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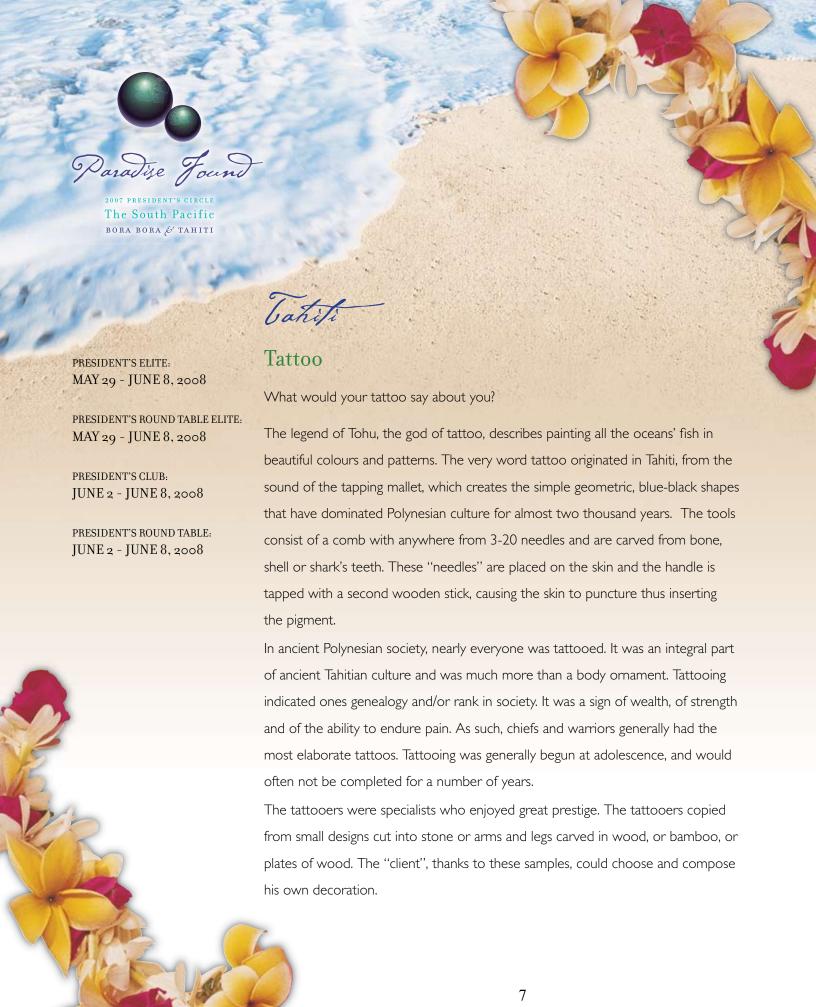
Population 4,650

Land Area 44 sq km (16.9 sq miles)

Highest Peak Mt. Otemanu (2,379 ft/725 m)









expanse of the Great Ocean.



Highest Point Mt. Orohena at 7,350 ft. (2,241 m)







Myth

Like all Polynesian islands, Moorea is enriched by folklore. Legend has it that a golden skinned lizard abandoned by its human parents, became stranded on the reef of Emeho as it swam after them. The merciful gods turned it into the island of Moorea (which means 'golden lizard') one of the true jewels of French Polynesia. Also according to legend, Hiro was the Polynesian god of thieves and Pai was a mighty warrior. One night when the waning moon was rising Hiro and his band of thieves went to Moorea and tried to steal the sacred mountain of Rotui, intending to drag it back to Raiatea behind a powerful canoe. Attaching long vines to the peaks of Rotui they set to work dragging it out, and they pulled so hard that the top cone of Mount Rotui broke loose. Hiro did succeed in taking the top of Mount Rotui, which he placed on a hill in Opoa, on the southern side of the island of Raiatea. This hill is still standing, and is covered with small ironwood trees, foliage that is comparable to that on Mount Rotui and totally different from the endemic flora of Raiatea.





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The Society Islands are considered "Paradise on Earth" by savvy travelers. They were first explored by Captains Cook and Bligh, but became famous through the

This group of islands is comprised of the Windward Islands and Leeward Islands, two clusters of volcanic and coral islands lying in a 450-mi (724-km) chain. Only eight of the islands are inhabited.

The Society Islands were given their stylish title by Captain James Cook in 1769, when he named them after England's Royal Society, which sponsored his journey. Most recognizable among them are the legendary islands of Bora Bora, Huahine, Moorea and Tahiti.

Facts about the Society Islands:

Official Name Society Islands, an island group within French Polynesia, an overseas Country of France

Population 221,000

Capital City Papeete 27,000

Languages French (official), Tahitian (official)

Land Area 1,680 sq km (650 sq miles)

Latitude/Longitude 17° 52S, 149° 56W

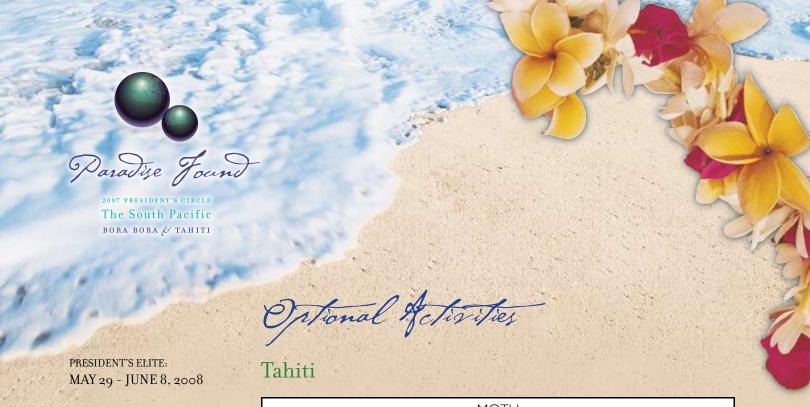
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shark meat.

