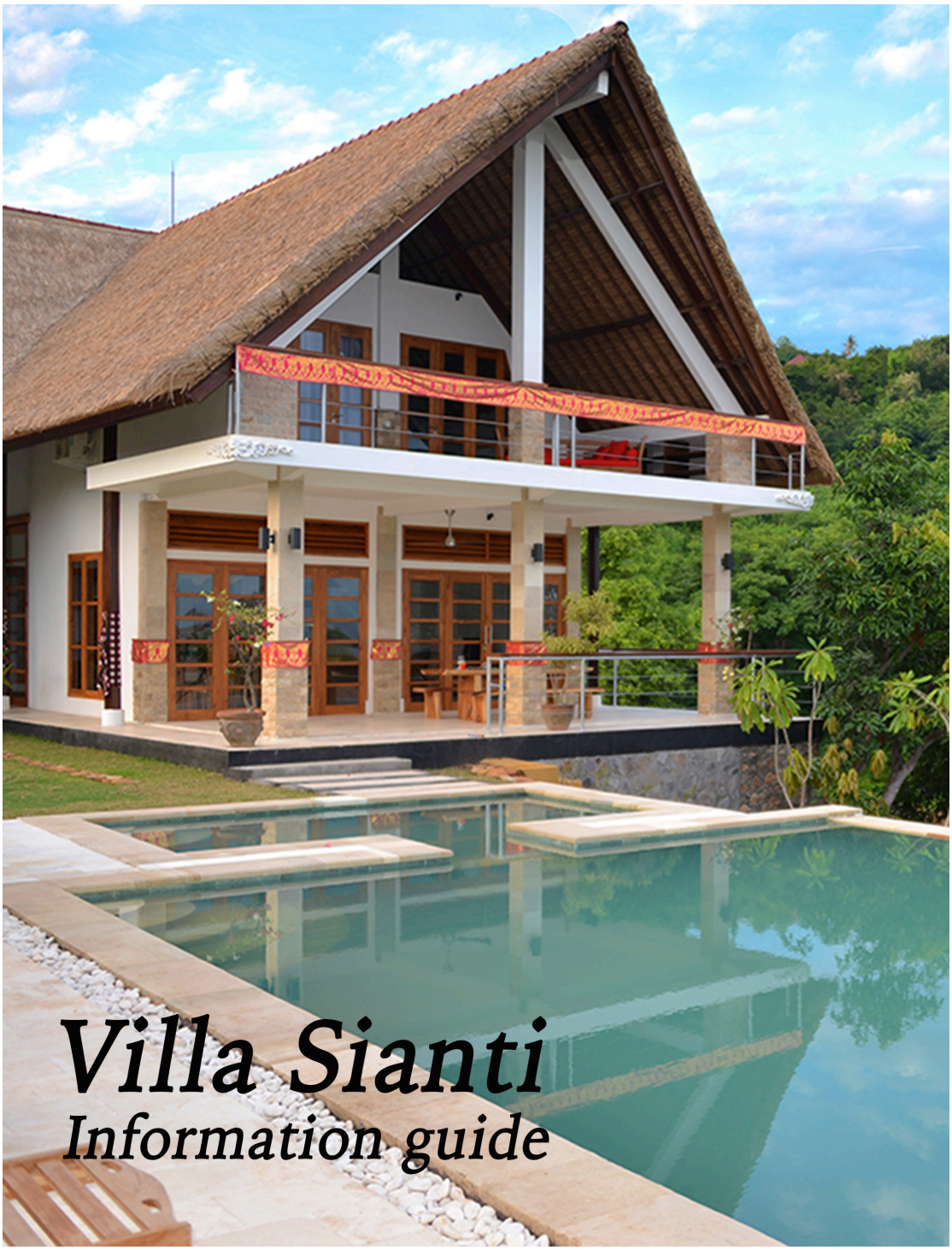

Villa Sianti

Information guide

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Restful, peaceful, beautiful

WELCOME!

We would like to extend a warm welcome to you in ***Villa Sianti.***

Villa Sianti is a luxury villa equipped with all modern amenities. Friendly and hospitable staff will be at your service six days a week to make sure you have a memorable holiday.

This guide is designed to assist you during your stay and gives you important information about the villa, tips and suggestions for tours whilst you are here, contact information for local restaurants and the villa help desk, suggested menus and much more. We suggest that you read it thoroughly to make the most of your holiday.

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We hope you enjoy your stay at Villa Sianti and return to visit us again.
In the meantime, please 'like' our Facebook & Instagram pages (to keep up with all our news and updates).

Service and Staff

Arrival and departure

Unless a prior arrangement has been made, the villa is available from 2pm on the day of arrival. If you arrive during the day the staff will be there to prepare a welcome dinner for you on the first evening and breakfast the following morning, both of which are included in the villa rental.

