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40 persons

Panama City

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HOTEL ACCOMMODATION

The Westin Playa Bonita



Looking for the best of both worlds? The Westin Playa Bonita, Panama is the whole package, offering serenity and adventure. Enjoy the feeling of seclusion while lying on the golden sand, surrounded by a lush, tropical rain forest. Or call upon your inner culture junkie and head out to explore the rich Panamanian history and excitement that lies just beyond the resort. Located only 20 minutes from bustling Panama City, the Westin allows you to live off the beaten path but offers a quick road back to the city lights if you're feeling lost without some hustle and bustl

The 611 luxurious accommodations at Westin Playa Bonita, Panama all feature Westin Heavenly Beds®, Heavenly Bath and a balcony with stunning ocean or tropical evergreen forest views.

The 4 infinity pools give you that luxurious vacation feeling and the swim-up bar is an added bonus to pool-time fun.

The Westin Playa Bonita gives you the serenity found on a golden sandy beach and awesome pools, and the adventure found at nearby excursions, all on the same trip.

		Qty	Nts	
Porterage (in/out)		40		
Registration fee		40		

JW Marriott



Located on Panama Bay, this 5-star hotel features a variety of on-site restaurants. Spacious modern rooms boast private balconies and ocean views.


JW Marriott Panama offers its guests the possibility to relax in the large pool and deck area which also offers waterfront dining. The hotel includes a full floor of designer shops.


Each room provides a 42-inch flat-screen HDTV with a CD/DVD player at the JW Marriott Panama. Marble floors, granite countertops and a deep soaking tub are also provided.

Dining options consist of seafood at Tejas and local dishes at Barcelona. Cava 15 offers a wine bar and Azul serves American cuisine.

Tocumen International Airport is 15.3 km from the hotel and Parque Recreativo OMAR is 1.6 km away.

		Qty	Nts	
Porterage (in/out)				

Registration fee				
W Panama				
		<p><i>Centrally located in the heart of the business district, W Panama proudly disrupts the skyline of the city, the Evolution Tower stands at 50 stories with an eye catching crown of gold. Guests are just steps away from the bars and restaurants of vibrant Uruguay Street, or break out and catch a quick ride to Casco Viejo, where classic colonial plazas hide wild rooftop destinations. Discover a new world as you walk into the W Panama, taking it all in as historic Panamanian elements get reconstructed in a decidedly W style.</i></p>		
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Porterage (in/out)				
Registration fee				

DAY 1 - 27th SEPTEMBER 2019, FRIDAY				
Panama Tocumen Airport Hotel Arrival Transfer				
		<p>Panama is a key connecting point for travel throughout Latin America, with its largest airport, Tocumen International, being the busiest in Central America. Located on the outskirts of Panama City and currently is undergoing a major expansion, the airport is home to Copa Airlines, which 180 flights to 55 destinations in 27 countries, the most extensive service available in the region. Its routes are complemented by more than 20 other airlines, which serve Tocumen from Europe and the Americas.</p>		
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English Speaking Escort to accompany guests on the way to/from hotel		1		
Meet and Greet (2 pax) 4 hours		1		

Welcome Panamanian Folklore Dinner at Tinajas Restaurant



Panama has been a melting pot for several cultures. Originally, native indian groups created their acoustic instruments using parts of plants and shells of different animals, and later Spanish conquerors brought their influence from the Old World. The Afro-Caribbeans also contributed to it when they came for the Canal construction. These and other small groups gave birth to, what is today, one of the most attractive and folkloric heritages of Latin America.

Enjoy the fabulous show while tasting excellent Panamanian cuisine.

		Qty	
Dinner		40	

OPTIONAL: Jazz Night with Jazz Diva Idania Dowman



The Panamanian lady of jazz and her band brings a special show focused on International music and Jazz.

Jazz night with Panamanian Jazz Diva Idania Dowman and her band to make your gala dinner night unforgettable experience.

