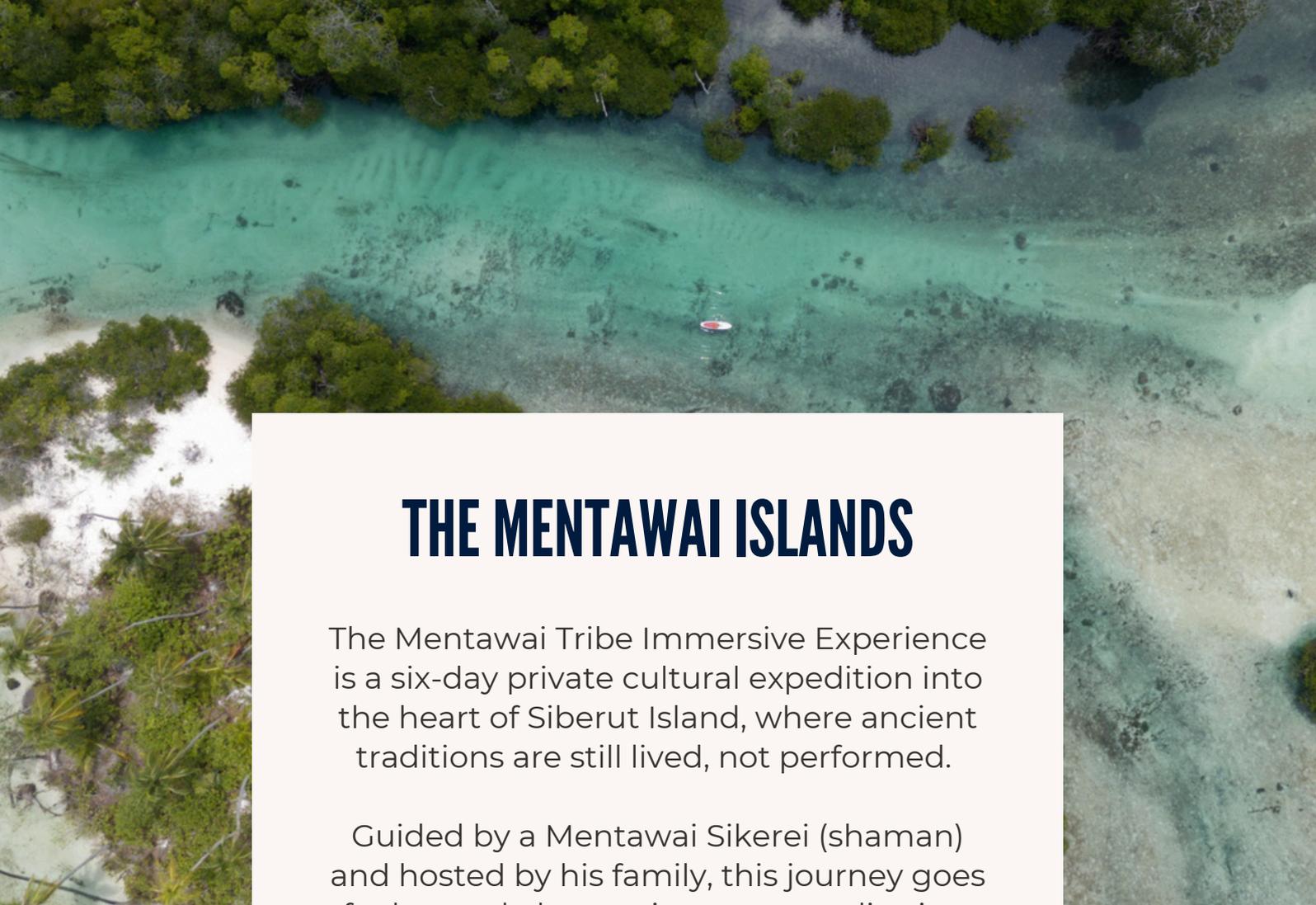


6 Days/5 Nights

MENTAWAI CULTURAL IMMERSION

A private, slow-travel cultural expedition into one of Indonesia's last living indigenous traditions.