If you arrive in the evening, the security guard will let you in and a meal will have been prepared which will only have to heat up. Also, a welcome package will be provided which includes fruit, bread and various beverages in the fridge.

Unless a specific arrangement has been made, you are kindly requested to leave the villa before 12pm (noon) on the day of departure. If you are going directly to the airport we remind you that the journey takes 3 hours and the check-in time is at least 2 hours prior to your flight departure for international travel. We advise guests to leave the villa 6 to 7 hours before the flight leaves to have some extra travel time in case it is busy on the way to the airport.

Staff

The staff of **Villa Sianti** are available 6 days a week to make sure that you have a comfortable stay. Our staff consists of two housekeeper/cooks, who look after the entire household by maintaining the villa, taking care of the laundry & ironing and preparing your breakfast, lunch or dinner, 2 full time gardeners who also maintains the swimming pool and an overnight security guard who is on duty from 6pm to 6am every day.

The housekeepers and gardeners do not work on a Sunday. However, if you arrive or depart on a Sunday they will be there to help and you can negotiate a suitable day for them to have off in lieu.

Their normal working hours are from 8am until 5pm with a 1-hour break in the afternoon.

The staff arrive at 8am and the cook will prepare your breakfast. Each day you can decide if you would like the staff to prepare your lunch and/or dinner. If you want the staff to prepare your dinner, they will be available until 8pm but will take a longer break in the afternoon. Alternatively, they can prepare your dinner in the afternoon and you can heat it up in the evening.

We suggest that each day you notify the staff of your preferences for meals for the following day, so they can buy the groceries. We kindly ask for your consideration in having some variety when asking them to prepare the dinner, so that they do not have to stay each night until 8pm or later.

Please bear in mind that nearby in Lovina there are plenty of nice, inexpensive restaurants, some of whom offer a free pick up and drop off service.

The staff can prepare many different types of meals for you. You can choose what you would like to eat or make use of the suggested menus later in this information guide.

With some regularity, special 'ceremonies' are held in Bali, so it is possible that there may be an additional day that the staff will not be available. The help desk will inform you about this in advance.

Groceries

Except for the welcome package which includes your first dinner and breakfast, all groceries are at your own expense.
For your daily groceries you can go to Lovina or Singaraja. In Lovina you will find Pepito Market, a supermarket with a lot of choice in food with a lot of fruit & vegetables, fresh meat and fish and a bakery. In this supermarket you can buy all your daily groceries.
In Lovina you will find also 2 bakeries: Bakery Lovina has a Swiss owner and offers delicious bread and croissants. At the Bakery Lovina you also can buy meat, cheese and wine. Buda Bakery at Jalan Damai offers delicious bread, freshly baked each day. Buda Bakery also has a restaurant for breakfast, lunch and dinner, highly recommended!
You can also choose to have your bread delivered each morning at the villa. Further in this guide you find the phone numbers.
In case you are looking for a bigger supermarket with more choice, you can go to Carrefour in Singaraja (30-minute drive).

Do you like fresh fish? A little bit further than Lovina, in the Anturan village, you can find a fish market. Coming from the direction of Lovina, the market is situated on the left side of the road and is named 'Pasar Ikan'.

If you prefer, your staff can take care of your groceries. They can buy fresh vegetables, fruit, meat and fish at the morning market. If you would like them to buy fresh goods, we advise that you provide the staff with your shopping list and cash one day in advance. They will provide you with the receipts and any change. Please be aware that not all places provide receipts (e.g. markets etc.). The staff are happy to take care of your groceries and they will only ask for a small amount to cover their transportation costs (Rp 20,000).

Another possibility is for you to go shopping at Carrefour on your way from the airport to the villa. Carrefour is located just 10 minutes from the airport and sells a lot of Western brands.

Transportation

If you would like to use one of the drivers for going out for dinner, shopping or to enjoy a beautiful day trip around the island, you can always call the help desk. You can also make your own arrangements for your trip back to the airport in Denpasar with one of the drivers.
The drivers charge approximately Rp 150.000 for a return trip to Lovina, Rp. 350.000 for a half-day tour and Rp. 700.000 for a full day tour or to go back to the airport in Denpasar (in a car suitable for 5 people plus luggage) If a larger vehicle is required there may be an additional cost. We recommend that you agree on the price in advance. In case you are pleased with their service (especially for daytrips) you can always give them a tip. All drivers speak English and are also very good guides; they know the best places to visit in Bali! All prices are per vehicle, not per person.

If you book a local organized tour, they often offer free transport from and to the villa. Some restaurants in Lovina also offer a pick up and drop off service if you make a reservation with them in advance (see or more details further in this guide under 'Addresses').

There is also local transport on Bali, but it is very irregular. There are mini-buses, called 'bemos', that drive along the main road along the north coast; they are usually a blue colour. If you walk along the main road you can signal to stop them. With a bemo ride you are able to go (for example) to Singaraja for a very small amount (approximately 30.000 Rp). Please note that the bemos are only available during the day till 6pm.

