

# **SURVIVOR SEASONS**



## Season 1: Borneo







Contestant		Tribe Affiliation		Finish	Votes
· ·	Contestant	Original Tribe	Merged Tribe	I IIIIaii	Against
	Sonja Christopher 63, Walnut Creek, CA Musician	Tagi		1st Voted Out Day 3	4
<b>S</b>	B.B. Andersen 64, Mission Hills, KS Real Estate Developer	Pagong		2nd Voted Out Day 6	6
	Stacey Stillman 27, San Francisco, CA Attorney	Tagi		3rd Voted Out Day 9	6
	Ramona Gray 29, Edison, NJ Biochemist	Pagong		4th Voted Out Day 12	6

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(	Contestant	Original Tribe	Merged Tribe	Finish	Against
9	<b>Dirk Been</b> 23, Spring Green, WI Dairy Farmer	Tagi		5th Voted Out Day 15	4
	Joel Klug 27, Sherwood, AR Health Club Consultant	Pagong		6th Voted Out Day 18	4
	Gretchen Cordy 38, Clarksville, TN Teacher	Pagong		7th Voted Out Day 21	4
	Greg Buis 24, Gold Hill, CO Ivy League Graduate	Pagong		8th Voted Out 1st Jury Member Day 24	6
	<b>Jenna Lewis</b> 22, Franklin, NH Student	Pagong		9th Voted Out 2nd Jury Member Day 27	11
	Gervase Peterson 30, Willingboro, NJ YMCA Basketboall Coach	Pagong		10th Voted Out 3rd Jury Member Day 30	6
	Colleen Haskell 23, Miami Beach, FL Student	Pagong		11th Voted Out 4th Jury Member Day 33	7
	Sean Kenniff 30, Carle Place, NY Neurosurgeon	Tagi	Rattana	12th Voted Out 5th Jury Member Day 36	9
	Susan Hawk 38, Palmyra, WI Truck Driver	Tagi		13th Voted Out 6th Jury Member Day 37	7
	Rudy Boesch 72, Virgina Beach, VA Retired Navy SEAL	Tagi		14th Voted Out 7th Jury Member Day 38	8
P	Kelly Wiglesworth 22, Kernville, NV River Rafting Guide	Tagi		Runner-Up	0
6	Richard Hatch 39, Newport, RI Corporate Trainer	Tagi		Sole Survivor	6

**Show Intro:** The Survivor theme song is called "Ancient Voices," and has been enhanced each season to represent the season's theme.

**Winner:** In 2006, Richard was found guilty of tax evasion connected with his \$1,000,000 prize and sentenced to 51 months in prison. Because of this, he was unable to participate in seasons such as Survivor: Micronesia, Survivor: Heroes vs. Villains, and Survivor: Redemption Island for which he was considered.

**Ratings:** The Borneo finale received the highest ratings of any Survivor episode to date, with more than 50 million viewers.[

### **Season 1 Summary:**

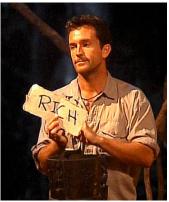
The series premiere began with sixteen people divided into two tribes, Pagong and Tagi. After 18 days of competition, the tribes found themselves alternating visits to Tribal Council. On Tagi, Richard Hatch formed a voting alliance with Rudy Boesch, Kelly Wiglesworth, and Sue Hawk.

By Day 20, the ten remaining castaways were merged into one tribe - Rattana, and began competing as individuals. Richard's alliance took control, eliminating the remaining pagong members and Sean Kenniff, the only Tagi member who was not a member of the alliance. As the group of four neared victory, Richard, Sue, and Rudy saw Kelly as trying to look more favorable in front of the jury, which seats were filled by mostly former Pagong members. However, Kelly dominated in the Immunity Challenges, denying the three of any chance to vote her off.

On Day 37, Richard and Sue received two votes each, forcing a revote. As Kelly and Rudy voted again, Kelly switched her vote from Richard to Sue, and Sue became the sixth member of the jury. At the Final Immunity Challenge on Day 38, Richard voluntarily stepped out of the challenge on the assumption that whoever was to win would take him to the Final Tribal Council. After Kelly won immunity yet again, Richard's assumptions were proven correct when she voted Rudy to be the seventh and final member of the jury.

At the Final Tribal Council, Kelly was accused of being two-faced and manipulative, while Richard was barbed for his perceived arrogance and duplicitous gameplay for establishing an alliance. But with four votes to three, Richard Hatch's strategy won him the very first Sole Survivor title.

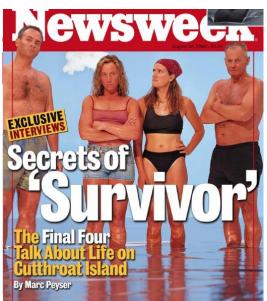


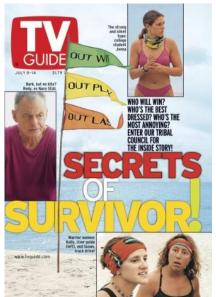














































# **Season 2: The Australian Outback**



Season No.:	2
	Herbert River, Goshen
Filming Location:	Station, Queensland,
	Australia
Filming Dates:	October 23, 2000 - De-
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Season Run:	January 28, 2001 - May
Season Run:	3, 2001
No. of Episodes:	16
No. of Days:	42
No. of Castaways:	16
Winner:	Tina Wessor
Runner(s)-Up:	Colby Donaldson
1	Kucha
Tribes:	Ogakor
10	Barramundi



	Contestant		Tribe Affiliation		Votes
	Contestant	Original Tribe	Merged Tribe	Finish	Against
1	<b>Debb Eaton</b> 45, Milan, NH Corrections Officer	Kucha		1st Voted Out Day 3	7
1	Kel Gleason 32, Fort Hood, TX Army Intelligence Officer	Ogakor		2nd Voted Out Day 6	7
	Maralyn Hershey 51, Wakefield, VA Retired Police Officer	Ogakor		3rd Voted Out Day 9	5
	Mitchell Olson 23, Union City, NJ Singer/Songwriter	Ogakor		4th Voted Out Day 12	6

	Contestant	Tribe Af	filiation	Filit	Votes	
	Contestant	Original Tribe	Merged Tribe	Finish	Against	
	Kimmi Kappenberg 27, Ronkonkoma, NY Bartender	Kucha		5th Voted Out Day 15	6	
9	Michael Skupin 38, White Lake, MI Software Company President	Kucha		Evacuated Day 17	0	
	Jeff Varner 34, New York City, NY Internet Projects Manager	Kucha		6th Voted Out Day 21	11	
1	Alicia Calaway 32, New York City, NY Personal Trainer	Kucha		7th Voted Out 1st Jury Member Day 24	5	
9	<b>Jerri Manthey</b> 30, Los Angeles, CA Aspiring Actress	Ogakor		8th Voted Out 2nd Jury Member Day 27	12	
	Nick Brown 23, Steilacoom, WA Harvard Law Student	Kucha		9th Voted Out 3rd Jury Member Day 30	4	
E	Amber Brkich 22, Beaver, PA Administrative Assistant	Ogakor	Barramundi	10th Voted Out 4th Jury Member Day 33	6	
9	Rodger Bingham 53, Crittenden, KY Teacher/Farmer	Kucha	ballamunui	11th Voted Out 5th Jury Member Day 36	5	
9	Elisabeth Filarski 23, Newton, MA Footwear Designer	Kucha		12th Voted Out 6th Jury Member Day 39	5	
	Keith Famie 40, West Bloomfield, MI Chef	Ogakor		13th Voted Out 7th Jury Member Day 41	10	
9	Colby Donaldson 26, Dallas, TX Auto Customizer	Ogakor		Runner-Up	9	
	<b>Tina Wesson</b> 39, Knoxville, TN Personal Nurse	Ogakor		Sole Survivor	0	

**Longer Game:** The game lasted 42 days, three days longer than the previous season. After this season, the game reverted to the standard 39 day format.

