July 1, 2021

No International Air Included - Client owned air. Please advise us of any schedule changes.

Arriving on UA 1565 into SJO at 9:50pm

Departing on UA 1099 from SJO at 2:20pm

Meet & Greet at San Jose Int'l Airport - Welcome! - A representative of the Costa Rica board of tourism, Canatur, will meet you after you have cleared immigration and provide you with name tags that identify you as a client of Way to Go Tours. After clearing customs, you will exit the terminal. There, you will see a representative of our destination management company, Destination Costa Rica, holding a placard with your name. You will be presented with your vouchers (except the ones included in your documents) and a general info kit. Pickup times for tours and transfers will be stamped on each voucher.

Airport Transfer - to San Jose Central Valley Hotel 45 Mins - You will be transferred to your San Jose hotel.

DESTINATION: San José is the capital city of Costa Rica and is by far the largest city in the country. San José's main attractions include the National Theatre, the Gold and Jade Museums, casinos, shopping malls, fabulous restaurants, art exhibits, dance performances, and opera. As far as accommodations, the city has a broad variety ranging from centrally located hotels, some with historic character, to modern suburban retreats surrounded by lush tropical gardens and swimming pools.

ACCOMMODATIONS: Costa Rica Marriott Hacienda Belén Hotel | Deluxe Room

July 2, 2021

Gold Museum - You will have a guided tour of one of the museums that hosts more historic objects of Costa Rica at the Museo del Oro (Gold Museum) in San José, where you can find exhibitions of social and cultural development of the pre-Columbian indigenous tribes. There are different collections inside the museum, these include the ethnographic collection and the ceramic and stone collection. But the most important one, due to its historical value and material wealth, is the pre-Columbian gold collection, which hosts about 1586 gold pieces like earrings, statues, bracelets, and animal figures. These pieces were created by tribes such as Diquis or Chibchas (also called Muiscas). The Pre-Columbian Gold Museum has a modern subterranean infrastructure, which is located at the The Central Bank of Costa

Rica's building, in the city centre, in the plaza de la Cultura. Themuseum has three underground levels, in which you can find different temporary exhibitions in addition to permanent exhibitions. But the most interesting part is the Numismatics Museum, which exhibits the largest collection of the country's

coins.

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Transfer from San Jose - to Arenal 2.5 Hrs - You will be picked up upon arrival and privately transferred to Nayara Resort in Arenal.

DESTINATION: Arenal Volcano is approximately 3000 years old and has an elevation of 5500 feet. Though in a resting phase the volcano's geothermal activity heats the local mineral springs. Surrounded by lush rain forest, the area offers the most touring options. The area is rich in natural attractions; experience thermomineral hot springs, waterfall hikes, horseback riding, birdwatching, biking, and boat tours on the Cano Negro.

ACCOMMODATIONS: Arenal Kioro Suites & Spa | Suite

July 4, 2021

Arenal Hanging Bridges - Visitors can enjoy 15 bridges from 5 to 100 meters long, visitor friendly designed circuit of 3 kilometers in middle of the rain forest with interpretive trails built with paving blocks to prevent slipping. This is guided by a naturalist who, through the natural history, will open for you the doors of a fascinating and colorful Tropical Rain Forest world. The view of the Volcano from the hanging bridges over the forest makes a perfect combination for an unforgettable experience.

Level: Easy

Minimum Age: 5 years

Duration: Approximately half day activity

What to Bring: Long pants, comfortable shoes, camera, binoculars and a raincoat or light jacket

What's Included: Transportation, tour guide and entrance fee

ACCOMMODATIONS: Arenal Kioro Suites & Spa | Suite

Meals: Breakfast

July 5, 2021

Enjoy the Resort - You don't have any tours planned for today. Please enjoy the resort or add an optional tour.

ACCOMMODATIONS: Arenal Kioro Suites & Spa | Suite

Meals: Breakfast

July 6, 2021

Boat Transfer from Arenal to Monteverde - You will be met at your resort where you will then have a short transfer to Arenal Lake. Upon boarding, you will enjoy a scenic route across the lake where a shuttle will then pick you up and take you across the mountains of Monteverde to your resort

DESTINATION: High on the Tilaran Mountain Range,

Monteverde is one of the most fascinating destinations in Costa Rica. The area is cool, verdant, and rich in biodiversity with a multitude of microclimates. Guided hikes or maps for do-it yourselfers give access to the well-marked trails, waterfalls, rivers, and observation areas. You will see an amazing variety of flora and fauna. No one should leave Monteverde without having tried to see a "Quetzal", one of the most beautiful birds in the country. Monteverde also hosts the largest variety of butterflies and moths in the world.

ACCOMMODATIONS: Belmar Monteverde Hotel | Forest

Meals: Breakfast

July 7, 2021

Monteverde Reserve - Founded in 1972, the Monteverde Cloud Forest Biological Reserve is among the most famous reserves in the world for its biodiversity, conservation, contributions, and scientific researches. This 3,500 hectare of land holds 2.5% of the world's biodiversity, and it is one of the most important private reserves in Costa Rica. The geographical, topographical and climatic conditions have determined the surprising biodiversity found in the Monteverde Reserve. In this forest we can find four ecological "Live Zones" with different ecosystems for hundreds of species of mammals, birds, butterflies, amphibians, reptiles, insects and arachnids, as well as a large variety of plants like mosses, vines and trees of the Cloud Forest.

Level: Easy

Minimum Age: 6 years

Duration: Approximately half day activity

What to Bring: Light clothes, insect repellent, binoculars, camera and hiking shoes

What's Included: Transportation, tour guide and entrance fee

ACCOMMODATIONS: Belmar Monteverde Hotel | Forest

July 8, 2021

Transfer from Monteverde - to Guanacaste North 3.5 Hrs - You will be privately transferred to your next destination.

DESTINATION: The province of Guanacaste covers most of the northwestern part of Costa Rica. The beaches offer golden to dark volcanic sands. The Pacific blue waters offer warms temperatures and a hot dry climate offers a great escape. This area is very popular offering large resorts to intimate boutique hotels.

ACCOMMODATIONS: El Mangroove Hotel | Root Suite w/balcony

July 9, 2021

Palo Verde Wildlife Boat Tour - Palo Verde is one of the most important and interesting National Parks in Costa Rica. It has at least 12 different habitats within the park including: mangroves, swamps, swamps forests, saltwater and freshwater lagoons and marshes. In this tour you will get into the Tempisque River, the most important river of the Guanacaste. On this river you will enjoy a two and a half hours boat ride. From the boat, watch the fabulous array of wild birds and a myriad of creatures.

Level: Easy

Minimum Age: 8 years

Duration: Approximately full day activity

What to Bring: Comfortable shoes, shorts, insect repellent, and camera

What's Included: Transportation, tour guide and lunch

Meals: Lunch

ACCOMMODATIONS: El Mangroove Hotel | Root Suite w/balcony

Meals: Breakfast

July 10, 2021

Transfer from Guanacaste North - to LIR Airport 30 Mins - You will be privately transferred to your next destination.

Meals: Breakfast