Transfer from Belize Airport - to Cayo (2 hours) - You will be picked up upon arrival and transferred to your next destination.

DESTINATION: The Mountain Pine Ridge Forest Reserve is the oldest of Belize's natural parks and encompasses a spectacular range of rolling hills, peaks, and gorges formed from some of the oldest rocks in Central America. This pine tree-dominated forest is more than just a vast wooded area: visitors find deep ravines, traverse dramatic granite expanses atop the Maya Mountains and observe meandering rivers, streams, waterfalls and pools amid the sweet fragrance of the evergreens.

ACCOMMODATIONS: Gaia Riverlodge | Mountain View Cabana Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

## DAY 2

Caracol, Rio Frio Cave & Rio On Pools - This tour is an ideal combination of the Mountain Pine Ridge Reserve Tour and the tour of Caracol. After picnic lunch at Caracol, we drive back towards the Lodge, stopping at the Rio Frio Cave, and finishing our tour at the Rio On Pools, just as you are ready for a wonderful dip in the cooling pools of the Rio On. Park entrance fee not included.

Meals: Lunch

ACCOMMODATIONS: Gaia Riverlodge | Mountain View Cabana Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

# DAY 3

Barton Creek Cave & Ziplining - Explore a stunning Maya ceremonial cave by canoe as licensed guides introduce you to one of Belize's most fascinating natural and cultural wonders during this remarkable half day excursion.

The tour travels about a mile along a meandering river flowing through the beautiful cathedral -like chambers and wide passages of the Barton Creek Cave, which has become a popular attraction in recent years with high standards of safety and environmental protection.

Our licensed guides are all highly trained in natural history and Maya cultural heritage, making a Barton Creek Cave tour both an educational and highly enjoyable experience.

Enjoy the waterfalls and a refreshing swim or just relax with a packed lunch amid tropical beauty.

Barton Creek Cave was recently included in a list of "nine of the world's most beautiful and unusual cave destinations," by the highly regarded Mother Nature Network and no wonder it is an amazing experience everyone - young and mature will remember forever.

ACCOMMODATIONS: Gaia Riverlodge | Mountain View Cabana Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

Enjoy Gaia Riverlodge - Enjoy the resort or book an optional tour.

Enjoy the waterfalls, freshwater swimming pools, hammocks and lounge chairs, full-service restaurant serving fresh produce from our own gardens, Mayan organic Garden, yoga, guided tours and expeditions, spa, complimentary bikes, and a gift shop

ACCOMMODATIONS: Gaia Riverlodge | Mountain View Cabana Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

## DAY 5

Transfer from Cayo - to Belize Int'l Airport - You will be transferred to your next destination.

Tropic Air Flight - from BZE to San Pedro - Upon arrival to the local airport, proceed to the Tropic Air counter and check in. When your flight is called, present your card and board. Enjoy your flight. Tropic Air Flight

Transfer from the local airstrip to your resort - - - Your resort will pick you up upon arrival at the airport.

DESTINATION: Visiting Ambergris Caye is a truly unique and unforgettable experience. The island is known for its stunning white sandy beaches and crystal clear turquoise waters. It's a perfect destination for those looking to relax and unwind, as well as for those who enjoy outdoor activities such as snorkeling and diving. The island is also home to a vibrant local community, with a variety of restaurants and shops to explore. Overall, a trip to Ambergris Caye is sure to be a highlight of any vacation.

ACCOMMODATIONS: Matachica Resort & Spa | Seafront Casita Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

### DAY 6

Enjoy Matachica Resort & Spa - Steps away from the sea and the world's second largest barrier reef, Matachica's serene and technology-free property (rooms are WiFi-, phone- and television-free) allows guests to disconnect in order to reconnect with nature, and in the process, themselves.

This is the only resort in Belize providing an adults-only (16+) experience with unparalleled level of hospitality and a staff devoted to your happiness and satisfaction.

Enjoy access to the reef with breathtaking sea views you can't get anywhere else. There are on-site spa treatments using local and natural ingredients.

We have water activities including kayaking, paddle-boarding, and private snorkeling tours. Or you can choose to unwind at the pool, hot tub or relaxing poolside lounge. The new outdoor bar, Danny's Tree Bar, offers cocktails and light bites throughout the day.

Don't forget about our complimentary bicycles to explore the island.

1 Hour Aromatherapy Massage - \*Included with Reef & Rainforest Package\* A blend of aromatherapy essential oils nourishes your body during our one-hour massage. Swedish, therapeutic and energetic styles are tailored to meet your body's needs.

ACCOMMODATIONS: Matachica Resort & Spa | Seafront Casita Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

Hol Chan Marine Reserve w/ Shark Ray Alley Snorkel Tour - Breathtaking coral of all descriptions abound in and around Hol Chan and serve as a habitat for literally millions of species of fish. Incredible stories are told frequently of the magnificence of this Marine Reserve and how well it is guarded and preserved. It's a marine wonderland that every snorkeler and diver (beginner and experienced) must see. The ultimate Hol Chan experience, will be your exciting halfhour "swim with the sharks." That's right, you can swim with the sharks and the stingrays in Shark Ray Alley. Dozens of nurse sharks will circle your boat, as if they were the Caribbean's welcoming committee. When you enter the water, you can observe the activities of these friendly sharks and rays up close and personal. But, it's against the law to touch or hold any marine life while snorkeling or scuba diving. We promise you'll talk about your shark adventure for years to come.

ACCOMMODATIONS: Matachica Resort & Spa | Seafront Casita Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

## DAY 8

Enjoy Matachica Resort & Spa - Steps away from the sea and the world's second largest barrier reef, Matachica's serene and technology-free property (rooms are WiFi-, phone- and television-free) allows guests to disconnect in order to reconnect with nature, and in the process, themselves.

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ACCOMMODATIONS: Matachica Resort & Spa | Seafront Casita Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

## DAY 9

Transfer from your resort to the local airstrip - - - Your resort will transfer you to the local airstrip from the resort. Please confirm your departure transfer time with the on-site concierge 24 hours prior.

Tropic Air Flight - from San Pedro to BZE - Upon arrival to the local airport, proceed to the Tropic Air counter and check in. When your flight is called, present your card and board. Enjoy your flight.

Meals: Breakfast