**Tiebreaker:** In an event of a tie vote, a re-vote will take place. If a stalemate occurs, the votes cast against the players in question from previous Tribal Councils will be taken into account. The castaway who has more votes will be eliminated from the game.

**Finale:** This is the first season to feature a live finale, as opposed to the previous season, which had the winner revealed on set. Each season thereafter followed this format.

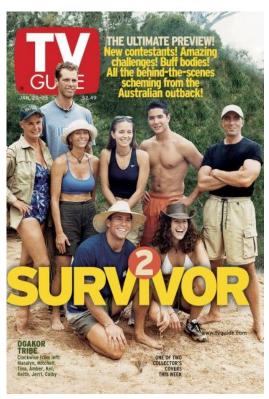
**Medical Evacuation:** This season saw the first time a contestant was medically evacuated, when Michael Skupin fell into a fire and burned his hands.

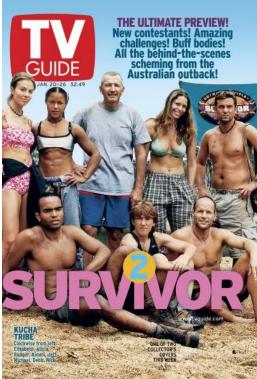
## **Season 2 Summary:**

The sixteen castaways were divided into two tribes, Kucha ("kangaroo") and Ogakor ("crocodile"). While Ogakor began the game strong, Kucha quickly decimated them to five members. Ogakor broke their losing streak by winning the Day 15 Immunity Challenge, sending Kucha back to Tribal Council; and after a medical evacuation, Kucha lost their third member, forcing the tribes to merge both with five members each. The tribe named themselves Barramundi.

The 5-5 stalemate caused the tribes to be deadlocked the first time they went to Tribal Council, but Jeff Varner from Kucha had past votes, bounding the former Kuchas to extinction. Three of the five ex-Ogakors, Colby Donaldson, Keith Famie, and Tina Wesson, however, stayed a strong group and voted off the remaining Kuchas, while also removing two of their own, Jerri Manthey and Amber Brkich. As the game progressed further, the Barramundi tribe suffered harsh weather conditions, and with a depleted food supply, they were forced to barter their creature comforts for a tin of rice. The alliance of Colby, Keith and Tina stood strong and went onto the Final Three. Colby won the Final Immunity Challenge and took Tina to the end, with Keith completing the jury.

At the Final Tribal Council, the jury was torn between Colby's challenge prowess and Tina's quiet control over the Ogakor alliance. In the end, with four votes to three, Tina's strategy won her the title of Sole Survivor.

















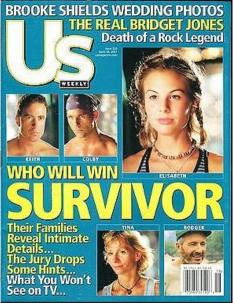




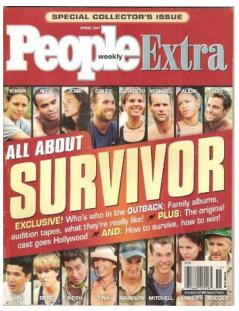




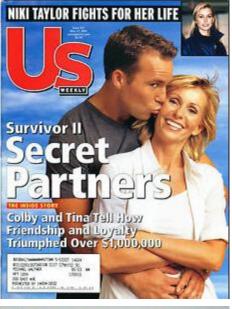


















## Season 3: Africa







Contestant		Tribe Affiliation			Finish	Votes
	Contestant	Original Tribe	Switched Tribe	Merged Tribe	rinish	Against
	Diane Ogden 42, Lincoln, NE Mail Carrier	Boran			1st Voted Out Day 3	6
	Jessie Camacho 27, Orlando, FL Sheriff	Boran			2nd Voted Out Day 6	5
	Carl Bilancione 46, Winter Springs, FL Dentist	Samburu			3rd Voted Out Day 9	7
	Linda Spencer 44, Boston, MA Career Counselor	Samburu			4th Voted Out Day 12	4

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(	Contestant	Original Tribe	Switched Tribe	Merged Tribe	Finish	Against
	Silas Gaither 23, Los Angeles, CA Bartender	Samburu	Boran		5th Voted Out Day 15	8
	Lindsey Richter 26, Portland, OR Advertising Executive	Samburu	Samburu		6th Voted Out Day 18	12
	Clarence Black 24, Detroit, MI Basketball Coach	Boran	Boran		7th Voted Out Day 21	12
	Kelly Goldsmith 22, San Diego, CA Behavior Analyst	Boran	Samburu		8th Voted Out 1st Jury Member Day 24	5
	<b>Brandon Quinton</b> 25, Dallas, TX Bartender	Samburu	Samburu		9th Voted Out 2nd Jury Member Day 27	6
	Frank Garrison 43, Odessa, NY Telephone Technician	Samburu	Boran		10th Voted Out 3rd Jury Member Day 30	9
	Kim Powers 29, Conshohocken, PA Freelance Marketer	Samburu	Samburu		11th Voted Out 4th Jury Member Day 33	4
	Teresa Cooper 42, Jackson, GA Flight Attendant	Samburu	Boran	Moto Maji	12th Voted Out 5th Jury Member Day 36	4
	Tom Buchanan 45, Rich Valley, VA Goat Farmer	Boran	Samburu		13th Voted Out 6th Jury Member Day 37	9
	Lex van den Berghe 38, Santa Cruz, CA Marketing Manager	Boran	Samburu		14th Voted Out 7th Jury Member Day 38	10
0	<b>Kim Johnson</b> 56, Oyster Bay, NY Retired Teacher	Boran	Boran		Runner-Up	1
0	Ethan Zohn 27, New York City, NY Professional Soccer Player	Boran	Boran		Sole Survivor	0

**Tribe Switch:** For the first time in the history of the series, tribe members switched tribes during the tribal phase.

**Tiebreaker:** This is the only season to use the trivia quiz tiebreaker.

**Finale:** During the finale, after host Jeff Probst collected the final votes, the producers made it appear as if he returned to the original Tribal Council site to read them. After he read them and announced Ethan Zohn as the winner, it was revealed that the votes were actually read live on the CBS sound stage made to look like the site. This would be repeated two seasons later in Thailand.

#### **Season 3 Summary:**

Sixteen new castaways were marooned on the outskirts of the Shaba National Reserve, Kenya, Africa. The group was divided into two tribes named after two real-life Kenyan tribes, Samburu and Boran. During the first six days, Samburu dominated in challenges, while the depleted Boran lost two members. Despite their early winning streak, Samburu was divided into two existing voting alliances defined by age: the younger members and the older members. The younger Samburus gained power after a tiebreaker during their first Tribal Council.

On Day 13, host Jeff Probst announced that they would be switching tribes. When the new Boran lost the Immunity Challenge, the older ex-Samburu members voted out Silas Gaither. The new Samburu tribe lost the final pre-merge Immunity Challenge, and sent Silas' ally Lindsey home.

On Day 19, the two tribes merged to form the Moto Maji tribe. The former Samburu members entered into the merge in a precarious position being down 4 members to Boran's 6. However, Teresa Cooper hatched a plan to turn the former Boran members against each other by voting against Lex van den Berghe at Tribal Council. Angered by this mystery vote, Lex swore to track down whoever had cast the vote against him and promptly vote them out. He mistakenly suspected Kelly Goldsmith of treachery and swayed his alliance of Ethan Zohn, Kim Johnson, and Tom Buchanan to vote against her. In order to save herself, Kelly sided with the former Samburu members and voted against Lex, but Lex managed to convince Brandon Quinton to also vote against Kelly, thus eliminating her. Brandon's actions made both his old and new allies, minus Lex, lose trust in him, and the six other people banded together to vote him out. However, this put the former Samburu members in jeopardy, as they were subsequently picked off one-by-one by the original Borans.