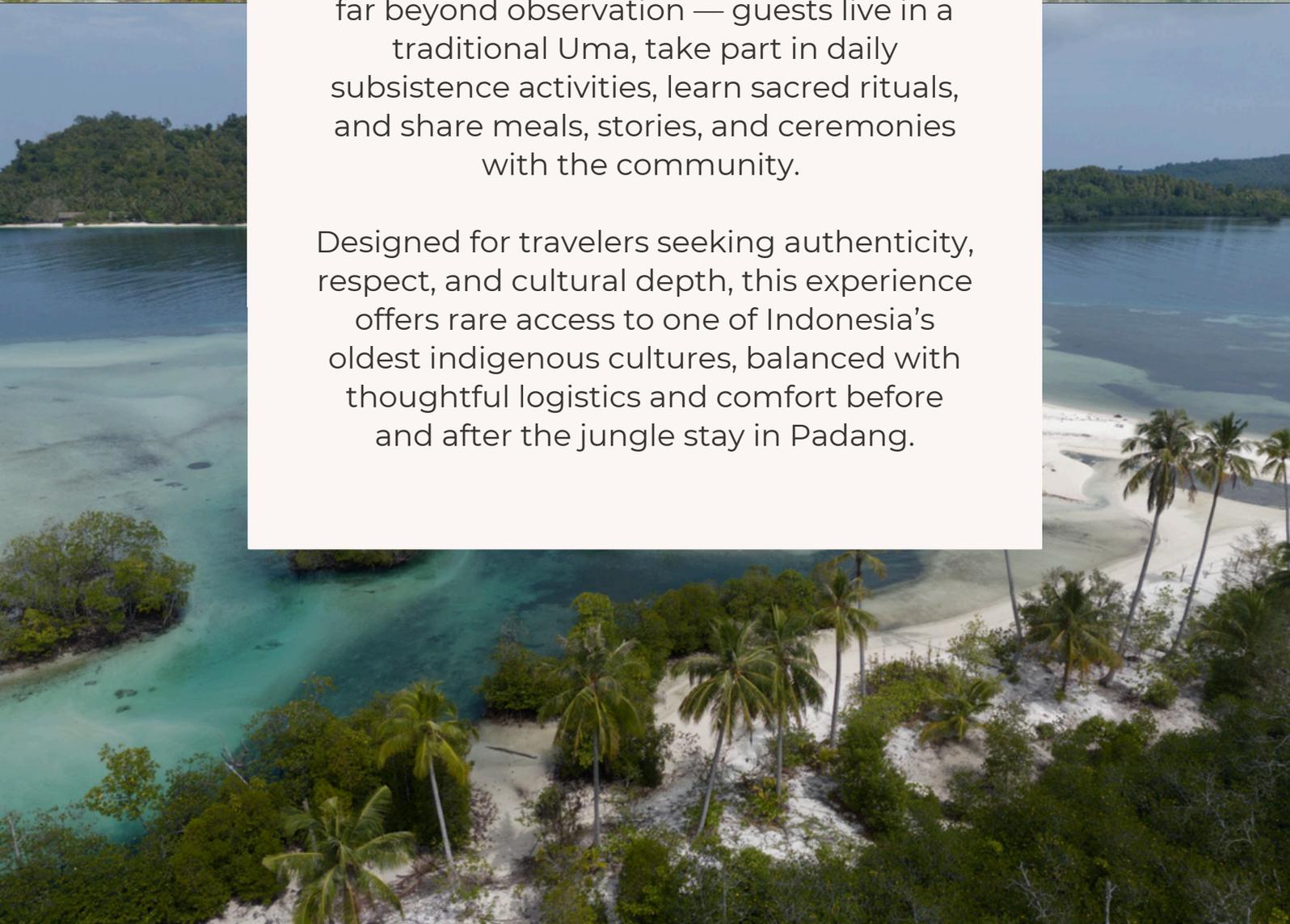


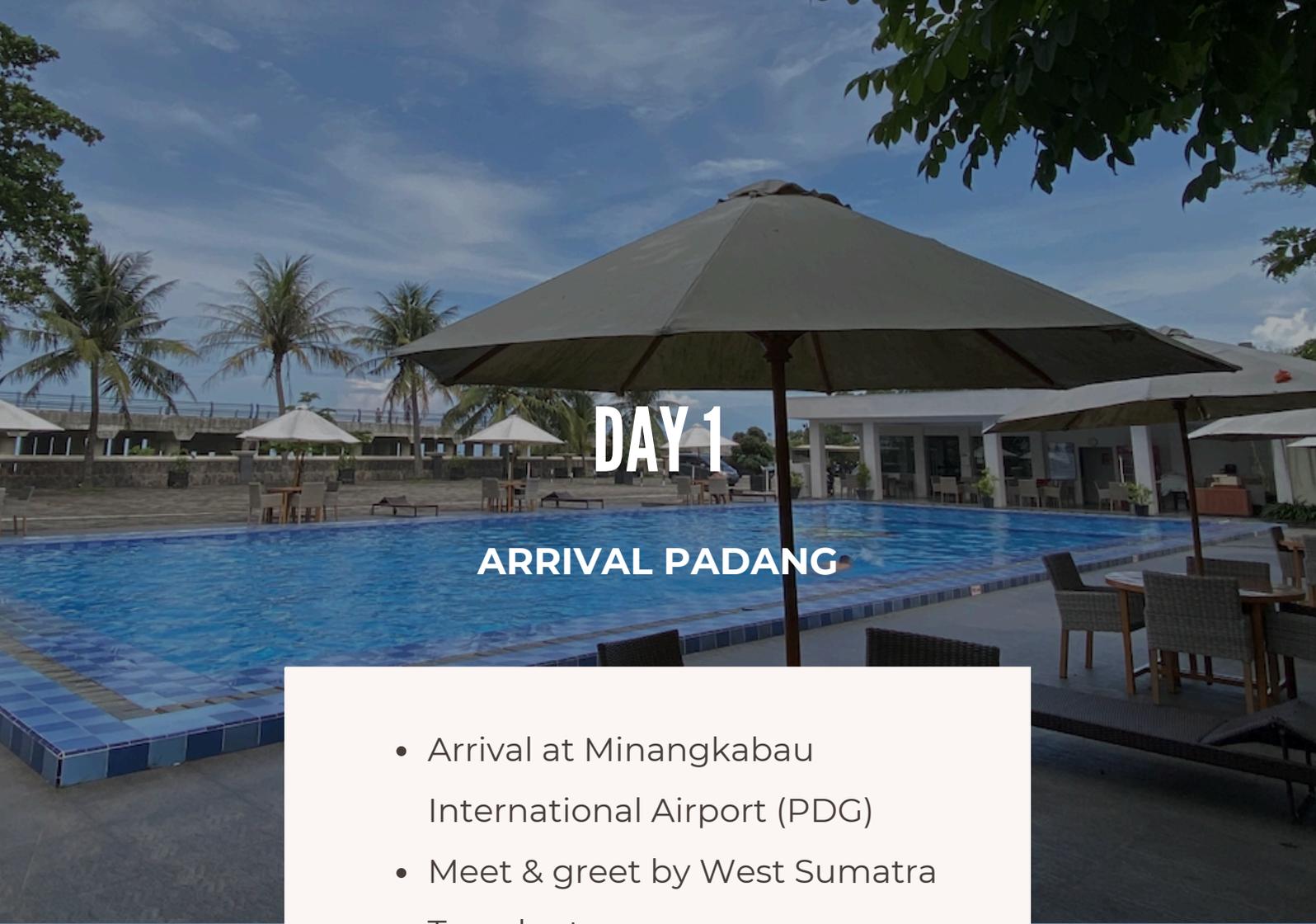
THE MENTAWAI ISLANDS

The Mentawai Tribe Immersive Experience is a six-day private cultural expedition into the heart of Siberut Island, where ancient traditions are still lived, not performed.

Guided by a Mentawai Sikerei (shaman) and hosted by his family, this journey goes far beyond observation — guests live in a traditional Uma, take part in daily subsistence activities, learn sacred rituals, and share meals, stories, and ceremonies with the community.

Designed for travelers seeking authenticity, respect, and cultural depth, this experience offers rare access to one of Indonesia's oldest indigenous cultures, balanced with thoughtful logistics and comfort before and after the jungle stay in Padang.

