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# SUP'S

## MonBoo va'a

Island: **Tahiti**

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🌐 [www.monboovaa.com](http://www.monboovaa.com)

[https://www.facebook.com/monboovaa/?locale=fr\\_FR](https://www.facebook.com/monboovaa/?locale=fr_FR)

# Sails

## Maintenance Marquises Atuona

Island: **Hiva Oa**

Maintenance Marquises

4-2023 we had our mainsail repaired where it ripped from leech to luff in two separate areas below both the first and second reefing points along the seam. We also had our Gennaker repaired, a small repair. Both were done by the sail loft at Maintenance marquises, Hiva Oa. That was almost a year ago and repairs have held so far. We did have to be very specific about what we wanted and how we wanted it done. We also had to point out a few things that were not done before we left and the sail maker completed those. It's was pretty good value and they have a proper loft and machine. The attitude of everyone there was very nice.

3-2023 I recommend MMS in Hava Oa. We had a ripped off Genoa sheet eye (consequence of a storm) and we got a perfekt repair. You may need time, as the sailmaker there is very busy (the burdon of a good reputation)

8-2020 SV Avatar The guy who does the sewing at Maintenance Marquises boat yard name is Tino. It is one of their many services. He allowed us to help with by cutting & pulling the old stitching & he was very fair on his sewing time charged. Contact for boatyard is ☎

[Maria.roche@maintenancemarquises.com](mailto:Maria.roche@maintenancemarquises.com)

## Nuka Hiva Yacht Services

Island: **Nuku Hiva**

Nuka Hiva Yacht ServicesCan do minor sail repair For more information, see Yacht Services

## Voilerie Nuku Hiva

Island: **Nuku Hiva**

Voilerie Nuku Hiva Calypso ☎ [+68987729162](tel:+68987729162) What's app ☎ [voilerienukuhiva@gmail.com](mailto:voilerienukuhiva@gmail.com)

Taiohae Sail Repair & Canvas Work

# Apooiti Marina Canvas and Sails

Island: **Raiatea**

Apooiti Marina Canvas Sails Voilerie Aveia Regine Faux ☐ [Regineaveia@yahoo.fr](mailto:Regineaveia@yahoo.fr)

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☐ [www.voilerie-aveia-raiatea.com](http://www.voilerie-aveia-raiatea.com)

Hours: Mon-Fri: 07:30 - 11:30 Regine is located in Apooiti Marina and primarily works for the charter companies. But in her spare time she will do canvas work for cruisers. 4-2022: Sugar Shack: Our large 200/sq.m spinnaker blew out during a bad gust. She was really bad with a tear all the way across the center and down the side seam. Plus she had several weak spots. We took our sail to Regine who laid it all out on her large floor while examining the amount of work. She asked if we wanted to color match the sail and we said no as it is a 20+ year old sail and the colors are all faded. We just wanted it to work and did not care if it was pretty. She said it would take 4/5 days and would cost \$800 plus material. We were heading to the states and told her we did not need it for 2 weeks. But she called us 5 days later stating it was done and the cost was \$850. When we picked it up she laid it all out again and showed us her work. The next day we flew her and we were super happy with the repairs. The shape remained the same, the weak spots patched and the tears all repaired. I would highly recommend Regine! She was polite, professional, on time and reasonably priced!!

## Artimon Sail Maker

Island: **Raiatea**

☐ [Pierre.Artimon@gmail.com](mailto:Pierre.Artimon@gmail.com)

☐ [+68987349398](tel:+68987349398) Located in the boatyard CNI

## O'rion

Island: **Raiatea**

☐ GPS decimal degrees: Lat -16.736569, Lon -151.484583 [GoogleMaps](#) [OpenStreetMap](#)

Canvas, sails, laundry: O'rion opposite of the boat yards in Raiatea does good work. Nicolas 87709901. He is also putting the last touches to his bungalows that will be for rent (nice size, swimming pool, about 60 m from the 2 shipyards. SV Mary Ann

# Raiatea Yacht Services

Island: **Raiatea**

Raiatea Yacht Services

# Leonardo Bruni

Island: **Tahaa**

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✉ [ghibli\\_3@hotmail.com](mailto:ghibli_3@hotmail.com)

Leonardo lives on his boat in Tahaa directly across from Apooti Marina. he travels back and forth often. He is a sailmaker and can do sail repair as well as canvas work

# Api Yachting

Island: **Tahiti**

Api Yachting 120 Av du Chef Vairataoa , BP 9028 Motu Uta , Papeete

☎ [+689404218](tel:+689404218) 10, ☎ [+68976779245](tel:+68976779245)

Warning: See Noonsite & Soggy Paws Guide for further comments by unhappy clients

# Mado (Taravoa)

Island: **Tahiti**

Mado Sail & Canvas Repair Taravao Marina ☎ [+6898934](tel:+6898934)

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9-21 SV Ipanema Romain was the sail repair guy from Taravao Marina but he left to France a few months ago. A lady is working in his place now (Mado) He was able to sew a ring on top of my main sail. Super thick place to sew and she did a good job

## Nautilus Sails

Island: **Tahiti**

French sail maker in Auckland, New Zealand. My mainsail and jib were done by this guy and I only get praise. P: [☎ +6499400046](tel:+6499400046)

M: [☎ +6421832011](tel:+6421832011)

E: [☎ info@nautilussails.co.nz](mailto:info@nautilussails.co.nz)

## Ocean Sails Tahiti

Island: **Tahiti**

Michel [☎ +68987711686](tel:+68987711686) (oceansailstahiti@gmail.com)

9-2019 SV Sugar Shack We had Oceans Sails (Michel Pegart Maitre Voilier) do repair work on our sail bag and he did not do a good job. After visiting his sail loft and speaking to him about types of threads used and process, we felt confident he'd do good work. We asked him to quote the repairs on our sail bag (strengthen and reinforce) and small spinnaker (we blew out clew). The sail bag was the priority as we had a backup spinnaker. With the sail bag we asked him to patch the small holes, reinforce all stitching, reinforce the batten sleeves, and re-attach our name flap which came off. He said it would be "no problem, easy job, and could be done in a few weeks at very little money."

