



In a class of its own!

Brazil, the fifth largest country on the planet, is a fascinating land with many extremes and contrasts: mangroves, arid plains, colonial churches and architectural monuments influence the country as deeply as materialism and spiritualism. The cultural and scenic diversity is also reflected in the population. Brazilians are generally described as very proud people with a spirited nature, who love partying and dancing. Their hospitality is truly unique, and Brazilians have many more reasons to be proud of their country - 5 times winners of the World Cup, they are the most successful football nation in the world! On top of that, a new windsurfing star also comes from this huge and exciting place – “Marcilio Browne”. Many of you may have heard of him, and our destination is more or less his home and one of the best and windiest spots in Brazil. There are a lot of reasons for visiting Brazil, but for us windsurfers and kitesurfers it is of course the wind that is the magical attraction - and there is plenty of it! While surfing a tube is the ultimate experience for surfers, the holy grail for windsurfers and kitesurfers is to find a spot with a wind guarantee. The small fishing village of Preá, 10 km south of the windsurfing mecca Jericoacoara, and about 4 hours from Fortaleza airport is just the place!





THE SPOT IN PREÁ

With a wind probability of 99% between August and mid-December, Preá is one of the windiest spots in the world. The wide sandy beach of Preá spreads over 15 km and offers ample space for windsurfers and kitesurfers to ride in peace, as well as a perfect launch area right in front of the center. Despite average wind speeds of around 6 Beaufort, the spot is still suitable for kitesurf beginners. Since we only offer semi-private or private kitesurfing lessons, fast progress is guaranteed. Windsurf rental is available once you have mastered the water start, but the spot is not suited to windsurfing beginners as the water is very choppy. Low tide brings dream-like conditions for kitesurfers and windsurfers, and high tide creates waves, which are perfect for jumping - pure fun!

WIND AND WAVES

The wind blows side-onshore from the right with an average strength of around 6 Beaufort - practically every single day. In the early mornings the wind is often offshore, but at around 11 am it turns to side-onshore from the right. There is a big difference between high and low tide: low tide brings flat water, and high tide means you will face more challenging choppy conditions.

THE CENTER

Our 190 m² area offers more than enough windsurf and kitesurf equipment, a small shop with the latest fashions and accessories, and even a kite repair room to get you back on the water in no time. On top of this we now offer our guests 13 new and spacious storage boxes. The whole center is raised on stilts hovering 1.5 m above the ground so that the sand can't cover the center - a sure sign of good wind! Two terraces, one with a 20m long swimming pool and a restaurant, invite you to relax and sunbathe in a very special ambience. The center is located 75 meters from the water - and those who don't even want to walk that far, can stay in our „Barraca“, a small hut/beach bar very close to the water, where snacks and cool drinks are served. With quiet music and hammocks it's the perfect place to refuel before your next session.

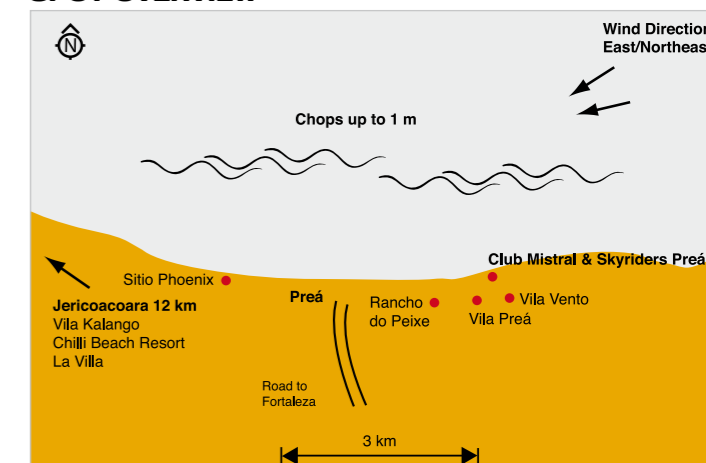
CLIMATE AND WIND

| Wind >= 4 bft in % | jan | feb | mar | apr | may | jun | jul | aug | sep | oct | nov | dec |
|--------------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| Wind | 80 | 75 | 38 | 36 | 33 | 46 | 65 | 99 | 99 | 99 | 99 | 95 |
| Air °C | 30 | 30 | 30 | 30 | 29 | 29 | 29 | 30 | 30 | 30 | 30 | 30 |
| Water °C | 27 | 27 | 27 | 27 | 26 | 26 | 26 | 27 | 27 | 27 | 27 | 27 |

SPOT CHARACTERISTICS

| | unsuitable | moderate | ideal |
|-------------------|-------------------------|----------|-------|
| Waves | [Progressive bar chart] | | |
| Flat Water | [Progressive bar chart] | | |
| Shallow Water | [Progressive bar chart] | | |
| Windsurf Beginner | [Progressive bar chart] | | |
| Windsurf Advanced | [Progressive bar chart] | | |
| Kitesurf Beginner | [Progressive bar chart] | | |
| Kitesurf Advanced | [Progressive bar chart] | | |

SPOT OVERVIEW



“PREÁ - the wind offensive!
A small, sleepy fishing village with an unbeatable wind guarantee. Untouched and endless landscapes, perfect ambience with a rare charm, Caipirinha and Capoeira...”