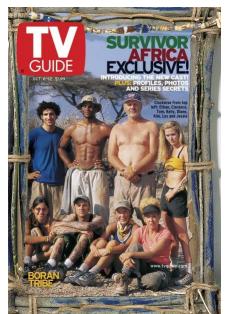
Kim J. shocked everyone by winning the final two Immunity Challenges, causing the men to have to turn on each other. Tom, who had been conspiring to have others vote out Lex earlier, was voted out unanimously. At the final three Tribal Council, Kim J. voted out Lex and brought Ethan with her to the Final Two.

At the Final Tribal Council, Kim J. was met with mixed criticism from the jury. She was praised by the jury for lasting all 39 days, in spite of her age. However, she was perceived as riding the coattails of Ethan, Lex, and Tom for the entirety of the game. The jury voted 5-2 for Ethan to win due to his more active strategy and congenial personality and he was named the third Sole Survivor.













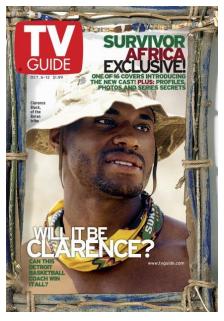


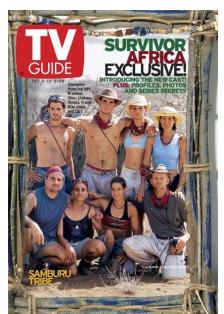


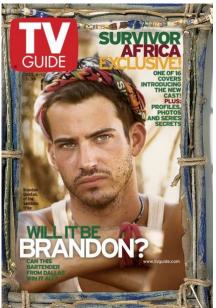












































# Season 4: Marquesas







	Contestant		Tribe Affiliation		Finink	Votes
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(ES)	Peter Harkey 44, Millis, MA Bowling Alley Owner	Maraamu			1st Voted Out Day 3	5
	Patricia Jackson 49, Lugoff, SC Truck Assembler	Maraamu			2nd Voted Out Day 6	5
1	Hunter Ellis 33, La Jolla, CA Ex-Navy Fighter Pilot	Maraamu			3rd Voted Out Day 9	4
8	Sarah Jones 24, Newport Beach, CA Account Manager	Maraamu	Maraamu		4th Voted Out Day 12	11

			Tribe Affiliation			Votes
(	Contestant	Original Tribe	Switched Tribe	Merged Tribe	Finish	Against
3	Gabriel Cade 23, Los Angeles, CA Bartender	Rotu	Rotu		5th Voted Out Day 15	7
	Gina Crews 28, Gainesville, FL Nature Guide	Maraamu	Maraamu		6th Voted Out Day 18	3
3	Rob Mariano 25, Canton, MA Construction Worker	Maraamu	Rotu		7th Voted Out Day 21	8
3	John Carroll 36, Omaha, NE Nurse	Rotu	Rotu		8th Voted Out 1st Jury Member Day 24	8
	Zoe Zanidakis 35, Monhegan Island, ME Fishing Boat Captain	Rotu	Rotu		9th Voted Out 2nd Jury Member Day 27	8
	Tammy Leitner 29, Mesa, AZ Crime Reporter	Rotu	Rotu		10th Voted Out 3rd Jury Member Day 30	5
6	Robert DeCanio 38, College Point, NY Limousine Driver	Rotu	Rotu	Soliantu	11th Voted Out 4th Jury Member Day 33	6
	Sean Rector 30, Los Angeles, CA Teacher	Maraamu	Rotu	Solialitu	12th Voted Out 5th Jury Member Day 36	7
	Paschal English 56, Thomaston, GA Judge	Rotu	Maraamu		Eliminated 6th Jury Member Day 37	0
	Kathy Vavrick-O'Brien 47, Burlington, VT Real Estate Agent	Rotu	Maraamu		13th Voted Out 7th Jury Member Day 38	5
	Neleh Dennis 21, Layton, UT Student	Rotu	Maraamu		Runner-Up	4
	Vecepia Towery 36, Hayward, CA Office Manager	Maraamu	Rotu		Sole Survivor	2

**Location:** Originally, Jordan was supposed to be the location of the fourth season. Mark Burnett wrote in his autobiography "Jump In" that the Survivor team were in pre-production of Survivor: Arabia - the outline for the opening involved the Survivors boarding a train, then riding on camels to their campsites. Eventually, as a result of the September 11 attacks and the political situation in the Middle East, CBS was forced to use another place for the show. The Marquesas Islands were chosen as the backup location.

**Location:** Jeff Probst has stated that Survivor will never use the Marquesas as a location again, solely because of the painful bites from the native no-no sandflies.

**Meager Supplies:** For the first time, the castaways were not given any food rations (such as a limited supply of rice or canned goods). Both tribes' supply crates were drastically reduced to only a magnifying glass, three pans, a filet knife, and two water containers but no food items whatsoever.

**Tribe Switch:** Similar to the previous season, three contestants from both tribes are transferred to their rival tribe.

**Immunity Necklace:** Starting with this season, the winner of the Immunity Challenge reserves the right to transfer the Immunity Necklace to another player, keeping the recipient safe instead and leaving the original wearer vulnerable.

**Purple Rock Tiebreaker:** In case of a deadlocked tie and there is no consensus as to how the vote will go, everyone, including people who did not receive votes except the owner of the Immunity Necklace, will pick a rock from a bag. Inside the bag there is one purple rock, and the contestant who gets it will be automatically eliminated from the game.

**Loved Ones:** For the first time, the loved ones of castaways were on location during the loved ones Reward Challenge (in Survivor: Borneo and Survivor: The Australian Outbackn only the Reward Challenge winner's loved one visited the castaways).

**Buffs:** This was the final season to feature the Reebok logo on the tribe's buffs.

#### **Season 4 Summary:**

The two tribes, Rotu and Maraamu, as in previous seasons, were assembled before the game. From the beginning, Rotu prospered as a unified, hard-working tribe, while the Maraamu tribe quickly became divided between the leaders and the workers. These differences heavily reflected on the first Immunity Challenges, as Maraamu lost five in a row. These losses sent Maraamu to Tribal Council on three consecutive occasions. There, the alliance made between Rob Mariano, Sarah Jones, Sean Rector, and Vecepia Towery soon took action eliminating their rivals.

On Day 10, a random tribe switch occurred. With her entire alliance taken away to Rotu, Sarah was on the outs and voted out after Maraamu's fourth immunity loss. After Sarah's elimination, the new Maraamu tribe, now a paltry tribe of four, went on to win three consecutive challenges. Maraamu came together. On Rotu, an alliance of four led by John Carroll formed.

Before the two tribes merged on Day 19, Rob and Kathy Vavrick-O'Brien were sent to a meeting in which they had to decide on a name, flag, and location for their new tribe. came up with Soliantu - a word, that is supposed to mean "Sacred Allegiance to the Sun". During the meeting, Rob convinced Kathy that the Rotu tribe intended to vote her out first, and she decided her only option was to prevail in the first individual Immunity Challenge. With this, Kathy persevered and won, resulting in her receiving the individual Immunity Necklace. The newly merged tribe then eliminated Rob due to him being a great threat and causing a great deal of stress in the camp. After Rob's elimination, the Rotu alliance became arrogant and careless. They ganged up against the other five castaways in the next Immunity Challenge, showing them the exact order in which they will be sent home. With their fates seemingly obvious, the remaining five decided to act while they still had the numbers advantage, and at the evening's Tribal Council, John was blindsided. Outnumbered by Kathy's new alliance, the remaining members of the Rotu Four were subsequently eliminated. With the Rotu Four gone and in the jury,

the final five resumed their previous factions: Paschal English, and Neleh Dennis against Sean and Vecepia, each pair vying for Kathy's vote. After a heated discussion in Tribal Council, Kathy sided with Paschal and Neleh and voted out Sean.