Several weeks later, my husband went to pick it up and paid \$600 (more than a little money to us, but our bad for not getting an exact quote first). When my husband went to install the sail bag, he noticed several areas had the new stitching already coming out (Michel failed to lock stitch the beginning and ends). In addition, in several places the stitching was crooked when it should have been straight. Unfortunately, we had guests coming and needed the sail bag up. So, my husband finished with the install before we had to leave. In addition, with the spinnaker he said it would cost well over \$1,000 to repair or he would have to cut it down and charge a little less. This is an 18-year-old spinnaker so it was not worth the cost to repair. We took it back. We were very disappointed in the work from Ocean Sails. We had higher expectations since he had several good reviews, the loft was professional and he "said all the right things." Very poor craftsmanship and [☎ work.6-2019](#)

SV Panache There are at least two sail makers in Tahiti. Michel owns OST and does first class work. He is not inexpensive, but you get what you pay for. He speaks excellent English. We know several cruisers who used him and they were all pleased. He is located near

# Sailtech

Island: **Tahiti**

📍 GPS decimal degrees: Lat -17.534308, Lon -149.578466 [GoogleMaps](#) [OpenStreetMap](#)

Located near Customs. Turn right at the road across from Customs and its about 100 meters on the right. they have a sail loft upstairs and a rigging shop downstairs Bryce is the Canvas foreman.

Speaks English 📞 [+68940582142](tel:+68940582142) Vini : 📞 [+68987383696](tel:+68987383696)

# Sellerie Marine de Tahiti

Island: **Tahiti**

📍 GPS decimal degrees: Lat -17.563997, Lon -149.567916 [GoogleMaps](#) [OpenStreetMap](#)

Sellerie Marine de Tahiti For more information, see Canvas Work

# Tahiti Sails

Island: **Tahiti**

📍 GPS decimal degrees: Lat -17.5567, Lon -149.592512 [GoogleMaps](#) [OpenStreetMap](#)

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Gullaume 📞 [+68987337433](tel:+68987337433)

Sebastien 📞 [+68987337453](tel:+68987337453)

Faa'a Vallee de Nuutana Near the Nuutania prison. Take the Nuutania road at the SODIMEC store crossroads and drive up for approx. 5 minutes. You will see a sign when you need to turn right to reach the sail loft. Speak good english 🌐 [www.facebook.com/Tahiti-Sails-La-voilerie-de-Tahiti-1565124503784879/](https://www.facebook.com/Tahiti-Sails-La-voilerie-de-Tahiti-1565124503784879/)

Very nice guys. See examples of their work on their facebook page. They do most of the mega yacht repairs.

4-2023 Report sent in .... I am a former sailing professional (former owner of a sail shop in France for 15 years). For my part, this sail shop is simply bad, last year a friend had a Code D style sail

made, it was very bad in the sense that we do not make a geenaker in cross cut but in tri-radial. Also while talking with Mado in Taravao, she told me that she regularly resumed repairs made in Tahiti Sail because they were so badly done.

11-2020 SV Tintamarre We asked Sebastien and Guillaume to quote and advise for repairing our genoa and mainsail. They are not cheap; but they were happy to take time to discuss the repairs in detail in their loft, didn't mind that we declined to repair the mainsail (opting instead to replace using Zoom Sails) and collected and returned the sails to us promptly. We liked their service. Oct. 2020: SV Sugar Shack : Our main sail needed to be repaired and re-stitched. It is made of double layer dacron and weighs in at almost 300lbs. We decided to hire Tahiti Sails to help us with the repairs as we did not think our little Baby Lock sewing machine could handle the material.

Guillaume (Marina Papeete) ☎ [+689873373](tel:+689873373)

33 (g.jestin@gmail.com). Guillaume usually picks up and drops off on Tuesdays and Thursday in Marina Papeete. We showed him the work that needed to be done which was mostly re-stitching and creating new covers for the head, clew, tack, and baton pockets. He said it could be done in a week at a cost of 40000/50000xpf (about 5/6 hours of work). He picked up the sail on Friday, had a quote to us on Tuesday, and the sail back by Thursday. At the shop, he tested all the thread to ensure it would not fail, added new tail tails, covered a few weak spots we did not notice and completed all of our original requested work. He was very professional, did what he said he was going to do and stayed in communication with us throughout the process. In the end the cost was 35595xpf. We are very pleased and highly recommend Tahiti Sails. 9-1-2020 SV Tourterelle We used Tahiti Sails to fix our gennaker and were very happy with the result

6-2020 SV Cream Puff We contacted Tahiti Sails for a quote for our two spinnakers. One of the sails had two small tears but the Mizzen Ballooner had a major blow out along the seam. Guillaume responded quickly to my email and an appointment was set for two days later. Guillaume arrived on time with a friendly smile. He took the sails to his shop so he could get a better idea of what needed to be done. The quote was reasonable. The repairs were made and the sails returned within a week. We were very pleased with the repairs and would recommend Tahiti Sails.

5-19 S/V Nehenehe We worked with Guillaume Jestin <mailto:g.jestin@gmail.com> at Tahiti Sails. We have a DP Hydranet mainsail which is a difficult fabric to resew. We had him raise the clew, move the tack back, and repair significant damage to all seven full batten pockets. His knowledge, workmanship, and skill level were exceptionally high. I rate the business as excellent. He showed up exactly on time and completed the work . He replied to our emails very quickly and he is fluent in his English speech. I am highly impressed given that he was under the added strain of having an entire ARC fleet in town and they were all clamoring for his attention. He worked over a holiday to complete the work at the promised time. I would rate their business a 10 out of 10

10-18 Tahiti Sails were helpful for the sliders we needed for the sails, and offered also to bring them down to Marina Taina for us 6-18 SV Jacaranda We did not use them. After obtaining a crazy high quote to make a square window cover for our dodger. Told them to forget it. We had the cover made by another company 90% less than their quote!!!

4-17 SV Liward We wanted to let everyone know about an excellent sail loft in Tahiti. They just did some repairs for Liward and we were very happy. Prompt, Professional, and Reasonable. They speak english.

6-18 SV Minyga I would recommend Tahiti Sails - quick response from email sent to [contact@tahitisails.com](mailto:contact@tahitisails.com)

came to Taina Marina looked at job, provided quote by email and then job done and delivered promptly. No credit card - cash payment only.

