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## PANAMA

So many beautiful options. As soon as you arrive, you will notice that Panama is safe, modern, colorful with fabulous nearby attractions. Most of them between 10 and 45 minutes from your hotel room. You will start enjoying your visit immediately.

Although, the Balboa is our national currency, the US Dollar is also legal and widely accepted. In fact, we do not print paper money and our currency goes from 1/100 Balboa to 1 Balboa. The Balboa has a 1:1 parity to the US Dollar therefore all our prices are listed in US Dollars.



# 02 Tour Experiences

## The City Vibes Experience



## Panama Three Cities Experience

Experience the three Panama Cities in a half day tour. We will first go to the Old Panama City or Panama Viejo. Founded in 1519, a UNESCO Heritage Monument. It is the oldest European settlement on the Pacific Coast of the Americas. Next, we will visit the Old Quarter (Casco Viejo) or the second City of Panama. Finally, we will do a panoramic tour of the Modern City during the transfer to Casco Viejo, where our guests will appreciate the contrast between the three cities. Once at the Old Quarter, we will walk through its narrow streets and learn about the history, culture, and architectural development of the second Panama City. You will have the opportunity to buy handicrafts and enjoy the view.

Recommendations: comfortable clothes and shoes, sunscreen, raincoat, hat, a reusable bottle of water.

Tuesday to Sunday. Minimum 2 Pax Up to 280 pax.

#### US\$65.00 per person

Duration: 06:00 (Approx.) | Level of Difficulty: Easy to Moderate .

Includes: Transportation from/to Hotel, Insurance, Certified Driver-Guide or Certified Tour Guide, Entrance Fee to Panamá La Vieja and Water.





## **Bike Experience**



#### Amador Causeway Bike Experience

Discover Amador Causeway, a vibrant oasis crafted from the very rocks excavated during the construction of the Panama Canal between 1904-1914. Stretching 3.7 miles into the Pacific Ocean, this unique road connects mainland Panama to the picturesque islands of Naos, Perico, and Flamenco.

Explore the area at your own pace with our diverse selection of rentals. Whether you prefer the comfort of a 6-passenger bike, the thrill of a mountain bike, or a child-friendly option, we have you covered. For our pet-loving visitors, we even offer specialized carriages to bring your furry friends along. Don't miss out on our range of skates and skateboards, perfect for adventurers of all ages!

Recommended Gear: Wear comfortable attire, sturdy shoes, and bring sunscreen and a water bottle.

Availability: Daily, accommodating small groups of at least 2 people, up to larger parties of 100.

#### US\$65.00 per person

Experience Duration: 4 Hours (Approx.) | Difficulty Level: Easy-Moderate.

Included in Your Adventure: Round-trip transfers to Amador, full vehicle insurance, and guidance from a certified driver or tour guide. Plus, enjoy a quality bicycle for the excursion as well as a refreshment station stocked with bottled water, Gatorade, and soft drinks.





## The Panama Canal Experience



### Panama Canal & Causeway Experience

Departure Time: Your adventure begins with a 07:45 pick-up from your hotel. Set off for a fascinating exploration of the Pacific end of the iconic Panama Canal, a marvel of engineering that revolutionized global maritime trade.

First Stop: We take you to the Panama Canal's Visitor Center. This prime location offers an unparalleled view of the intricate lock system, allowing you to witness firsthand as massive ships transition between the Atlantic and Pacific Oceans. Observe how this engineering masterpiece not only saves time but also redefines global shipping routes.

IMAX Experience: Enhance your understanding of the canal's rich history and engineering complexities with a captivating IMAX documentary, narrated by the renowned Morgan Freeman. The film soars over Panama and its historic railway, retracing the nation's transformation from the days of the Conquistadores to the American-engineered wonder that had a profound impact on both global shipping and tropical medicine.

Final Stop: After soaking in the sights and knowledge, we'll whisk you away to the scenic Amador Causeway. Here, we'll capture the memories with a group photo against this stunning backdrop. Return: We will transfer you back to your hotel, bringing an end to a day full of experiences.

