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BOUTIQUE LUXURY TRAVEL

BY BEST OF COSTA RICA

5 NIGHT

SAMPLE ITINERARY

Travel Dates

March 1st 2024 to November 30th 2024

Accommodation

Arenal Volcano | Nayara Gardens
Manuel Antonio Beach | Los Altos Resort

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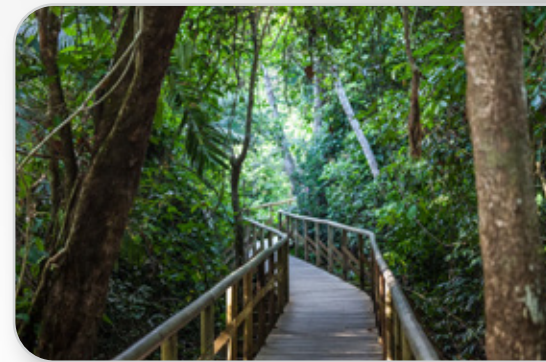
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ACTIVITY SUMMARY

Day One | San José

Private San José Airport or car rental transfers
Environmental commitment
Private transfer to Arenal Volcano
Two nights accommodation at Nayara Gardens
Luxurious dining



Day Two | Arenal Volcano

1968 Trail private hiking tour
Visit Eco Termales Hot Springs
Unexpected culinary journey with Amor Loco



Day Three | Manuel Antonio Beach

Private Transfer from Arenal to Manuel Antonio
Three nights accommodation at Los Altos Resort
Self guided private trail hike
Cooking class

Day Four | Manuel Antonio National Park

Private tour of Mulguri Waterfalls

Day Five | Manuel Antonio National Park

Private hiking tour to the National Park
Farewell dinner

Day Six | San José

Private transfer from Manuel Antonio to San José or
return the car at the San José International Airport.





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DAY ONE

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San José to Arenal | Private Transfer

Sit back and enjoy a luxury vehicle transfer from the capital of San José to Arenal. If you choose to drive a rental vehicle, an airport shuttle can take you to the rental company from the main terminal.

Enjoy a private transfer or drive to La Fortuna where the impressive Arenal Volcano awaits. This majestic volcano is one of the natural wonders of Costa Rica. While the Arenal Volcano no longer displays lava eruptions, the sight of smoke and ash billowing from its apex remains a captivating phenomenon. The region surrounding the Arenal Volcano is renowned for its stunning vistas, therapeutic hot springs, and the serene Lake Arenal. As you venture through this area, you will encounter a diverse tableau of agricultural estates, decorative flora, and pastoral cattle ranches.



Nayara Gardens | ★★★★★

Nayara Gardens, an exquisite boutique spa hotel, is situated amidst the verdant rain forest of La Fortuna, in close proximity to the majestic Arenal Volcano. This serene retreat boasts elegantly appointed bungalows, each featuring a secluded terrace and an intimate hot tub designed for two. The on-site restaurant presents a panoramic vista of the enchanting gardens, complemented by an array of delectable Costa Rican culinary delights. Guests are invited to indulge in therapeutic volcanic mud treatments and invigorating coffee scrubs, or simply unwind with a selection of bespoke cocktails beside the tranquil outdoor pool and bar. To culminate an idyllic first evening, savor a sumptuous meal at La Del Arenal, renowned for its gastronomic excellence.

Room Category | Arenal Pool Casita

Inclusions | Breakfast



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1968 Trail Private Hiking Tour | Eco Termales Hot Springs

Find out all about the natural and geological history of the Arenal Volcano while walking along a path of solid lava and enjoying excellent views of the lake. Afterwards journey to the Eco Termales Fortuna Hot Springs Spa to can relax in a variety of differing temperature mineral water pools. We recommend trying the hot water pools before entering the cooler pools, which can be repeated as many times as you wish. Eco Termales is a wonderfully authentic environment offering privacy and tranquility within the Costa Rican rain forest.

Depart Time | 3:00pm

Duration | 4 Hours

Difficulty | Moderate

Inclusions | Transportation • Tour Guide • Entrance Fee • Dinner • Snacks • Water



Amor Loco Restaurant | Nayara Gardens

Costa Rica's rich taste and authentic flavors are at the heart of everything we do. The chefs apply fine dining techniques to local ingredients and seasonal produce to delight you with a menu of sophisticated and delicious flavors in Amor Loco Restaurant.





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DAY THREE

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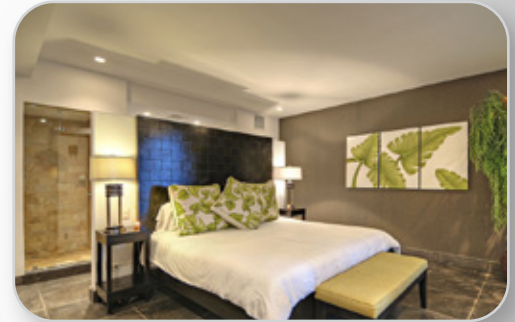
Manuel Antonio | Private Transfer

An incredible destination where you can find the Manuel Antonio National Park which is considered one of the natural jewels of Costa Rica for its abundant diversity of wildlife. It is the smallest of the country's national parks, but also one of the most visited for its beautiful beaches. It has several hiking trails, viewpoints with more opportunities to encounter wildlife in their natural habitat. At several points in the park, the trails branch off and lead to four separate beaches: Espadilla Sur, Manuel Antonio, Escondida and Playita.