## Tristan RICHARD

Island: **Tahiti**

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FB Messenger : Tristan Richard Taina SV DouDou Sail repairs, upholstery, Canvas, dinghy chaps. I live since two year in Tahiti, on my boat « Doudou » at Taina. I'm working directly on the boat for small work/repairs and in my house for bigger work. Working on my own most of the time but also working oftenly for Scott (Tahiti crew).

5-2020 New entry no reviews at this time

## Voilerie Mado Sails Taravao

Island: **Tahiti**

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SV Hanna Recent article about this service. [ladepeche.pf/2023/12/14/mado-polynesienne-fiere-](https://ladepeche.pf/2023/12/14/mado-polynesienne-fiere-)

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# Sand blasting

## Problast (Powder Coating)

Island: **Tahiti**

☐ GPS decimal degrees: Lat -17.564282, Lon -149.568371 [GoogleMaps](#) [OpenStreetMap](#)

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☐ [info@problast.pf](mailto:info@problast.pf)

BP44045 Fare Tony 98713 Papeete Tahiti ☐ [www.facebook.com/TAHITIPROBLAST/](http://www.facebook.com/TAHITIPROBLAST/)

Our Instagram's under: [\\_pro\\_blast](#) Hull blasting (and wet blasting of anything needed) as well as powder coating.

For more information, see Paint

# Scooters

## Hello Scoot

Island: **Tahiti**

Hello Scoot Scooter Rental using the app. They are electric scooters

11-23 SV Elvira recommend them. 12-23 SV ZwerfCat recommends them as well. Unfortunately since 2024 not available on Moorea anymore, only Tahiti.

## Garage Bamboo

Island: **Tahiti**

📍 GPS decimal degrees: Lat -17.535487, Lon -149.558125 [GoogleMaps](#) [OpenStreetMap](#)

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10-2019 SV Panache We were at Marina Taina for 5 months. It's offers much better protection than Marina Papeete at that time of year. The downside is that it is not near downtown and the bus system is irregular/undependable, at best. We purchased new 50cc Peugeot scooter from Bamboo for 300,000XPF, including 2 helmets, a rear storage box and two chain-locks. Vincent speaks excellent English and is very helpful. You don't need a special licence for scooters of 50cc or less. We purchased insurance at a store in the CarrefourPuna'auia complex. The scooter was a FANTASTIC idea and provided us with complete freedom while we were in Tahiti. It was easy to sell, and it ended up costing us about 600XPF per day. The cost to rent one is 3000XPF per day.

# Scuba

## Scubapiti/Moorea

Island: **Mo'orea**

☐ GPS decimal degrees: Lat -17.490523, Lon -149.904991 [GoogleMaps](#) [OpenStreetMap](#)

Scubapiti/Moorea To fill dive tanks: \$10. per tank, regardless of the level brought in. They'll do it while you wait, and it only takes 10 minutes. They want to see the stamp on the tank which shows when they were last hydrotested and will not fill if it's out of date. Past the Intercontinental Hotel by dinghy heading west, blue building, long pier. ☐ [scubapitimoorea@gmail.com](mailto:scubapitimoorea@gmail.com)

40562038/87780352 Subtechnology Diving Island: Mo'orea Subtechnology Diving (Papeete & Mo'orea) Christophe CICCULLO SUB TECHNOLOGY TRAVAUX SOUS MARINS / MAINTENANCE DES EQUIPEMENTS DE PLONGEE Atelier cale de halage - Fare Ute - Papeete - TAHITI BP 80060 Haapiti - MOOREA - Polynésie Française ☐ [+68900](tel:+68900) ☐ [+68987797061](tel:+68987797061)

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☐ [subtechnology@mail.pf](mailto:subtechnology@mail.pf)

Can do Hydros, repair compressors and fill tanks Tanks in French Polynesia (legally) must be hydro tested every five years and VIP tested annually. You must have paperwork for each test or it will technically illegal for a shop to refill your tank.

## Eleuthera Tahiti Diving Center (Taina)

Island: **Tahiti**

located at Marina Taina; in the same building as Tahiti Crew ☐ [+68940424929](tel:+68940424929)

They have a website in English too! ☐ [www.eleutheratahiti.com/en](http://www.eleutheratahiti.com/en)

I called ahead and he advised they would fill my tank while I waited and they ☐ did. Cost for fill was 80 cu ft. was XPF 1000 They did check hydro date on tank before filling

# Fluid Plongée

Island: **Tahiti**

Fluid Plongée Marina Taina

4-21 SV Barracuda I did my SSI Open Water Diver with Fluid and recommend them both for learning to dive, and for recreational dives. If required they will pick you up from Papeete Marina.

# Nautisport

Island: **Tahiti**

📍 GPS decimal degrees: Lat -17.530364, Lon -149.571839 [GoogleMaps](#) [OpenStreetMap](#)

Nautisport (Fare Ute, walking distance from Papeete Marina) has good selection of Scuba equipment including compressors. According to multiple sources they do tank inspection and can have your bottles hydro's.

# Subtechnology Diving (Papeete)

Island: **Tahiti**

📍 GPS decimal degrees: Lat -17.532729, Lon -149.570883 [GoogleMaps](#) [OpenStreetMap](#)

Subtechnology Diving (Papeete & Mo'orea) Christophe CICCULLO SUB TECHNOLOGY TRAVAUX SOUS MARINS / MAINTENANCE DES EQUIPEMENTS DE PLONGEE Atelier cale de halage - Fare Ute - Papeete - TAHITI BP 80060 Haapiti - MOOREA - Polynésie Française 📞 +68900 📞 +68987797061

🌐 [www.subtechnology.pf](http://www.subtechnology.pf)

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Can do Hydros, repair compressors and fill tanks Sub Technology is just past the Naval Base but before the Mobile Station on side street towards the harbor. Tanks in French Polynesia (legally) must be hydro tested every five years and VIP tested annually. You must have paperwork for each test or it will technically be illegal for a shop to refill your tank. 10- 2021, SV Marauder - dropped off our steel and aluminum tanks to be recertified. The owner is polite, speaks English, and prices are good...not a huge difference from Nautisport but slightly cheaper..He also said he'd be able to get our tanks done sooner than Nautisport...haven't gotten them back yet, but hoping soon! Also, unlike places in Hawaii, he did not ask for a cert card to get the tanks' recertification.