Of course, you can also rent a motorbike, bicycle, or a car yourselves if you dare to defy the traffic in Bali. Please note that you officially need to have an international driver's license. If you require more information, please contact the help desk or the staff.

Help desk

During your stay you can always contact the help desk. Their phone number is in the phone list included in this guide. You can contact them every day for any questions you might have regarding the villa, the staff and the surroundings.

Tourist tax

In Bali it is required to register all guests at the tourist police. This registration is mandatory in each village guests are staying for more than 24 hours. A staff member or someone from the help desk will come to your villa to collect two copies of each passport and a fee of IDR 30,000 per person. They will take care of the registration with the tourist police.

Keys

On arrival you will receive keys to the doors of the Villa. On the day of departure, please return these keys to the staff.

Inventory

The inventory of the villa caters for 8 persons (max. 6 adults). You will find towels for the bathrooms and towels for the swimming pool in the bedrooms and bathroom. The staff will ensure that these are washed on a regular basis. The staff will check the inventory upon arrival and departure. In case of damage or missing items, the related costs will be deducted from your deposit.

Thanking staff

The staff of the villa will do their utmost to make your stay as pleasant as possible. Whether you want to show your appreciation for their services is entirely up to you.

On our first visit to a villa in Bali we were unsure what to leave as a tip so, as an indication, may we suggest that if you do choose to leave a tip, a suitable amount would be 200,000 rph per staff member per week. This is from the guests as a group, not individually.

Naturally, tipping is not mandatory and completely at your own discretion. Whilst tips are not expected, they are gratefully accepted.

Amenities

Swimming pool

Villa Sianti has a beautiful, large private swimming pool. The gardeners will take care of the maintenance of the pool on a daily basis. The water in the pool is filtered through the pump system, so it is therefore recommended to leave the pump on during swimming hours (normally the gardener will turn the pump on in the morning). We kindly ask you to turn off the pool lights and pump before going to bed.

TV / DVD / STEREO

In the villa you will find 2 televisions and 2 DVD players. There are a variety of DVD's available in the villa (including some children's movies), but please feel free to bring along some of your own.
The villa also has a Bluetooth speaker system that will connect to any modern device with Bluetooth capabilities so make sure to bring plenty of your favourite music with you.

Telephone

The villa does not have a telephone. Therefore, we advise you to take a mobile phone with you. If you want to save money you can buy a local calling card (prepaid sim card). There are a number on telecommunication companies in Bali and these cards can be brought at several shops in Lovina or Singaraja.
They offer very good rates for phone calls and text messaging in Bali and also have attractive rates for foreign calls.

For local calls and text messages in Bali using a local SIM, you just dial the local number (starting with 0).

The staff can also assist you in making restaurant & tour reservations if necessary.

Internet

The villa has wi-fi that is included in the cost of the villa rental.
The staff will advise you of the login and password on arrival.

Safe deposit box

In the villa you will find a safe deposit box (located in the main downstairs bedroom) for all your valuables. You can open and close it with your own

personal code. For instruction on the use of the safety deposit box please read the instructions supplied or ask the staff. At departure, we kindly ask you to leave the door open for the next guests.

Banking

In general, Indonesian Rupiah is still the preferred means of payment in Bali. Only hotels, restaurants and larger stores accept credit cards. In Lovina and other cities such as Singaraja you will find ATM cash machines where you can withdraw Indonesian Rupiah. Keep in mind that you can often only withdraw a small amount at a time and the amount can differ between ATM's.

You can exchange foreign currency at the airport in Denpasar at one of the money exchange offices located around the meeting area. In Lovina you can also exchange money at the Tip Top Money changer (on the main road through Lovina next to the Hotel Chonos) or use a Cirrus card at many of the local convenience stores.

Visa-Free stay for short visit (maximum 30 days/29 nights)

Foreigners whom are eligible to use the visa exemption facilities will be granted a 30 (thirty) days stay in Indonesia. The purpose of the trip must be leisure, tourism, family or social visit, art & cultural visit, giving lecture or attend seminar.
The visa-free stay is applicable for 169 nationalities including all European countries, the USA, Canadian, Australian, New Zealand and also many Asian passport holders. The visa-free stay is not extendable and cannot be converted into another type of stay permit.

Requirements for a visa-free stay:

- A valid passport with **minimum validity of 6 (six) months** at the moment of entering Indonesia/Bali
- Return ticket or through ticket

For a stay longer than 30 days in Bali or in Indonesia you will have to apply for a visa in advance at the embassy of Indonesia in your country of residence.
Please note that the arrival day and departure day are counted in the 30 days. So this means that you can stay maximum 29 nights in Bali or in Indonesia. We advise you to check with the authorities prior to your departure to ensure regulations have not been changed.

