

# French Polynesia, in brief

Located in the Pacific Ocean, French Polynesia consists of 5 archipelagos of 118 islands, an area the size of Europe.  
Tahiti is the largest island of French Polynesia, with about 200 000 inhabitants.



French is the only official language, although the Tahitian language is widely spoken.

Hello	'la ora na	(yah-oh-rah-nah)
Welcome	Maeva	(mah-ay-vah)
Thank you	Mauruuru	(mah-roo-roo)
Bye	Nana	(nah-nah)
How are you ?	E aha te huru ?	(ay-ah-hah-teh-hoo-roo)
Fine	Maita'i	(mah-ee-tah-ee)
Be strong	Fa'aitoito	(fah-ah-ee-toh-ee-toh)

In the sports world, Tahiti is famous for its world-record-breaking times in Va'a, also known as outrigger canoe. Other sports where the Tahitian are excellent as Beach Soccer, surfing, with the famous surf break "Teahupo'o".

## Coming to Tahiti

Operated by the Polynesian company "Air Tahiti Nui"  
Partnership with "Lan Chile"

Flight	Flight time
PPT - LAX	8.10
LAX - PPT	8.35
PARIS - LAX	12.20
LAX - PARIS	10.50
PPT - TOKYO	12.55
TOKYO - PPT	11.10
PPT - AUK	5.50
AUK - PPT	5.05

## International School Sport Federation

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## Union du Sport Scolaire Polynésien



### Provisional Programme

- Day 1 Welcome / Teams housing
- Day 2 Accreditation / Payment  
Training  
Heads of Delegations Meeting  
Opening Ceremony
- Day 3 Competition  
Conference  
VIP evening
- Day 4 Competition  
"Roulotte" evening  
Introduction to "Ori Tahiti" (tahitian dance)
- Day 5 Cultural programme  
"Meeting of Nations" evening
- Day 6 Competition  
"Ma'a Tahiti" evening (tahitian food)
- Day 7 Competition  
Final / Prize-giving / Closing Ceremony /  
Farewell Party
- Day 8 Delegations departure

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**Registration deadline : September 30, 2016**

Looking forward to meeting you in Tahiti  
in May 2017 !

# ISF BEACH VOLLEYBALL WORLD SCHOOL CHAMPIONSHIP



**May 27  
to  
June 03**

## TAHITI FRENCH POLYNESIA 2017



# BEACH VOLLEYBALL WORLD SCHOOL CHAMPIONSHIP - TAHITI 2017

We're very proud to organize the first World School Championship of the Polynesian history.

We are very grateful to the executive committee of the ISF for trusting us.

We welcome you in the beautiful gardens of Paofai

## Competition sites

### Papeete City



4 official courts in the gardens of Paofai

4 training courts in Willy Bambridge Stadium



5 minutes walk between Willy Bambridge Stadium and Paofai

## Accommodation

For competitors & head delegates

### Paul Gauguin's High School



Boarding school  
Breakfast & dinner

10 minutes walk from the competition site

### Punaauia's Hotel School



Boarding school  
Breakfast & dinner  
Bus rotation every 20 min

10 minutes drive from the competition site

For ISF members

### Tahiti Nui Hotel



15 minutes walk from the competition site

### Royal Tahitien Hotel



20 minutes drive from the competition site



Located in front of Tahiti, Moorea is Tahiti's sister island and famous for its beautiful exotic blue lagoons.

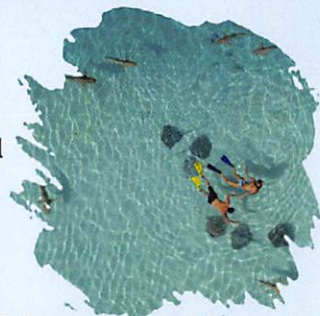
## Cultural programme



Easy to reach by boat "Aremiti Ferry"

40 min crossing between Tahiti and Moorea

Don't go to Moorea without snorkelling into the coral garden, feed the domesticated rays and sharks, and savour a local lunch on a motu (islet).



Enjoy your last peaceful moments on Moorea in a va'a (outrigger canoe)