# Seals & Bearings

## 123Roulement

Island: **Tahiti**

123Roulement For more information, see Bearings, Belts, Seals

## Roulements de Tahiti

Island: **Tahiti**

☐ GPS decimal degrees: Lat -17.555015, Lon -149.57084 [GoogleMaps](#) [OpenStreetMap](#)

Roulements de Tahiti For more information, see Bearings, Belts, Seals

# Sewing machine new/repairs

## Adrian

Island: **Tahiti**

ADRIAN Sewing machine repair Faa'a ☎ [+68989546664](tel:+68989546664)

No Information & no reviews on Adrian

## Aimeo FOURMANOIR

Island: **Tahiti**

Aimeo FOURMANOIR Electromechanical Equipment Maintenance Repair of sewing machines of all brands PFAFF, SINGER, ELNA, etc. Tipaerui Valley ☎ [+68987228303](tel:+68987228303)

✉ [fourmanoiraiméo@outlook.fr](mailto:fourmanoiraiméo@outlook.fr)

## No further details and no reviewsAugustus LEE

Island: **Tahiti**

Augustus LEE Sewing machine repair, all brands, but specialized BERNINA 98 Mission Valley, Papeete ☎ [+68987770837](tel:+68987770837)

No further details and no reviews

## Célestin sewing machine repair

Island: **Tahiti**

☎ GPS decimal degrees: Lat -17.569085, Lon -149.60587 [GoogleMaps](#) [OpenStreetMap](#)

Célestin Sewing Machine Repair ☎ [+68987317053](tel:+68987317053)

It is located on Faaa at St Hilaire at the water castle.

7-23 reported he is no longer in business. Access: road before Batipol, continue until after the 5th speed bump, 2nd path on the right, up to a yellow house, there take the middle path, along a rounded wall, it is a house with an upper floor on the left. He does not deal with electronic sewing machines .... 0202022. SV Auntie GREAT SEWING MACHINE REPAIR! Had my 60 year old Pfaff sewing machine repaired and serviced yesterday by a wonderful man. I highly recommend Celstine for non-electronic sewing machine repair. Call the phone number in the Tahiti Cruising Guide (not the one posted here several weeks ago), and he will come meet you at the Faa'a airport and take you to his house which is place of repair. He is a master! The coordinates may be accurate, but the neighborhood is complicated, best win is to call and follow him.

11-2021 SV Freevol It is really perfect, fast, and explains everything he does and why, tells you about all your maintenance faults and the remedies to be taken. It is not expensive at all !!! He repairs all brands of sewing machines, including professional ones. 17 34.0893S 149 36.2081W

5-2020 A Tahitian friend recommended this guy that repaired her sewing machine. I recommend Célestin sewing machine repair.

## Mene HOANG KI

Island: **Tahiti**

Mene HOANG KI Repair of sewing machines ☎ [+68940427539](tel:+68940427539)

Pirae No further details and no reviews

## Sewing Machine Motors

Island: **Tahiti**

We spent most of a day sourcing a motor for an older machine. It appears that sewing machine mechanics have died out in Tahiti but two unlikely shops stocked motors: the Panasonic Shop adjacent to Hyper Bricolage and the Cannon shop.

# Sewing services

## Carreira Industries

Island: **Tahiti**

Carreira

11-2020 SY Venture Lady reported they moved and the new number is [☎ +68989546896](tel:+68989546896)

Biminis, dodgers, cushions, yacht interiors etc. Carreira 40426473 wide stock of sunbrella, fasteners, webbing, thread, foam open cell and nonwater retaining foam. They will also reburish boat interiors. Mark Bland is best contact with reasonable English. For more information, see Canvas Work

## La Factory

Island: **Tahiti**

Advertise work on Biminis, dodgers, boat canvas work. Edward Kerinec [☎ +68987331713](tel:+68987331713) or [☐ lafactory@mail.pf](mailto:lafactory@mail.pf)

## Sailtech

Island: **Tahiti**

[☐](#) GPS decimal degrees: Lat -17.534322, Lon -149.578469 [GoogleMaps](#) [OpenStreetMap](#)

Located near Customs. Turn right at the road across from Customs and its about 100 meters on the right. they have a sail loft upstairs and a rigging shop downstairs speak English

## See Canvas Services

Island: **Tahiti**

# Sellerie Marine de Tahiti

Island: **Tahiti**

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Sellerie Marine de Tahiti For more information, see Canvas Work

# Ship movement FP

## Supply Ship Schedule in FP

Island: **Tahiti**

[www.service-public.pf/](http://www.service-public.pf/)

dpam/?fbclid=IwAR32NAuttZAfajWIRrzUfSLOfE2Pg77nul\_mTw\_GVTEIU5wytNahRfA...

Or [www.revatua.gov.pf/plannings/](http://www.revatua.gov.pf/plannings/)

accueil?fbclid=IwAR3YkNDEnGssh9oV3OtcxkD92TR3D20QUSKOz0ekXEMMS8DTX9H1acVse\_o

# Shoe repair

## Cordonnier

Island: **Tahiti**

There's a small "cordonnerie" in the Vaima Center mall facing the Papeete marina. It is on the first floor (same floor as the Ivea Apple reseller)

# Simrad

## Marine Elec

Island: **Tahiti**

Alexandre 87 37 47 15 [☒ Marine.elec@gmx.com](mailto:Marine.elec@gmx.com)

Papeete Alex services Simrad, Lowrance, B&G, Garmin, Raymarine. I can also work on sat phone issues. Alex is the Raymarine warranty service / dealer for French Polynesia SWR meter to check vhf and vhf antenna. Reviews under Marine Electronics

## Sin Tung Hing (STH)

Island: **Tahiti**

☒ GPS decimal degrees: Lat -17.528096, Lon -149.567219 [GoogleMaps](#) [OpenStreetMap](#)

Sin Tung Hing Marine is the local distributor for Simrad products For more information, see Marine Suppliers

# Skateboard

## Stanboard Skate Shop

Island: **Tahiti**

Stanboard Skate Shop [www.facebook.com/Stanboardsk8ordie/](https://www.facebook.com/Stanboardsk8ordie/)

## Tahiti Skate Shop

Island: **Tahiti**

Tahiti Skate Shop [www.facebook.com/skateshoptahiti/](https://www.facebook.com/skateshoptahiti/)

## The Board House Tahiti

Island: **Tahiti**

[GPS](#) decimal degrees: Lat -17.542473, Lon -149.566075 [GoogleMaps](#) [OpenStreetMap](#)

The Board House Tahiti For more information, see Surfboards

# Sodastream

## Super U

Island: **Huahine**

Super U

Large selection of Sodastream products including refills.

