

COSTA RICA

Costa Rica covers an area of 20,000.00 square miles. It is located on the southern tip of Central America, between the Pacific Ocean and the Caribbean which allows it to be a privileged spot. The average temperature fluctuates between 20 °C (68 °F) - 26 °C (79 °F) degrees all year around. The "green season" runs from May until November; Dry season, the equivalent of summer, starts in November ending in April.

The population is 5,500,000 of mostly white race, descendants from the Spaniards who arrived during the XVI century. There are 2 minority groups: one whose origin is Jamaica 50.000 people, and few tribes of native Indians about 10,000.

The religion is Catholic.

Currency is the "colon".

There are no requirements to enter the country; the passport is the only document you will need, and it must be valid at least 6 months from the date of entry in Costa Rica.

No inoculations are required.

Voltage: The electric current in Costa Rica is 110 volts and 60 cycles.

To make a phone call to Costa Rica you dial 00-506 followed by the number you are calling.

Due to its position, it has flora and fauna found in both Northern and Southern hemispheres. There are 760 species of birds (more than the US and Canada combined), 900 species of plants, 1200 species of orchids, and ten percent of the world's butterflies. This tiny nation has the international standing in the conservation community for its commitment to preservation of forest and wildlife

General Facts



- Government: Presidential Democracy.
- Division: 7 provinces.
- Capital: San José.
- **Population:** 5.500.00.
- Official language: Spanish.
- Official religion: Catholic.
- Currency: Colón (¢).
- **Electricity:** 110 Voltios.
- Dry season: Second half November April (dry).
- Green season: May First half November (rainy).

General Facts



More than 600 Species of plantas

230 Species of animals

760 Species of birds

More than 1300 Species de trees

More than 800 Species of ferns

More than 1000 Species of orchids

6% of the world's Biodiversity

25.58% of the Territory is protected

Location



Central America

Limits:
North: Nicaragua.
South: Panamá.
West: Pacific Ocean.
East: Caribbean Sea, Atlantic Ocean.

Entry requirements:

- Passport valid for at least 6 months from your date of entry
- Please check if clients require the Yellow Fever Vaccine to enter the country:
 Countries that require Yellow Fever Vaccine
- Please check if you require a visa to enter Costa Rica using the following link https://migracion.go.cr/Paginas/Visas.aspx



International Airports:



Driving time to/from Airport

Juan Santamaria International Airport (SJO) – JW Marriott Guanacaste Hotel	Daniel Oduber International Airport (LIR) – JW Marriott Guanacaste Hotel
5 hours	1 hour 45 minutes

North Pacific – Mansita Beach



DAY 1Arrival in Costa Rica

Welcome to Costa Rica. At the Daniel Oduber International Airport, participants will be received by CRTT representative.

Private transfer from the Airport to JW Marriott Guanacaste Hotel.

Hotel bellboys should be cordinate directly with hotel, and hotel fee is not included in our prices.

Number of participants: TBD

Distance: 81,5 kilometers / 50,6 miles – 1 hour and 40 minutes















DAY 2-4
Optional Activities

CATAMARAN MARLIN DEL REY
HACIENDA EL VIEJO WETLANDS
SPORT FISHING
CANOPY



Catamaran Marlin del Rey

Travel Time: 20 minutes

Activity Time: 4 hours

Pick up at Hotel: 07:00 or 12:45

Schedules: 08:00- 12:00

13:30-17:30

Catamaran style sailboat with a capacity of 70 passengers, will offer you a wonderful day sailing in a first-class vessel. This magnificent boat, you will be able to enjoy, observing native dolphins of these warm and crystalline waters, turtles, humpback whales, exotic bays, white sand beaches and tropical forests.

Includes:

Transportation from Hotel - Tamarindo – Hotel, catamaran, Snorkeling gear, light lunch, open bar.

What to Bring:

Swimsuit and/or quick-dry shirt and shorts, towel, change of clothes, rubber soled shoes that strap on and can get wet, sunblock, sunglasses with secure head strap, insect repellent, towel and camera.







SPORT FISHING

Duration half day or full day.

Pick Up Tim: 07:00.

The first-class boats are equipped with all fishing equipment and controls. All boats are full insured and equipped with full electronics, navigational systems, GPS, marine radios, cell phones and fully rigged for Sportfishing. We use Penn International and Shimano Reels. The team of captains and first mates of each boat have extensive knowledge of conventional, Fly Fishing, and Catch & Release.

