



Welcome
to **Saba!**

Dive, hike or relax,
Saba awaits!



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This five-square-mile island has five eco-systems from a desert climate to a tropical rain forest. Saba is world-renowned for scuba diving and hiking trails, as well as snorkeling, and an active creative community.

The island has accommodations to suit every style and budget. Whether you visit for a day or longer, a different Caribbean adventure awaits!



Getting **around**
Friendly taxi services
are available to help
you get around Saba
during your trip!

Facts about *Saba*

- Saba's Juancho E. Yrausquin Airport is the world's shortest commercial runway (400 m), making for an exhilarating landing and take-off.
- The summit of Mt. Scenery at 2,910 ft. (877m) is the highest point in the Kingdom of the Netherlands.
- Saba has one road, known as "**the road that couldn't be built**", the road was originally constructed entirely by hand. Running from sea level on both sides of the island, up to an altitude of 1,600ft. (488m).
- Saba's environment ranges from arid terrain at sea level to lush rainforest at its summit. Remarkable for a 5 square mile island! Making way for exceptional and different hiking trails.
- Saba is known for its lace work, also known as Spanish Work. Saba Spice, is a spiced rum-based liquor made in the homes of residents. They are available to purchase in stores.
- Charming white gingerbread, green shutters, and red-roofed Saban cottages can be seen in all 4 villages, which makes them picturesque and unique.



Getting to **Saba** from St. Maarten

The island is located 28 miles southwest of its international hub St. Maarten. You can get to Saba from St. Maarten in less than 12 minutes by air - or enjoy a scenic 90-minute ride over to Saba on the Ferry.

The Edge

Offers day trips: Tuesdays and Fridays
Saba day trip packages are available!

www.stmaarten-activities.com



Edge Ferry

The Makana Ferry

Departs from Bobby's Marina in St. Maarten, St. Eustatius or St. Kitts. Day trips are available.

www.makanaferryservice.com



Makana Ferry

WinAir

Daily flights from St. Maarten.
Day trips are available.

www.fly-winair.com



Winair

Sustainability efforts

Saba continues to work on becoming a more sustainable destination as the Unspoiled Queen of the Caribbean. Some highlights:

Solar Park/Renewable Energy

The island is powered by solar energy from two solar parks and battery storage, producing between 35-40% of the total production. On a day with optimal sun, the island is completely powered by solar and battery power between 8 am and 5 pm.

More about Saba's sustainability efforts:



Recycling Bins

Saba has two types of garbage bins: orange for recycled materials and black for general disposal. Please help keep Saba clean!

Saba Splash Water

Drinking water produced in Saba is of high quality, sustainable and helps to reduce the amount of single-use plastic.



Discover Saba's abundant lush trails!

Saba has 20 different hiking trails that traverse through the various biomes. Trails can vary in intensity and variety with options to hike the island's cloud forest, tide pools, historic ruins, and rich natural wonderland. Visitors can hike to the top of Mt. Scenery and experience the unique cloud forest, the island's highest peak at 877 meters, and take in the lush and often rare, tropical foliage, wild orchids, and birds, while spectacular views unfold. Organized hikes can be arranged through the Saba Conservation Foundation.

Experience Saba's underwater wonders!

Discover one of the top dive spots in the world, the island offers interesting diving for every experience level. The Saba Marine Park circles the entire island from the high-water mark to a depth of 60 m (200 feet), including the seabed and overlying waters, marine conservation is a high priority. It is one of the most prolific underwater spawning grounds for brilliantly coloured fish, lobster, turtles, sharks, corals and more.



Explore Saba's *creative* community!

A part of Saba's hidden treasure is its long tradition as an inspiration and muse for the colony of artists that live and create here. From jewellery and glass making to tie-dye and textiles, art is expressed in all forms on Saba. Visitors with a passion for arts and crafts can spend time creating alongside the artists with a range of workshops and classes. In addition, visitors can also learn how to create Saba Lace; a type of needlework that dates back to the 1800s. Get inspired!

Learn Saba's *history!*

Saba has a rich history that dates back over 3000 years ago when the Cibony first lived on the island. Over the years, many different types of artifacts have been uncovered through archaeological excavations. Visitors that want to learn more about Saba's rich history and view these artifacts can visit the Saba Heritage Center and the Harry L. Johnson Museum.