Major trading partners: France, Japan, U.S., Niger, Thailand, New Zealand,

Singapore, Australia.



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	MOTU
Time	Agenda
8:00 am	Transfer by coach from hotel to fast ferry boat
	Private fast ferry transfer including hostess and Poly-
	nesian musician
	Transfer by A/C motorcoach from the pier to Cook's
	Bay to board catamarans.
	Experience a Lagoon cruise including visit of Cook
	and Opunohu bays, snorkeling, ray watching and
	picnic lunch on a motu (islet).
	Discover the magnificent island of Moorea from the
	lagoon. You will first make a stop for breathtaking
	views on Cook's and Opunohu Bays. According to
	an ancient legend, these bays were created by a huge lizard with its tail. Indeed Moorea means yellow (rea)
	lizard (moo). Your guide will introduce you to the lo-
	cal legends and geology.
	Your next stop will be made in the blue waters of the
	lagoon of Moorea for snorkeling. Enjoy the beauties
	of the underwater world : marvelous corals, colorful
	fish
	At noon, a picnic will be prepared for you on the motu (islet)
	After lunch, you can relax on the beach and snorkel around the motu.



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Time	Agenda	
	Afternoon at Leisure at Cook's Bay	
6:15 pm	Fast ferry departs Moorea	
What to wear:	comfortable clothes, swimsuit and reef shoes.	
What to bring:	sunscreen, hat, mosquito repellent, beach towel,	
	snorkeling equipment (mask & fins)	

	JEEP SAFARI
Time	Agenda
8:00 am	Transfer by coach from hotel to fast ferry boat
	This tour is dedicated to adventurers willing to discover Moorea off the beaten paths. You will travel in a four-wheel drive vehicle inside the volcanic crater which first created the island. Along the way, you will discover pineapple plantations: an incredible and unknown world inside the land.
	Moorea, the "green garden" of Polynesia is well known for its Agricultural School welcoming students from all the outer islands.
	Your guide will drive you across this large plantation of vanilla, bananas, grapefruits, oranges and will explain the various flora and fauna.
	Then you will be ready for a touch of culture on the "marae" (open air temple), before going up to the top of the mountain where you will appreciate the tremendous view over Cook and Opunohu bays. The Magic Mountain will be the next step. You will reach the summit by a little path surrounded by grapefruits, lemons, oranges.
	From there, the view over Opunohu Bay and the lagoon is one of the most beautiful of the island.



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		JEEP SAFARI (continued)
0	Time	Agenda
		Arrive at Painapo Beach for lunch
		Afternoon at leisure
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	6:15 pm	Fast ferry departs Moorea
	What to wear:	comfortable clothes, shoes & swimsuit
	What to bring:	sunscreen, hat, towel, mosquito repellent, snorkeling
		equipment

	CAR RALLY
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Time	Agenda
8:00 am	Transfer by coach from hotel to fast ferry boat
	Gather up for a short briefing on today's Rally around
	Moorea. A fun way for groups to discover Moorea
	and her mysteries while doing a full tour around the
	island. Each team of 4 will get a car, a "road book"
	and some important hints. Then off they go with their
	team to discover the island. On the way the teams
	will have to find specific objects and places, draw
	pictures of scenery, answer questions all referring to
	the culture, history & geography and Moorea. A real
	game track that will end at Painapo Beach, a dream
	site to relax and swim in crystal clear water and for
	lunch. This competitive experience is a fun way
	for people to pleasantly discover the real Moorea.
	The teams will make several stops and will have
	to communicate with locals to find the answers to
	several questions. They will visit the most beautiful
	sights and can do everything in their own rhythm,
	they can even stop to shop on the way if wanted.

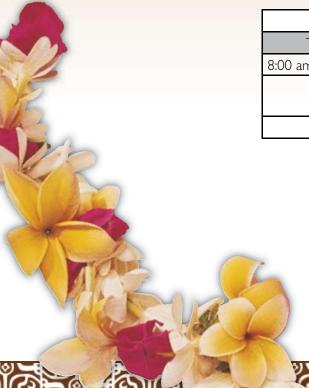


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Time	Agenda
	Arrive at Painapo Beach A traditional or BBQ lunch at the beautiful beach front property & restaurant "Painapo Beach" will close the rally.
	Afternoon at Leisure at Painapo Beach
6:15 pm	Fast ferry departs Moorea
What to wear:	comfortable clothes, shoes & swimsuit
What to bring:	sunscreen, hat, towel, mosquito repellent, snorkeling equipment and driving license for the driver.



SPA	
Time	Agenda
8:00 am	Transfer by coach from hotel to fast ferry boat
	Private transfer by A/C motorcoach to the InterContinental Hotel
	Arrive at the InterContinental

