

*...Close your eyes and imagine the incredible wild beauty of the country ... it's worth visiting ... See you soon in Tanzania !*

## **Day trip to Bongoyo Island –full day on the beach**

Bongoyo Island is one of the closest swimming beaches, which happens to be an island. Visiting the small island in the marine reserve, is one of the top things to do in Dar Es Salaam. The beach at Bongoyo Island is not quite Zanzibar, but it's a good little escape from the city of Dar Es Salaam, and it's easy to get there.

Bongoyo Island is part of the Dar Es Salaam marine conservation area. It's a leisure island, mostly used for relaxation as a swimming and snorkeling beach that's close and easily accessible from Dar Es Salaam.

Weekends can be busy, but if you go on a weekday, the island should be nice and quiet. Relax under a shaded banda, take a dip in the sea, and when you're ready, jump back on the boat and head back to Dar Es Salaam.

### **Your Itinerary:**

The trip to Bongoyo Island departs from the Slipway at 9.30 am. The ride takes about 30 min. As soon as you arrive, someone will come around and ask you for your lunch order. There are a number of seafood items normally available, but be sure to ask which ones are available on that particular day (because typically not everything is available each day). Lunch is served whenever the food is ready, normally around 12:30 or 1 pm. Though they invite you back into the dining hut for lunch, you can also retrieve your food and bring it back to your banda so you can eat with a view of the ocean. On that trip there's not much to do other than relax on the beach, do a little walking around on and across the island and hang out ;)

### **Included :**

Boat ride return  
Lunch on the island  
Park fees  
Drinking bottled water 1,5 l pp  
Snorkeling equipment  
Shade bandas on the island

### **Not included**

Tips to driver/guide  
Food and Drinks (alcohol and non-alcoholic), unless specified  
Items of Personal nature  
Hotels before and after Safari (book with us), unless specified  
International airfare & Internal flights / Airports taxes  
Travel Insurance  
Visa and Passport fees