Costa Rica's Top Three Destinations Vacation Program!!

March-01-2019 - March-10-2019 (10 Days, 9 Nights) - 2 Adults

Please find below your custom travel itinerary for your upcoming trip to Costa Rica. This itinerary can be modified anyway you'd like to better suit your needs, interests and budget. If you would like to see more information about your hotels or tours, you will be able to find it on our website CostaRica.org. We want you to be 100% satisfied with your travel itinerary, so please let me know if there are any changes you'd like to make.

03/01/2019
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Met by My Costa Rica Representive - Excursion

A representative from our company will be waiting outside of the airport when you arrive with a sign with your name on it. She will provide you with a welcome package that includes all the information you need for your vacation here in tropical paradise. They will get you to your transportation and your trip in Costa Rica will begin.

03/01/2019 00:00
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Private Transfer from San Jose Airport to San Jose

Enjoy your transportation from Juan Santamaria International Airport to your Hotel.
Stay at Hotel Grano de Oro
Situated on a little street just off Paseo Colón, San José's main thoroughfare, Hotel Grano de Oro is a true oasis, a sanctuary in the heart of the city. Converted from a Tropical Victorian mansion, the 35-room hotel maintains the warmth and comfort of a private home. Restaurante Grano de Oro merges tropical Costa Rican with European cuisine under the expertise of French-trained Chef Francis Canal and is one of the most renowned restaurants in the country. Breakfast is not included.

Private Transfer from San Jose to Arenal via La Paz Waterfall Gardens
Off to La Paz Waterfall Gardens - When you think about Costa Rica, you probably imagine lush tropical rain forest, flowing white rivers, spectacular waterfalls, birds, butterflies, monkeys, sloths, snakes, frogs and jaguars. At La Paz Waterfall Gardens, you are guaranteed to see all that and more. With over 3.5 kilometers of walking trails and 10 animal exhibits to enjoy, we recommend a minimum of 2 hours for your visit. However, if you would like to see every trail and thoroughly enjoy the time spent in the Butterfly Observatory, Hummingbird Garden, serpentarium, Frog Exhibit, Tica House, Trout Lake and our bird watching areas, you will probably want to stay the whole day!

Stay at Arenal Springs
Arenal Springs offers peace and quiet in a relaxed, comfortable setting on a large property surrounded by lush tropical gardens, the rooms have spectacular volcano views! The hotel also has 3 freshwater swimming pools, a thermal river and 4 hot spring pools with graduated temperatures up to 104 degrees F, and a yoga retreat for revitalizing your spirit. Delight your palette at your choice of an Italian trattoria, an elegant sushi and seafood restaurant, and an open-air restaurant featuring local specialties. Breakfast included.
The 6 Sky Tram gondolas offer endless views on the lush Costa Rican rainforest. This tour is perfect for people who want to admire the nature without much physical effort. Your guide will point out a variety of wildlife and flora to you. The Sky Trams go up to the highest point of the reserve where you will enjoy an astonishing view from the observation platform! Sky Trek is a thrilling tour including 7 zip lines which stretch across canyons and in between treetops on over 4100 ft (1250 meter) length. You’ll get to enjoy breathtaking nature, especially on their longest cable with 2493 ft (760 meter).

**What’s Included:** Transportation and guide

**Recommended Ages:** 8+ (minimum height 4 ft / 120cm)

**Tour Duration (approximately):** 3 ½ hours

**What to Bring:** Comfortable clothes, tennis shoes, insect repellent, some money for coffee or snacks

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Enjoy your transfer from Arenal to the Cloud Forests of Monteverde with this very scenic route! A van will pick you up at your hotel in Arenal and drive you the Arenal Lake (this will take approx. 1 hour), then you will board a boat to cross the Arenal Lake (approx. 1 hour), upon the other side of the lake you will have a different van drive you to your hotel in Monteverde (approx. 1 hour). This is a shared transfer with other people in the vans and boat. Your luggage will go with you the entire time. This journey takes around 3.5 hours total.
03/04/2019-03/06/2019
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El Establo Mountain Hotel - Room, Deluxe

- Stay at El Establo
Situated in the heart of Monteverde, this upscale mountain lodge is set in its own private 150 acre farm just next to the Monteverde Reserve. Enjoy the views of the mountains and the Gulf of Nicoya from the hotel's hiking trails and lake. Breakfast included.

03/04/2019
PAX: 2
El Trapiche Coffee Tour - Excursion, Regular

El Trapiche tour, is a great way to learn about Costa Rica culture and food! You will have a guided tour of the family farm and learn about the production of Coffee, Sugarcane, and Chocolate! You'll also learn about other important Costa Rican crops that are grown on the farm family. You'll learn about the coffee process, how they pick the coffee to various types of the coffee processing. Then enjoy learning (and tasting!) how chocolate is made! You'll also have the chance to ride in a typical ox cart to the Sugar Cane Mill (El Trapiche). At the Sugar Cane Mill you'll learn about how the sugar cane is transformed from a plant to a sweet treat, you'll even have the chance to make your own sugar cane candy! At the end of your tour you'll have the chance to try coffee, fresh pressed sugarcane juice, and picadillo de arracache (a traditional vegetable dish) - a true taste of Costa Rica and Monteverde!