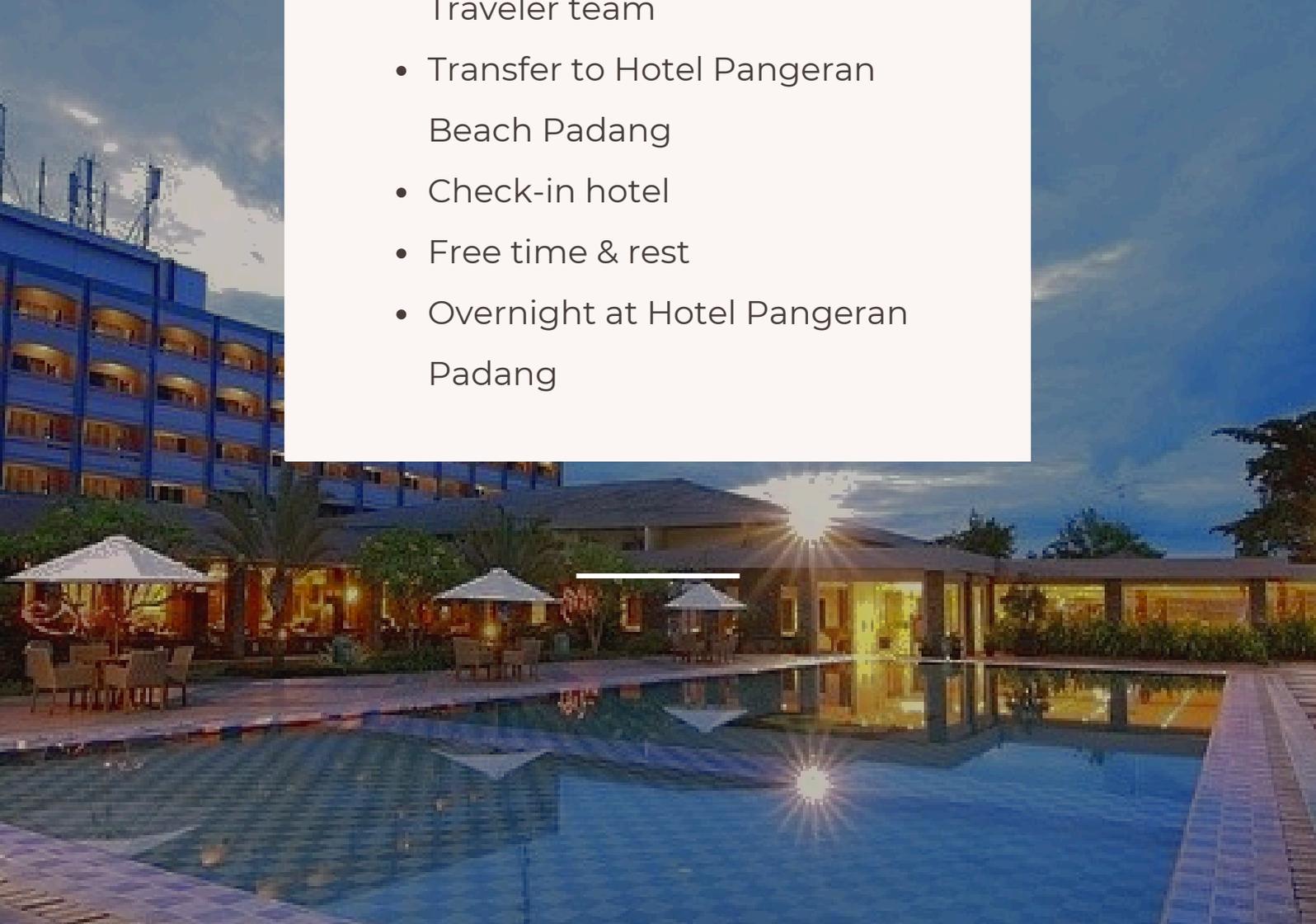


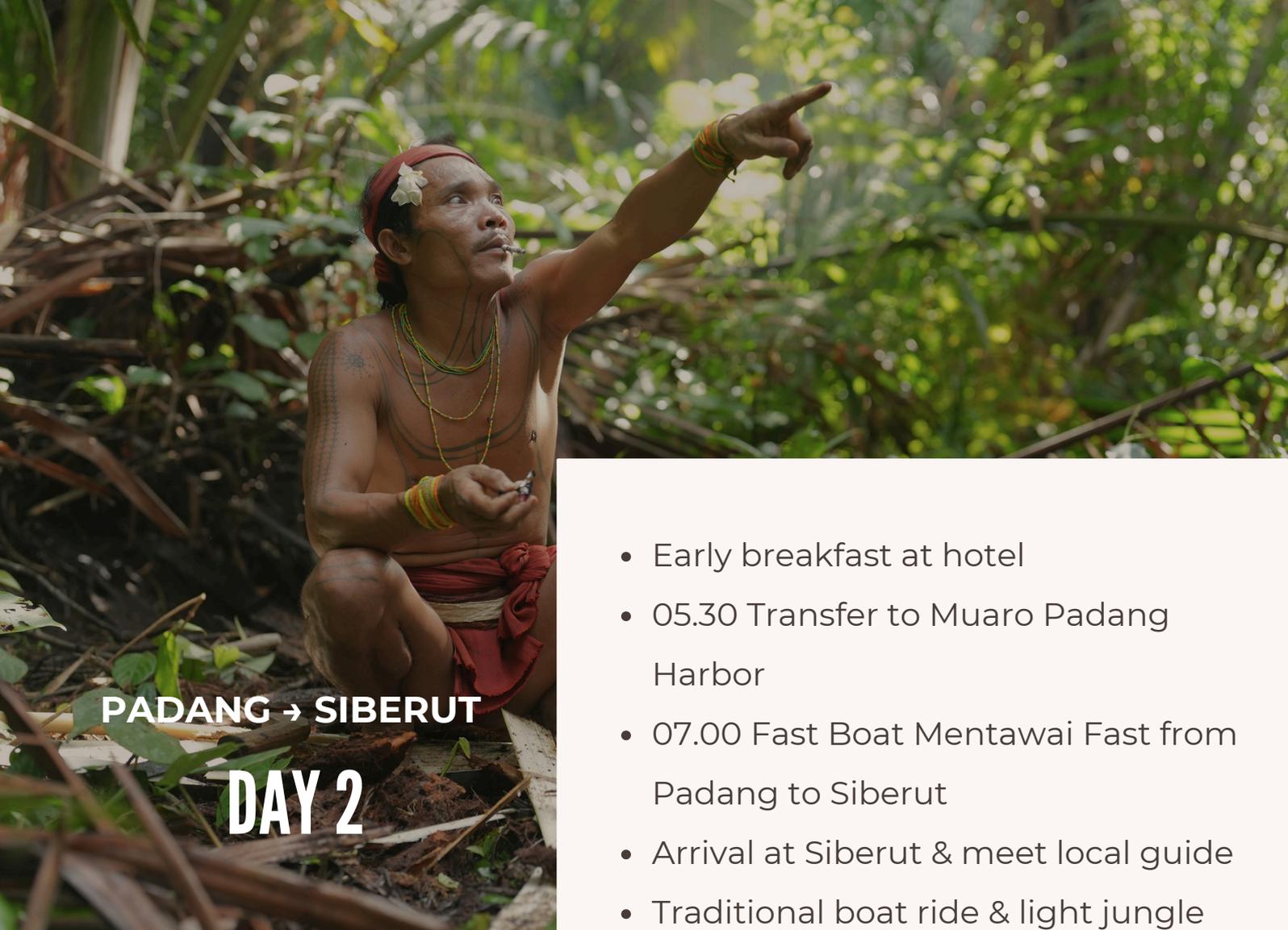


DAY 1

ARRIVAL PADANG

- Arrival at Minangkabau International Airport (PDG)
- Meet & greet by West Sumatra Traveler team
- Transfer to Hotel Pangeran Beach Padang
- Check-in hotel
- Free time & rest
- Overnight at Hotel Pangeran Padang