Los Altos Beach Resort and Spa | ★★★★★

Located in Manuel Antonio Los Altos an ideal place to relax and enjoy some excellent ocean views. Their spacious suites include balcony, fully equipped kitchen, air conditioner, TV, minibar, Internet access and spacious modern bathrooms with shower and bathtub. This experience will immerse you in the dynamic life of the rain forest, whether from your partial ocean view balcony or your garden view balcony, you'll find it thrilling to observe the natural life closer than you can ever imagine. Whether it's enjoying pool, the fitness center or treating yourself to the spa, bar or a secluded beach you'll always find the moment to make your stay luxurious and memorable. Karolás restaurant offers incredible views of the Pacific Ocean and serves a selection of inspired international dishes and local cuisine.



Room Category | Garden Condo Suite

Inclusions | Breakfast

Self Guided Hiking

Los Altos' private trails present an exceptional encounter with nature, marked by serenity and repose. Guided by a meticulously delineated map, visitors have the chance to explore and embrace the essence of peace and tranquility. The preserve features a diverse range of trails, catering to various proficiencies, thereby offering every individual the prospect to forge a connection with the natural world.

Duration | 1 to 2 Hours

Difficulty | Moderate

Cooking Class

During your stay you can choose from two dining activities. Karolás Chef can prepare a special meal for you in the kitchen of your suite or the Chef can teach you how to prepare the meal yourself. With either option you will discover a knowledge, passion and love for the food of Costa Rica.



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Mulguri Waterfalls | Private Adventure Tour

Mulguri is considered a natural paradise for those seeking harmony with nature in a location that has an astounding beauty working far from the noise and hustle bustle of the city.

A very experienced and certified ICT bilingual nature guide will navigate you through the astounding jungle of Costa Rica. The one hour trip from Manuel Antonio passes through small local villages, natural springs, rain forest and then into the remote back country known as Quebrada de Arrollo.

Your first stop is at a beautiful pavilion where you can freshen up while enjoying tropical fruits and a cold beverage. The experience then continues with a trail hike to explore and discover the pristine waterfalls and natural pools. An exhilarating experience crossing a suspension bridge, with the full view of the mountain awaits before getting to the waterfalls which resembles a natural hot tub with various depths. There are a total of three waterfalls, one water drop and four natural swimming pools.

After cooling off, the tour continues with a visit to a self-sustaining farm where you will be served a delicious traditional Costa Rican wood stove lunch on the patio. The property is surrounded by mountains with green leafy forests and located at the foot of the mountain.

Duration | 6.5 Hours

Difficulty | Moderate

Inclusions | Transportation • Bilingual Guides • Park Entrance Fee • Beach Towels • Lunch

What To Bring | Sunscreen • Insect Repellent • Camera • Sunglasses • Hiking Shoes • Swimsuit





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Manuel Antonio National Park | Private Hiking Tour

