



Pre&post excursions for Buyers and suppliers of Travel Mart Latin America – Guayaquil 2017 Costo P/P: \$ 50.00

Churute Ecological Reserve & Canclon site: Are located only 32 miles from Guayaquil, with 38,000 hectares of mangroves and 12,000 of forest. It is one of the most important mangrove reserves of the country.

Itinerary:

7:30 a.m.: Departure from your hotel. During our ride, you will observe banana plantations, cacao bean & sugar canes farms on both sides of the road.

Once we arrive to Churute we will visit la Lagartera Dam to observe one of the emblematic birds “Horned Screamer or Canclon”, also species as Comb duck, Sabena Hawk amongst other birds

During our visit, walk through the Hawley Monkey Trail to spot them and see the dry the forest. after the visit, we will drive to the tourist dock where You will board the motor canoe that will take you to the estuaries. During the navigation, you will observe some crab catchers & fishermen and several species of birds such as the Neo Tropic Cormorant, King Fishers, Ospreys, herons, Roseate Spoonbill which is the Queen of the mangrove forest. Once we finish here we will drive towards Cacao & Mango Farm where you will enjoy a typical lunch, learn how to harvest the cacao, its process and how to produce your own chocolate.

Return to Guayaquil about 5:30 p.m.

The excursion includes:

Private transportation

Motor canoe ride.

Bilingual Naturalist Guide

Meals: Fruits, water and lunch

Duration: 7 hours

What to bring: Long sleeves shirts, long pants, hat, insect repellent, sun block, binoculars and trekking shoes



Hiking and Stand Up Paddle Board at Cerro Blanco Forest

Cost P/P \$ 50.00

Cerro Blanco or “White Hill” is a private reserve administered by Holcin. This consists of six thousand hectares of tropical dry forest for conservancy and eco tourism purpose. It is the habitat of mammals and birds, its terrain goes from sea level to an elevation of 2000 feet, there are several trails for nature lovers and birders.

Box lunch will be served in reserve, after it you will be transferred to El Lago, located only 5 miles away where you will enjoy birding and Stand Up paddle board

Certificated instructors and Naturalist Guides will make sure you enjoy the experience of hiking, birding and paddle board

The excursion includes:

Private transportation

Bilingual Naturalist Guide

Meals: Water and box lunch

Stand up paddle board equipment (board, leash, paddle and vest)

Birding list

Scope

Duration: 7 hours

What to bring: binoculars, long sleeves shirt, long pants, bathing suit, towels, hat, sun block and insect repellent

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