Enjoy Saba's *cuisine!*

Foodies will savour regional and international gastronomic options ranging from casual to stylish. Fresh seafood is abundant, particularly the famous Saba lobster, an island specialty.



Hotels, Cottages & Villas

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Cottage Club Hotel

The Cottage Club Hotel is a place of authentic Old World Caribbean charm and natural beauty, spread amidst stately palms and tropical gardens. The Penthouse Suite in The Great House is nestled above the estate's collection of ten traditional Saban style cottages, offering breathtaking views of neighboring islands and sunrises. Every vantage point, including the pool patio, is known for its peacefulness.

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Juliana's Hotel

Juliana's Hotel is located in the village of Windwardside, just a minute's walk from Saba's finest restaurants, gift shops, grocery stores, museums, and scenic hiking trails.

It offers seventeen unique accommodations suited to each individual's preference, including garden-view and ocean-view rooms, fully equipped suites, Captain's, Mango, & Lily Pond, and two-bedroom private Saban cottages.

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Saba Arawak Hotel

Saba Arawak Hotel is located in Windwardside, close to Mt. Scenery Trail, shops, restaurants and grocery stores. It features 27 suites, a restaurant, outdoor swimming pool, free Wi-Fi and free private parking. Each room is equipped with a kitchenette, fridge, air conditioning, balcony with a city view, private bathroom, flat-screen TV and more.



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El Momo Cottages

El Momo is a small, individual, earth-kind, quiet, charming and paradise located on a Caribbean Mountain. It offers seven wooden cottages and a small apartment, each surrounded by tropical gardens.

Each cottage offers ocean views and sunsets from October to March. No safes or keys are necessary, and there are no TVs in the rooms. El Momo is located on Booby Hill, just outside Windwardside, and is the cheapest accommodation on Saba.

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Saba Island Properties

Saba Island Properties is the only expat real estate broker on Saba, the Dutch Caribbean. They've had an extraordinary positive experience moving to Saba from New York City, buying and renovating their home, becoming residents, and opening their own business to help others transition their lives. The quality of life on Saba is magnificent, and their team has developed an island concept which will facilitate the complex process of real estate purchase, renovations, and new construction.

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SIPP is a company that provides hands-on concierge service designed to ensure that a visit to Saba is memorable. Mark Jonson has various properties that can be rented for a stay on Saba or, for those looking to purchase a new home. Their island-based team knows how to organize all the intricate details of getting things done on Saba, from airport or ferry pick up, to outdoor activities, to gala weddings. If there is anything you need that is not listed in their Concierge Services menu, they will do their best to "make it happen" for you.

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Scenery Hotel

Located amidst Saba's breathtaking nature, The Scenery Hotel boasts panoramic views of the inland, the ocean, and Mount Scenery, promising guests an unforgettable and unique experience.

The hotel will feature 30 meticulously designed rooms and suites, an infinity pool, a scenery lounge, and a restaurant. The Hotel is expected to welcome its first guests before mid-2025.

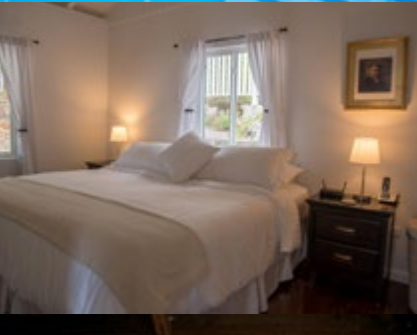
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Opening soon!



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Compass Cottage

Compass Cottage is a stylish and charming cottage, blending traditional Saban vernacular with harmoniously updated design details. It is situated in the quiet and desirable neighborhood of Booby Hill in the private enclave of Johnny's Ground, and is peacefully remote yet close to the amenities of historic Windwardside Village. The large fully equipped kitchen and dining area, with stylish white cabinetry and elegant tilework, is a serene place to prepare a meal and dine in. The two bedrooms, each with en suite bathroom, are tranquil private retreats.

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Haiku House

The Haiku House is a luxurious private villa located on Troy Hill with a magnificent ocean view. It offers three bedrooms with bathrooms, a fully equipped kitchen, dining room, living room, and private terraces with a pool and Jacuzzi. The interior was designed by Jan des Bouvrie, a famous Dutch interior decorator. It is an ideal destination for a private holiday or party. This private hilltop villa based on a 16th Century Japanese Villa.

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Saba offers a variety of events and activities.

Each with a unique monthly theme!



More about Saba's island events & activities





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