Zanzibar is full of activities, excursions and hidden paradises. Whether it's lying on a deserted sandbank in the middle of the ocean, scuba diving coral reefs or camping out in a jungle lodge, there is something to explore for everyone! Here are some of our favourite things to do...
Hanging out in Jambiani

Try snorkelling, kite surfing, swimming in beach-side resorts, beach volleyball or football, live music events or just hang out and enjoy some cold drinks at some of the many beach bars and restaurants. We have a weekly events schedule in the volunteer house to keep you updated.
Stone Town

Stone Town is the beating heart of Zanzibar, a melting pot of Indian, European, Arabic and African cultures and history. Step back in time as you wonder around the narrow alleyways and try some tasty local food and drinks at the many roof-top bars and restaurants. There is also a buzzing night market, lots of souvenir shopping and some great hotels if you fancy indulging in a bit of luxury over the
Pungume Island Tour

How would you like to spend the afternoon on an isolated sandbank tucking into a picnic in the middle of the Indian Ocean surrounded by the most turquoise, blue warm waters you've ever seen in your life? On the full day Pungume Island Tour you can do all this whilst snorkelling and having the chance of spotting dolphins and humpback whales along the way.

$40 pp
Safari Blue Tour

A visit to Zanzibar wouldn't be complete without a boat trip! Go island hopping on this full day aqua-safari and enjoy some of the best spots around the island. Sail on a traditional dhow boat and snorkel over some stunning coral reefs. Complete with a fresh seafood buffet to top it off!

$65 pp
Michamvi Sunset BBQ

Tucked away at the end of the east coast peninsular is the hidden paradise of Michamvi Bay, known as the best place on the island to watch the sunset. Sit back and relax on the beach as you enjoy a seafood BBQ with live music around the bonfire and the sounds of the ocean in the background.

$20 pp
Zala Park Jungle Lodge

Get off the grid as you spend the night at a secluded jungle lodge perched on the edge of a mangrove forest which overlooks the river. The only way to get there is by kayak and after a healthy dinner you can drift off to sleep in your cabin with the sounds of the forest around you. Wake up to an incredible sunrise breakfast and kayak around the mangroves.

$35 pp
Once a month you can let your hair down at the full moon party at Kwenda Rocks. Party on the beach with tourists from all over the world until the sun comes up! Transport, accommodation and entrance fee included.

$80 pp
Jozani Forest Tour

Take a tour through Jozani Forest. A national park in the heart of the island where you can get up close with the red colobus monkeys, one of the last remaining colonies left in the world.

$10 pp
Spice Tour

Zanzibar is nicknamed the spice island for a good reason. As the leading spice trade hub in the world in the 19th century it still holds a rich tradition of spices. Go on a walking tour to taste the fruits, spices, herbs and flavours of Zanzibar.

$30 pp
Ethical Dolphin Swim

If you are not volunteering on our Dolphin and Marine Conservation Project it doesn’t mean that you have to miss out. Go swimming with these magnificent marine animals on one of our ethical dolphin tours. Snorkelling and interacting with them in a safe and respectful way in their own environment is an experience you will never forget!

$35 pp
Scuba Diving

Zanzibar has some incredible dive spots and it’s really good value! If you’ve never dived before it’s never too late to learn. You can start by doing your open water diving course and become a fully qualified diver. Volunteers get a 15% discount so why not add it onto your project? Just ask for details.
If you'd like to extend your trip by flying to Tanzania mainland you could visit the Serengeti and Ngorongoro Crater National Parks or if you are feeling brave enough try climbing Kilimanjaro on a 5-7 day trek. Just ask for details.
Not sure what to do? Don't worry as everything can be booked when you arrive in Zanzibar.

See you soon!