AT A GLANCE
Opening Time: 15. July – 15. February, daily from 09:30 – 17:00
Team: Marko Berger and Team
Quantity Boards & Rigs: approx. 10 boards and 25 rigs
Sail Sizes: 3,0 – 7,0 m²
Quality Boards & Kites: approx. 12 boards and 25 kites
Kite Sizes: 3,5 – 14,0 m²
Wind Direction: In the morning side-offshore, from late afternoon side-onshore from right
Wetsuit: Lycra and shorts
Surf Shoes: Not required

Windsurf Training: No
Kitesurf Training: Only semi private and private lessons for all levels
Windsurf Storage: Yes
Kitesurf Storage: Yes
Special Rates & Non-Con Days
Windsurfing Rental: July until February
Special Feature: 10 km long downwind, shuttle service Jeri-Preá-Jeri (tickets available at the center)
Best Travel Period: Mid July until mid January

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unlimited?
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Chili Beach Resort



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Vila Preá



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Preá - Vila Preá I ★★★★★

In Vila Preá our guests will experience a very special atmosphere in perfect harmony with the surrounding nature. The bungalows are spread along the beach, only a few meters away from our center. A real highlight is the private garden with an outdoor bathroom and a hammock. In the evening the veranda is the perfect place to watch the stars and listen to the calming sound of the sea. WiFi is free of charge. It's a small paradise for everybody.

1 week BU/BB incl. flights & transfers from 1625 EUR per person



Preá - Rancho do Peixe I ★★★★★

The 20 spacious bungalows of Rancho do Peixe are to be found on the beach, shaded by palm trees. They are simple but have a very special flair. We recommend the beach bungalows. The facilities include a pool, bar and restaurant. It is a rather quiet and relaxing location. If you prefer more action you should stay in Jericoacoara.

1 week BU/BB incl. flights & transfers from 1525 EUR per person



Preá - Vila Vento I ★★★★★

Not yet completely finished, Vila Vento will open with 12 rustic bungalows in summer 2011. The natural architecture of the buildings will perfectly integrate in the environment and the dune landscape. The 18 m swimming pool is located between the restaurant and our Club Mistral & Skyriders Center and is already open.

1 week BU/BB incl. flights & transfers from 1615 EUR per person



Jeri - Vila Kalango I ★★★★★

Without a doubt one of the best and most exceptional accommodations within the area. Vila Kalango is a little paradise with a rustic and comfortable charm. The property is beautifully designed. Enjoy the swimming pool and relax in the Spa area. The rooms are comfortably furnished and very cozy. Very special accommodations are the Palafitas, which are rooms on stilts with exceptional views.

1 week AP/BB incl. flights & transfers from 1670 EUR per person



Jeri - Chili Beach Resort I ★★★★★

Chili Beach is an intimate and exclusive resort in a prime location on the beautiful sandy beach of Jericoacoara. The purely luxurious interior and ambiance blends in perfectly with the natural setting. The accommodations are a harmonic mixture of tropical architecture and artistic design. You will be immersed in another world!

1 week DBL/BB incl. flights & transfers from 2159 EUR per person



Jeri - La Villa I ★★★★★

New feature: This authentic, Brazilian Posada is nestled amidst the sand dunes of Jericoacoara. You will find peace and tranquillity as well as a perfect service. La Villa offers 6 romantic guestrooms and two family rooms with separate bedrooms.

1 week DBL/BB incl. flights & transfers from 1580 EUR per person

Daily updated travel offers and bookings at +49 (0)881 9096010 or travel@club-mistral.com
For detailed information about Preá and the accommodations visit www.club-mistral.com - Destinations - Preá

TRAVEL INFORMATION

DESTINATION - FORTALEZA

Flights almost daily with:
Air Portugal: via Lisbon
Condor: via Salvador de Bahia (twice weekly)
Connecting flights from Europe or Rail & Fly within Germany available on request.

Entry requirements: Passport required, valid at least 6 months at date of entry
For further information please refer to the corresponding embassy or consulate.
Flight time: about 12 hrs including transfer in Lisbon
Zeitunterschied: CET - 5 hrs (summer), - 4 hrs (winter)
Currency: Brazilian Reals (BRL), 1 EUR ≈ 2,2 BRL
Language: Portuguese
Mobile service: roaming contracts with major European networks available.
Internet: free WiFi in all accommodations (fast and stable connections)
Transfer time: about 5 hrs from Fortaleza

SPORTS/ACTIVITIES

Horse riding, surfing, sandboarding, buggy tours, Capoeira, kitesurf downwinder, various excursions to natural landmarks

INSIDER TIPS

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|--------------------|----------------------------|
| Perfect for: | Beach holiday, singles |
| Very good for: | Families, nightlife (Jeri) |
| Moderate for: | Shopping |
| Less suitable for: | Wellness |
| Unsuitable for: | Golfing |