Vecepia, the odd-person out in the alliance, went on to win the next Immunity Challenge; and at Tribal Council, Kathy publicly approached Vecepia to form a voting bloc to take them both to the final two as she knew Paschal and Neleh will never turn on each other. Vecepia agreed to the deal, and they both voted for Neleh, resulting in a tie between her and Kathy. With the vote being deadlocked, a draw of rocks would decide who will go next. Oddly, Paschal, the only other person than Vecepia who didn't have votes, drew the purple rock and was eliminated. When Kathy dropped out at the Final Immunity Challenge, Vecepia went back on her word and offered Neleh to step down if she took her to the final. Neleh agreed, and Kathy became the final member of the jury.

At the Final Tribal Council, Neleh and Vecepia were met with a bitter jury as they were grilled for hiding behind religion to use a form of guilt-free deception. Neleh was castigated by the former Rotu Four alliance for initially accepting she would have been contented by reaching the jury phase, only to turn on her word while Vecepia was chastised for constantly shifting from alliance to alliance and was met with heavy disdain for betraying Kathy after publicly aligning with her. Ultimately, it was Vecepia who was crowned Sole Survivor after a close 4-3 vote, and became the first African-American victor.



















# **Season 5: Thailand**



Season No.:	5
Filming Location:	Ko Tarutao, Satun Prov- ince, Thailand
Filming Dates:	June 10, 2002 - July 18, 2002
Season Run:	September 19, 2002 - December 19, 2002
No. of Episodes:	15
No. of Days:	39
No. of Castaways:	<b>D</b> 10
Winner:	Brian Heidik
Runner(s)-Up:	Clay Jordan
Tribes:	Chuay Gahn Sook Jai Chuay Jai



	Contestant	Tribe Af	filiation	Finish	Votes
	Contestant	Original Tribe	Merged Tribe	FIIIISII	Against
6	John Raymond 40, Slidell, LA Pastor	Chuay Gahn		1st Voted Out Day 3	6
	Tanya Vance 27, Gray, TN Social Worker	Chuay Gahn		2nd Voted Out Day 6	5
	<b>Jed Hildebrand</b> 25, Dallas, TX Dental Student	Sook Jai		3rd Voted Out Day 9	5
	Ghandia Johnson 33, Denver, CO Legal Secretary	Chuay Gahn		4th Voted Out Day 12	5

	Control	Tribe Affiliation		Finish	Votes
	Contestant	Original Tribe	Merged Tribe	rinisn	Against
3	<b>Stephanie Dill</b> 29, Ozark, AR Firefighter	Sook Jai		5th Voted Out Day 15	5
	Robb Zbacnik 23, Scottsdale, AZ Bartender	Sook Jai		6th Voted Out Day 18	5
	Shii Ann Huang 28, New York City, NY Executive Recruiter	Sook Jai		7th Voted Out Day 21	10
8	Erin Collins 26, Austin, TX Real Estate Agent	Sook Jai		8th Voted Out 1st Jury Member Day 24	3
(8)	Ken Stafford 30, Brooklyn, NY Police Officer	Sook Jai		9th Voted Out 2nd Jury Member Day 27	6
	Penny Ramsey 27, Plano, TX Pharmaceutical Saleswoman	Sook Jai		10th Voted Out 3rd Jury Member Day 30	5
8	Jake Billingsley 60, McKinney, TX Land Broker	Sook Jai		11th Voted Out 4th Jury Member Day 33	7
	<b>Ted Rogers, Jr.</b> 37, Durham, NC Software Developer	Chuay Gahn	Chuay Jai	12th Voted Out 5th Jury Member Day 36	7
	Helen Glover 47, Middletown, RI Navy Swim Instructor	Chuay Gahn	Onuby var	13th Voted Out 6th Jury Member Day 37	5
	<b>Jan Gentry</b> 53, Tampa, FL Teacher	Chuay Gahn		14th Voted Out 7th Jury Member Day 38	5
	Clay Jordan 48, Monroe, LA Restaurant Owner	Chuay Gahn		Runner-Up	3
	Brian Heidik 34, Quartz Hill, CA Used Car Salesman	Chuay Gahn		Sole Survivor	0

**Tribes Chosen by Oldest Contestants:** Unlike the previous four editions where the producers preselected the contestants' tribe affiliations, this season had the contestants choose their own tribemates. The fact that elders are given utmost respect in Thailand was incorporated into the game by allowing the eldest male contestant, Jake Billingsley, and the eldest female contestant, Jan Gentry, to divide the rest of the group into two tribes.

**Camp with Advantages and Disadvantages:** Similar to the previous season, the tribes had camps with pros and cons. Camp Chuay Gahn is virtually a cave, thus making shelter a non-issue, though its water source was on the other side of the island. Sook Jai's camp has a nearby water hole, though they had to make their own shelter.

**Mutiny:** On Day 14, the castaways were invited to change tribe affiliations at will.

**Pre-merge Survivor Auction:** For the first (and so far only) time in the history of the series the Survivor Auction was held during the game's tribal phase. The auction itself was a bidding competition between the two tribes and not between individuals.

**Fake Merge and Delayed Merge:** On Day 19, the Sook Jai tribe was instructed to move to Chuay Gahn's old camp. This created a situation where the two tribes lived at the same camp without being merged (as they were soon to find out). The actual merger took place six days later when eight players remained, on Day 25. (This concept would later be used as the central twist in Survivor: One World.)

**Tribal Council:** This season marks the first time that Jeff Probst could not determine against whom a vote was cast. In the episode "Gender Bender", Clay cast a vote for Ghandia that read "Bye Bye Denver Diva". Probst actually had to ask whoever cast the vote to explain what it meant and whom it was intended for.

**Jury:** This is the first season to have the jury phase begin before the merge.

**Loved Ones:** This season marks the first time that the castaway's loved ones were able to compete alongside them in an Immunity Challenge.

**LGBT:** This is the first season not to include any LGBT contestants.

**Tie Vote:** This is the first season to not feature a tie vote of any kind.

#### **Season 5 Summary:**

The game began with the contestants being brought to the island in two boats, one for each gender. This led the contestants to assume that the tribes would be divided by gender. However, this theory was proved wrong when Jake Billingsley and Jan Gentry, the eldest male and female contestants, were given the opportunity to select their own tribemates (as Thai culture stated that elders received utmost respect) - a first in the series. Ultimately, Jan's picks were mostly older, weaker contestants (much to the ire of her teammates), and this left Jake to pick the younger, more athletic players. Jake and Jan were then asked to choose one of two campsites for their tribe dwellings, with contrasting advantages and disadvantages. Jan's pick was a campsite with a cave (eliminating the need of creating a shelter) but a campsite with the difficulty to find its water source, while Jake chose the other camp, a beach that has a nearby water source, but difficult to build a shelter.

After six days of competition, the younger (albeit turmoil-stricken) Sook Jai tribe dominated the elderly Chuay Gahn tribe in challenges, with Chuay Gahn's members immediately decimated to six. Chuay Gahn's fortunes turned around after the first losses, and they went on to win the next Reward Challenge and then the Immunity Challenge, thus temporarily sending Sook Jai to Tribal Council. The lack of shelter at Sook Jai proved to be a source of tension in the tribe, as the

tribe members quickly became divided between those who worked on building the shelter and those who gathered water and food.