- Important Note: The itinerary is subject to change based on Panama Canal operations on the day of your visit.
- Experience Duration: 5 Hours (Approx.) | Difficulty Level: Easy-Moderate | Difficulty Level: Easy.
- Recommended Gear: Dress in comfy clothes and shoes, and consider packing sunscreen, a raincoat, a hat, and a reusable water bottle. Group Size: Tours accommodate a minimum of 2 and a maximum of 100 participants.

Included: Round-trip hotel transportation, vehicle insurance, certified guide, entry to Miraflores Visitors Center and IMAX Theatre, and complimentary bottled water.

#### US\$77.00 per person





## **STEM & Cultural** Experience



#### **Stem Tour**

Elevate your WRO 2023 experience with our specially curated STEM tour in Panama, designed to both enrich and awe-inspire. Immerse yourself in the intersections of science, technology, and engineering, as you explore some of Panama's most iconic locations. Our journey begins at the Biodiversity Museum—a stunning fusion of science and art located on the Amador Causeway. Dive deep into Panama's unique natural history through eight interactive exhibits that narrate how the rise of the Isthmus of Panama reshaped our planet 3 million years ago.

Next, explore the wonders of The Punta Culebra Nature Center, a renowned Smithsonian Institute facility. Situated at the Pacific entrance to the Panama Canal, this tropical research haven draws over 70,000 visitors annually. Engage in hands-on science activities, marvel at marine and amphibian displays, and roam the walking trails—all within minutes of Panama City's bustling center.

Lastly, ascend to the City of Knowledge, a cutting-edge business and technology park boasting unparalleled views of the Miraflores Locks—an engineering marvel of the Panama Canal. Here, thought leaders from diverse fields collaborate on groundbreaking projects aimed at driving social change through sustainable innovation.

Duration: Approximately 6 hours | Level of Difficulty: Easy to Moderate.

Recommendations: We recommend wearing comfortable clothing and shoes and bringing sunscreen and a bottle of water for your convenience. Operating Days: The Biomuseo is open from Wednesday to Sunday.

Inclusions: Round-trip transportation from your hotel, Insurance coverage, Certified Driver-Guide or a Certified, Tour Guide, Entrance tickets to both the Biomuseo and the Smithsonian Institute at Punta Culebra, Complimentary bottled water.

#### US\$110.00 per person







#### CIUDAD DEL SABER

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## EMBERA'S INDIGENOUS CULTURE

#### Emberá Indigenous Village Visit

Discover paradise in its most authentic form on this captivating journey into the heart of the Chagres River's lush jungles. Your adventure kicks off with a seamless one-hour transfer to the Embera's pier, where you'll embark on traditional Emberá hand-carved boats to navigate the mystical river. As you reach the Emberá village, prepare for a timeless experience that plunges you deep into a world of ancestral traditions—dances, music, and rituals that have remained largely untouched since pre-colonial times.

But the immersion doesn't stop there: participate in ancient tattoo artistry, wisdom-sharing conversations with tribal elders, and meaningful interactions with the village children. To cap off this extraordinary day, savor a home-cooked Emberá meal featuring freshly-caught fish and succulent plantains. Before heading back, don't miss the chance to take home exquisite handcrafted keepsakes from the local Emberá market—a lasting memento of a journey you'll never forget.

## US\$175.00 per person

Duration: Approximately 6 hours | Difficulty Level: Easy.

Recommended Gear: Bring comfortable walking shoes, lightweight clothing, mosquito repellent, a rain jacket or poncho, sunblock, a hat, and sunglasses for optimal comfort.

Availability: Monday to Sunday | Group Size: Minimum of 2, up to 100 participants

Included: Round-trip transportation from/to your hotel, Insurance, a certified driver-guide or tour guide, entrance fees to Chagres National Park, boat ride along the Chagres River, seasonal fruit offerings, a traditional lunch at the Emberá community, and bottled water and refreshments.







