmet restaurants, during their opening hours
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ULTIMATE INCLUSIONS

- Breakfast, lunch, dinner at any of our 5 intimate, à la carte gourmet restaurants, during their opening hours
- Over 30 handpicked, international wines and sparklings included, available at the restaurants and Vilu Bar, and included in your very own villa wine chiller
- Wide range of international branded premium spirits available in-villa and all outlets, extensive martini / cocktail list and beers
- All soft drinks, juices, smoothies, specialty coffees and premium teas, mineral water
- 10% discount on all Varu Spa treatments
- One private snorkelling tour around Kandolhu house reef with guide or one Champagne + canapé sunset cruise, per person
- Complimentary snorkelling equipment and unlimited usage of a wide range of non-motorised water sports

Diversions

Kandolhu offers different ways to spend your day. Depending on your mood, you can choose from snorkelling, non-motorised water sports, diving, excursions and spa experiences.

DIVING

Located just a few minutes from some of the best dive sites in both North and South Ari Atoll, Kandolhu offers diverse diving adventures and PADI/SSI certified courses for both beginners and experienced divers.

Or keep it closer to home - just steps from your villa an active coral reef protects and embraces Kandolhu. A number of resident turtles live on the reef along with many other interesting creatures ready to be discovered!

Kandolhu house reef is the perfect location for your first diving experience, your check dive, refresher course or for experienced divers, unguided house reef diving with your favourite dive buddy.

SNORKELLING

Snorkelling in the Maldives is a must and Kandolhu house reef offers one of the best snorkelling experiences in this part of the country. Easily accessible from the shore, the house reef is set right around the island providing hours of snorkelling adventures.

WATER SPORTS

A wide range of non-motorised water sports are offered on Kandolhu ranging from windsurf, stand-up paddle board, catamaran sailing, kayaks and glass-bottomed kayaks, on complimentary basis by prior reservation. Wakeboarding, and kneeboarding, as well windsurf and sailing lessons, are also available at extra charge.

EXCURSIONS

Travel further afield and explore our beautiful Maldivian surroundings by joining one of our excursions. A variety of specially tailored trips are available throughout the week, ranging from wakeboarding for those seeking thrills, to sunset cruises and snorkelling sand bars for those preferring a more relaxed ambiance. Alternatively, why not treat yourself to a truly memorable experience, customising your day to suit your desires by privately chartering a boat.

VARU SPA

Situated in the heart of Kandolhu, discover Varu Spa ("energy"). Offering a complete wellness experience, our menu presents a sensual collection of couples' massages, body care therapies, manicures and pedicures in a tropical paradise.

At Varu Spa it is our focus to realign and unite the mind, body and soul; to help rebalance and leave you feeling in harmony with your beautiful surroundings.

All our therapists are highly skilled, professional and friendly, ensuring that you receive the best care whilst you are in our hands.

RENEWAL OF VOWS

When it comes to a beautiful setting, very few other locations can come close to Kandolhu Maldives. Tailor-make your special day to your liking, on an island perfectly suited for such a romantic occasion.

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