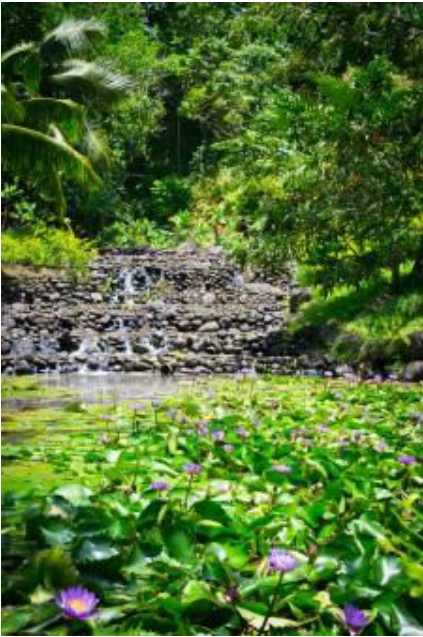


The Water Gardens of Vaipahi



A serene atmosphere

A place to stop off in the circuit around the island of Tahiti, the public gardens of Vaipahi offer wonderful views of water, light and exquisite vegetation.

This haven of peace of over a hectare invites you to take pleasant walks among its natural treasures.

Nearly 75 different plant species composes its abundant flora, planted close to the basins and waterfalls which flow directly into Lake Vaihiria.

On your way, a small halt at the waterfall of Vaipahi will enable you to discover the history of this magical place which was built on top of a Marae (sacred open air temple).

A visible descriptive information sheet has been laid out in order to guide you while you explore one of the main elements of Tahiti's cultural heritage and nature.

Moreover, there is a reception "fare" (house) in which the souvenir shop has been set up with two toilets and a shelter in order to provide you a suitable service.

The water gardens of Vaipahi are very appreciated by Tahitian elementary schools for fun teaching trips in order to discover this natural setting imbued with the Polynesian culture.