



## Ia Orana Puddle Jumpers,

Formalities in foreign countries are always time consuming and often a difficult first step in the country of arrival. After your weeks of offshore sailing, we will help you to check in to French Polynesia with ease so you can enjoy our paradise islands from the first day.

Tahiti Crew started in 2012 as a crew placement agency for Superyachts. We opened our office in Marina Taina in 2013 and has began offering services to the Puddle Jumpers. We have local staff who are fluent in English, and believe us this assistance will be welcomed in some remote islands...

Tahiti Crew is very happy to renew this experience with members of the 2019 PPJ fleet.

We have decided to offer special rates and a discount card to the Pacific Puddle Jump rally members for all the official formalities, plus any other kind of assistance you may need in French Polynesia.

For the majority of the yachts, the first point of entry will be the Marquesas Islands. We have nominated representatives there to act as a relay of our organization.

### **Formalities of entry in French Polynesia**

For your information, and regarding formalities you should know:

- All yachts transiting in French Polynesia have to declare their crew at the immigration police, gendarmerie and Customs both at their arrival harbor, also in Papeete, Tahiti, and on the departure island.
- EU Citizens will not require a bond letter and can stay as long as they want in French Polynesia. Past 2 months, EU citizens should register themselves in the local city hall as resident of French Polynesia
- Most of the non-EU will have a 90 days stay allowance, if you are not sure about your citizenship allowance in French Polynesia , please contact us and we will be happy to find that information for you.



- For non-EU crew, you have 3 options to enter French Polynesia:

#### Option 1:

=> To post a bond letter at the bank of the equal cost of an airline ticket for each crew member to guarantee to the local authorities that you will have enough money to leave the country. You will get your money back on your departure day in Pacific Francs.

#### Option 2:

=> To show them a plane ticket out of French Polynesia

#### Option 3:

=> To use the services of an agent.

- At your first port call in Marquesas, Gambier or Tuamotu, you will have to go to the gendarmerie and they will give you a customs clearance. The original **MUST BE STAMPED** by them sent by mail straight to customs headquarters in Tahiti. The address will be on the custom form.

- The boat can stay 36 months in French Polynesia water. If you would like to extend it you can papeetize your boat or sail to another country and come back to have another 36 months.

- Any extension over your 90 days stay period, is given **ONLY** in case of emergency such as serious illness of the captain or boat failures. In that case you will need to inform us as we need to apply for the extension before the 90 days. If you would like to stay longer you will need to apply for a long stay visa. 90 days goes fast to visit all of our beautiful islands.

- Long stay visa** must be requested in the French embassy or consulate in your home country or where your boat is at port for over 3 months. It is a six weeks process minimum.

Once the long-stay visa obtain, you need to apply for the carte de sejour on arrival. You will have to submit once more all the documents that you have submitted in the French Consulate within the first two weeks of arrival in French Polynesia. We can assist you with these formalities as well.



**Please note that Fatu Hiva does not have a gendarmerie and you need to do your check in Hiva Oa before going there.**

If your first port of call is Tahiti, you can pay on your arrival in Pacific Francs or US dollars and we will organize all your formalities.

Please note that the bond letter is only valid for 90 days from the day you check-in to French Polynesia. If you are flying in and out during your stay in French Polynesia, you will need a bond letter that has your flight details on it. The bond letter package only includes the services listed in the package, all other services have additional prices.

## **Tahiti Crew Discount card**

This year we are launching our 1st discount card for cruisers.

We have made partnerships with restaurants, accommodations, spas, excursions companies in Tahiti, Moorea and Fakarava and we are happy to offer you this complementary cards included in your package.

You can come and collect your hard copy in Tahiti and you will find information on the discount and partners on our website [www.tahiticrew.com](http://www.tahiticrew.com)

Our office is located in marina Taina we are open from 8.00am to 3.00pm  
We receive the cruisers in the morning for enquiries.

Tahiti Crew is very happy to renew our association with the Puddle Jump rally in 2019. We are excited to welcome you to French Polynesia and remain at your disposal for any information you may require to simplify your arrival and stay.

Iaorana e Maeva in Tahiti and her islands!!



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## Contact:

To contact us please write directly to:

1) For registration and operations you can contact Heirani :

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2) For crew placements and executive packages you can contact Tehani :

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3) For enquiries on discount cards, activities, accomodations, or promoting your blog you can contact Moehau: info@tahiticrew.com

Our facebook page : Cruising with Tahiti Crew

Our facebook group gathering information on all the local events: Tahiti Yacht Event

**Our website is [www.tahiticrew.com](http://www.tahiticrew.com) , the website is close at the moment for renovation and will be open again on the 1st of march.**