Internationally acclaimed vocalist, Idania Dowman comes from a popular musical family. She represents the continuation of the legacy of her late father, Byron Dowman, commonly known as Lord Byron, and her mother, Erenia Dowman Mendez.

Her father was a singer, and then lead vocalist in the chorus of the orchestra Nueva Alegria de Panama.

		Qty	
Jazz Evening (rate to be reconfirmed)			

DAY 2 - 28th SEPTEMBER 2019, SATURDAY

10:00 - 18:00 Transport & Guide Full day Usage (8 hours)

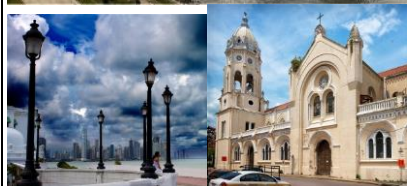


Due to the traffic situation all transportation is ordered 1 hour prior departure. Guides will be available 30 minutes prior departure. Please kindly note that we always recommend to have a guide/assistant for bus dispatching as drivers do not speak English. Surcharge after midnight hours is according to specification below. All additional hours are charged additionally. In case of full day usage price for meals of drivers & guides might be charged. Mineral water will be supplied only upon extra request. Please note that it is prohibited to drink and eat in some vehicles. In case of more than three vehicles, we strongly recommend have an additional assistant, who will provide coordination at each stop. Transport and guide usage after 23:00 (11 pm) till 8:00 (8 am) - is charged as + 50 % per each additional hour. NB! The vehicles presented on the pictures are samples of used but not necessarily provided during the actual transportation.

		Qty	
English Speaking Guide		1	

Transport		1
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10:00 Panama City Tour with Panama Canal Visit



Panama City was founded in the XVI century by Spanish conquistadors. It was the first Spanish port on the Pacific. Now the capital has two towns: the “old town” (Panamá Viejo) and the “new town” (Casco Antiguo, Spanish for Old Quarter). The Panamá Viejo is an exceptional testimony of colonial town planning; the ruins of its cathedral, convents and public buildings showcase unique technological and stylistic characteristics of its temporal and cultural context; and Old Quarter represents a significant stage in the development of Spanish colonial style. Both Panamá Viejo and Old Quarter have been declared UNESCO World Heritage sites.

The 6-hour city tour includes the Miraflores Locks at the Panama Canal Visitors Center. It is the perfect place to witness how the Panama Canal works. From the observation decks, visitors may watch the lock gates open and close as vessels begin or end their transit. Through the exhibitions, you can learn about the Panama Canal’s history, its impact on international trade, how it works, its close relationship with nature and the Canal Expansion. A 3D movie portrays the story of the waterway.

We will visit old and modern parts of the city, starting from the Former Canal Zone where the Americans lived during the construction of the Panama Canal, and ending with the Balboa Avenue, one of the most beautiful streets of the city along the bay.

The historic quarter of Panama City, Casco Antiguo, is a colorful neighborhood with nice avenues, parks, and squares. You will visit National Theater of Panama, France Plaza, San Jose Church with the famous Gold Altar, Bolivar Plaza, and Cathedral Plaza with the Panama Canal Museum.

Then, we will go up Ancon Hill, the highest point in the Panama City, which offers amazing views. ! Ancon Hill is done only for group of not more than 10 pax as big buses are not allowed to the observation deck.

Then, we will go to Amador Causeway, one of the most interesting parts of the city. It's a long, winding road that connects three smaller islands: Naos, Perico, and Flamenco.

Included: Balboa, Modern Panama, Old Quarter, Amador Causeway, The Americas Bridge, Panama Canal.

Tour starts at 8 am. The excursion lasts 6 hours.

The lunch is not included.