PADANG → SIBERUT

DAY 2

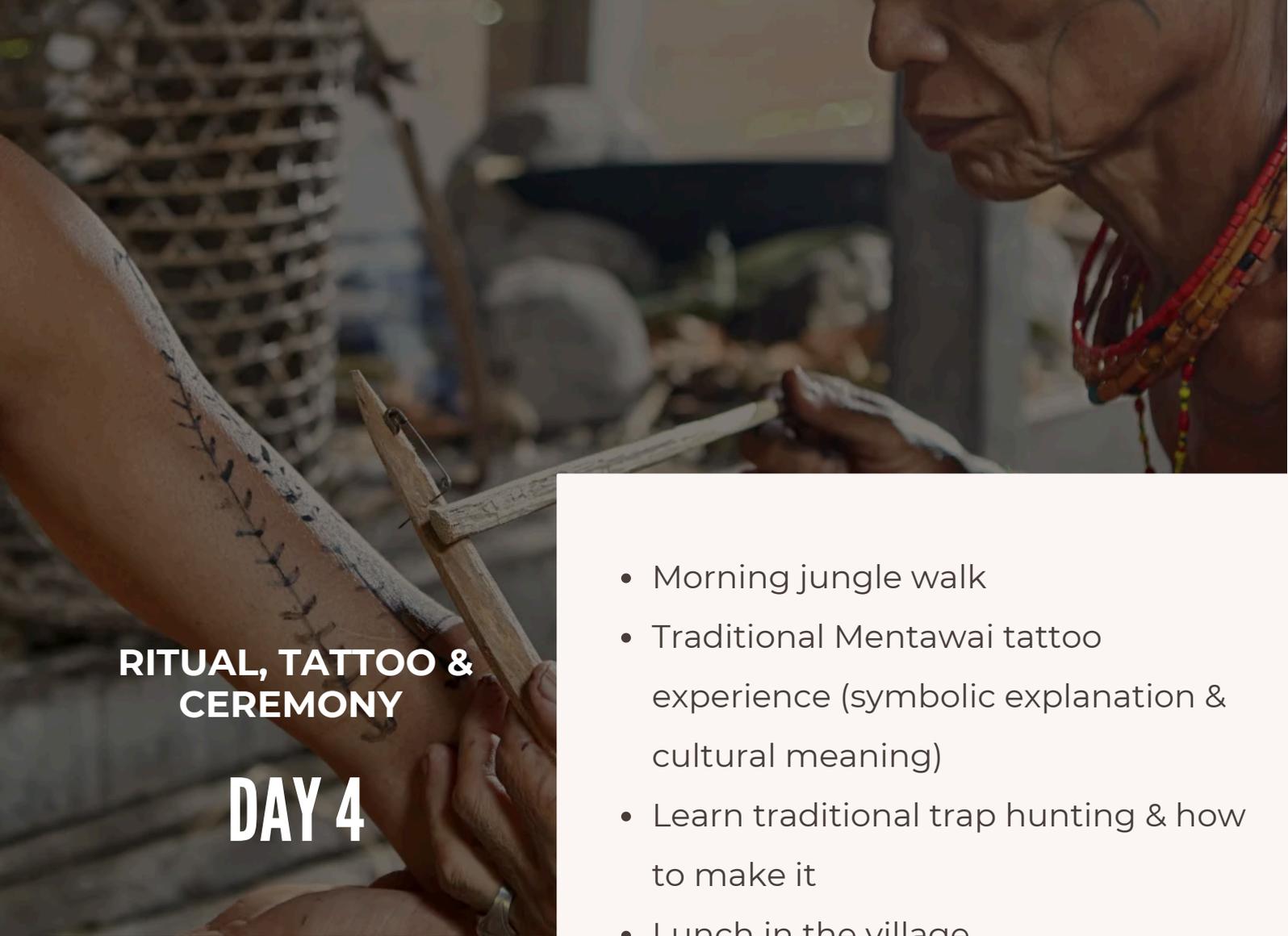
- Early breakfast at hotel
- 05.30 Transfer to Muaro Padang Harbor
- 07.00 Fast Boat Mentawai Fast from Padang to Siberut
- Arrival at Siberut & meet local guide
- Traditional boat ride & light jungle walk to Mentawai Tribe village
- Welcome ceremony by Sikerei (Shaman) & his family
- Introduction to Mentawai culture, Uma & daily life
- Explore river & surrounding forest
- Dinner with the Shaman & family



