



Costa Rica: A Trove of Tropical Birds--and More
February 7-18, 2020
Optional Extension: February 18-21, 2020

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COST SHEET

Members - - - - - \$3725 per person double occupancy
Nonmembers - - - - - \$3825 per person double occupancy
Single room supplement (limited availability) - - - \$480
Optional Extension (through February 21) - - - - \$800 per person double occupancy
Optional Extension/Single supplement- - - \$125

Members' rate is for members of the Audubon Naturalist Society. Nonmembers are encouraged to join, but may choose to pay nonmembers' supplement of \$100. We will try to provide a roommate for a person who would like to share a room. We will not ask a nonsmoker to share a room with a smoker unless the nonsmoker expresses a willingness to do so. If a roommate cannot be found, the trip participant using a single room will be required to pay the single room supplement. **The number of single rooms is limited.**

COSTS INCLUDE: All ground transportation in Costa Rica using a private mini-bus with professional driver, accommodations, admissions, one boat trip, all but two meals, expert leadership, and trip materials.

NOT INCLUDED: Round-trip transportation from your home to San Jose, Costa Rica and your return trip home; beverages other than those included with meals; gratuities; baggage handling; telephone calls; special services; and other items of a personal nature. Tips are customary in Costa Rica and most travelers choose to give the Costa Rican guides generous tips.

REGISTRATION: Please register by filling out the attached registration form and sending it to the Audubon Naturalist Society with a \$500 per person deposit. We're sorry, we cannot accept credit card payment for our travel programs. Space is limited to 12 and registration is on a first-come, first-served basis. Registration deadline is November 7, 2019.

FINAL PAYMENT: Final Payment (full cost, less deposit) is due November 23, 2019.

CANCELLATION: **Fees less a \$200 administrative charge** will be refunded to registered participants who cancel prior to the registration deadline, November 7, 2019. Refunds for later cancellations are based on non-refundable deposits we may have paid and finding a replacement for your spot; if a replacement is found, only the \$200 charge will be withheld. Cancellation notice must be received in writing 30 days before the scheduled departure date to guarantee any possible refund. We strongly recommend travel insurance for all of our trips, especially one that has a trip cancellation option.

AIR TRAVEL: Participants are responsible for arranging their own flights to and from San Jose, Costa Rica. Arrangements for air travel may be made through a travel agent, directly through the airlines, or by internet. We will send recommendations for air travel to all registered program participants. Let us know if you need guidance. Please do not purchase non-refundable air tickets until assured that the trip will run as planned.

PRICING POLICY: All prices are subject to change. If we are forced to increase the price, you have the option to cancel with full refund.

RESPONSIBILITY CLAUSE

The Audubon Naturalist Society and its associated agents act only in the capacity as Agent upon the legal conditions that, while exercising every possible precaution, they are not responsible for injury, damage, loss, additional expense, accidental delay, or other irregularities which may be caused either through willful or negligent acts or omissions on the part of companies or individuals providing or engaging in transportation, accommodations, or other services related to the execution of the trip, or through natural calamities, war, civil unrest, labor strikes, and other factors beyond their control. The Audubon Naturalist Society reserves the right to modify or withdraw any tour arrangement when deemed necessary for the best interests of the client. Baggage is carried at the owner's risk on the foray.

The right is reserved to decline, accept, or retain any participant for any reason which affects the operation of the trip or the rights, safety, welfare, and enjoyment of all members of the trip, and a refund of the **recoverable** land services is the limit of the Audubon Naturalist Society's responsibility.