Full day Charters

From 7:00 am until 4 PM.

Between Sixteen up to twenty miles west of Marina Flamingo are two drop-offs where water depth increases from 360 to 2000 feet and more. This provides a complete ecosystem of sea-life. Predominant species include Sailfish; blue, black and striped Marlin; Dorado; Yellow fin and big eye Tuna.

Includes: beers, water, sodas, chips, tropical fruits and sandwiches. All boats provide a mate to assist you in the catch, release or cleaning of your fish.

Half-Day Charters

From 7:00 until 12 Noon.

Four miles from the Marina in Flamingo are the Catalina and Brumel Islands and a series of rock called the Sombreros. This area provides a year-round abundance of: Yellow fin Tuna, Skipjack Tuna, Wahoo, Sierra Mackerel, Almaco Jack, and Jack Crevalle. A variety of Snapper including Pacific Cubera or Dog Tooth and Rooster fish.

Includes: beers, water, sodas, chips and tropical fruits. All boats provide a mate to assist you in the catch, release or cleaning of your fish.





Hacienda El Roble

Travel Time: 50 minutes

Activity Times:

Canopy: 1 hour 30 minutes

ATV: 2 hours

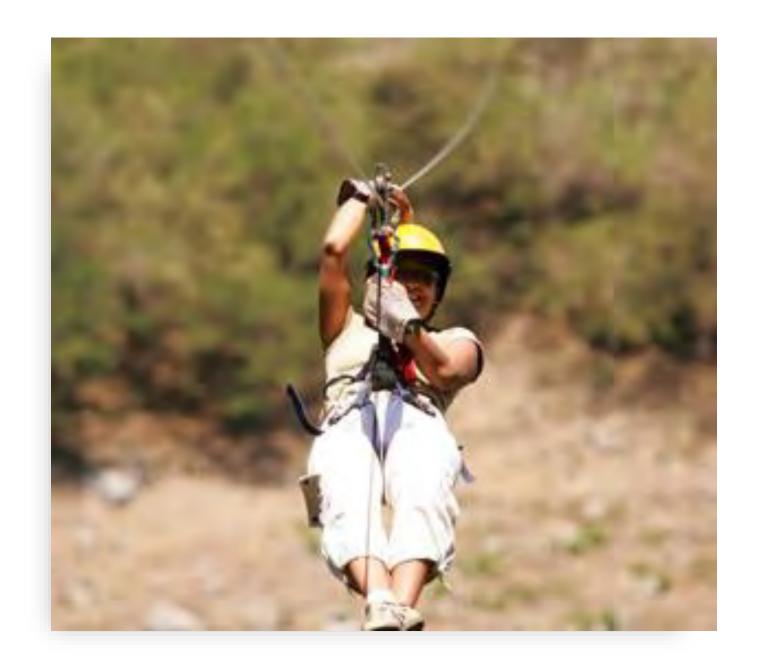
Horseback riding: 2 hours

Combo (2 activities): 4 hours

This Canopy is located inside a large cattle ranch that has been in the hands of the same family for several generations. It consists of 10 cables suspended over 120 meters high and with a distance up to 580 meters long. As you fly from mountain to mountain you will pass over large, beautiful and old dry forest trees. You will enjoy beautiful views of the lowlands, see a great variety of birds, families of howler monkeys, coatis, iguanas and others. To make it unique, we offer a typical Guanacaste snack mounted on the Hacienda with traditions of old days. This adventure can be combined with horseback riding or ATV's.

What to bring: Comfortable casual clothing and shoes, sunblock, insect repellent and camera.

Includes: Transportation to/from the Hotel, guide, activity according to preselection.













HACIENDA EL VIEJO WETLANDS

Travel Time: 1 hour 20 min

Activity Time: 4 hours

In Filadelfia, Guanacaste is located El Viejo Wetlands, a 5000-acre Private Wildlife Refuge and Sugar Hacienda. It is a place where visitors can find a wonderful historic mansion built in 1870.

It is a tourist attraction that has a Wildlife Refuge adjacent to the Palo Verde National Park, where you can perform various activities such as: Boat Tour on the Tempisque River, Cultural Tour of the "Casa del Sabanero", the Trapiche and the Rum or craft beer Experience.