DAY 3

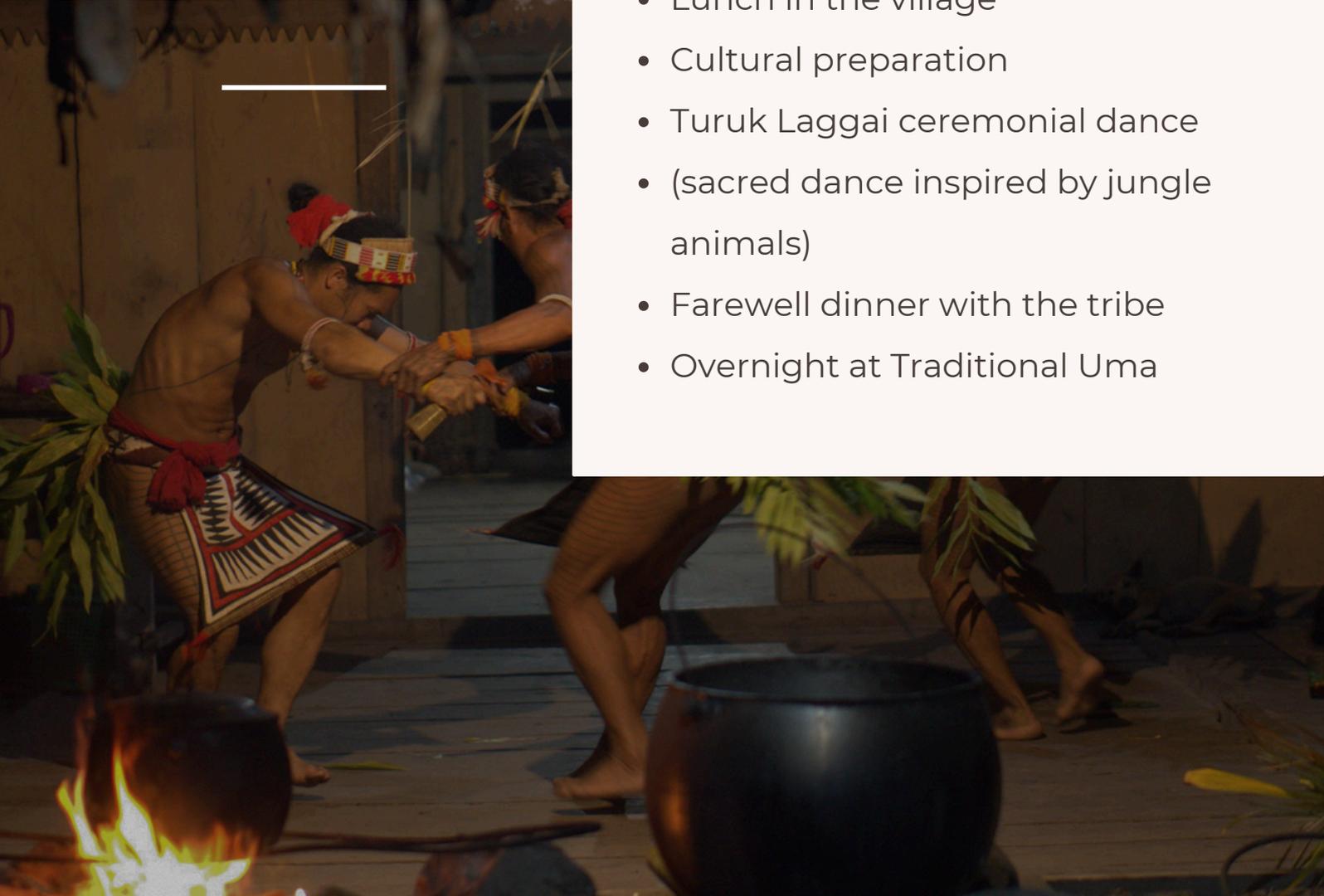
SURVIVAL & DAILY LIFE

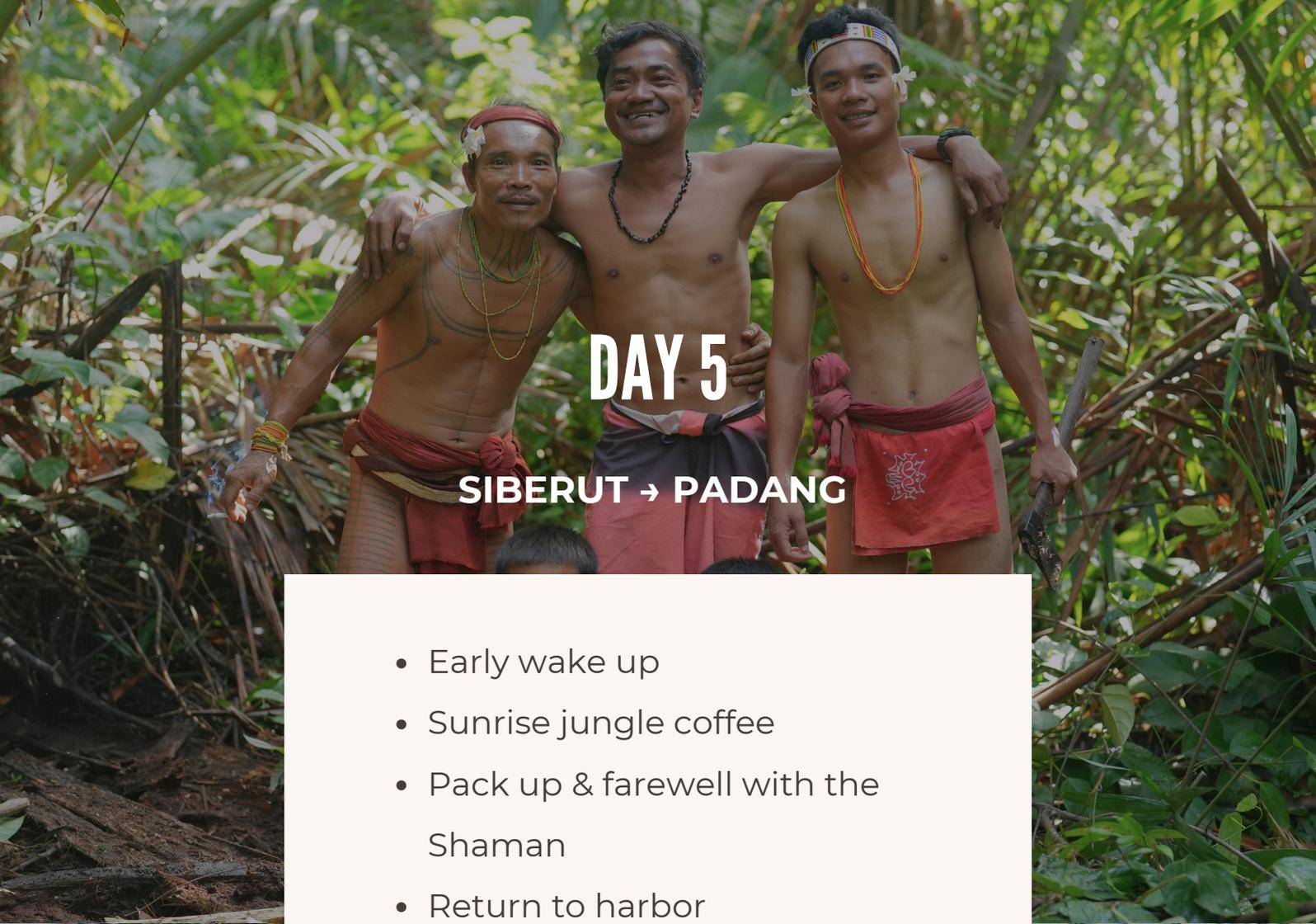
- Breakfast in the village
- Learn making traditional hunting poison
- Traditional archery lesson
- Learn making Kabit & sago processing
- Hunting sago worms in the forest
- Traditional lunch
- Afternoon activities:
- Catching fish using traditional nets with local women
- River bathing & village interaction
- Dinner together
- Overnight at Traditional Uma