## Champion Vaiare

Island: Mo'orea Champion Vaiare

10-23 Reported or carry Soda Stream For more information, see Groceries

## Champion (Uturoa)

Island: **Raiatea**

SV Athanor

11-2019 Sodastream refills available in Raiatea at Champion. Near the main wharf in Uturoa

10-2020 Reported on the FP FB page...The US bottles can't be swapped here. All the bottles in FP are the Australian fitting (\*\*see below remark SV Kissinga)

## Carrefour Taina

Island: **Tahiti**

Sodastream cylinders with a 1/2" thread can often be changed at Carrefour and always at the source, which is Company SDA.

20-2020 It was recently reported "The US bottles can't be swapped here The Australian ones (in Carrefour) and the European ones (in Super U) at least in Huahine and in Raiatea

3-2022 SV Kissanga We share with you the solution of the SodaStream mystery in Polynesia After 2 years of confusion between different bottles, we understood that you can find both standards in Polynesia ! In the Super U stores (validated in Raiatea & Huahine, to be check in Tahiti), they sell the bottle model with thick thread (European standard / picture on the right) and in the other supermarkets (Champion,Carrefour...), they sell the bottles with thin thread (Australia & New Zealand standard/ picture on the left). So ... Don't throw away your EU/USA SodaStream equipment !!

# SDA

Island: **Tahiti**

☐ GPS decimal degrees: Lat -17.5956, Lon -149.6119 [GoogleMaps](#) [OpenStreetMap](#)

Sodastream cylinders with a 1/2" thread can often be changed at Carrefour and always at the source, which is Company SDA

10-2020 Recently reported on FP FB page The US bottles can't be swapped here. All the bottles in FP are the Australian fitting SDA ☐ [www.sda.pf/](http://www.sda.pf/)

Order our products online on our website ☐ [www.premium-market.pf](http://www.premium-market.pf)

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☐ [+68940479797](tel:+68940479797)

☐ [contact@sda.pf](mailto:contact@sda.pf)

OPENING HOURS : ◦ SDA Headquarters in Punaauia (Administrative) Monday to Friday: 7:30 to 15:30 in a continuous day ◦ Premium Market Store (shop, Nespresso and withdrawal of water bottles) Monday to Friday: 5:30 to 19:00 continuous day Saturday: 5:30 to 13:00. ☐

[+68940479744](tel:+68940479744)

◦ Nespresso area in Papeete, Notre Dame Square Monday to Friday: 8:00 to 17:00 continuous day Saturday: 8:00 to 12:00. 6-digit free green number: 444 997

## Soda Stream Notes

Island: **Tahiti**

4-22 submitted to FP FB page by Emilie

- SODASTREAM FP mystery \*\* Good morning all We share with you the solution of the SodaStream mystery in Polynesia After 2 years of confusion between different bottles, we understood that you can find both standards in Polynesia ! In the Super U stores (validated in Raiatea & Huahine, to be checked in Tahiti), they sell the bottle model with thick thread (European standard / picture on the right) and in the other supermarkets (Champion, Carrefour...), they sell the bottles with thin thread (Australia & New Zealand standard/ picture on the left). So ... Don't throw away your EU/USA SodaStream equipments !! See photo of different thread types

1-2021 The valves for soda stream bottles and machines are of one type in North America, and of a different type in the Pacific. This means that no store in FP will accept your 60L CO2 bottles for refill or supply you with new ones that will fit your North American bought soda stream machine. The only solution is to fill your bottles yourself with dry ice, or buy a new machine and bottles. You might save some money by ordering the brass bottle valves used in the Pacific in advance (I found them online at a brewers supply store in Australia) and swap them yourself on your 60L CO2 bottles so at least you can reuse those. Carrefour next to Marina Taina sells a range of FP soda stream machines, and the CO2 bottles to go with them cheaper than at the official distributor of soda stream (O'pure).

## Soda Stream Refilling Yourself

Island: **Tahiti**

SodaStream Refilling yourself If SDA is unable to fill your bottle due to not being able to match the thread type. There is a shop that carries the adapter from Australian to USA thread located directly across from Marina Papeete and located next door to Boutique Nespresso. [www.amazon.com/dp/](https://www.amazon.com/dp/B08L795VRB?starsLeft=1&ref_=cm_sw_r_cso_cp_apin_dp_BR8HFT2A5ZASNS6MNGM0&fbclid=IwAR2vMqgzF-_ZNFjvaodTSfhbBR3R3vO9FDu7h5pX7cLjGJSWz2nq7T4w_B0)

[B08L795VRB?starsLeft=1&ref\\_=cm\\_sw\\_r\\_cso\\_cp\\_apin\\_dp\\_BR8HFT2A5ZASNS6MNGM0&fbclid=IwAR2vMqgzF-\\_ZNFjvaodTSfhbBR3R3vO9FDu7h5pX7cLjGJSWz2nq7T4w\\_B0](https://www.amazon.com/dp/B08L795VRB?starsLeft=1&ref_=cm_sw_r_cso_cp_apin_dp_BR8HFT2A5ZASNS6MNGM0&fbclid=IwAR2vMqgzF-_ZNFjvaodTSfhbBR3R3vO9FDu7h5pX7cLjGJSWz2nq7T4w_B0) If your SodaStream thread is non-standard to those in FP it has been noted by numerous cruisers that you can refill it yourself. Purchasing dry ice by weight that matches what is on your bottle label. Unscrew the threads and fill with dry ice. You can buy dry ice from Gazpac See CO2 refills for details

