

# Celebrating 30 years

of exceptional diving with  
Beachcomber

**The year 2023 marks the 30<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the partnership between Beachcomber Resorts & Hotels and Diving World Mauritius which provides unique and memorable underwater experiences to guests visiting the island.**

It was in 1993 at Mauricia Beachcomber that underwater enthusiasts made a splash with their first-ever dive with the Diving World team in the North of the island, which enjoys a pleasant year-round climate. Since then, over 3,000 divers have been certified with an estimated combined 37,000 hours of world-class diving in an amazing variety of sites with different topography and a dazzling array of marine life, including drop-offs, reef wrecks, and coral reefs.

## **Easy access to the best spots**

High-quality diving experiences are available at all Beachcomber resorts in Mauritius, with small group sizes and the best sites within a short 20-minute boat ride. Our dive schools are recognised worldwide for the expertise of their instructors, the quality of their equipment, maximum supervised safety, and the exceptional beauty of the surrounding marine sites – all topped off with an expert and passionate team, an unwavering commitment to training and safety as well as the legendary Mauritian hospitality!

The difference of diving with Beachcomber and Diving World is grounded in our environmental charter, introductory sessions with specialist instructors in the pool or lagoon and PADI JUNIOR Open Water Diver training from 10 years old, among others. Everything has been designed for little ones to get to grips with diving, and families are particularly welcome.

Our Diving centres are also located within our resorts\* and we offer private dives through a Concierge Diving service.

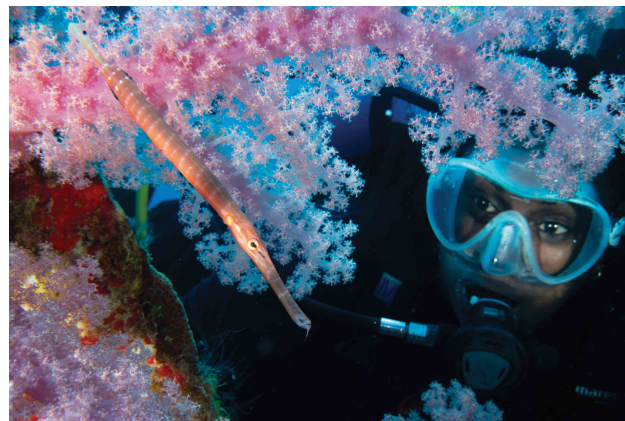
\*Apart from:

- Dinarobin Beachcomber which shares Paradis Beachcomber's centre
- Royal Palm Beachcomber Luxury which shares Mauricia Beachcomber's centre
- Shandrani Beachcomber; dives are done in our four star resorts



## Exceptional environmentally-friendly dives

Founded by François Besson, a certified diving instructor with PADI and CMAS, Diving World has become an integral part of the island's tourism industry, attracting divers from all over the world. *"We are very proud of the work that we have done over the past 30 years,"* he says. *"Our team is committed to providing an exceptional experience to our customers while also protecting the environment."*



Working exclusively with Beachcomber Resorts & Hotels, the company also prides itself on its long-serving team members. Some of them have been sharing their unmatched experience and knowledge of the island's dive sites with our guests since inception.

## A number of accolades and recognition

In addition, the Victoria Beachcomber Diving Academy has been nominated for six years in a row in the Indian Ocean Leading Dive Resorts category by the World Travel Awards. Two Diving World Mauritius dive schools have also been awarded the prestigious PADI Green Star Award for their commitment to environmental sustainability.



*"We are thrilled to have been recognised for our efforts and will continue to strive for excellence in everything we do,"* says François Besson.

This successful, long-lasting partnership with Diving World is set to deepen and continue to offer guests staying at Beachcomber resorts across the island the opportunity to discover some of the Indian Ocean's most beautiful secrets.

