

The East

1) **The Water Park** - Fantastic moments for the family Rs 400 (2 ways)

2) **Central Flacq Village** (15 mins by car)

Shopping (open market on Wednesday and Sunday) - Let yourself get carried away by the legendary smile of the mauritians. Rs 700 (2 ways)

For sea and sun lovers.....

3) **Speed boat trip**

- ◆ Ile aux Cerfs - Recapture the picture of Paradise
- ◆ The Waterfalls of Grande Rivière Sud Est
- ◆ Ile aux Flamands
- ◆ Ile au Phare
- ◆ Blue Bay (Marine Park)

Rs 11000

4) **Catamaran trip** in group or exclusively with lunch and drinks included: Rs 2400 per person

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- ◆ The Waterfalls of Grande Rivière Sud Est
- ◆ Round trip in the lagoon and lunch on board

5) Fly **Fishing trip** on the East coast (maximum 3 fishermen):

- ◆ 2 hours

Rs 5000

6) **Undersea Walk** (10 mins from the hotel) for $\pm 1\frac{1}{2}$ hour - Walk among different types and colours of fishes, corals and admire the world under the sea and the limpidness of our lagoon. - **Rs 1200**

The South

Back to Nature.....

1) **Mahebourg Village** - Small charming coastal village

- ◆ **Blue Bay beach** - One of the most beautiful beaches of the island, white sand, crystal clear waters.....
- ◆ **Naval Museum** - An old French house of the 1800 centuries converted into a Historic Museum takes you back to the history of the battle of Grand Port. It counts between its collection many souvenirs of the battle, some very ancient cards and stamps illustrating the legend of Paul & Virginie
- ◆ **Biscuiterie Rault** (Guided visit of the factory, for the making of Tapioca biscuits & tasting)
- ◆ **Domaine du Chasseur** - Magnificent hunting territory with monkeys, bats, deer, boar live in harmony in this luxuriant reserve. Trekking, Restaurant Panoramour, and Quad bikes)

La Vanille Crocodile Park - Soak up into the magic of this site: A fusion of the muffled sounds of the trees and the soft twittering of birds. You will discover a heaven of luscious tropical flora and more than a thousand Nile crocodiles.

Colourful Mauritius.....

Full day trip to Curepipe – South:

- ◆ **Floréal** for shopping (Textile Museum) Discover the fascinating world of textile in this modern and dynamic museum.
- ◆ **Volcano at Trou aux Cerf** (The crater of a dead volcano offers a splendid view of Curepipe)
- ◆ **Mare aux Vacoas** - The biggest reserve of drinking water of the island.
- ◆ **Grand Bassin** sacred lake - Situated near Mare aux Vacoas, the lake is one of the two natural lakes of the island. Pilgrimage are organised by the Hindu community for prayers and offerings during festivals.
- ◆ **Black River Gorges** - One of the rarest forest on earth where over 150 varieties of plants and some of the extinct species of birds endemic to Mauritius are protected. Trails will take you through a varied flora dotted with springs and waterfalls.
- ◆ **View Point** of the Gorges of Black River
- ◆ **Chamarel 7 Coloured Earth** - Effects of soil erosion, small hills of earth have been formed of blue, green, red, yellow are in contrast. The neighbouring waterfalls of Chamarel emerge from the natural vegetation is of a breathtaking beauty.
- ◆ **Baie du Cap** - Beach of white sand and turquoise water
- ◆ **Le Morne** - Mountains situated in the South West of the island with an emerald-blue sea.
- ◆ **Tamarin Village** - Small fishermen village and also the making of salt.

The North

Mingle History and Shopping

1) Full day trip to Port-Louis, the capital:

- ◆ **Caudan Waterfront** (Famous shopping complex under which you will find over 100 trendy shops & also a few fancy restaurants)
- ◆ **Central Market** - Known for its handicrafts & spices (Open between 08H00 to 17H00)
- ◆ **Citadel** (Old French fort during the battle of Port-Louis for the occupation of the island)
- ◆ **Postal Museum** (is well-known for ancient postal instrument and the famous stamp the "Blue Penny")
- ◆ **"Musée de la Photo"** (have a magnificent collection of pictures of Mauritius in the 1800 century)
- ◆ **National Museum** (M. Institution and library Museum)
- ◆ **Marie Reine de la Paix** - Overlooking Port-Louis this idyllic place is mainly known for prayers and procession.

2) **Pamplemousses Botanical Garden** (Guided tour) - The garden is known to botanists over the world for the wide variety of indigenous and exotic plants which grow, the giant nénuphars "Victoria Regia", the Talipot or "Coryphe Parasol" is of particular interest and the legend is known that it flowers every sixty years.

3) Grand Baie:

- ◆ **Sunset Boulevard** (shopping & restaurant)

4) **Submarine Trip** for 2½ hours (45 mins from the hotel) - Blue Safari Submarine is the only operator of real submarines in the Indian Ocean. At 35m deep, your dream comes true as you discover the magic of the marine life. – Rs 3900

The West

Let yourself be carried away by the songs and gazouillis.....

1) **Coastal Village of Flic en Flac** - Situated on the West coast, the beach of white sand surrounded by "filaos" is very popular for swimming

2) **Casela Bird Park** - is a bird sanctuary to which other animals have been gradually added. The almost extinct "Pigeon des Mares" (Pink Pigeon) is the major attraction. Otherwise, animals and birds coming from the five continents, ponds of colourful fishes, tortoises, monkeys, lemurs, leopard, tigers from Bengal and the ostriches live in harmony.

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