# Solar panels

## Doenergy

Island: **Tahiti**

☐ GPS decimal degrees: Lat -17.542, Lon -149.572086 [GoogleMaps](#) [OpenStreetMap](#)

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☐ [www.facebook.com/donergy.tahiti/](http://www.facebook.com/donergy.tahiti/)

8-2021 SV Konbreo I bought a set of 5x LG375w panels from Donergy. They were very helpful and the panels are amazing. LG are generally a bit more expensive than some other brands but well worth it for the quality. They are the bigger size panels but my batteries are now charged by about 11am and I can now run my watermaker off the solar panels...!! ☐ [www.lg.com/us/business/solar-panels/lg-lg375q1c-v5](http://www.lg.com/us/business/solar-panels/lg-lg375q1c-v5)

## Mahana Ora Api

Island: **Tahiti**

☐ GPS decimal degrees: Lat -17.531242, Lon -149.570928 [GoogleMaps](#) [OpenStreetMap](#)

Mahana Ora Api Across from Ace Hardware Fare Uti Weekdays from 7:30 am to 4:30 pm ☐

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☐ [mahanaora-api.pf/](http://mahanaora-api.pf/)

3-20-2024 SV Tavae They always have a good stock and can deliver in few days. One what they have now is about 440 watt. They have all mounting material.

12-21 SV FreeVol Excellent price (20,000 francs per 320 watt panel), free Taina delivery, perfect reception. They don't sell solar panels smaller than 320 watts

8-21 SV Hedonism just bought 2 each, 340 watt panels from Ace's Solar store. I forget their name but they are part of the STH group. Just moved their store front to where the little restaurant used to be right on the corner between Ace Paint store and Ace Hardware. I priced the panels at Sunzil as well but the STH store was \$155 each or about 100 bucks cheaper (each) than Sunzil. The panels are the newer "split design" that reduces the partial shading issues.

## Yingli Solar. FREE delivery to the working dock at Taina included.

Island: **Tahiti**

☐ GPS decimal degrees: Lat -17.531242, Lon -149.570928 [GoogleMaps](#) [OpenStreetMap](#)

## Marine Supplies

Island: **Tahiti****GPS Coordinates** (Latitude/Longitude in decimal degrees): Latitude: -17.54159  
Longitude: -149.57171

Marine Supplies For more information, see Marine Suppliers

## Pacific Self Energy

Island: **Tahiti**

☐ GPS decimal degrees: Lat -17.534519, Lon -149.56213 [GoogleMaps](#) [OpenStreetMap](#)

☐ [+68940435306](#)

On Prince Hanoi about a ten minute walk from the water front, next to Pet store. Sells solar panels systems but can provide components. Speaks very good english. Also has good selection of batteries.

## SES Consulting

Island: **Tahiti**

SES Consulting Carries Solar panels, victron equipment and batteries I think he's a consultant, not a store. His phone is ☎ +689877637 17, and his name is M. Tchong Yuen.

8-21 SV Turtle Blues purchased a number of items from SES Consulting and recommends them For more information, see Batteries

## Solarcom Pacifique

Island: **Tahiti**

Solarcom Pacifique 148 Ave du Prince Hīnoi, Pape'ete

10-2019 (SV Moskito Valiente) Horrible products quality. By far the worst place to buy solar panels in French Polynesia. The owner is very rude and lies. He shows one panels and delivers another quality panel. New panels with corrosion!! The only good point of this place is the staff that are very helpful and always trying to help despite of the stupidity of the owner.

## Sunzil Papeete

Island: **Tahiti**

GPS Coordinates (Latitude/Longitude in decimal degrees): Latitude: -17.529019 Longitude: -149.567089

Sunzil Papeete Fare Ute, Papeete Martial Oberli (speaks English) 87-70-82-94 ☎

[m.oberli@sunzil.com](mailto:m.oberli@sunzil.com)

There are very few 12V panels most are 24-48V for residential or commercial. But stock is constantly rotating so be sure to check it out

11-2020 SV Mat-Lau III Sunzil is a large commercial installer of solar systems in French Polynesia. They will also supply top quality batteries, solar panels and solar controllers to the boating community at reasonable ☎ [prices.Sunzil](#) supplied 9 off CsPower HTL

12-150 AH Gel Batteries to Mat-Lau III at a very competitive price in June 2019. We are very happy with the performance of these ☎ [batteries.In](#) September 2020, Sunzil supplied 4 off Jinko 340 watt solar panels, and assisted us with the importation of a Victron SmartSolar MPPT 250/100 Controller. Sunzil will not fabricate Inox frames for the panels, so after a hugely frustrating experience with every marine stainless steel fabricator on Tahiti, we finally found Metali'nox who fabricated the frame to our detailed drawings. Sunzil co-ordinated with Metali'nox to ensure the panels would fit. The staff at Sunzil are very knowledgeable, and the proprietor Jimmy Wong and his Sales Manager Martial Oberli, were very helpful - both speak English. We are 100% satisfied with our solar panels -

what a difference it makes to have power to burn. 10- 2019 (S/V Moskito Valiente) At the end we bought with Sunzil and we're very happy with it in overall! :)

2017-2018 (SV Jacaranda) We have purchased a few different panels from Sunzil and have been very happy with the service and price. Martial even dropped them off after work at the Papeete Marina. Martial also shipped a panel to us in the Marquesas as well. Highly recommend them

# Tahiti Yacht Accessoire(TYA)

Island: **Tahiti**

☐ GPS decimal degrees: Lat -17.585582, Lon -149.61497 [GoogleMaps](#) [OpenStreetMap](#)

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☐ [tyaccessoire@yahoo.fr](mailto:tyaccessoire@yahoo.fr)

Marina Taina Michele carries Victron Solar Regulators & MC4 connectors For more information, see Marine Suppliers

# Splices

## Adrien Creuzé

Island: **Tahiti**

Adrien is an expert with splices for your fenders, dinghy paintors, eyes etc. He can be contacted at [adriencreuze@gmail.com](mailto:adriencreuze@gmail.com)

# Stainless steel (fabrication and welding)

## Hors Bord Occasion

Island: **Tahiti**

☐ **H.B.** Occasion Eric Prevost Prestations en tous genres, Vente et achat de Pièces. BP 13 414.- 98 717. PUNAAUIA 35 648 - A ☐ **+6898 7/77/43/66** (hboccasion@gmail.com) N° Tahiti : 521021 N° ☐ **R.C.** : Recommend by local surveyor. Works mostly on Super yachts

3-2020 Did an excellent repair on our damaged pulpit. Kate on Shiraz.