**RITUAL, TATTOO &
CEREMONY**

DAY 4

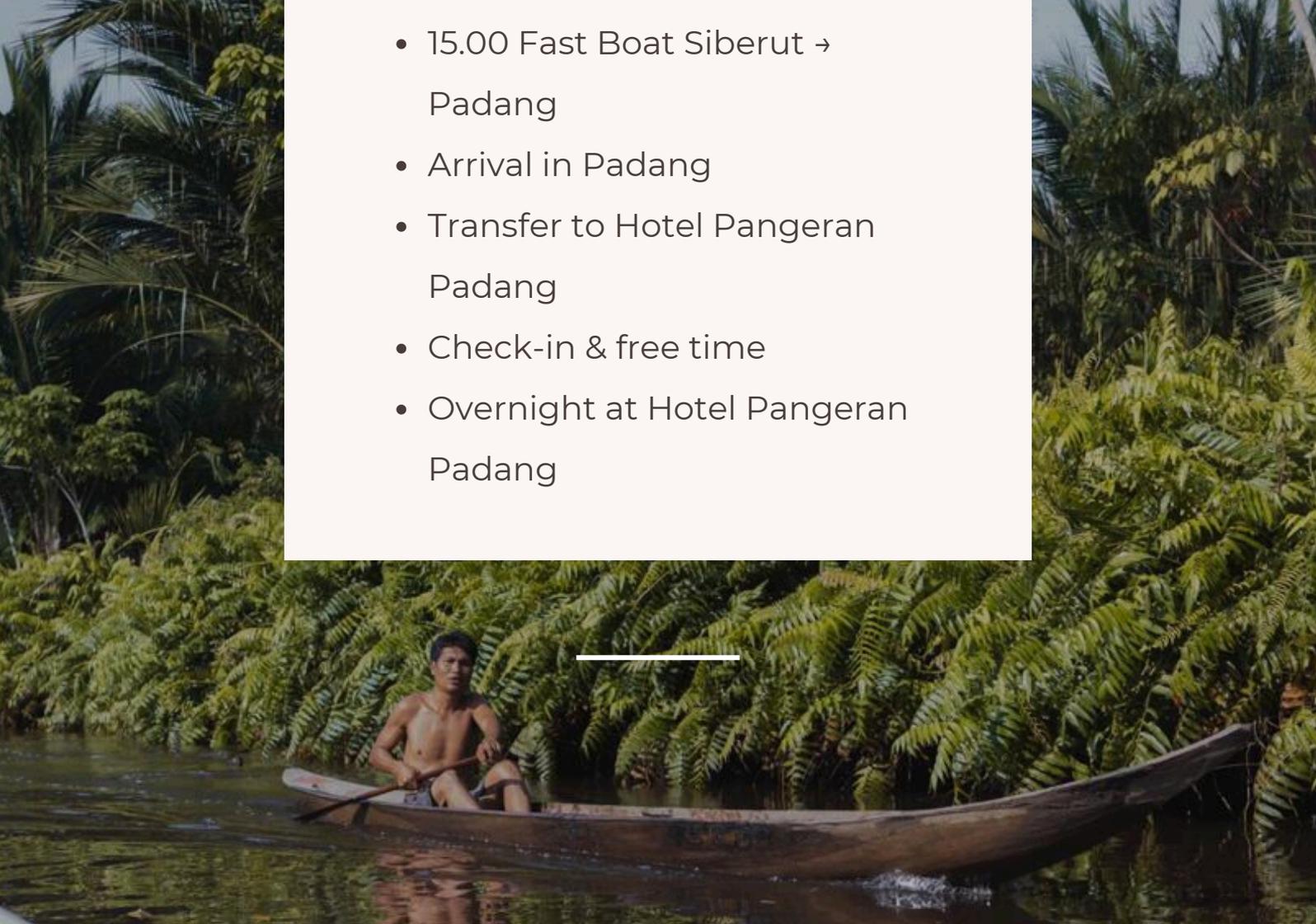
- Morning jungle walk
 - Traditional Mentawai tattoo experience (symbolic explanation & cultural meaning)
 - Learn traditional trap hunting & how to make it
 - Lunch in the village
 - Cultural preparation
 - Turuk Laggai ceremonial dance (sacred dance inspired by jungle animals)
 - Farewell dinner with the tribe
 - Overnight at Traditional Uma
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DAY 5