Despite their newly-found vigor, Chuay Gahn also had their share of mishaps, when Ghandia Johnson accused Ted Rogers, Jr. of having sexual advances with her, which the latter denied. This argument threatened the unity within the tribe, and as a result they lost another Immunity Challenge. Ghandia tried to make an all-female voting alliance with Jan and Helen Glover, but Helen sided with the men to get rid of Ghandia. After Ghandia's elimination, Chuay Gahn finally pulled it together. They managed to win the next two Immunity Challenges.

On Day 19, a twist in the game sent Sook Jai to live together with the Chuay Gahns at their camp, making everybody believe that a merge had occurred. With this, Sook Jai member Shii Ann Huang, who deemed herself as the lowest-ranking person in her alliance, made a voting bloc alliance with the Chuay Gahn members to ensure her safety. However, in a shocking announcement at the seventh Immunity Challenge, Jeff Probst revealed that the tribes weren't merging yet, they were just living together on one beach. With Sook Jai suffering two Immunity losses in a row, Shii Ann and Erin Collins paid the price, dwindling the once strong Sook Jai tribe to a paltry three members against Chuay Gahn's five.

On Day 25, the two tribes finally merged into the Chuay Jai tribe, but the deficit Sook Jai faced entering the merge overwhelmed them, and they were systematically eliminated. With only Chuay Gahn members left, the remaining survivors were faced with the reality of having to vote one of their own out. Helen and Ted quickly targeted Clay Jordan for his lack of work ethic. However, Brian Heidik, who had made separate alliances with three of the four other people, used his influence to manipulate the vote to his liking. At the next three Tribal Councils, Brian swerved the vote in the direction of Ted, whom he perceived as the biggest physical threat, then Helen, for catching her playing both sides and, finally, Jan, for being well-liked and not being as close to Brian as Clay was.

At the Final Tribal Council, Brian was castigated for breaking friendships to further his interests, while Clay was admonished for his racist remarks and his poor work ethic. Eventually, Brian's athleticism and superb strategy awarded him the title of Sole Survivor by a vote of 4-3.









# **Season 6: The Amazon**







Contestant		Tribe Affiliation		Finish	Votes
Contestant	Original Tribe	Switched Tribe	Merged Tribe	rinish	Against
Ryan Aiken 23, Ellicott City, MD Model	Tambaqui			1st Voted Out Day 3	4
Janet Koth 48, Manchester, MO Homemaker	Jaburu			2nd Voted Out Day 6	5
Daniel Lue 28, Houston, TX Tax Accountant	Tambaqui			3rd Voted Out Day 9	7
JoAnna Ward 31, Orangeburg, SC Guidance Counselor	Jaburu			4th Voted Out Day 12	4

			Tribe Affiliation			Votes
	Contestant	Original Tribe	Switched Tribe	Merged Tribe	Finish	Against
	Jeanne Hebert 40, North Attleboro, MA Marketing Director	Jaburu	Tambaqui		5th Voted Out Day 15	5
	Shawna Mitchell 23, Los Angeles, CA Retail Saleswoman	Jaburu	Jaburu		6th Voted Out Day 18	6
	Roger Sexton 58, Valencia, CA Construction Company VP	Tambaqui	Tambaqui		7th Voted Out Day 21	11
6	Dave Johnson 23, Pasadena, CA Rocket Scientist	Tambaqui	Tambaqui		8th Voted Out 1st Jury Member Day 24	8
	Deena Bennett 35, Riverside, CA Deputy District Attorney	Jaburu	Jaburu		9th Voted Out 2nd Jury Member Day 27	6
S.	Alex Bell 32, Los Angeles, CA Triathlon Coach	Tambaqui	Jaburu		10th Voted Out 3rd Jury Member Day 30	6
	Christy Smith 24, Basalt, CO Children's Adventure Guide	Jaburu	Tambaqui	Jacaré	11th Voted Out 4th Jury Member Day 33	9
	Heidi Strobel 24, Jefferson City, MO Gym Teacher	Jaburu	Tambaqui	unici C	12th Voted Out 5th Jury Member Day 36	3
	Butch Lockley 50, Olney, IL School Principal	Tambaqui	Tambaqui		13th Voted Out 6th Jury Member Day 37	5
	Rob Cesternino 24, Wantagh, NY Computer Projects Coordinator	Tambaqui	Jaburu		14th Voted Out 7th Jury Member Day 38	4
9	Matthew von Ertfelda 33, Washington, D.C. Restaurant Designer	Tambaqui	Jaburu		Runner-Up	6
9	Jenna Morasca 21, Bridgeville, PA Swimsuit Model	Jaburu	Jaburu		Sole Survivor	3

**Disability:** The season is noted for having the first reality show contestant with a disability, the hearing impaired Christy Smith.

**Battle of the Sexes:** The castaways are divided into tribes based on gender. This is regarded as the first season with a particular theme, ultimately changing the mechanics of Survivor in the long run.

**Tribe Switch:** After 13 days of gender wars, three members from both tribes were sent to the other tribe, creating mixed tribes.

**Immunity:** For the first time, a contestant gave up an Immunity Necklace and gave it to another contestant.

LGBT: This season had no LGBT contestants.

### **Season 6 Summary:**

The season began with the contestants divided into tribes split by gender for the first time. The men's tribe, Tambaqui, wearing blue, was quick to get their camp life squared away, building shelter, and alliances were quickly formed. The women's tribe, Jaburu, wearing yellow, experienced quarreling within their tribe, and spent almost the entire first week without a shelter. On Tambaqui, an alliance of four was formed, led by Roger Sexton. However, Rob Cesternino quickly emerged as an arbiter between Roger's alliance and the outliers of the tribe, solidifying allegiances with both. On Jaburu, the younger women took control the voting on Jaburu.

On Day 13, Dave Johnson and Jenna Morasca traveled to an isolated location to act as tribal ambassadors. Jenna gave Dave crucial information about Jaburu, giving Dave an advantage when, the next day, they were forced to choose new tribes, equally distributing the men and the women. At the new Tambaqui, Heidi Strobel decided to align with the men. At Jaburu, Deena and Rob created an alliance and when the merge occurred, they aligned with Alex Bell, Matthew von Ertfelda, and the rest of the women. Deena and Rob's new alliance controlled the first two votes.

Convinced she had control over the game, Deena decided to vote out Alex for being a social and physical threat. The women quickly informed Alex of Deena's betrayal and he was able to convince Heidi, Jenna and the men to eliminate Deena at the next Tribal Council. With Deena gone, Alex was convinced he was solid in an alliance of four with Jenna, Heidi, and Rob. However, he revealed to Rob that his plan was to vote him out at the final four to avoid a tie with Heidi and Jenna. Rob used this information to form a counter-alliance with Matthew, Butch Lockley, and Christy Smith, where they voted out Alex. With three men and three women remaining, Christy became the swing vote but was voted out after failing to commit to either side. The next Tribal Council, the men stuck together and voted out Heidi, perceived to be the more physical of the two women left.

At the Final Four, Jenna, the final woman remaining, won immunity, forcing the men to prematurely turn on themselves. Faced with either avenging Alex and Heidi by voting out Rob or getting rid of an undeserving Butch, she ultimately sided with Matthew and Rob to vote out Butch. Jenna continued her winning streak and won immunity again, giving her the sole vote at the next Tribal Council. She ultimately voted out Rob due to his strong strategic gameplay.

Facing the jury, Matthew was praised for his survival skills and work ethic, but he was criticized for hypocrisy and lack of strategic gameplay for the majority of the game. On the other hand, Jenna was criticized for her lack of work ethic and even wanting to quit a few days earlier. However, as a result of having better relationships with people on the jury, and being seen as playing the game more strategically from the beginning, Jenna was voted to become the Sole Survivor in a vote of 6-1.

