## Inov inox

Island: **Tahiti**

☐ GPS decimal degrees: Lat -17.554922, Lon -149.571348 [GoogleMaps](#) [OpenStreetMap](#)

Inov inox ☐ **+68987788399** They have a very high end plasma cutter which can make chain plates or tangs. They recently made a set of titanium tangs for a customer who provided the plate material. They are in the Tipaerui Valley.

10-2020 SV Clair de Lune I used this service to manufacture new 316L stainless chain plates. They are a high end decorative metal fab shop and they use a water jet cutting table which can pattern. So they just chucked up my old chain plates, turned on the cutter and manufactured new plates with thicker stainless. The jet cutting was so good, I didn't even have to touch any of the eleven plates with a file. They just dropped right in. Everything happened as they said it would. I was very satisfied.

11-2019 SV Maluhia Here's the info on Inov Inox. Brought SS bar stock from the US. Went to Inov Inox in the Tipaerui Valley on Monday. Showed them the original chain plates which had a slight bend at the top and had two welded washers, one on each side to increase bearing surface for the rigging pin. They said it was no problem to make, would be done by the end of the week. On Thursday I called and left a message. Friday I called again and left another message. On the following Monday I went to the shop and was told that it would be ready maybe Wednesday. On

Wednesday I called and was told maybe Thursday. On Thursday I went to the shop, and they said it would be done that afternoon and that they would deliver them to the fishing harbor near the airport as I was anchored near there. I said that would be great and to call me and I would meet them at the harbor. At 3:00 pm I called and left a message. No return call was ever made. The next morning I went to the shop. Yes, here were the chain plates. When I asked why they didn't come or call they said they were busy and couldn't make it. Unfortunately the mounting holes did not line up with the originals. The material I brought was now wasted. They apologized and said that they would make new ones and have them ready that afternoon. They had the correct material and said they would deliver them. Not trusting this I said no, I would come back to pick them up. I came back in the afternoon. The plates were done. The mounting holes were aligned. Unfortunately the hole for the rigging pin was oblong and too big. They apologized and said it was difficult to find good [workers](#). I was finished with Inov Inox and left with the plates but they did not charge me.

# Metalinox

Island: **Tahiti**

[GPS](#) decimal degrees: Lat -17.543446, Lon -139.544409 [GoogleMaps](#) [OpenStreetMap](#)

[+68987770277](#)

[www.metalinox.com](#)

Specialize in Stainless steel railings and balastrades but can also fabricate binini and dodger frames. Owner is Stephane Wong speaks good english. They have MIG and TIG and a pipe bender. They are approx 1.5 km up the road which goes north from the Pirae Marie. Be sure to call before you go. It is accessible via the small Hamuta or Arue bus. Get off at the Pirea Marie then walk to Intermat. It is the building behind Intermat.

11-2020 SV Moggy We had Metalinox manufacture a 1.5 metre long swim ladder from 42.4mm x 2mm wall, 316 stainless steel tube. We supplied drawings and had phone conversations with Dan about the manufacture and in particular the bends required. Overall we are happy with the result and we recommend Metalinox. Potential customers should have realistic expectations. Efficiency 5 out of 5 He got back to us in a very timely manner and answered all emails and phone calls promptly. Speed of Manufacture 5 out of 5 It was to be finished with a time frame for delivery to us in the Tuomotus and he met that schedule easily. Materials Used 5 out of 5 Exactly as requested Welds 3 out of 5 The welds are strong but are rough. Many are undercut so Dave cannot polish them out. We understand that other people have asked for them to be tidied up and he has done this willingly. Unfortunately we did not collect the ladder ourselves and did not have this opportunity. Bends 2 out of 5 These are a disappointing result. This could be due to communication error, but they are not in accordance with the drawings or our understanding of subsequent conversations. Overall finish 3 out of 5 We knew when we ordered that he would not polish the ladder. To polish to mirror finish, a weld needs to be proud rather than undercut. As a result we

cannot achieve a result that is commensurate with other stainless finishes on the boat. Value for money 3 out of 5 It was a very expensive job for a strong, functional finish. If you want something pretty, this is not the guy. We did ask him to quote for hinge fittings and the quote was around US\$90. We decided to import hinges from the USA for \$14 We understand that he is probably the best welder of this type in Tahiti. He is also very easy to deal with.

11-2020 SV SV Mat-Lau III Metali'nox are commercial and industrial fabricators specialising in sheet metal and stainless steel. They do a lot of decorative stainless steel fabrications for buildings and houses, but very little work in the marine industry. We had Metali'nox fabricate a stainless steel frame for the installation of 4 x 340 watt solar panels across the stern of our Lagoon 500. The end result was very impressive and we are 100% satisfied with their work. I should stress that we supplied very detailed fabrication drawings, and Metali'nox followed them exactly as specified - they got it right the first time and we had no rework. They delivered the frame to the boat and even helped with the installation at no additional cost. Metali'nox will not polish stainless steel to a polished mirror finish, but their 320 grit polished finish is very pleasing to the eye. The Manager, Dan, speaks English and communicates by email with the assistance of Google Translate. He is a very likeable and helpful young man.

## Sailtech

Island: **Tahiti**

📍 GPS decimal degrees: Lat -17.534308, Lon -149.578466 [GoogleMaps](#) [OpenStreetMap](#)

Located near Customs. Turn right at the road across from Customs and its about 100 meters on the right. they have a sail loft upstairs and a rigging shop downstairs. They can do SS fabrications & tig welding speaks English

## Techni marine

Island: **Tahiti**

Technimarine address is the end of Fare Ute but to haul out you must approach from the pass east of Papeete due to the low bridge between Fare Ute and Muto Uta. 📧 [technimarine@mail.pf](mailto:technimarine@mail.pf) tel 📞 [+68940430222](tel:+68940430222)

Manager speaks english. Have two travel lifts one is 75 metric tonnes, the other 300 metric tonnes. The smaller may not be appropriate for the width of some cats. The haul-out price for our 32 ft sail boat including the power wash was 39276xpf (\$353.48). Lay days were 6473xpf (\$58.25). Not sure if the per foot rate is different for the latger travel lift. You can do any amount of the work yourself you wish. It is very convenient to all marine suppliers available in FP. Electric and water are metered. They have welders including TIG and MIG welding. They can spray in the yard (depending of wind conditions) including polyurethane. Staff are friendly and the facilities looked good for toilet

and shower blocks.

