



BOCA TABLA Located within the Shete Boka National Park, this often dangerous dive site is loaded with reef fish and pelagic species, but must be dived only when calm. It is seldom dived.

BOCA TABLA CAVE A key feature at Shete Boka National Park, this sea entered from a volcanic rock and concrete stairstep tunnel, which leads to water's edge. Although you will be confined to a cave, the cave opens where crashing waves roar in. You can climb down into the cave, but low ceiling, a slippery floor, and powerful waves.

SHETE BOKA NATIONAL PARK The name means "Seven Papiamentu, the native language of Curaçao. The name means seven sea inlets, or rocky bays along the rugged cliffs. Visit and view these beautiful bays where the sea is usually very dramatic as huge waves crashing against the cliffs. Dramatic sea of natural bridge have been carved by the action of the sea. marked walking paths along the cliff tops and through the sea inlets make hiking the scenic trails easy.

CHRISTOFFEL NATIONAL PARK This 4,500-hectare preserve is home to Christoffelberg, Curaçao's highest peak. Explore by jeep, car, horseback, mountain bike, or on foot. Protected wildlife includes iguanas, several species of birds, and 150 white-tail Curaçao deer. Historians believe the deer were brought from South America in the 17th century.



COUNTRY HOUSE MUSEUM A well-preserved 19th-century manor house with agricultural equipment, antiques, and a garden.



Swim to the back at about 40'... of the beach for all "Westpunt Beach"... bathers' beach. A... and walk down the... accessed from shore, drop-off, which is quite... the wall. Playa... ideal for beginners

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beach and swim to... green morays, and... for all levels of... beach and head to a... orange elephant ear

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this site features a nice reef with abundant... rays. A pipe can be followed for finding your

of Santa Martha Bay and accessible by shore or... is nearby. The shallower parts are excellent for

+) Accessible by shore or boat, there is a difficult-to-find... ray and has lush coral and colorful sponges. Very beautiful

(m-30m+) Good snorkeling along the left side of the bay. Easy... Sea rods, rope sponges, brain coral, and lettuce coral, as well... some very large groupers. Small entrance fee.

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Reached by shore at Playa Lagu, but usually a boat dive. Corals and... rums, cowfish, turtles and seahorses.

1+) The drop-off is 50 meters out where divers find beautiful sponges and... ys, sea turtles, and barracuda. Small entrance fee.

30'-100'+ (9m-30m+) Right off of one of the nicest beaches in Curaçao, this dive... re marked by a mooring buoy. Snorkelers have a great time in the shallows... joy the deep. The beach features a raft for sunbathing and playing moored off the... urant, showers, and toilets.

THE VALLEY 25'-100'+ (8m-30m+) Quiet family beach with amenities including parasols... a bar. Divers enter at the beach and swim 100 meters straight out to a mooring buoy. This... reef has a 100' (30m) wide and 50' (15m) deep sand valley between the inner and outer... the sand and groupers hug the edge of the overhangs.

LIBOOIBAAI 25'-100'+ (8m-30m+) The bay is great for beginners and snorkelers. You'll find sea... hins, sea cucumbers, peacock flounders, and lizardfish. The drop-off is about a fifteen minute swim... in the beach, and the reef hosts numerous gorgonians, sponges, and stony corals. Beware of boats.

ST. MARIE 20'-100'+ (6m-30m+) The drop-off is about 100 meters from the beach. This lush reef is... covered with rope sponges, pillar coral, sea whips, sea rods, and sheet coral. Colorful tropical fishes... abound, including cowfish, barracuda, surgeonfish, and creole wrasse. Excellent snorkeling too.

LIGHT TOWER 25'-100' (8m-30m) Named after a light tower perched atop the cliffs, this is a drift dive. The healthy reef is often visited by sharks and dolphins. Advanced divers only.

SELDOM REEF 25'-100'+ (8m-30m+) This is a boat dive to an excellent reef with turtles, barracuda, grouper, and the occasional dolphin, amongst brain coral, star coral, fire coral, and some big sponges. Recommended for advanced divers only due to swells and strong currents.

BOCA ST. MARIE 30'-100'+ (9m-30m+) It's possible to access this site from shore, but this is usually a boat dive. Below 60' (18m) the reef thins out, so for the best diving stay above 60'.

BULLENBAAI 30'-100'+ (6m-30m+) Reached from shore with difficulty, but is usually done as a boat dive. From the mooring, swim northwest to the drop-off. The steep wall has many cracks and fissures in which spiny lobsters, Spanish lobsters, cleaner shrimp, and eels hide. Intermediate to advanced.

LOVER'S BEACH/PESTBAAI 20'-100' (6m-30m) Shallows enjoyed by snorkelers. The drop-off is just 60m out. There are many beautiful colonies of star coral, gorgonians, and tube sponges. Common fishes include spotted drums, biennies, gobies, and parrotfish. Reached from shore with difficulty.

VAERSENBAAI 25'-100'+ (8m-30m+) Accessible from shore with a 5-minute swim to the drop-off, or via boat. Nearby is an old ship wreck which lies at 52 meters depth. This boat was used to transport the cars from which the dive site The Car Wrecks gets its name.

THE CAR WRECKS/OFF THE ROAD 25'-100'+ (8m-30m+) Accessed from Vaerssenbaai. The shallow bay is an excellent place to snorkel, with gorgonians, brain coral, blue tang, and parrotfish. Several dozen cars are spread along the wall at depths of 90' to 130' (27m-39m). Advanced due to depth.