Current information regarding Visas for Indonesia can be found at the following site: www.visabali.com

Kitchen equipment

Villa Sianti has a fully equipped kitchen with all necessary appliances such as a refrigerator, gas cook top, microwave oven, toaster, rice cooker, blender, sandwich maker, coffee maker etc. There is also a second small bar fridge located under the stairs in the living area.

Drinking Water dispenser

We do not recommend you drink the water from the tap. For your convenience in the kitchen you will find a water dispenser that supplies normal, hot or cold water. You can buy a new water tank in almost every store. They are inexpensive and, if you return the empty container, you will receive a refund. You can ask the staff to buy a new water container for you.

Laundry

The villa has a washing machine, which you are free to use. You can also ask the staff to wash your clothes and iron them. Please note that this is at your own risk and responsibility. We encourage you to give instructions to the staff, especially if it concerns clothes that are very delicate and require special treatment or ironing.

Toilets

The toilets are connected with a septic tank. You are therefore urged to only flush toilet paper and to use the bins provided in all bathrooms for other hygiene products. All toilets in the villa are equipped with a dual flush system for water conservation (half flush or full flush) and we request you utilize this facility.

Voltage

The voltage in Bali is 210/220V. The plugs on Bali are of the same type as the standard European two prong power plugs. There is a multi-country power board at the villa as well as single converter plugs, but we recommend that you bring your own to guarantee your electrical products can be used successfully.

Electricity & Water

Electricity is very expensive on Bali and water is scarce. We encourage you to be sensible in the use of electricity and water.

You can save energy by turning off the air conditioning when you are not in the bedrooms and also turning off fans and other devices when they are not in use. Please close doors and windows when the air conditioning is running.

The bedrooms cool down very quickly once the air conditioner has been turned on so, if using the air conditioners overnight, you need only to turn them on shortly before going to bed.

Keeping the doors to the bathrooms closed will also avoid any unwanted insect visitors and optimise the air conditioners.

To save water, sheets and towels will be washed upon request. Please leave your bath towels on the floor if you wish them replaced and leave the supplied 'change sheets' card on your bed when you wish to have them replaced.

Addresses and phone numbers

Address of **Villa Sianti**

Villa Sianti
Sing Sing Villas
Jalan Air Terjun Sing Sing
Temukus / Lovina
Buleleng - Bali

Help desk & Drivers

For all your questions related to the villa, staff and surroundings or to arrange a driver please contact the help desk:

Diah	+62 (0) 0877 6228 1659 (also WhatsApp)
Putu	+62 (0) 0878 6328 5591

If you are not using a local sim card, please add +62 and drop the leading (0)

Supermarkets

Lovina: Supermarket Pepito: supermarket that sells fresh vegetables, fruits, cheese, meat, fish, bread (freshly baked) and lots of western food and supplies.
Seririt: Hardy's (small supermarket on the main street in the centre of Seririt)
Singaraja: Carrefour (bigger supermarkets with butcher, fish, fresh vegetables and fruit and dairy) or ADB (supermarket with a lot of fresh food).
On the way to Lovina, Seririt and Singaraja: several mini markets.

Bakery

For fresh baked bread and croissants:

Bakery Lovina, Jalan Raya Lovina (main street at Lovina).
This is also your address for meat, cheese, dairy products and international wines.
To order in advance / delivery: 0362 42225
info@bakery-lovina.com

Buda Bakery & Resto, address Jalan Damai Blok D no. 26, Lovina. Also, the restaurant for dinner we can highly recommend!
To order in advance / delivery : 0362 42106 or 081 246 91779
putubuda09@gmail.com

Pepito Supermarket main road Lovina

Alcohol

The Bakery Lovina, Alcovino (next to the Spice Beach Bar) and Pepito Market offer local and imported wines and imported spirits at very reasonable prices.
Alcovina will deliver to the villa. For orders/deliveries please call 0819 3653 7999
www.alcovina.com

Home delivery

A number of restaurants in Lovina offer home delivery of meals:

Restaurant Sing Sing Resort	0877 616 89490 (at Sing Sing)
Warung Ayu (Indonesian food)	0362 42267 or 0821 475 55034
Chonos (Indonesian and western Food):	0362 41569
Jasmine (Thai Food):	0362 41565
Spice Beach Club (pizza's):	085 10001 2666

Restaurants

Within 2 minutes walking down the hill you find the restaurant of the Sing-Sing resort, they offer a wide range of western and Asian dishes, they are each day open for breakfast, lunch or dinner until 21.00 (9pm).
You can also order: 0877 616 89490 (Sri Utami).