Explore like never before the Tempisque River by boat and enjoy watching monkies, crocodiles, and colorful birds in their natural habitat in El Viejo Wildlife Private Refuge.

What to bring: Comfortable casual clothing and shoes, sunblock, insect repellent, hat and camera.

Includes:

Transportation to/from the Hotel, 03 activities (Boat or Cultural or Rum or craft beer Tour), guide & lunch.





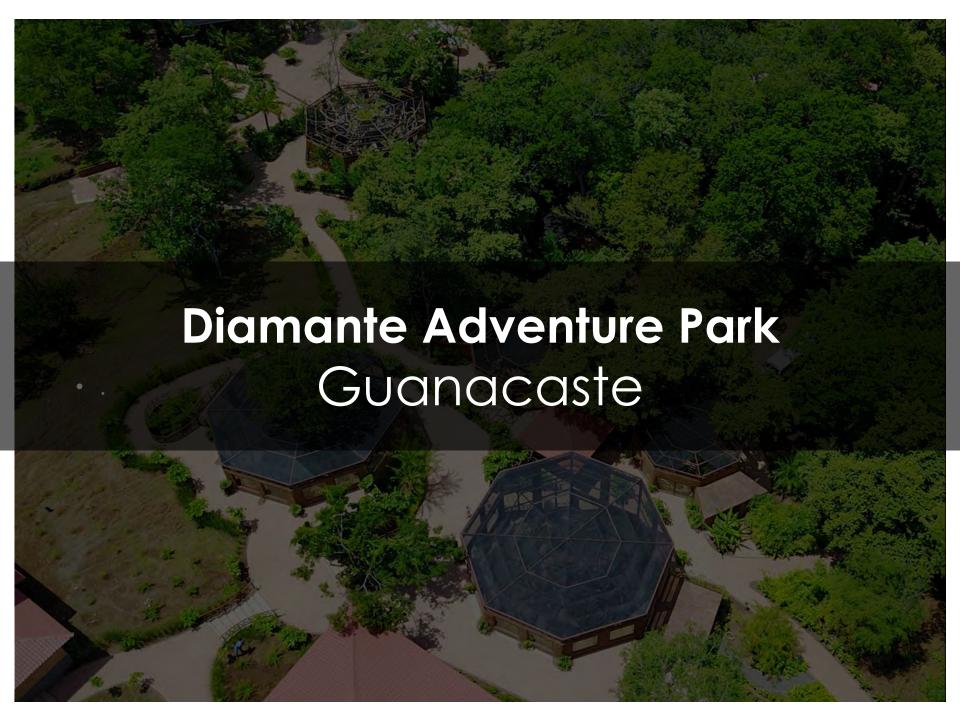












Diamante Adventure Park

Travel Time: 1 hour 15 minutes

Activity Time: 5 hours

Located in Guanacaste, Costa Rica, Diamante Eco Adventure Park offers the perfect combination of adventure, nature and culture. Diamante is known for its exciting Zip Line course with the longest double action zip line in the country and is home to a renowned animal sanctuary and one of the most beautiful Wildlife Education Centers in Costa Rica. Diamante also has a small rescued and re-generating Animal Sanctuary where you can observe some toucans, butterfly observatory, sloths and a variety of cats including pumas and jaguars

What to bring: Comfortable casual clothing and shoes, sunblock, insect repellent, hat and camera.

Includes:

Transportation to/from the Hotel, Adventure pass*, guide & lunch.

*Adventure pass included the Zipline**, access to Diamante's Animal Sanctuary and the entrance to the Botanical Garden.

**Zipline could be <u>replace</u> for 1hour Horseback riding or 1 hour ATV

Zip Line Restrictions:

Minimum weight is 60 lbs (27 kilos) for the short lines and Quick Jump and 85 lbs (40 kg) to do the entire circuit, including Superman.

Maximum weight is 280 lbs (130 kg)

ATV Restrictions:

- •Minimum age required to drive an ATV is 16 years old.
- •Minimum age required to ride with an adult on a double ATV is 8 years old.













DAY 5 Departure

Luggage pull: TBD

Luggage must be at the door of each room so that the process is easy and fast. Pull should be coordinate with the hotel and hotel fee is not included in our prices.

Departure Time: TBD

Private transfer from JW Marriott Hotel to the Daniel Oduber International Airport.

Total participants: TBA
Flight: TBA
Departure Time: TBA

Distance: 50,6 miles – 1 hour and 40

minutes

