



# Shefa Tourism

June 2016



**PELE ISLAND**  
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## PELE ISLAND – ACCOMMODATION MAP



- JJ's Bungalow ... **772 6476**
- Jowi's Bungalow ... **562 2221** or **590 9491**
- Sunset Frangipani Bungalow (Enock's) ... **534 8534**
- Simoa Bungalow ... **568 6685** or **773 2670**
- Sena Pa-pa ... **542 4728** or **772 2206**
- Serety Bungalow ... **563 0979** or **771 7113**
- Bella Bungalow ... **776 2140**
- Nabanga Bungalow ... **778 7850** or **563 0315**
- Sunrise Bungalow ... **564 9102** or **593 6250**

# JJ'S BUNGALOW



J.J is a substantial bungalow built from modern materials with a large, shady verandah that faces the sea. It has two bedrooms, one with a double bed and one with bunks, sleeping up to four people. An additional bed can be provided.

The bungalow is situated in the little village of Worearu, on the Nguna side of Pele Island. It's a stone's throw away from a beautiful, white sand beach

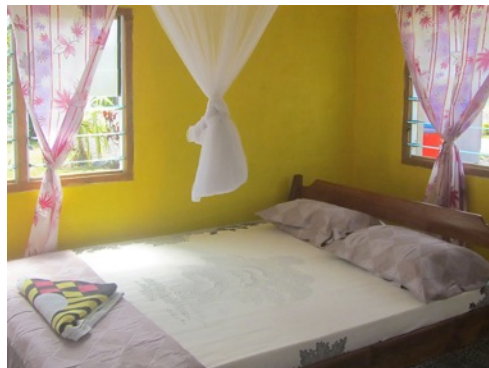
that offers safe swimming, snorkelling and stunning sunsets.

The cost of 3,500 vatu per person per night includes all three meals.

John and Magrette can help to organise boat transport.

Contact: **John and Magrette Kalo**

Phone: (+678) **772 6476**



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# SIMOA BUNGALOW



Simoa is a well established bungalow set in a secluded spot on a beautiful white sand beach. Because it's just a few minutes walk away from Sena Pa-pa Bungalow, groups will sometimes book both bungalows if they can't all fit in the one place.

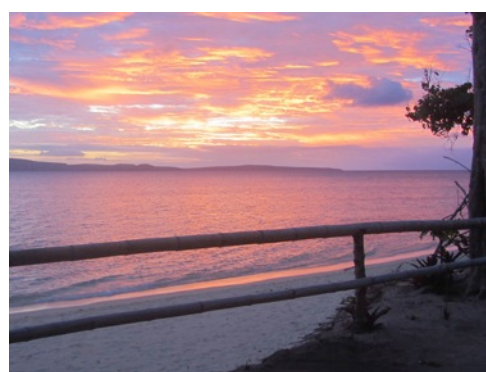
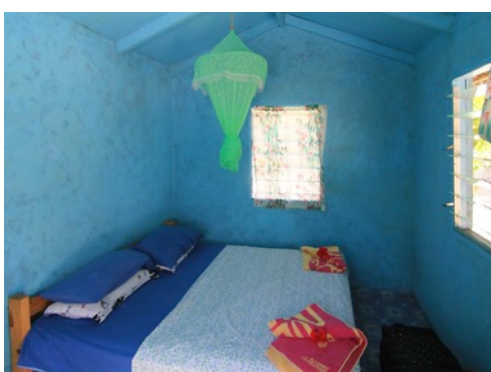
Simoa sleeps up to five guests in two rooms, one with a double bed and one with a double and a single bed. Meriam's delicious meals are served al fresco,

making the most of the stunning location and glorious sunsets.

There is safe swimming and good snorkelling in the sea in front of the bungalow. Mark and Meriam can arrange boat transport to and from Emua Wharf. Cost per person per day including all meals is 3,500 vatu.

Contact: **Mark and Meriam Song**

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## SENA PA-PA BUNGALOW



Sena Pa-pa is a popular bungalow situated on a beautiful white sand beach. Frank is well known for his fantastic hospitality and Eileen for her cooking. Their bungalow has a room divided in two by calico, sleeping up to three people in a double and a single bed. An additional mattress can be supplied. Guests are also able to camp on the beach but need to bring their own tents. There is a separate ablution block,

very clean, with two toilets and bucket showers.

The sea in front of the bungalow is a glorious turquoise blue, good for swimming and snorkelling. Frank has a boat and can provide transport to and from Emua Wharf.

Cost per night per person is 3,500 vatu including three meals. Rates for camping available on request.

Contact: **Eileen Kalkaua**

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# SERETY BUNGALOW



Serety Bungalow is set on the edge of a beautiful white sand beach amid towering bush. Although the village of Piliura is only a short stroll away this feels very remote, like a true Robinson Crusoe experience.

The single brightly-painted blue and red bungalow sleeps up to three people in a double and a single bed. You're also able to camp if bring your own tent.

This is arguably the best beach on the

island with powder soft sand and crystal clear turquoise waters, safe for swimming and good for snorkelling.

Charlie and Seborah will take good care of you and all three meals are included in the daily rate of 3,500 vatu.

Contact: **Charlie and Seborah Manua**

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# BELLA BUNGALOW



Bella Bungalow is situated on the edge of Worisivu Village. It's beautifully positioned very close to the sea with fantastic views across to the Efate mainland.