## The Beach Experience

## Beach Day at Taboga Island (Pacific Ocean)

Experience unparalleled wonder on our 45-minute catamaran journey from Panama City to the enchanting Island of Taboga. As we set sail, savor light gourmet snacks while soaking in awe-inspiring views of Panama City's iconic skyline, the picturesque Cinta Costera, and majestic ships queued for passage through the Panama Canal. Upon arrival at Taboga, we'll whisk you away to an idyllic bay on the island's hidden side—a haven of unspoiled natural beauty. Dive right into crystalline waters from our swimming platform or use the convenient staircase for easy access.

Once you've had your aquatic fun, recline in our spacious netting areas with a refreshing cold drink in hand. We'll then guide you to Taboga's charming town side, offering a chance for beach relaxation and local exploration. As the day's finale, relish a sumptuous onboard lunch crafted from local ingredients as we chart a course back to Panama City, leaving you with memories as vibrant as the waters you've just swum in.

Duration: 7 hours. (Approx.) | | Level of difficulty: Easy to moderate.

What to bring: Comfortable clothes and shoes, swimming suit, sunscreen, change of clothes.

Mon to Sun. Min 02 Pax.

Includes: Ground transportation to Pier (round trip from/to Hotel), boat ride to Taboga Island (round trip), Insurance, a Certified Driver-Guide or Certified Tour Guide, Snacks, Lunch, Open Bar, activities on board and bottled water during transfers.

US\$185.00 per person



### San Blas Beach Day

Discover the hidden paradise of San Blas, the crown jewel of Panama's Caribbean coast. With an archipelago of 365 pristine islands, each boasting sugar-white sands, swaying coconut palms, and crystalline waters, San Blas is the ultimate tropical escape. Nestled within a protected reserve, only 36 islands are inhabited, exclusively by the indigenous Guna community, ensuring an authentic and eco-conscious experience.

Your unforgettable day begins with a scenic 3-hour drive from Panama City, traversing lush mountain ranges and tropical rainforests, before arriving at the quaint community of Cartí. From there, a boat will whisk you across the azure Caribbean Sea to your very own slice of paradise.

Spend your day snorkeling in natural pools teeming with marine life, basking in the sun, and unwinding in pure tranquility. Savor a mouthwatering local lunch prepared just for you. As the sun begins to set, we'll escort you back to Panama City, leaving you with memories that will last a lifetime. US\$195.00 per person

Duration: 10 hours. Approximately. | Level of difficulty: Easy to moderate.

Recommendations: Comfortable clothes and shoes. Please also bring a swimsuit, sunscreen, a change of clothes, and a reusable water bottle. Difficulty Level: Easy to moderate.

Mon to Sun. The tour accommodates a minimum of 2 participants and can host up to 40.

Includes: Shared transportation (Round Trip), Vehicle Insurance, Certified Driver-Guide or Certified Tour Guide, Boat Transfer from the pier to the Island, Visiting 2 islands + Natural Pool, Lunch + 1 drink, Snorkel Mask. Does not include Extra Drinks.



## Pearl Island Sailing Experience

Embark on a captivating journey to the Sonny Island Resort, starting promptly at 6:45 AM from the scenic Flamenco Pier on the iconic Amador Causeway in Panama City. Board the catamaran at 7:00 AM and set sail on a 90-minute voyage across the majestic Pacific Ocean, where you may even encounter playful dolphins frolicking in the waves. As you step ashore on Sonny Island the hospitable staff will warmly welcome you and introduce you to the unique attributes that make our island a sanctuary for eco-conscious travelers. Here, you'll discover an exquisite, sustainable paradise enveloped in tropical beauty. To elevate your experience, we offer a delightful assortment of light snacks, refreshing beverages, and a lunch. As the day draws to a close, we'll cruise back to Flamenco Pier, arriving at 3:30 PM, leaving you with cherished memories of a paradisiacal day spent in harmony with nature.

#### US\$209.00

#### per person

Duration: 8 hours. Approximately.

Recommendations: Comfortable clothes and shoes, sunscreen, change of clothes, a reusable bottle of water. Difficulty Level: Easy to moderate. Minimum 2 Pax up to 80 pax.