- What's included: Transportation and guide
- Recommended Ages: All Ages
- Tour Duration (approximately): 2.5 hours
- What to bring: Rain jacket, sweater, closed toed shoes, money to buy coffee or chocolate in the gift shop
Explore a huge variety of flora and fauna within this 310 hectares reserve located on the Tilarán mountain range. Santa Elena Cloud Forest Reserve was founded in 1992 and has been managed by the public high school board of directors since then. A certain percentage of the funds raised by this reserve is used in education for the youth in the community. You can find the water springs of Chiquito and Caño Negro rivers. Along with the Aguas Gatas they constitute a great amount of the water that feeds the Arenal hydroelectric power station. Get immersed in nature and discover the natural wonders that the cloud forest has to offer.

**Whats Included:** Transportation, guide and entrance fee

**Recommended Ages:** 4+

**Tour Duration (approximately):** 4 hours

**What to bring:** Comfortable clothes; hiking shoes; camera; binoculars; mosquito repellent

Leave the diversity of Monteverde’s cloud forest behind as you head towards beautiful Manuel Antonio! Your transfer will take approximately 4 hours.
- **Stay at Sí Como No**
  “Sí Como No”, expresses the magical nature of Costa Rica’s incredible bio-diversity. It creates a vacation experience deeply rooted in the culture and pace of this unique country. Also on the property are two popular poolside restaurants, new Spa facilities, and a 46 seat private THX movie theater. **Breakfast included.**

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**03/07/2019**  
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**Manuel Antonio National Park Tour - Excursion, Regular**

Manuel Antonio National Park, located on Costa Rica’s central Pacific coast stretches out on 680 hectares with a vast variety of wildlife. Observe all kinds of species such as sloths, birds and reptiles as well as orchids, butterflies and tropical trees on 3 different trails that go from flat to steep. Half way through the 2 miles (3.3km) long hike, you are going to take a 20-minute break at the picturesque Manuel Antonio Beach. Keep in mind that the Manuel Antonio National Park is closed on Mondays.

**Whats Included:** Transportation, bilingual guides, park entrance fee and snacks  
**Recommended Ages:** All ages  
**Tour Duration (approximately):** 5 hours  
**What to bring:** Sunscreen, camera, sunglasses, hiking shoes (beach towel and bathing suit are optional)

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**03/08/2019**  
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**Catamaran Adventure Tour - Excursion, Regular | Afternoon Tour**

As you cruise down the coastline of Manuel Antonio National Park you will see unique rock formations, jagged cliffs, intriguing islands, and marine birds. Besides that this Catamaran Tour gives you the opportunity to observe Humpback Whales, Manta Rays, Spotted Dolphins, Sea Turtles and many more. The Catamaran will anchor in a protected cove in order for you to start a little snorkeling adventure in the warm waters. Afterwards you will have lunch on the boat and relax to the maximum. To conclude your adventure, you will be sailing back towards Quepos dock with stunning views on the lush landscape.

**Whats Included:** Transportation, fruit, lunch, drinks and snorkeling equipment  
**Recommended Ages:** All ages  
**Tour Duration (approximately):** 3 ½ hours  
**What to bring:** 22084 Sunscreen, sunglasses, hat, light clothing, bathing suit and towel
Private Transfer from Manuel Antonio to San Jose
03/09/2019-03/10/2019
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Hotel Grano de Oro - Room, Standard

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Situated on a little street just off Paseo Colón, San José's main thoroughfare, Hotel Grano de Oro is a true oasis, a sanctuary in the heart of the city. Converted from a Tropical Victorian mansion, the 35-room hotel maintains the warmth and comfort of a private home. Restaurante Grano de Oro merges tropical Costa Rican with European cuisine under the expertise of French-trained Chef Francis Canal and is one of the most renowned restaurants in the country. **Breakfast is not included.**

Private Transfer from San Jose to San Jose Airport
03/10/2019 00:00
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Enjoy your transportation from your Hotel to Juan Santamaria International Airport.
Payment & Cancellation Policies
We can accept a 25% deposit to book your trip with the balance due 60 days before arrival through credit card or bank wire transfer. Deposits are non-refundable, but can be applied to a future trip in the event of a cancellation. If client cancels reservation 60 days or more prior to 1st day of travel, they will be refunded 75% of the package price (30 days = 50%, 15 days = 25%, less than 15 days = no refund). My Costa Rica will not be held responsible for those passengers arriving without the correct Passport and Visa requirements to enter Costa Rica.