The bungalow sleeps up to four people in two rooms, one with a double bed and one with two singles. There's a sheltered outdoor area for dining and relaxing. Activities in Worisivu include coral gardening and when the Trades

are blowing, kite surfing. The beautiful white sand beach at Piliura Village is an easy fifteen minute walk from the bungalow.

Cost per person per night is 3,500 vatu including all three meals. George will be able to help to organise boat transport to and from Emua Wharf.

Contact: **George Kalsong**

Phone: (+678) **562 6956**



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# NABANGA BUNGALOW



Nabanga Bungalow in Worisivu Village on Pele is a quirky, brightly coloured mix of flowers and calicos. It is divided into two rooms by drops of fabric and sleeps up to five guests in a double and three single beds. Kenneth is an excellent host and guests love his cooking. Activities in Worisivu include coral gardening and kite surfing when the Trades are blowing. There is a small coral beach with views across to

Efate. The beautiful white sand beach at Piliura is an easy twenty minute walk through the jungle passed the school while the village of Launamoa is five minutes away in the opposite direction. Kenneth can help you to organise boat transport to and from Emua Wharf. Cost is 3,500 vatu per person per night, including all three meals.

Contact: **Kenneth Talang**

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# SUNRISE BUNGALOWS



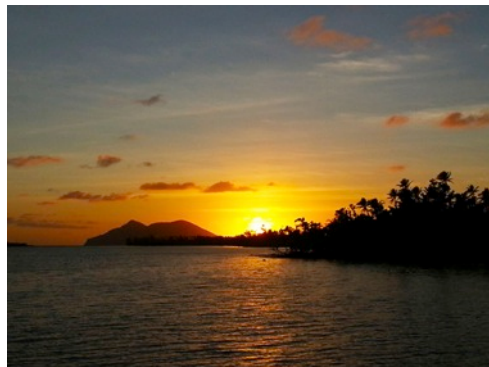
Launamoa is the largest of Pele's villages and you get a real taste of Vanuatu life here. It's the wild side of the island, often very windy, with one of only two surf breaks in Efate. The locals are avid surfers, and depending on the weather and tides, both swimming and snorkelling are really good. On days when the Trades are incessant, it's an easy half hour walk across to Piliura Village and the more sheltered side of the island.

Sunrise Bungalows are right on the beach with stunning views across to Emau Island. Tarisu Seth is a long-time operator and his bungalows are clean and well kept. They sleep up to ten people in five rooms. It's possible to camp here too.

Cost per person per night is 3,500 vatu, including three meals.

Contact: **Tarisu Seth**

Phone: (+678) **564 9102** or **593 6250**



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# PELE ISLAND DAY TOURS

## Evergreen Pele Tour

Evergreen runs a tour to the beach at Piliura Village. Phone: **25418** or **23050**



## John's Authentic Pele Tour

If you aren't able to overnight on Pele, this day tour is a great option. John will pick you up in Port Vila, transport you by bus and boat to a beautiful beach on Pele and feed you delicious island food. You'll be met by the chief and taken on a short tour of Worearu Village. After that you'll be free to swim, snorkel and laze in the shade.

Contact: **John Tamara** Phone: (+678) **540 7386** or **775 5193**

See the website: <http://authenticislandtours.weebly.com> for more details.



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# PELE ISLAND TRAVEL INFO

## Contacting the Bungalows

Cell phone reception is patchy on Pele. In addition people rely on solar and generators for power, so their phones may not be charged. If they don't answer, keep trying the number. Send a text. If you still can't get through, contact the Shefa Tourism Office on 5526028

## Boat Transport

Boats from Emua Wharf cost between 2,000 vatu – 2,500 vatu each way as a charter (up to 15 pax) or 500 vatu per person when travelling as a local (ie. the boat leaves when it is full and doesn't run to any sort of timetable). Often bungalow owners also have a boat or will be able to organize one for you.

## Travel Tips

- Safe parking and clean toilets are available at Emua Wharf. Situated on the opposite side of the ring road, the toilets (in a small yellow building) cost 50 vatu a visit and overnight parking is 500 vatu.
- Emua Road Market is worth checking out for fresh fruit, green coconuts and local snacks.

## Electricity

Solar power and occasionally generators are used. It's a good idea to fully charge your phone and camera before you travel.

## Telecommunications

Although there is phone coverage with both the TVL and Digicel networks, reception can be unreliable.

## Respecting Local Culture

- The people on Pele are used to tourists and very forgiving of inadvertent cultural transgressions. Even so, for women to wander through a village wearing bikinis or skimpy clothing is really inappropriate.
- You'll be welcome to walk about the island, but seek information from your bungalow owner first. They'll often send a pikinini along with you as a guide.
- As a rule NiVanuatu love having their photos taken, especially the children, nonetheless, please ask permission.



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## Responsible Tourism

Pele is a very small island and waste management is an issue. The Shefa Tourism Office encourages visitors to take plastic bottles and other inorganic waste that they generate (including used disposable nappies) back to Port Vila with them where they can be disposed of properly.

## Things to consider bringing when staying at an island bungalow

- Enough money in cash. There won't be any banks or ATMs.
- A torch or solar light.
- Snacks. There are a few stores in the villages, but stocks are very limited.
- Bottled water for drinking.
- Your choice of sundowner if you're not keen on trying kava.
- Insect repellent.
- Sunscreen and hat.
- An umbrella (for rain and sun).
- For women, a sarong to wear over shorts in the villages.
- A book.
- Anti malaria tablets (check with your doctor).
- Basic first aid kit - i.e. plasters, Panadol, disinfectant.
- Toiletries - soap, toothpaste, toilet paper.



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