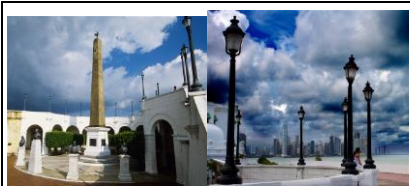
10:30 Casco Viejo



In 1671, after the Pirate Henry Morgan attacked, looted and destroyed the Old City, Panama Viejo. Its residents and settlers, desperate for a safer and easier location to defend themselves against future seige, decided on what is now Casco Viejo (The Old Quarter).

This unique walled city, consisting of 16th & 17th Century Spanish Colonial Architecture, is a gem which was unknown to most of the outside world until 1997 when UNESCO named Casco Viejo a World Heritage Site. Shortly there after, investments and foreign expats started to poor into Casco Viejo (at that time a deteriorating slum which most Panamanians wouldn't dare visit) in what has been one of the greatest and fastest urban revitalizations in all of the Americas!

Today, Casco Viejo (aka. Casco Antiguo, San Felipe or El Casco) is a vibrant community consisting of a sharp contrast of old and new, local and foreign. The buildings are in various stages or redevelopment and renovation, with a strictly enforced standard of Historical Authenticity. There is tremendous culture and a feeling which is unique only to this neighborhood in Panama.



11:00 Stop at Mercado de Mariscos with optional seafood tasting



A vibrant market with lots of action as fishmongers shout while they deftly fillet corvina, tuna or octopus. Upstairs, there's a restaurant and food stands selling seafood snacks like ceviche (RESTAURANTE DEL MERCADO DEL MARISCO).

12:00 Biodiversity Museum



The Biomuseo is the latest cultural and eco-tourism destination! The Biomuseo is situated within view of the Pacific Ocean to the east and the entrance to the Panama Canal to the west, placing it at the forefront of a new cultural and eco-tourist center for the region.

The Biomuseo is the latest interactive museum conceived by Gehry, whose projects in Bilbao, Spain and other cities have help to revitalize cultural centers.

At the heart of Frank Gehry's design for the Biomuseo is a public outdoor atrium covered by a lively assemblage of metal canopies in different shapes and strong colors: blue, red, yellow, green.

The museum has a public a 6-acre (2.4-hectare) Biodiversity Park.

ticket

Qty

40


13:30 Atlantic & Pacific Co Restaurant with the view to Panama Canal



Atlantic&Pacific Co is an outstanding restaurant at the Panama Canal Miraflores Visitors Center. The view at this restaurant is so exciting: you will enjoy delicious international and panamanian food while watching the vessels go through the Panama Canal Locks. Restaurant uses only locally-grown organic produce. Dishes are prepared fresh daily with produce from the local Farmer's Market.