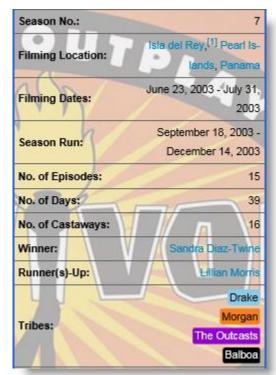






## **Season 7: Pearl Islands**







Contestant		Tribe Af		Finish	Votes	
Contestant	Original Tribe	Outcast Twist	Post-Outcast	Merged Tribe	FIIIISII	Against
Nicole Delma 24, Hermosa Beach, CA Massage Therapist	Morgan				1st Voted Out Day 3	7
Ryan Shoulders 23, Clarksville, TN Produce Clerk	Morgan	The Outcasts			2nd Voted Out Day 6	6
Michelle Tesauro 22, Washington, D.C. Student	Drake	The Outlasts			5th Voted Out Day 15	6

	Contestant		Tribe Af	filiation		Finish	Votes
	Contestant	Original Tribe	Outcast Twist	Post-Outcast	Merged Tribe	FIIIISII	Against
(a)	Trish Dunn 42, Annapolis, MD Sales Executive	Drake				6th Voted Out Day 18	4
	Shawn Cohen 28, Los Angeles, CA Advertising Salesman	Drake	Drake			7th Voted Out Day 19	5
	Osten Taylor 27, Boston, MA Equity Trade Manager	Morgan	Morgan			Quit Day 19	2
E .	Andrew Savage 39, Chicago, IL Attorney	Morgan	Morgan	Morgan		8th Voted Out Day 21	6
	Ryan Opray 30, Los Gatos, CA Electrician	Morgan	Morgan	Morgan		9th Voted Out 1st Jury Member Day 24	8
	Rupert Boneham 39, Indianapolis, IN Troubled Teens Mentor	Drake	Drake	Drake		10th Voted Out 2nd Jury Member Day 27	7
	<b>Tijuana Bradley</b> 26, St. Louis, MO Pharmaceutical Saleswoman	Morgan	Morgan	Morgan		11th Voted Out 3rd Jury Member Day 30	5
	Christa Hastie 24, Los Angeles, CA Computer Programmer	Drake	Drake	Drake		12th Voted Out 4th Jury Member Day 33	7
	Burton Roberts 31, San Francisco, CA Marketing Executive	Drake	The Outcasts	Drake	Balboa	4th Voted Out Day 12  13th Voted Out 5th Jury Member Day 36	10
	Darrah Johnson 22, Liberty, MS Mortician	Morgan	Morgan	Morgan		14th Voted Out 6th Jury Member Day 37	6
0	Jon Dalton 29, Los Angeles, CA Art Consultant	Drake	Drake	Drake		15th Voted Out 7th Jury Member Day 38	7

Contestant		Tribe Aff		Finish	Votes	
	Original Tribe Outcast Twist Post-Outcast Merged Trib		Merged Tribe	FIIIISII	Against	
Lillian Morris 51, Loveland, OH	Morgan	The Outcasts	Morgan		3rd Voted Out Day 9	10
Scoutmaster					Runner-Up	
Sandra Diaz-Twine 29, Fort Lewis, WA Office Assistant	Drake	Drake	Drake		Sole Survivor	0

**Unexpected Start:** The contestants were invited to a yacht under the impression they were going to take some publicity pictures to promote the season. Much to their surprise, they were told the game had begun unexpectedly, and that they would start it wearing only the clothes they possessed on their backs (with their luxury items and other personal belongings staying on the boat, besides the shoes that were given to them by Jeff Probst). After being divided into the two tribes, they were sent to a small fishing village with 100 Panamanian Balboas (roughly \$100) to buy their supplies they would need for the next thirty-nine days.

**Looting:** Aside from the actual prize that a tribe gets after winning a Reward Challenge, the Survivor's experienced pirate life by pillaging from the losing tribe's camp. One member of the winning tribe was sent to the other tribe's camp to loot one item of their choice. This twist was not continued once the merge arrived, due to the castaways living on the same beach and being one unified tribe, and was inactive during episode one and episode seven pre-merge.

**Buried Treasure:** As well as looting items from the rival tribe, the tribe that wins a Reward Challenge also gets a third prize: a clue to the whereabouts of a hidden treasure chest buried somewhere on the tribes' respective islands. The clues were cumulative with each one being more useful then the last. There was a maximum of three clues for each tribe. Once discovered, inside the chest were luxury items to make life at camp more enjoyable.

**Distant Camps:** Unlike previous seasons of the series where the two tribes would dwell on the same island (but on opposite sides), the two tribes lived on two entirely different islands, with an equal amount of resources. This went along with the pirate theme for the season as rival groups would not have shared the same island.

**Kidnapping:** The Morgan tribe was given an additional advantage after winning the Day 12 Immunity Challenge. They were told that they could kidnap one member of the opposing Drake tribe until after the next challenge, and that player would skip their tribe's Tribal Council and would compete with them at the next challenge. They selected Rupert who was given the opportunity to stay at their tribe for the remainder of the day to enjoy the reward they won, but he declined.

**Outcast Twist:** On Day 19, the ten remaining castaways faced a third tribe comprised of the first six departed castaways in a 3-way special challenge. If The Outcasts won, both Drake and Morgan would go to separate Tribal Council sessions and would vote one of their own. The Outcasts would vote two of their own back into the game, with the remaining four being eliminated for good. The two returning castaways would be granted immunity at their first visit to Tribal Council. If The Outcasts finished second, only one of them would be voted back in the game, and only the losing tribe would vote somebody out. If The Outcasts lost to both tribes, they would all be eliminated from the game, and Morgan and Drake would merge without voting anybody out.

Jury Competing in a Challenge and Immunity-Free Tribal Council: At the Day 37 Immunity Challenge, while the final four castaways fought for individual immunity, the incomplete jury also joined the challenge as a team. If the jury beat the rest, none of the remaining survivors would have immunity. Having an obvious advantage, the jury beat the final four, and therefore everybody was vulnerable of being voted out that Tribal Council.

**Immunity:** This is the only season where the winner of an individual Immunity Challenge does not wear a necklace. Instead, the winner wears a cutlass in a scabbard on his or her shoulder.

**Quit:** Because Osten Taylor's departure from the show was regarded as less than honorable, his final words were not broadcast during the end credits as they would have had he actually been voted out (nor were they posted on the show's official website at the time). Osten's torch was excluded from the Rites of Passage ritual. It was instead shown lying on the ground at the Tribal Council area, after the final three had finished walking the path.

### **Season 7 Summary:**

The start of the game was announced as a surprise to the contestants, most of whom believed that they were on their way to a photo-shoot. After being told they would begin the game with only the clothes on their back, they were divided into two tribes of eight, Morgan and Drake, and were given some money and sent to a small village to barter and buy supplies for their camps in lieu of being given them as in seasons past. Drake, thanks to Sandra Diaz-Twine's ability to speak Spanish and Rupert Boneham stealing the other tribe's abandoned shoes to barter, was able to acquire better supplies than Morgan, and thus went on an early winning streak, dwindling Morgan to five members.

Despite Drake's winning streak, Burton Roberts conspired to throw an Immunity Challenge to eliminate some of Drake's weaker players. The reluctant Drake tribe threw the challenge, but Burton was voted off for his cunning. This resulted in a major shift: Morgan, led by Andrew Savage, experienced a renewal, and Drake began to splinter due to fighting between de facto leader Rupert and the conniving Jon Dalton. Morgan's newfound momentum led them to win the next two Immunity Challenges, leaving both tribes with five players each.