Within 5-6 minutes driving you find Krisna Water Sports with also two restaurants; they offer free transport from and to the villa:
* La Costa Beach Club, Temukus 0878 6304 8979 or 0811 3973 311
* Subak grill fish rest. Temukus 0878 6304 8979 or 0811 3973 311

Lovina (6-8 minutes driving) offers a number of restaurants, from small Indonesian warongs to the more western oriented restaurants. We can recommend these restaurants:
* Spice Beach Club, Jl. Raya Sing. Lovina 085 10001 2666
(free transport from and to the villa, good food, nice bar & beach club with pizzeria, 10% discount when making a reservation in advance under the name of Villa Sianti, see advertisement further in this guide)
* The 10th Table, Jl Seririt-Singaraja, Lovina 0823 410 26660
(luxury, haute cuisine, very good, free transport)
* Warung Ayu, Jln. Mawar, Lovina 0821 475 55034 or 0362 42267
(Indonesian and western, very good, local prices)
* Warung Blitar, Jl. Seririt-Singaraja, Lovina 0877 6168 9490
(Indonesian and western, very good, local prices)
* Buda Bakery & Resto, Jl. Damai, Lovina 0362 42106 or 08124691779
(Western/Indonesian, very good bakery, free transport)
* Damai, in the hills of Lovina 0362 41008
(luxury, haute cuisine)
* Starlight Restaurant, Jl. Starlight Lovina 0362 7005271
(nice at the beach)

* Secret Garden, Jl Pura Dalem, Anturan	0887 332 1007
* Jasmine kitchen, Jalan Bineria, Lovina (Thai)	0362 41565
* Seyu Japanese Rest., Jalan Bineria, Lovina (Japanese)	0362 706 1888
* Chonos, Jalan Raya Singaraja, Lovina (Western & Asian)	0362 41569
Restaurant Nyoman, Jl AA Panju Tisna,Kaliasem (Indonesian, free transport)	08133816370

Spa

Do you like to relax with a massage? There are many massage options in Lovina. Most of the large hotels will have a Spa and there are also many small shops offering massage & beauty services.

We can recommend:

Araminth Spa Resort, Lovina,	Ph 036241901 or 08123844655
Zen Resort Bali, Ds. Ume Anyar, Seririt,	Ph 0362 93578
Damai Hotel, Jalan Damai, Kayuputih Lovina,	Ph 036241008
Cambodja Spa, Br. Enjung Sangiang, Kaliasem-Lovina,	Ph 081 805 520 423

Also, you can order massages in the villa, the therapists will come to the villa to give massages. The staff can also arrange this for you. We can recommend Cambodja Spa.

Yoga

You can ask the staff or the help desk to arrange a yoga teacher to come to the villa to practice yoga. Two yoga mats are available at the villa. Please ask the staff about these.

Doctor and dentist

In case you need a doctor or a dentist you can contact:

Dr. Putu Adi Suputra
General Practitioner
Jl Brahmavihara, Banjar Tegeha, Desa Banjar
Practice 0812 369 5879
Mobile 0878 600 05360

Dr. Hilda
Dentist Lovina
Practice 0362 26200
Mobile 081 2395 1683

They speak good English and can also prescribe medication. In Lovina you have several pharmacies to buy medicines

Hospital

Close by in Tangguwisia you find a 24h clinic:

Rumah Sakit Pratama
Jl. Seririt- Singaraja, Tangguwisa
(in the direction of Seririt)
Phone 0362 336 1387 or 0362 336 1386

In case you need to visit a hospital, you can find one in Singaraja:

Rumah Sakit Umum
Parama Sidhi
Jl. A. Yani No.171, Singaraja
Phone 0362 29787

In Kuta (south Bali) you will find an international hospital:

BIMC Hospital
Jalan By Pass Ngurah Rai 100X, Kuta
Phone 0361 3003 911

Surroundings

Watching Dolphins

Lovina is well known for its dolphins. Every morning many fishermen with tourists aboard leave Lovina in search for dolphins. Due to the large population of shrimps living in the sea near Lovina, the chance that you will see dolphins is about 80%. Often the boats are surrounded by dozens of dolphins jumping and playing. It is usually sufficient to arrange with a fisherman 1 day in advance. You also can ask the staff or the help desk to make arrangements for the next day. The boat trip will last around 2 hours and the price will be approx. 150.000 Rp. per person. You may be required to hire a driver to take you to the beach depending on which company you book through. We highly recommend you go on this trip, as it is definitely an experience! You can also stop for snorkelling just off shore on the way back for an additional fee.

Diving and Snorkelling

In Lovina you will find the 2 dive centers: Spice Dive and Arrows Dive Center. They offer (PADI) dive courses and you can book a dive trip to the best diving sites on Bali such as Menjangan (beautiful coral reef) and Tulamben (the famous Liberty Wreck at the east coast). Spice Dive and Arrows Dive Centre also organise snorkelling trips to several places such as to the island of Menjangan, which is a beautiful snorkeling spot about 1 hour driving and 30 minutes by boat away. Snorkeling at Menjangan Island is also very easy with children as you can snorkel right from the beach. The island has beautiful white sand, clear waters and lots of colourful fish!
These snorkeling trips are also possible in combination with diving.
Also close to Lovina, about 10 minutes away, there are various places for snorkelling approximately one kilometre from the shore. You can hire a boat to take you out and you can see many tropical fish in the beautiful clear water.