SIBERUT → PADANG

- Early wake up
- Sunrise jungle coffee
- Pack up & farewell with the Shaman
- Return to harbor
- 15.00 Fast Boat Siberut → Padang
- Arrival in Padang
- Transfer to Hotel Pangeran Padang
- Check-in & free time
- Overnight at Hotel Pangeran Padang



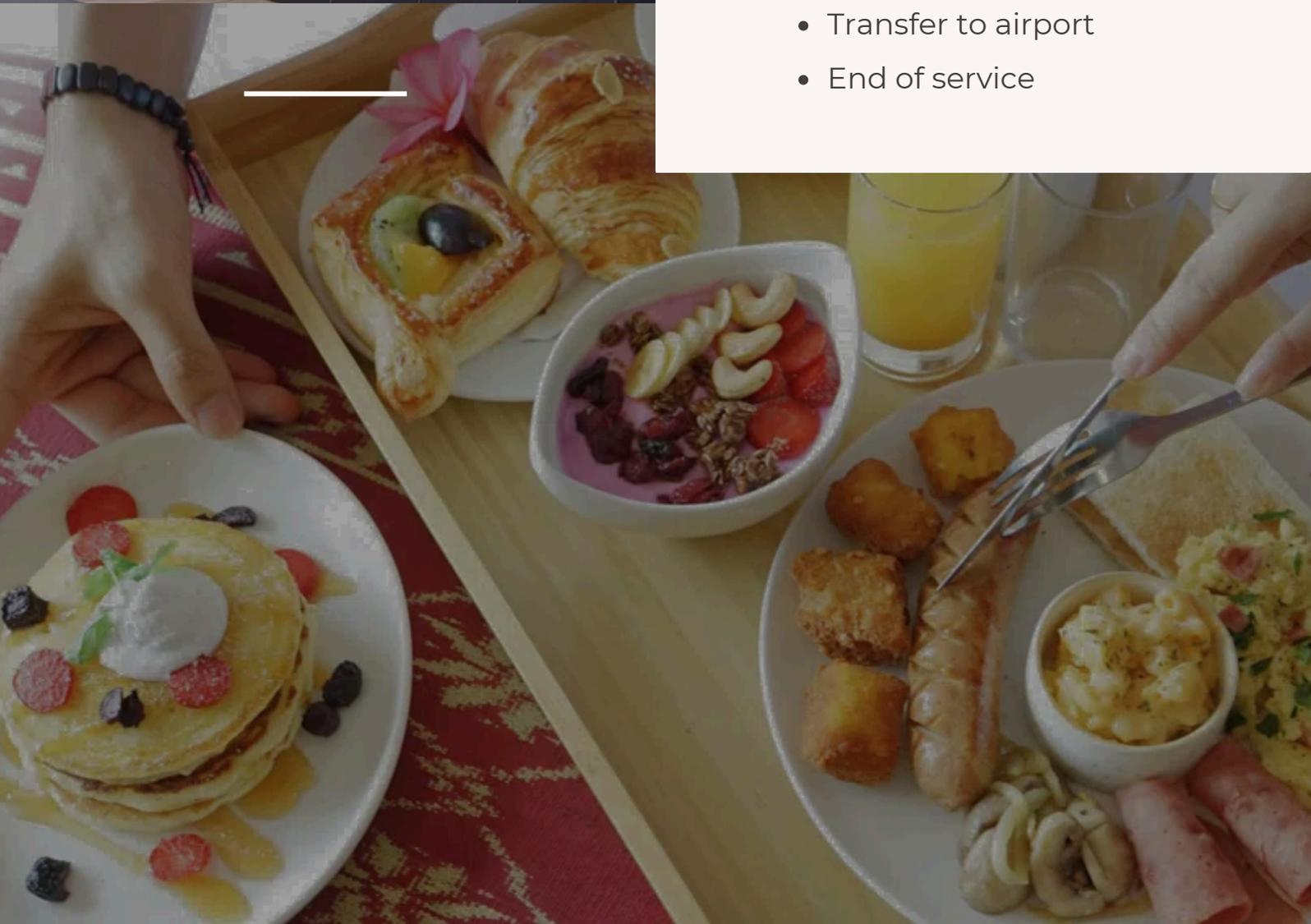
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MINANGKABAU INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT

DAY 6

RETURN TO PADANG

- Breakfast at hotel
- Free time
- Transfer to airport
- End of service



TRIP INCLUSIONS

All inclusive

- Airport pick up & drop off Padang
- 2 Nights at Hotel Pangeran Beach
- 3 Nights at the Traditional Uma (Mentawai Tribe)
- Fast Boat Padang ⇌ Siberut
- All transport and local boat
- Local guide & translator
- All meals
- Cultural and ritual activity
- Donation for Shaman & local community
- All entry tickets

This journey is designed with community consent and fair compensation, ensuring cultural respect and direct benefits to the Mentawai families involved.