Mon to Sun. Includes: Roundtrip Transfers to Flamenco, Vehicle Insurance, Certified Driver-Guide or Certified Tour Guide, Snacks, Lunch at the Island, Bottled Water.





## The Countryside Experience

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We can personalize your experience by making tailor-made tours to the Countryside for groups or individuals. You can choose the region where you want to go exploring and living the Panama experience at its best.

- Bocas del Toro The Caribbean Vibes  ${\color{black}\bullet}$
- Chiriquí The "highlands" at the border with Costa Rica  ${\color{black}\bullet}$
- The Central Provinces including any of the following experiences: lacksquare
- Paradisiac beaches
- Magical small towns
- Tropical forests
- The Coiba National Park; among other experiences.



#### **BOCAS DEL TORO**


### CHIRIQUI

## Private Transportation

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**Private Transportation Services** 

If you wish to customize your experiences and have access to private transportation services, feel free to ask and we will put a quote together that fit your purposes. Take look at our vehicles.

















## 05 Tour Recommendations

- Sunscreen and insect repellent
- Shirts: cotton or light synthetic, long and short sleeves
- Bring at least two sets of clothes that dry quickly
- Footwear: lightweight waterproof hiking boots, river sandals
- Running shoes/sneakers. If you are not wearing hiking boots, be sure to bring two pairs of sneakers or tennis shoes.
- Rain gear: poncho, raincoat, and umbrella
- Hat for protection against rain and sun
- Reusable water bottle
- Plastic zip lock bags for wet items
- Small backpack for hiking





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# confidentiality.

We offer tailor made experiences with

## Confidentiality.

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## About us





We are a proud Panamanian company, with permanent offices and full-time, specialized staff. As required by law, we are registered at the Panamanian Tourism Authority licensing us to operate all tourism-related services across the Country. We understand road traffic, weather, tourism business hours, public holidays, politics, and every little detail that is important to run a successful tourist program.

### **Our Vehicles Feature:**

- •Specialized Tourist Transportation Service Operation Certificate: Ensures that the vehicle meets the highest safety and quality standards.
- •Single Vehicle Registration: Guarantees that each vehicle is uniquely identified and registered.
- •Comprehensive Insurance Policy per Vehicle: Offers full coverage for the vehicle.
- •Individual Seat Insurance Policy: Provides insurance for each passenger seat for added safety.
- •Up-to-Date Fire Extinguisher: In compliance with safety regulations, all vehicles are equipped with a fire extinguisher that is regularly inspected and updated.
- •Road Safety Triangle: For emergency situations, a road safety triangle is available in each vehicle.
- •Monthly Maintenance Checks: Our vehicles undergo rigorous monthly maintenance to ensure optimum performance.

•Panama Tourism Authority-Issued Numbered Registration Sticker: All vehicles display an official sticker, certifying their suitability for tourist transportation.

### **Our Drivers Are Equipped With:**

•Type "I" Driver's License: Specialized licensing for transporting tourists safely.

•Uniforms: Professional attire to represent our commitment to high standards.

### **Our Guides Are Certified In:**

•Basic First Aid: Prepared to provide initial emergency care.

•Second Language Proficiency: Ensuring smooth communication with a broader range of tourists.

•Panama Tourism Authority's General Tourist Knowledge Certificate: Validates our guides' expertise and knowledge of local tourist attractions.

•Uniforms: Worn to maintain a professional appearance and easily identifiable service.



Incentive Travel is our passion: We strive to remove the stress of operating events outside your comfort zone. We have become an extension of your company and have the expertise to handle your most complex requirements. Leverage our local knowledge and vast network of highly specialized suppliers to create enduring memories...

### EXPERIENCE

Founded in 1971, we are the most experienced DMC operating in Panama. We know our way around and understand what, when, and how to make every event a successful event.

### COMMITMENT

It is not just "a business"; it is a family-owned and operated business that takes care of clients because our good name and reputation depend on it.

Proud member













### RELIABLE

Among the few DMCs awarded the Quality Assurance Certification from the Panama Tourism Authority, we deliver on our promises time after time.



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