Spice Dive, Lovina Beach, Phone 0813 372 42221 or 085 100 012 666
www.balispicedive.com

Arrows Dive Centre, phone +62 362 41504
www.arrows-dive.com

Of course, you can also arrange a trip on your own to go snorkeling at the Island of Menjangan. You can arrange a driver to take you there. The drive takes about 1 hour to the Mimpi Resort (located just after Pemuteran) and the boat trip takes 30 minutes. The driver will arrange the boat crossing, including a snorkelling instructor. You can rent snorkel gear at the Mimpi Resort on arrival.

Also close to Lovina, about 10 minutes away, there are various places for snorkelling approximately one kilometre from the shore You can hire a boat to take you out and you can see many tropical fish in the beautiful clear water.

Krisna Funtastic Land

Great for the kids and only a stone's throw from the villa, the newly opened Krisna Funtastic Land has a variety of rides for the younger ones including a carousel, ferris wheel, monorail and many other activities plus a selection of food stalls for tasty local fare. There is also a waterpark at the same location (separate entry fee).
www.krisnafuntasticland.com
http://www.krisnanorthbali.com/index.html

Krisna Water Sports & Krishna Adventures

Based at La Costa Restaurant, Krisna Water Sports has an assortment of activities including parasailing, banana boating, jet ski-ing, seawalker and much more. There is also a recently installed beachfront pool located at the restaurant.
Krisna Adventures, about an hour's drive away, offers the adventurous the choice of ATV, paintball, Flying Fox and waterfall trekking.
www.krisnabaliwatersport.com
www.krisnaadventures.com

Water fun park Gran Surya Waterpark – Seririt

Popular with the locals, this is a water fun park with slides, swimming pools etc. for (young) children is also close by in the village of Seririt, within 10 minutes driving from the villa.
https://www.facebook.com/pages/category/Public-Swimming-Pool/WaterPark-Gransurya-Bali-825436610941802/

Golf

In Bedugul, about a one-hour drive from the villa, you'll find a beautiful 18-hole golf course called "Bali Handara Kosaido Country Club". This golf course is one of the top courses in Asia and was designed by the renowned architect Peter Thompson. The golf course is beautifully located on a mountainside at a height of more than 1,100 meters.
For more information call: 0362 22646
www.balihandaracountryclub.com

Buddhist Monastery

In the hills of Banjar, about 15 minutes away from your villa, you will find the Buddhist monastery, Brahma Vihara Arama. This is the only Buddhist monastery in

Bali. The monastery is spread over several layers and has special walls and rooms for prayer. It is also known as the small Borobodur. Some Balinese Buddhist monks inhabit the monastery. From the hill on which the monastery is located, you have a beautiful view of the area and the sea.

Hot Springs

Near the monastery, you will find the famous Air Panas Banjar hot springs. These "hot springs" are located in the hills of the village of Banjar and are surrounded by beautiful scenery. The 38°C hot sulphurous water source ends at eight carved dragonheads and is believed to have healing effects.
A visit to the Monastery is easy to combine with the Hot Springs of Air Panas when you only want to make a short trip from the villa. Both are only 15 minutes from the villa and they are located only 5 minutes apart.

Mayong Village Trekking

The beautiful landscape of Mayong is only a 20-minute drive away from the villa. Here you will find many rice-fields and plantations (coffee, cacao and vanilla) and it is a beautiful area for hiking.
We recommended that you hire a guide to join you on your hike, as they will be able to show you the best spots and explain everything.
Putu Artana is the perfect guide for this! These tours are also very nice and suitable for children. The tours will end at the guide's home where you will enjoy a delicious lunch.
For enquiries you can call: (0) 823 4071 9179 (Putu Artana) or (0) 813 3835 5660 (Ria). Both numbers alos available on WhatsApp.
www.mayongculturalwalk.com

Waterfalls

Near the villa are several waterfalls, such as the Sing Sing (within walking distance), Munduk, Aling Aling, Git Git and Sekumpul. Most are relatively accessible however Sekumpul, often touted as the most spectacular in Bali as it consists of 7 waterfalls in close proximity, does take a reasonable level of fitness as you need to traverse over 500 steps, slippery rocks and stream crossings. It is, however, very much worth the effort.

Also a trip to the Aling Aling waterfalls (30 minutes drive) is recommend to do during your stay. It is a beautiful area and you can slide and glide the waterfalls from 3 levels (very nice, also for children!)

Villa Sianti is located in an area known as Sing Sing because of the nearby Sing Sing waterfalls. From the villa you can reach the waterfalls on three levels. The middle level is the closest and has the easiest access; you can reach this level by

walking down the hill to the entrance to a small restaurant. There you find a path and stairs to reach the waterfall.