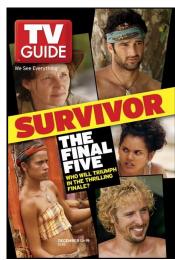
Upon arriving at their next challenge, the tribes were faced with the "Outcast" twist, where the six eliminated players competed against the remaining players for a chance to return to the game. The Outcasts beat both Morgan and Drake in the challenge, forcing them both to go to Tribal Council and resulting in two of The Outcasts returning to the game. Burton and former Morgan castaway Lillian Morris returned to the game, and joined the eight other castaways in forming the merged Balboa tribe. While Burton made up with his former tribe, Lillian's return was resented by the Morgan members. Lillian enacted revenge against her former tribemates, siding with the Drake alliance to eliminate Andrew.

While the Drake alliance had the upper hand, Jon, Burton, and Lillian decided that Rupert, as the strongest member of the Drake alliance, was an immunity threat, and worked with the remaining Morgan members to blindside him from the game. The three navigated between the Drake and Morgan factions to take out members of both sides, until they were the dominant alliance with only five players remaining. Lillian was swayed by Darrah Johnson and Sandra to break up the duo of Jon and Burton, and Burton was voted out for a second time. In another twist, the first five jurors were able to compete for immunity with four players remaining. They subsequently won the competition, and challenge threat Darrah was eliminated.

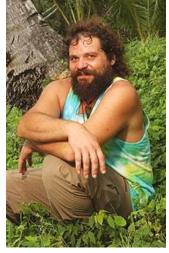
In the Final Immunity Challenge, Lillian beat Jon and Sandra to secure a spot in the Final Tribal Council. Knowing that she would likely lose for having already been voted out of the game, she chose to take Sandra to the end for she felt Sandra deserved the victory more than Jon. The jury ultimately awarded Sandra the title of Sole Survivor by a vote of 6-1.



























## Season 8: All-Stars







	`tt		Tribe Af	ffiliation		Finish	Votes
	Contestant	Original Tribe	Absorbed Tribe	Shuffled Tribe	Merged Tribe	Finish	Against
	Tina Wesson 42, Knoxville, TN The Australian Outback	Saboga				1st Voted Out Day 3	4
	Rudy Boesch 75, Virginia Beach, VA Borneo	Saboga				2nd Voted Out Day 6	3
The state of the s	Jenna Morasca 22, Bridgeville, PA The Amazon	Mogo Mogo				Quit Day 9	0
	Rob Cesternino 25, Plainview, NY The Amazon	Chapera				3rd Voted Out Day 12	5

,	Contestant		Tribe A	ffiliation		Finish	Votes
	Jontestant	Original Tribe	Absorbed Tribe	Shuffled Tribe	Merged Tribe	FIIIISII	Against
	Richard Hatch 42, Middletown, RI Borneo	Mogo Mogo	Mogo Mogo			4th Voted Out Day 15	6
8	Susan Hawk 42, Las Vegas, NV Borneo	Chapera	Chapera			Quit Day 17	0
9	Colby Donaldson 29, Dallas, TX The Australian Outback	Mogo Mogo	Модо Модо			5th Voted Out Day 19	4
	Ethan Zohn 30, New York City, NY <i>Afric</i> a	Saboga	Модо Модо			6th Voted Out Day 21	6
<b>S</b>	Jerri Manthey 33, Los Angeles, CA The Australian Outback	Saboga	Mogo Mogo	Chapera		7th Voted Out Day 24	7
9	Lex van den Berghe 40, Santa Cruz, CA Africa	Модо Модо	Модо Модо	Chapera		8th Voted Out 1st Jury Member Day 27	7
	Kathy Vavrick-O'Brien 49, Burlington, VT Marquesas	Mogo Mogo	Mogo Mogo	Chapera		9th Voted Out 2nd Jury Member Day 28	6
	Alicia Calaway 35, New York City, NY The Australian Outback	Chapera	Chapera	Mogo Mogo		10th Voted Out 3rd Jury Member Day 30	7
	Shii Ann Huang 29, New York City, NY Thailand	Mogo Mogo	Модо Модо	Chapera		11th Voted Out 4th Jury Member Day 33	5
1	Tom Buchanan 48, Rich Valley, VA Africa	Chapera	Chapera	Mogo Mogo	Chaboga Mogo	12th Voted Out 5th Jury Member Day 36	4
	Rupert Boneham 39, Indianapolis, IN Pearl Islands	Saboga	Chapera	Mogo Mogo		13th Voted Out 6th Jury Member Day 37	4
	Jenna Lewis 26, Burbank, CA Borneo	Saboga	Chapera	Модо Модо		14th Voted Out 7th Jury Member Day 38	4

Contestant		Tribe Affiliation				Votes
Contestant	Original Tribe	Absorbed Tribe	Shuffled Tribe	Merged Tribe	Finish	Against
Rob Mariano 27, Canton, MA Marquesas	Chapera	Chapera	Mogo Mogo		Runner-Up	1
Amber Brkich 25, Beaver, PA The Australian Outback	Chapera	Chapera	Chapera		Sole Survivor	6

**Expanded Cast:** For the first time in the series, there are eighteen contestants.

**Three Tribes:** For the first time in the series, the castaways are divided into three tribes of six. To follow this format, the tribal Immunity Idol needed to be split into two parts, to give the two winning tribes immunity.

**Meager Supplies:** For the first time, casataways are only given a pot and machete at the start of the game.

**Tribe Absorption:** On Day 13, the tribe that loses the Reward Challenge would be dissolved, with its remaining members to be absorbed by the other two tribes.

**Kidnapping:** After Chapera won the Day 19 combined Reward/Immunity Challenge, they were given the option to pick one member from Mogo Mogo to join them in their reward. That player would also skip his or her tribe's Tribal Council.

**Tribe Switch:** A tribal switch occurred right before the merge.

**Pre-merge Individual Challenge:** On the Day 25 Reward Challenge, the two still-separate tribes competed in an individual Reward Challenge, where the winner got to pick two people from either tribe to join him or her on the reward.

**Delayed Merge:** A late merge occurred with only nine remaining players.

**Two Immunity Necklaces:** For the first time, there were two Immunity Necklaces available at the first individual Immunity Challenge; one for a man and one for a woman.

**Quit:** This is the first season to have more than one contestant quit: Jenna Morasco, Susan Hawk.

### Season 8 Summary:

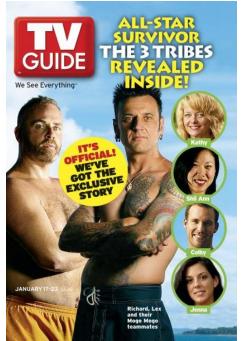
The eighteen returning castaways were divided into three competing tribes: Chapera, Saboga, and Mogo Mogo. Chapera proved to be a powerhouse, coming first in nearly every challenge, while Mogo Mogo routinely came in second. Saboga on the other hand went to dissension due to losing challenges. Jenna Lewis, and Jerri Manthey were set on getting rid of the previous winners, and they managed to successfully eliminate one of the winners at their first Tribal Council. After Saboga's dissolution, Chapera continued to dominate in challenges mainly due to Rob Mariano's leadership. On Chapera, Rob and his closest ally/romantic interest Amber Brkich formed a final four alliance with former Saboga members Jenna and Rupert Boneham, while Mogo Mogo suffered a losing streak due to Lex van den Berghe continually targeting the stronger players.

With ten players remaining, a tribe switch was held where players drew new buffs out of a pot. Each player drew a buff of the opposite tribe color except Amber. This left her in the Chapera name, but with Mogo Mogo members. When Chapera

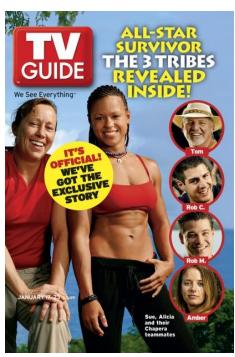
lost the next Immunity Challenge, Rob made a deal with Lex and asked him to save Amber, promising that he will make it up to him later in the game. Lex convinced the rest of Chapera to vote out Jerri instead of Amber. The pre-merge phase was known for the early eliminations of the previous winners, strategic and physical threats, and popular players.