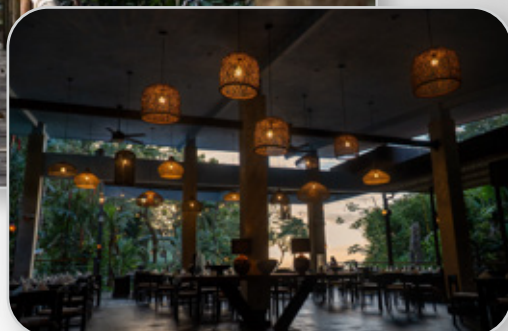
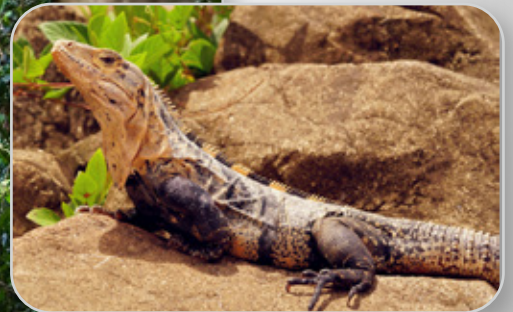
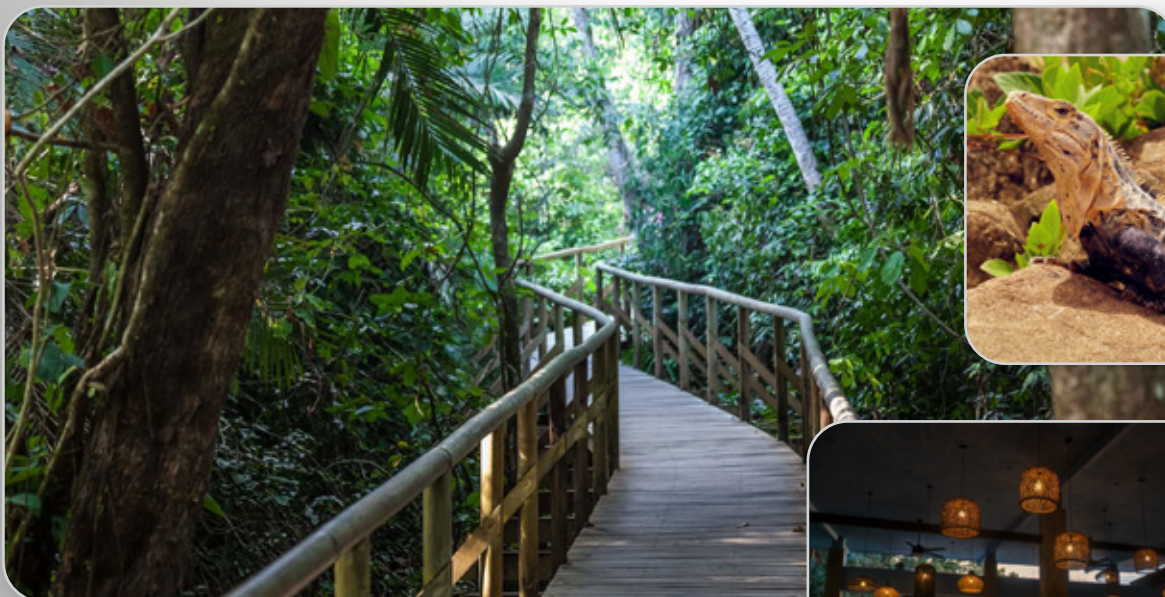
Witness an abundance of wildlife that will make you want to stop, observe and learn about their natural and awe-inspiring habitat. Watch sloths and numerous species of monkeys roam the treetops while silky anteaters and non-venomous snakes rest on the rain forest floor. Listen to the songs of birds as they glide above, curious and in search of adventure. Be amazed at how many different types of flora and fauna you can spot. Stop any time to enjoy fresh fruits and local refreshments while you soak in the beautiful aesthetics of the Costa Rican jungle and then take a side trip to enjoy pristine, uncrowded and untouched beaches after your guided educational adventure is complete. Learn about the history of the Quepoa Indians and Costa Rica's past as it relates to this stunningly beautiful area of Manuel Antonio. Enjoy an unequivocally unique experience and leave with a new perspective on nature. The pace of this adventure is determined by the consensus of your group's abilities and interests.

Duration | 4 Hours

Difficulty | Easy

Inclusions | Transportation • Bilingual and Certified Naturalists Guide • Entrance Fee • Fruits • Juice • Beach Time

What To Bring | Water Bottle • Camera • Sunscreen • Insect Repellent • Swimsuit • Towel



Farewell Dinner | Karolás Restaurant



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DAY SIX

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Manuel Antonio to San José | Private Transfer

Enjoy a beautiful luxury vehicle transfer back to the capital of San José before checking in at the International Airport. If you chose to drive back to the airport, a shuttle can take you to the main terminal from the rental drop off area.





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PRICING

Private Transfer

Time Period	Single	Double	Extra Child
March 1 st to April 30 th	\$5,970	\$3,515	\$726
July 1 st to August 31 st	\$5,970	\$3,515	\$726
May 1 st to June 30 th	\$5,797	\$3,425	\$726
September 1 st to November 30 th	\$5,541	\$3,293	\$726

Luxury Car Rental

Time Period	Single	Double	Extra Child
March 1 st to April 30 th	\$5,599	\$3,244	\$682
July 1 st to August 31 st	\$5,521	\$3,205	\$682
May 1 st to June 30 th	\$5,143	\$3,016	\$682
September 1 st to November 30 th	\$4,895	\$2,892	\$682

Non-commissionable net rates in \$USD • Children are considered up to 10 years • Rates are per person based on occupancy type and the indicated number of passengers • As this is a quotation, no reservations or blocks have been made, so the rates are subject to availability until the reservation is confirmed • Double rooms have one or two beds, and triple rooms have a maximum of 2 beds per room, so passengers must share the bed (we do not guarantee two beds in double rooms).



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INFORMATION

Exclusions

- Any activities not indicated in the program
- Any meals not indicated in the program
- Tipping
- Rental car insurance
- Christmas and New Year's dinners

Vehicle Rental Requirements

- Valid driver's license
- Foreign licenses are valid in Costa Rica for 90 days from the date of entry
- Minimum driver age is 23 years old
- The driver must carry a valid driver's license from their country of origin
- The driver must have a valid passport
- The driver must have an active credit card

What To Bring

- Passport valid for at least 6 months
- Sunscreen and insect repellent
- Comfortable clothing
- Waterproof and lightweight hiking boots, river sandals and a pair of sneakers
- Poncho, waterproof jacket and umbrella
- Hat, visor, cap and sunglasses
- Reusable water bottle
- US chargers and adapters
- Medications
- Small backpack