Pura Ulun Danu Bratan

This well-known and beautiful temple is situated at the edge of Lake Bratan, a beautiful lake situated between different mountains, which are partly hidden amongst the clouds.
The Pura Ulun Danu Bratan is one of the most visited and photographed temples on Bali. If you go to the temple via the route along Mayong and Munduk you will have beautiful views over the mountains with sawas, lakes and small villages.
https://www.indonesia.travel/gb/en/destinations/bali-nusa-tenggara/bali/ulun-danu-beratan

Botanical Gardens

Near Bratan Lake and the Pura Ulun Danau Temple, at the plateau area of Bedugul, one of Indonesia's four official botanical gardens is located. The Bali Botanical Gardens are situated in the cool atmosphere of the Bedugul plateau with rain forests and hills surrounding it. The gardens were opened in 1959 and cover some 160 hectares land. It contains more than 1187 plant types and multifarious of flora. Any visitor with an interest in plants and trees could easily spend a whole day here. In the park you will find an informative library and gift shop. The gardens are open daily from 8am till 6pm.
For more information phone 0368 21273
www.kebunrayabali.com

Bali Treetop Adventure Park

Next to the Bali Botanical Gardens you will find this adventure park. The park includes six main circuits that stretch from tree to tree, as well as nets, Tarzan Jumps, and bridges. Each run also features flying fox zip-lines of up to 160 metres, providing heart pounding thrills to guests as they fly through the air. Two circuits are designed for young children from 4 years old.
The Bali Treetop Adventure Park is open daily from 08.30am till 6.00pm daily.
www.balitreetop.com

WaterBom Bali

Exciting water slides slice through 3.8 hectares of landscaped tropical parks providing hours of fun and entertainment for the young and young at heart! There are 101 ways to fill 24 hours each day with thrilling activities on land and in water. For relaxation, drift leisurely in a tube raft or go for a tranquil dip in inviting blue pools. A soothing massage or spa treatment is the ultimate way to unwind.

Set your own pace for a day of fun in the sun or relaxation in the shade; perfect for the whole family or for that special getaway.
The WaterBom Park is located near Kuta in South Bali, if you want to go there please consider that is a 2.5 hours' drive from the villa to the park.
www.waterbom-bali.com

Ubud

If you have enough time, we recommend you take a day trip to Ubud - the cultural capital of Bali – renowned for its arts and crafts.
Other forms of art are also well represented in the area. Around Ubud you will find various villages (Mas, Celuk etc.), each with their own particular (art) craft. In Ubud itself, many types of traditional dances are performed, and it is a shopper's paradise if you want to buy local art such as woodcarvings, batik clothes, paintings and bamboo articles.
Suggestion: lunch or a drink on the terrace of Café Lotus in the Centre of Ubud with fantastic views over the big pond with lotus flowers and the temple figure.

A visit to Ubud is certainly worthwhile though you have to consider a journey time of at least 2 hours from the villa. You can of course also consider visiting Ubud on your way from the airport to the villa or on your return to the airport.

If you are heading to Ubud, do not miss the rice fields (sawas) from Tegallalang (just north of Ubud). There you will have a splendid view of the terraces and you can take beautiful pictures of them!
www.fabulousubud.com

Also highly recommended whilst in Ubud: white water rafting and cycling through the rice fields (also e-bikes available).

Rafting:
www.grahaadventure.com

Cycling with e-bikes:
www.ebikesbali.com

Suggestions for a day trip

Many guests make one or more day trips to explore the beautiful surroundings. You can choose several routes. Below you will find a suggested day trip (total time around 5 till 6 hours from and back to the villa):

- Leaving the villa, you drive via Mayong and Munduk to the Bratan Lake. The route is very scenic as you drive past rice fields, the colourful mountain village of Munduk and a lookout above the two blue lakes (Lake Tamblingan and Lake Buyan).
- At the Bratan Lake you can visit the famous Pura Ulun Danau. This well-known and often photographed temple is situated at the edge of Lake Bratan, a beautiful lake situated between different mountains, which are often partly hidden amongst the clouds.
- Nearby the Bratan Lake, a nice stop for lunch is at the village of Pacung, nearby Bedugul, where you have a view of the famous terraced rice fields of Bali. You also can visit the beautiful botanical gardens at Bedugul if you are interested.
- After lunch you drive back in the direction of Singaraja and visit one of Bali's most famous waterfalls, Git Git. A path of about 1 km with a variety of souvenir shops leads you past a coffee and a vanilla plantation to the 60-metre-high waterfall. Along the way you often can see monkeys.
- From the Git Git waterfalls, you can drive via Singaraja and Lovina to the famous 'Hot Springs of Air Panas'. These "hot springs" are located in the hills of the village of Banjar and are surrounded by beautiful scenery. The 38°C hot sulphurous source ends at eight carved dragonheads. Don't forget to take your bathing suit for a dip in the healing waters.
- Just 5 minutes from the Hot Springs you will find a Buddhist monastery 'Brahma Vihara Arama'. This is the only Buddhist monastery in Bali. The monastery is spread over several layers and has special walls and rooms for prayer. It is also known as the small Borobodur. Some Balinese Buddhist monks inhabit the monastery. From the hill on which the monastery is located, you have a beautiful view of the area and the sea.
- You drive back to the villa (only 15 minutes).

