

9 Day Costa Rica Sampler – Nov 27 to Dec 5, 2010
\$1,299CAD – Land + cost of air from your city
Pricing is for double occupancy or willing to share

Single Occupancy – Add \$369CAD

An action-packed and varied tour of some of Costa Rica's must-see highlights, with amazing wildlife, intense volcanic landscapes and superb Pacific beaches. If you are a traveller with limited time and a desire to explore Costa Rica's lush interior in comfort, then this is the tour for you.

Day 1 Arrive San José

Arrive in San José at any time.

Day 2-3 La Fortuna / Arenal (2B)

La Fortuna, at the foot of Arenal Volcano, is an excellent base to start exploring this exciting and activity-packed area. Take an unforgettable hike around the base of the still-active Arenal Volcano, accompanied by the sounds of monkeys in the trees above and the distant rumbling of the volcano. Also included is a relaxing soak in lush cascading hot springs. Optional activities include a day of white water rafting, horseback riding or a boat tour of the Caño Negro Wildlife Refuge.

Day 4-5 Monteverde (2B)

Climb into the misty mountain air of the Monteverde. Explore the town and enjoy a guided tour of the Santa Elena Cloud Forest Reserve, which is known for its rare, pristine ecosystem. Tour a coffee farm and learn more about Costa Rican java.

Day 6-7 Quepos / Manuel Antonio National Park (2B)

Enjoy your stay in Quepos, Costa Rica's well known beach town. Its neighbour, Manuel Antonio National Park, is only a few minutes away and famous for its white sand beaches and exuberant wildlife. The tropical vegetation, abrupt headlands and well-maintained trail system offer superb hiking and wildlife viewing, while the warm turquoise water is ideal for swimming, sea kayaking, boogie boarding and surfing.

Day 8 San José (B)

Drive by private van back to San José in time to head out for one final night on the town.

Day 9 Depart San José (B)

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