It offers buffet for lunch and a-la carte for dinner

Capacity - maximum 250 persons

		Qty	
Buffet Lunch - estimated		40	
15:00 Panama Canal Visit (Miraflores Locks)			
	<p>Miraflores Locks at the Panama Canal Visitors Center is the perfect place to witness how the Panama Canal works. From the observation decks, visitors may watch the lock gates open and close as vessels begin or end their transit. Through the exhibitions, you can learn about the Panama Canal's history, its impact on international trade, how it works, its close relationship with nature and the Canal Expansion. A 3D movie portrays the story of the waterway.</p> <p>We will visit old and modern parts of the city, starting from the Former Canal Zone where the Americans lived during the construction of the Panama Canal, and ending with the Balboa Avenue, one of the most beautiful streets of the city along the bay.</p>		
		Qty	
Miraflores Entrance		40	
17:30 Panama Viejo Historical Monument Complex			
	<p>The Panama Viejo Historical Monument Complex, designated as such by Law 91 of December 1976 and also known as the Panama Viejo Archaeological Site or as Panama La Vieja, is located within the modern city of Panama, between the mouths of the rivers Algarrobo and Abajo, in front of the Pacific Ocean, at the narrowest part of the Isthmus.</p> <p>The site includes the ruins of the first European settlement on the Pacific Coast of the Americas, as well as traces of the first inhabitants of the Isthmus. Panama City was founded by Pedrarias Dávila on August 15th 1519, and reached 10,000 inhabitants in the XVII century.</p> <p>Initially Panama's function was closely linked to the conquest expeditions that were heading to South America, but its strategic role as the axis of one of the most important commercial routes of the time placed the city in a privileged position and marked from then on its destiny as a territory at the service of international transit.</p> <p>In 1671 the city was destroyed by an attack led by the English pirate Henry Morgan, and it was never rebuilt. The remains of the old city were abandoned for more than two centuries. This radical abandonment allowed for the long-term conservation of the historical and archaeological remains of the important buildings and structures, while the city's activity was transferred to what is currently known as the Old Quarter or Casco Antiguo.</p> <p>The city of Panama, towards the XVII century, had an approximate area of 60 hectares. Currently the Panama Viejo Historical Monument Complex covers around 28 hectares that include the ruins of some of the most important buildings of the Colonial period, as well as the archaeological traces of the pre-Hispanic and Colonial periods. On July 5th 2003 the UNESCO World Heritage Committee added the Panama Viejo Archaeological Site the World Heritage list as an extension of Panama's Historic District.</p>		
		Qty	
Panama La Vieja Entrance		40	

19:30 Dinner in La Concordia rooftop



One of La Concordia's highlights can be found at the rooftop, a place from which Panama City will narrate its own story. This gastro lounge offers a wide variety of cocktails and fusion tapas, hookahs and live music to enchant your night out in Casco Viejo. The striking 360° view of Panama City's skyline offers a priceless way to admire the city's iconic landmarks –Casco Viejo, Punta Pacifica, Frank Gehry's Biodiversity Museum, the cathedral, the island of Taboga and Cerro Ancon– all while presenting the perfect atmosphere to unwind and get lost in the breathtaking landscape.

		Qty	
Dinner		40	

DAY 3 - 29th SEPTEMBER 2019, SUNDAY

08:00 Anton Valley (Cocle Province)



Panama City and the Cocle Province of Panama are two different worlds. The capital is known as a fast-growing modern city, and on the province is quiet and calm, very cozy and slow. Anton Valley is an inhabited volcano crater. It is a picturesque town located on 750 m above the sea level; it has its particular microclimate that makes everything here so spectacular.

El Valle is also known for its weekend markets, when dozens of indigenous Indian communities bring their wares to sell, including the Ngobe Bugle carved woods and soapstone figures, the Embera basketry, the Kuna molas, Panama hats, hammocks, and bamboo bird cages.

One of Anton Valley's favorite tourist attractions is the legendary Sleeping Indian Girl, a mountain that is shaped like a sleeping girl. Beautiful views, fresh air, abundant flora and fauna – visiting this place is a must do in Panama.

On the way to Anton Valley we stop at Quesos Chela, a place famous for their fresh homemade cheese. We also visit the Industrial Park full of the metal sculptures. The lunch isn't included, but we'll give you some options to choose and time for lunch.

Includes:

Transfer Panama City – Anton Valley – Panama City.

Central Market / Souvenirs Market.

The Chorro del Macho Waterfall.

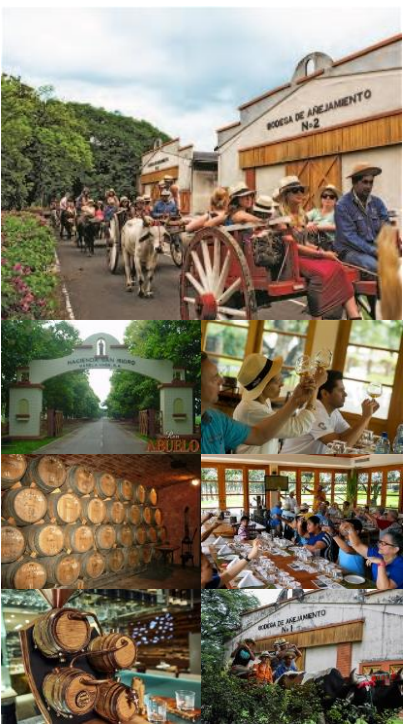

Petroglyphs and swimming in a mountain river.