9-18 - Portable welding can be arranged. Danish boat Lady A had some work done in Papeete marina For more information, see Haulout

Stainless steel nuts & bolts  
(see nuts, bolts screw-  
section)

# Starter motors

## S.a.r.l Enipac

Island: **Tahiti**

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Next to the Total Fuel Depot in Fare Ute. ☐ [+68940427010](#)

☐ [enipacsarl@mail.pf](mailto:enipacsarl@mail.pf) They are the motor rebuilder if you windlass has motor problems. They had two Lofrans in the shop last visited. I did see a couple of starters in the shop being rebuilt For more information, see Alternator And Starter Repairs

See also Alternator And Starter Repairs

# Strata glass

## Facinov

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Reported Stamoid can be sourced in Papeete in "FACINOV" (certainly more expensive than you can find in USA.

# Sunbrella

## Carreira Industries

Island: **Tahiti**

Sunbrella (the real stuff) can be source at Carreira contact Marc Bland:

11-2020 SY Venture Lady reported they moved and the new number is 89546896 It is on the road to Titiroo look for a Sunbrella Sign with a horse graphic on the West side of the road.

For more information, see Canvas Work

## Textech

Island: **Tahiti**

Textech Fabric wholesaler in Puna'auia, French Polynesia ☎ [+68987761992](tel:+68987761992) What's App ☎ [textech-pf.com](https://textech-pf.com)

Marc Reported to carry sunbrella and foam

# Surfboards

## Somo Surfboards

Island: **Tahiti**

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## Stone Fish Surfboards

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## Surfbopz

Island: **Tahiti**

Surfbopz [www.surfbopz.com/](http://www.surfbopz.com/)

Surfboards

## The Board House Tahiti

Island: **Tahiti**

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# Surveyors

## Christophe Citeau

Island: **Raiatea**

Christophe Citeau ☎ [+68987796381](tel:+68987796381)

✉ [chrisciteau@mail.pf](mailto:chrisciteau@mail.pf)

9-2022 SV Reva Reva Bought a multihull sy Reva Reva unseen on Tahiti. I used Christophe Citeau as surveyor. He is not to be trusted. A couple of main things he overlooked on the boat was the following: One engine was toast. (Knocking and blue smoke), 200 liter of saltwater in the hull, windlass had broken of alot of pieces so its impossible to use. And the list goes on.

5-2021 SV Capella I used Christophe Citeau on Raiatea to survey the hull of a 45ft catamaran I subsequently purchased sight unseen from NZ. Be wary of this guy, he classed my rudders and keels as good condition. The keels were full of water and diesel and delaminated on the bottom and the port rudder also had bad water ingress and severe corrosion on the post. 15k NZD + to remedy. Cut keels off, cut tops of diesel tanks out for access, grind most of rudder away. Huge jobs he could have warned me about if he had done his job

10-2020 SV Sugar Shack We are an American boat that required a SAMS/NAMS surveyor for our insurance. However, we got an exemption after we obtained a "sample survey" from Christophe Citeau. Our insurance approved him and we did an out of water survey at Raiatea Carenage 6 weeks ago on our Catana 471. He was very thorough visiting twice. Once for out of water and once in water spending a total of 4 hours on the boat. He said 95% of the boat was in "good" shape which is true and great. The only options are "good" "satisfactory" or "unsatisfactory". We try to be meticulous with our 20 year old gal and he was impressed by her condition. The only gripe I have is that he was unyielding on the value of the boat - even after I sent comparisons showing similar values. He was very unreasonable. Considering it was only an insurance survey. But the report itself was good other than the overall value. He is based in Taha'a and will travel to other islands (at your expen.pfse). He charged us \$700 for our 47' catamaran.

3-2020 SV Malaika Our boat was surveyed by Christophe Citeau in March in Raiatea and he was good.

12-2019 SV Nuwam2 We used Christophe when purchasing our boat in Raiatea and found him to be professional and thorough and reasonably priced compared to others. He required out of water as well as in-water tests/ inspections and produced a in-depth report on [☎ completion.Highly](#)

recommended.

# Andre Berthod

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No reports on Andre. If you have first hand experience pls drop me a note

# Bernard BAUDRY

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No reports on Bernard. If you have first hand experience pls drop me a note

# Nicolas Gruet

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Expert accredited by the Court of appel and also a naval architect . He was thé only one to have a humidity tester for your hull

# Nofziger Marine Polynesie

Island: **Tahiti**

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# Patrice Beuscher

Island: **Tahiti**

Patrice Beuscher (speaks English) Retired 4/2020 No longer doing surveys. Pierre MOKHTARI  
Island: Tahiti Pierre MOKHTARI : [☎ +68987770153](tel:+68987770153)

No reports on Pierre. If you have first hand experience pls drop me a note

# Vincent Goyat

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10-2020 SV Daybreak I also vouch/recommend/ Vincent Goyat

10-2020 SV Hakaheke I had my boat surveyed last August and was happy with the results. I could comment on a few miss, but I was impressed with the thoroughness of the inspection both out of the water, during a sail and going aloft. Vincent Goyat in Tahiti

9-2020 SV Swan reported that Vincent did his survey and Vincent spoke good English and was dependable

# Swimming pools

## Piscine Municipale de Tīpaerui

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Piscine Municipale de Tīpaerui Boulevard de la Reine Pōmare IV, Tīpaerui'i [www.ville-papeete.pf/articles.php?id=297](http://www.ville-papeete.pf/articles.php?id=297)

There is a great 50m public pool near papeete marina, you walk through the park and then along the road a bit past the cultural center. 600Xpf/adult. Open Mondays 11:45-4:45, Tues-Friday 7:30-4:45, and Sat and Sun from 7:30-11:45.

Shipping (see Importing  
Parts)