MENU SUGGESTIONS

BREAKFAST

Toasted bread
Roti panggang

Cheese, jam, chocolate
Keju, selai, ceres

Pancake
Panekuk

Fried egg
Telur goreng

Boiled egg
Telur rebus

Scrambled eggs
Orak arik telur

Fried banana
Pisang goreng

Indonesian cake
Cake pandan wangi

Fresh fruit
Buah segar

Fresh juice (orange, pineapple, apple, melon or banana)
Jus segar

Coffee or tea
Kopi dan teh

LUNCH

Toasted Sandwich
Roti isi panggang

Cheese, jam, ham
Keju, selai, ham

Omelette
Telur dadar

Vegetable omelette
Telur dadar sayur

Indonesian chicken curry soup (whole meal)
Soto ayam

Laksa seafood (whole meal)
Laksa seafood

Fried rice
Nasi goreng

Fried noodles
Mie goreng

Meat croquette
Kroket daging

Salad with tomatoes and cucumber
Salad, tomat, ketimun

Prawn crackers
Krupuk

Fresh juice (orange, pineapple, apple, melon or banana)
Jus segar

DINNER

ENTREE

Chicken soup
Sup ayam

Gulai (Curry sauce with peanut sauce and coconut milk)
Gulai

Spring rolls
Lumpia / loempia

RICE & NOODLES / NASI & MIE

Fried rice
Nasi goreng

Fried noodles
Mie goreng

Steamed white rice
Nasi Putih / witte rijst

Nasi Campur (rice with meat, fish, vegetables & tofu, whole meal)
Mixed rice

MEAT / DAGING

Fried chicken
Ayam goreng

Sate: pork, chicken or beef sate, with peanut sauce
Sate babi, sate ayam, sate sapi, bumbu kacang

Babi kecap (fried pork in sweet soy sauce)
Babi kecap

Ayam kecap (fried chicken in sweet soy sauce)

Beef rendang (Indonesian beef in spicy sauce)
Rendang sapi

Chicken Curry with rice

Kare Ayam, nasi putih

Spicy Chicken
Ayam pedas

Opor Ayam Palembang (chicken in coconut gravy)
Opor Ayam Palmang

FISH / IKAN

Fish Satay
Ikan sate

Fried shrimps
Udang goreng

Fried shrimps in tomato sauce
Udang goreng sauce tomat

Spiced tuna
Pepes tuna

Fried tuna with vegetables
Tuna goreng isi sayur

Grilled fish
Ikan bakar

White fish with Indonesian herbs
Ikan bumbu bali

VEGETABLES / SAYUR

Mixed vegetables from the wok
Oseng-oseng sayur

Gado-Gado (an assortment of parboiled vegetables such as cabbage, beans, tauge, potatoes, eggs and served with peanut sauce)
Gado-Gado, bumbu kacang

Cay Cay (mixed vegetables)
Sayur capcay

Sweet & Sour vegatables
Manis dan asam sayuran

Corn pancakes
Jagung panekuk

SAUCES /SAUS

Kecap Manis
sweet soy sauce

Sambal Kecap
spicy soy sauce

Bumbu Kacang
peanut sauce

DESSERTS /DISERT

Indonesian cake
Cake pandan wangi

Fresh Fruit
Buah segar

Coffee or tea
Kopi dan teh

DURING THE DAY

Fried banana
Pisang goreng

Corn pancakes
Jagung panekuk

Indonesian cake
Cake pandan wangi

Prawn crackers
Krupuk

Spring rolls
Lumpia

Meat Croquette
Kroket daging

WESTERN DISHES

On request the staff can make also some western dishes like Spaghetti Bolognaise, beef tenderloin, pork chop, chicken breast with vegetables and French fries or potatoes.

Of course, you can combine the above dishes as you like.

HELPFUL WORDS RELATING TO FOOD

Pedas	= spicy
Tidak pedas	= not spicy / mild
Asin	= salty
Manis	= sweet
Goreng agak kering	= well done
Gula	= sugar
Cabe	= chilli

BASIC INDONESIAN

Halo	Hello
Selamat pagi	Good morning
Selamat malam	Goodnight
Terima kasih	Thank you
Sangat bagus	Very good
Sangat enak	Very tasty / delicious
Saya / Anda	I / you
Saya lapur	I am hungry
Saya haus	I am thirsty
Makanan	Food
Minuman	Drink