El Nispero Botanical Garden & Zoo. Butterflies nursery.

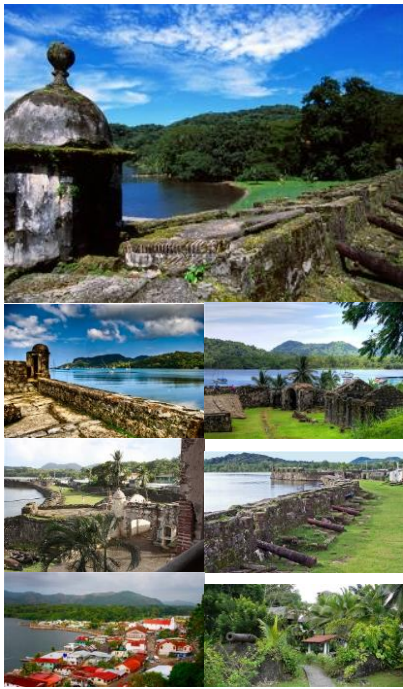
Hot springs.

The lunch is not included.

		Qty	
Tour (for groups from 10 pax)		40	
Lunch		40	

OPTIONAL: Abuelo Rum Tour (from town of Chitre, Herrera Province)			
		<p>Varela Hermanos was founded in 1908 in the hacienda San Isidoro, where Panama's best rum, Ron Abuelo, has been produced for more than 100 years.</p> <p>You will tour the distillery in order to see the different steps that are necessary to produce liquor from sugar cane: grinding, fermenting and distilling. Then, you will visit the bodega where the rum ages in oak barrels. Now is the time to try the different rums produced at Hacienda San Isidro. After the rum tasting, a traditional Panamanian lunch and an open-bar of rum and seco-based drinks round off this exciting tour.</p>	
			Qty
Tour (10+ pax)			
OPTIONAL: Embera Indians Village at Chagres			
		<p>It's the best way to go back in time to the beginnings of the civilization. You will go wild with this outstanding tour to the heart of the jungle, to where the native Panamanian Indians still live in total harmony with Mother Nature in the village of Tusipono in the Chagres National Park.</p> <p>This tour will get you out of the XXI century comfort zone and will make you look differently at the magic of life.</p> <p>You will learn about the pre-Columbian history of Panama, the origin of the Embera tribe, their customs and traditions. They make incredibly beautiful and sophisticated baskets, tagua nut carvings, necklaces, bracelets, etc.</p> <p>Refresh your mind and body in cool and crystal clean waters of a tropical waterfall, dance with the Indians their ancient dances, try delicious local food, feel the fresh air on your face and get totally renewed at the Chagres National Park.</p> <p>The lunch is included. Guide english or Spanish is included</p> <p>Pick up from the hotel at 08:00 AM. Back to the hotel at 04:00 PM.</p> <p>We highly recommend wearing closed running shoes with laces. On the way to the waterfall, you have to cross the river. Be ready to get your shoes wet, the level of the river may vary according to the season.</p>	
			Qty
Tour (for groups from 10 pax)			

OPTIONAL: Portobelo and the Carribean beach (Colon)



The Caribbean side of Panama with beautiful virgin beaches, islands and bays, will tell you about the history and the conquest of Portobelo.

Portobello ("Beautiful Port") named by Christopher Columbus on his fourth New World Voyage. This is one of Panama's most historic places. There are extensive ruins of old fortifications, complete with cannons. This was the principal Spanish Port where the Camino Real ended and it was here that all the treasures of the Americass were brought to be stored in huge warehouses whilst awaiting shipment back to Spain. Naturally it proved to be an irresistible target for Pirates.