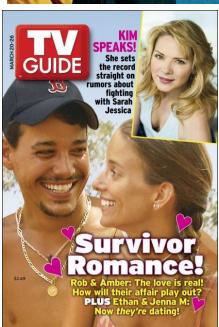
On Day 26, the nine remaining players were merged under the tribe name Chaboga Mogo. Rob's first order of business was to dispose of Lex and his allies. Rob broke his deal with Lex, and Rob along with his allies managed to eliminate Lex and his allies. Rob and Amber honored their deal with Rupert and Jenna by eliminating the other Chapera members. While it appeared that the vote would end in a 2-2 tie at the final 4, Jenna voted out Rupert, thinking she can't beat him in a jury vote, and fearing the infamous rock drawing tiebreaker. Rob won the Final Immunity Challenge, and voted out Jenna, making himself and Amber the Final Two.

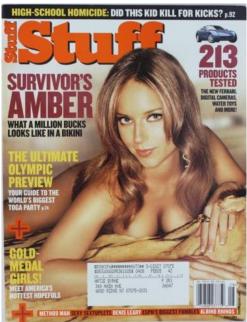
At the Final Tribal Council, most of the jury members expressed their disgust towards Rob for his numerous deceptions, while Amber was castigated for riding Rob's coattails. At the live show, prior to the reading of the votes, Rob surprisingly proposed to Amber, and she agreed to marry him. Eventually, Amber was crowned the All-Star Sole Survivor in a close 4-3 vote.































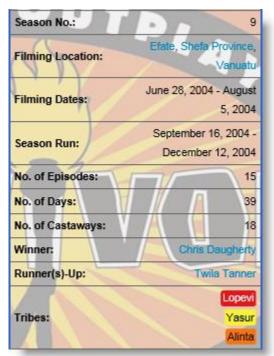






# Season 9: Vanuatu - Islands of Fire







	Contestant		Tribe Affiliation		Finish	Votes
	Contestant	Original Tribe	Switched Tribe	Merged Tribe	rinisn	Against
	Brook Geraghty 27, Winthrop, MA Document Manager	Lopevi			1st Voted Out Day 3	5
	Dolly Neely 25, Mercer, PA Sheep Farmer	Yasur			2nd Voted Out Day 6	5
To the second	<b>John Palyok</b> 31, Los Angeles, CA Sales Manager	Lopevi			3rd Voted Out Day 7	5
	Mia Galeotalanza 29, Boston, MA Bookkeeper	Yasur			4th Voted Out Day 7	5

	Contestant		Tribe Affiliation		Finish	Votes
	Contestant	Original Tribe	Switched Tribe	Merged Tribe	FIIIISII	Against
9	Brady Finta 33, Huntington Beach, CA FBI Agent	Lopevi			5th Voted Out Day 10	6
	Travis Sampson 33, Johnson City, TN Security Officer	Lopevi	Yasur		6th Voted Out Day 12	6
0	Lisa Keiffer 44, Mandeville, LA Real Estate Agent	Yasur	Yasur		7th Voted Out Day 15	4
G C	John Kenney 22, Los Angeles, CA Mechanical Bull Operator/Model	Lopevi	Lopevi		8th Voted Out Day 18	5
	Rory Freeman 35, Des Moines, IA Housing Case Manager	Lopevi	Yasur		9th Voted Out Day 21	14
2	<b>Lea Masters</b> 40, Columbia, SC Drill Sargeant	Lopevi	Lopevi		10th Voted Out 1st Jury Member Day 24	7
B	Chad Crittenden 34, Oakland, CA Teacher	Lopevi	Lopevi		11th Voted Out 2nd Jury Member Day 27	7
2	Leann Slaby 35, Kansasville, WI Equity Research Assistant	Yasur	Yasur		12th Voted Out 3rd Jury Member Day 30	8
13	Ami Cusack 31, Lakewood, CO Coffee Barista	Yasur	Yasur	Alinta	13th Voted Out 4th Jury Member Day 33	8
	Julie Berry 23, Gorham, ME Youth Mentor	Yasur	Lopevi	Alinta	14th Voted Out 5th Jury Member Day 36	4
S.	Eliza Orlins 21, Syracuse, NY Pre-Law Student	Yasur	Yasur		15th Voted Out 6th Jury Member Day 37	9
	Scout Cloud Lee 59, Stillwater, OK Rancher	Yasur	Yasur		16th Voted Out 7th Jury Member Day 38	3

Contestant		Tribe Affiliation	Finish	Votes	
	Original Tribe	Switched Tribe	Merged Tribe	FIIIISII	Against
Twila Tanner 41, Marshall, MO Highway Repair Worker	Yasur	Lopevi		Runner-Up	6
Chris Daugherty 33, South Vienna, OH Highway Construction Worker	Lopevi	Lopevi		Sole Survivor	3

**Expanded Cast:** Following the previous season, this season also featured eighteen castaways.

**Battle of the Sexes:** For the second time, the castaways are divided into tribes based on gender.

**Double Tribal Council:** On one occasion, both tribes go to Tribal Council and vote somebody out, with one player possessing individual immunity won from a challenge and giving immunity to another player on the opposite tribe.

**Tribe Switch:** Two tribe "chiefs" are selected to rearrange the tribes, mixing up the gender-based tribes.

**Disability:** This season featured the first amputee contestant, Chad Crittenden.

**Season Title:** This is the first season to have a subtitle in its name.

**Challenge:** This is the first season to not feature the "Buggin' Out" challenge, in which players are required to eat bugs, brains, blood and other delicacies.

### **Season 9 Summary:**

The players were brought into the game at a native gathering, with the natives dividing the group to men and women. The men were clearly revered at the ceremony, suggesting they would have the advantage in the game. After the ceremony, the men were named the Lopevi tribe, and the women the Yasur tribe, and sent to find their camps in the dark. Lopevi lost the first challenge, mainly due to Chris Daugherty's inability to cross over a balance beam. This seemed like the end of the game for him; however, he succeeded in convincing the older men of the tribe to form an alliance and vote off the younger men, gaining control over the tribe. In Yasur, two factions emerged. An alliance of the younger women and another alliance of the older women led by Ami Cusack, Both groups fought over Dolly Neely's vote. With Dolly refusing to commit to either faction, a concerned Eliza Orlins made a temporary jump to Ami's group to vote Dolly out.

A Tribe Switch occurred on Day 11, mixing the two tribes. At Lopevi, Lea Masters, Chad Crittenden, and Chris decided to invite Twila Tanner into their alliance as a fourth member. Twila and Julie Berry sided with them, and swore allegiance to Lopevi come the merge.

On Day 19, the two tribes merged and took the name Alinta, with the women outnumbering the men, six to four. While the men reformed their alliance, Julie and Twila broke their promise to them. The six women joined forces and eliminated the men until only Chris was left. By this time, Ami's alliance began to crumble, and Ami became a target. Chris, Scout Cloud Lee, and Twila to made an alliance with Eliza and targeted Ami and her remaining allies. The plan worked, as Ami and her allies were systematically voted out. Chris won the last two Immunity Challenges, which allowed him to remain in power. He ultimately took Twila with him to the Final Two.

At the Final Tribal Council, Chris was heavily criticized particularly by Julie and Eliza for breaking promises and abusing relationships, while Twila was confronted for swearing on her sons life and attitude. Chris's ability to stay in the game despite the incredible odds against him convinced the jury to vote for him. He won the title of Sole Survivor by a vote of 5-2.





















