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SAFARI FLEET

Terms and Conditions

Insurance: Baggage/Dive Equipment Insurance is recommended. We do require every diver to have valid accident and medical insurance.

Note: It is the divers' responsibility to ensure sufficient insurance coverage is obtained for the diving element of the holiday, particular attention should be paid to excess charges that will be applied by insurance companies before settlement of any claim.

Medicals: All diving guests are required to sign a self-declaration medical. If you are taking part in a course, you are required to sign a medical form prior to starting the course. If you have, or think you have, any of the medical conditions listed you will need signed clearance from a doctor valid within 12 months of your planned trip. Where doctor's clearance is needed, we ask you to arrange this before arrival where possible and to bring it with you to avoid any delays and additional costs in resort.

Itineraries & Dive Sites: All itineraries and dive sites are subject to various unpredictable changes including weather conditions and changes in Egyptian Government approval. Whilst Sadko Safari Fleet make every effort we cannot guarantee diving at specific sites. In adverse weather conditions the guides and captain of the boat will have the final decision about which dive sites to visit to ensure that the guests, staff and boats safety is not compromised in any way. If in the unfortunate event that dives are missed or dive sites are not reachable to weather conditions or other unforeseeable changes, Sadko Safari Fleet will not offer a refund or compensation.

Diving for Qualified Divers: Sadko Safari Fleet' dive guides will provide a detailed and comprehensive dive briefing before you enter the water with your buddy. When the guide is in the water they will remain with the group to navigate the site and to look out for any interesting marine life to show you. The dive guide will not provide any dive training during the dive and you and buddy dive together at your own risk. As qualified divers you are responsible for your own and your buddy's safety during the dive and to plan your dive and dive your plan by using either dive tables or a personal dive computer. You must begin, execute and end the dive with your dive buddy.

Number of dives required: To dive the Thistlegorm you should have a minimum of 20 logged dives and for Elphinstone you should have a minimum of 30 logged dives. Currents can be strong and we recommend you are certified to 30 metres and are comfortable with drift dives. Sadko Safari Fleet advises that all guests joining a liveboard must be Open Water Diver or equivalent. We recommend that to get the most from our liveboards. The Advanced Open Water Course is offered on-board upon request.

Non-diving guests and guests taking part in other water-based activities such as but not limited to; swimming, snorkelling, kayaking,

stand-up paddle boarding and surfing are done at your own risk. When leaving the boat to take part in any water-based activity **please ensure you have informed a member of staff so that they can monitor the conditions and are aware that you are no longer on the boat.** Safety equipment is available if you do not have your own.

Children: Children aged 15 years or younger must be supervised by a parent or designated responsible adult at all times whilst on board a Sadko Safari Fleet day diving boat or Liveaboard. Children may be accepted on-board for a full charter, subject to consent from the group leader. Places are subject to availability and you should discuss options with reservations before confirming your booking. Sadko Safari Fleet cannot provide a legal chaperon service.

Please be aware of the risks associated with such activities which are enhanced with the consumption of alcohol or under the influence of a hangover can impair your judgment and when scuba diving can increase the risk of decompression sickness. Please drink responsibly, within your own limits and act with respect for others and your own safety at all times. Sadko Safari Fleet and its associated staff and agents reserve the right to refuse entry to the water if we/they believe you are no longer safely in control of your own actions and safety. If the guides deem that you are unfit to dive you will be asked to sit out the dive. Your safety and well-being are paramount so this request by the dive guides will only be made to avoid accidents.

Behaviour: Anti-social or aggressive behaviour will not be tolerated and individuals who cause a disturbance to other guests may be removed from the liveaboard or diving centre.

We wish you a safe and comfortable trip!

Yours,

Sadko Safari Fleet Team