Once a destination for huge amounts of gold and riches extracted by the Spanish from the South America, Portobelo was subject to numerous raids and was highly coveted by notorious pirates such as Francis Drake, Henry Morgan, and Edward Vernon. Trying to save his treasures from the pirates, King Philipp II of Spain ordered a fortress to be built on the Caribbean coast. Some of these forts can be seen nowadays including San Lorenzo, San Geronimo, Santiago de la Gloria, San Fernando, and San Fernandin.

In 1980, the ruins of the fortification, along with the nearby San Lorenzo Fort, were declared a UNESCO World Heritage site.

Portobelo, on the other hand, is an old colonial town with rich Afro-Panamanian traditions including delicious Caribbean-style gastronomy.

We will tour the impressive sights including San Geronimo, Santiago de la Gloria, San Fernando and San Fernandin forts. Some of Portobello's favorite tourist attractions are the Royal Customs house and San Felipe Church, also known as the Black Christ Church.

Includes:

Transportation + English-speaking guide.

The Royal Customs house.

The Black Christ Church.

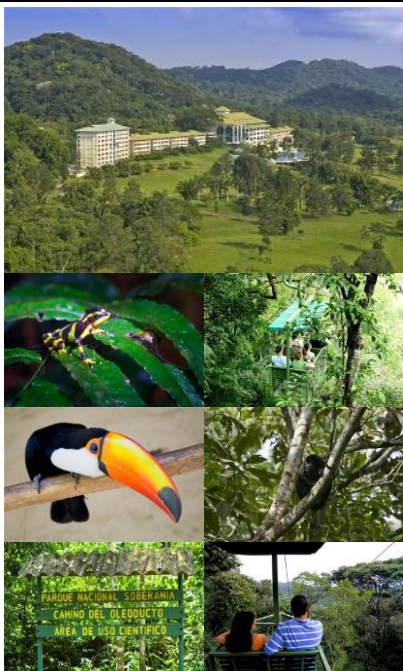
Santiago de la Gloria and San Geronimo forts.

Casa Congo Gallery & Workshop.

Excursion (from 10 pax)

Qty

OPTIONAL: Soberania National Park & Gamboa



The transfer from the capital to the Gamboa Rainforest Resort takes 40 minutes; we pick you up from your hotel at 07:40 AM. First, you tour the Chagres River by motor launch heading towards the Monkeys Island to see wildlife. Here you will find abundant fauna represented by tortoises, crocodiles, different birds, sloths, iguanas, and several kinds of monkeys such as capuchins, tamarins, and howlers monkeys. This part of the tour takes approximately 90 minutes.


Then, we will go back to the Gamboa Rainforest Resort where the aerial tram tour starts. We will see the forest from a breathtaking perspective, while sitting comfortably in the Swiss-engineered aerial tram system. Gliding smoothly through the treetops, you will experience the sounds and peace of the tropical rainforest firsthand. You will discover the splendid panoramic views of the Chagres River, the Panama Canal, the Embera Indians Village, and the town of Gamboa.

On our way back we visit the aquarium, the serpentarium, butterflies expositions, and the orchids nursery. This part of the tour takes approximately 2,5 hours.

After the tour, we recommend trying delicious seafood in the Lagartos restaurant on the Chagres River.

NB! Cable cars are closed on Mondays

After we can lunch at restaurant Lagartos (sea food) on the Chagres river. It is not included.

	<p><i>Transportation + English-speaking guide.</i></p> <p><i>Boat tour on Gatun Lake.</i></p> <p><i>Aerial tram through the rainforest.</i></p> <p><i>Ecological expositions: orchid, butterflies, and frog nurseries.</i></p> <p><i>Transfer to Panama City. You will get back to your hotel approximately at 17:00 .</i></p> <p><i>Guide english or Spanish included</i></p>		
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