**Maururu Fair wind and followind seas !**

Tahiti Crew Team  
Heirani, Moehau and Tehani



# Packages fees 2019



## TAHITI CREW

	Description	General Admission Fees*	Puddle Jump Fees
Sailing Solo Package	<b>Premium service 1</b> (official clearance + bond letter for 1 + duty free fuel)	29 500 cfp 247 eur	24 000 cfp 201 eur
Sailing Duo Package	<b>Premium service 2</b> (official clearance + bond letter for 2 + duty free fuel)	33 300 cfp 279 eur	27 800 cfp 233 eur
Family Package	<b>Premium service 4</b> Couple 1 or 2 children (official clearance + bond letter for 4 + duty free fuel)	33 300 cfp 279 eur	27 800 cfp 233 eur
	Extra child (from 3 to 18 years old)	8 750 cfp 73 eur	3 300 cfp 28 eur
	Child under 3	FREE	FREE
Sailors Package	<b>Premium service 4</b> (official clearance + bond letter for 3 or 4 + duty free fuel)	35 450 cfp 297 eur	30 000 cfp 251 eur
	Extra Crew	14 200 cfp 119 eur	8 750 cfp 73 eur
EU Citizen Package	Original clearance + duty free fuel	17 450 cfp 146 eur	12 000 cfp 101 eur
Long Stay Visa Package	<b>Premium service 2</b> (official clearance + assistance in obtaining a carte de sejour** + Duty free fuel)	27 600 cfp 231 eur	22 000 cfp 185 eur
	Extra Crew	11 450 cfp 96 eur	6 000 cfp 50 eur
Renewal Package	For the boat and crew after 90 days (valid 90 more days)	16 500 cfp 138 eur	15 000 cfp 125 eur
Flying Crew Package	For new crew member joining the yacht by air (bond letter for 1)	15 300 cfp 128 eur	9 850 cfp 83 eur
	For crew members registered within the year flying in out during their stay in French Polynesia		2 750 cfp 23 eur

\* 13% VAT to be added on the final price 1 EUR = 119,33 CFP on the 18/10/18



## Tahiti Crew Various Services

Type of service	Fee*
Berth booking for marina Taina	5 000 cfp / 42 eur deposit to make a reservation (non-refundable if the reservation is cancelled)
Boat keeping (gardiennage)	Starting from 20 000 cfp / 168 eur per month (depending on request)
Boat wash: interior daywork House keeping, detailing (8h work)	14 400 cfp 121 eur
Boat wash: exterior daywork Wash down, polishing (8h work)	14 400 cfp 121 eur
Bottom cleaning wash: Scrape the bottom with oxygen bottles, checking the zinc	22 000 cfp 184 eur
Daywork: with cleaning product included	20 000 cfp 168 eur
Storage (per week)	7 000 cfp 59 eur
Internet coverage** (per week, on society islands & Tuamotu)	Starting from 12 000 cfp for 5gb
Mail** <i>Receiving package + liaise with the broker yacht in transit</i>	2 000 cfp 17 eur
Enveloppe	1 000 cfp 8 eur
Office Work: <i>Printing, scanning, emailing, etc.</i>	On request 50 cfp / page
Repairs services: <i>Sails repair, canvas, refrigeration, hydraulic, electrician, laundry, private broker</i>	10 % on buying commission
Hourly spot services: <i>Sending parcel in the islands, shopping for the boat, provisioning etc...</i>	5 000 cfp 42 eur

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\*\* more information upon request



## Executive Package (for charter boat and private boat over 20m)

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Tahiti crew offers a range of services for your stay in French Polynesia, please find a short list of the popular services we have provided. We will be very happy to assist you in your journey through French Polynesia.

### **Formalities**

- Arrival and departure formalities
- Immigration advices
- Custom clearance
- Duty free fuel certificates
- Assistance with bond letter and visa requirements
- Charter license

### **Technical assistance**

- Berth booking
- Internet connection, sim card
- Repairs and maintenance
- Boat parts and supplies
- Coordinating broker and receiving parcels
- Medical cares
- Crew placement
- Dayworkers for the galley, the boat cleaning interior / exterior

### **Interior**

- Provisioning in Tahiti and in the islands
- Wines degustation and supplies
- Flower arrangement
- Laundry and dry-cleaning services
- Exploring French Polynesia
- Flights, car reservation and hotel booking
- Island tours and excursions
- Dive guides
- Restaurant reservation and recommendations
- Massage spa and beauty treatments
- Cultural activities and traditional shows on board and in the islands

### **Our fees**

- 10 euros/ meter / month as a set fee for our availability
- 1,5% on disbursement (marina and fuel)
- 10% on buying commission on all operations



## The Team

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### **Tehani Fiedler-Valenta, Manager**

Tehani is native Tahitian. She has learned English in Laie Hawaii. She has graduated from a Business and Hotel Management at the Southern Cross University in Sydney. Tehani have worked on Superyachts for five years before opening up her Tahiti Crew. Tehani loves her culture and her island, she will be happy to give you a memorable experience of your stay in French Polynesia.

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### **Heirani Cheung, Operation Manager**

Heirani is native Tahitian. She has graduated in English and Tourism Management. She started in the tourism industry with Tahiti Crew in 2016 as Tehani 's assistant. She is now the operations manager. Specialized on the Carte de sejour and extensions, Heirani will also assist you for the official clearances, duty free fuel certificate and much more.

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### **Moehau Hamblin, Marketing Coordinator**

Moehau is native Tahitian. He's graduated in 2016 from the Business School of Tahiti. He's made many internships in the marketing domain, including one in a English School in New Zealand. He recently joined Tahiti Crew. Moehau is in charge of communication, advertising, and will also help you organizing your activities and excursions in French Polynesia.

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