



# Real Affordable Costa Rica:

San José, Sarapiquí, La Fortuna,  
Guanacaste, Pacific Coast  
March 18- April 2, 2025

**Small Group Adventure:** Average of just 13 travelers per trip. Costa Rica contains an astonishing variety of landscapes for a country of its size, from ocean beaches to tropical forests and volcanic mountains, and its friendly people who call themselves Ticos, have created a stable, peaceful democracy. On this adventure, you'll delve into the heart and soul of your destination. Interacting with local people and gaining insight into their culture, our small group size allows us to go beyond the tourist track, exploring the regions hidden gems and heading off the beaten path for spontaneous experiences. All on a discovery filled itinerary offered at an unbeatable value.

Our adventure begins in the country's capital San Jose. Where we'll meet our trip leader and begin our adventure. We'll connect with local people in nearby San Antonio de Escazu, then journey to Sarapiquí in the lowland tropical rainforest. Then we discover the rural villages and fertile farmland of Cachagua and moved to the majestic Arenal volcano.

In the geothermal region of Guanacaste Province, we'll enjoy a horseback ride, then conclude our journey on the Pacific Coast, where we explore Punta Leona's private nature reserve, known for its beaches and coastal rainforest. You'll also be amazed by Costa Rica's natural diversity on a gentle rafting trip on the real sarapiquí and a boat cruise on the Rio Frio. We'll come face to face with some of the most fascinating flora and fauna of the jungle on a nature walk in the Killina biological Reserve. We'll have the chance to spot colorful birds. Including toucans. And at Punta Leona, on the central Pacific Coast, we'll walk along nature trails, watching for species such as coatimundis spider monkeys, iguanas and many kinds of birds. Space on this adventure is truly limited. Reserve your space today [on our website](#) or call (269) 209-5889.



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## Snapshot Itinerary: Real Affordable Costa Rica: San José, Sarapiquí, La Fortuna, Guanacaste, Pacific Coast

Travel Dates: *March 18- April 2, 2025*

Day 1 – Depart U.S. • Arrive San José, Costa Rica

Day 2 – Discover Escazú • Explore San José

Day 3 – Explore Poás • Visit Coffee Finca • Overland to Sarapiquí

Day 4 – River rafting • Controversial Topic: The Dangers of Monoculture crops • Pineapple Farm Optional Tour

Day 5 – Tirimbina Nature Walk • Travel to Chachagua

Day 6 – A Day in the Life of San Juan de Peñas Blancas Village • Grand Circle Foundation Visit: San Juan de Peñas Blancas school • Home-Hosted Lunch



Day 7 – Travel to La Fortuna • Arenal Volcano National Park • Optional Forest Canopy Ride Forest Canopy Tour

Day 8 – Cruise the Río Frío

Day 9 – La Fortuna • Cacao farm visit • Travel to Alajuela

Day 10 – Alajuela • Horseback ride to waterfall • Visit a Local Cantina

Day 11 – Travel to Pacific Coast

Day 12 – Punta Leona Nature Reserve • Rio Tarcoles Crocodile Cruise

Day 13 – Outrigger Canoe ride • Overland to San José

Day 14 – San José • Return to U.S.

**COVID-19 UPDATE:** Good news! COVID-19 vaccines are no longer required for trips departing on or after 1/1/24. To learn more about our COVID vaccine policy, which is set by our providers, call us at (269) 209-5889. As always, we will be happy to answer your questions and provide more information. Thank you!



**REMINDER:** *Space for this special journey is available on a first-come, first-serve basis and is truly limited. To reserve your place today, please call Curtis Whitaker at (269) 209-5889. Welcome!*



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## Pricing Summary & Trip Dates

**Trip Name:** Costa Rica: San José, Sarapiquí,  
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**Trip Dates:** March 18- April 2, 2025

**Base Trip Cost:** \$3,195

**Rd. Trip Airfare:** \$1,150 (from Detroit Metro Airport)

**Trip Cancellation Coverage** – Trip cancellation insurance is not required but is highly recommended. For details, please visit [www.oattravel.com](http://www.oattravel.com) or call Curtis Whitaker at (269) 209-5889.

**Reservation Deposit:** The deposit to reserve your space on this trip is \$500 per person, fully refundable until 90 days prior to departure.

**Need Help?** For personal assistance or more information about this trip in the meantime, call Curtis Whitaker at (269) 209-5889 during regular business hours.



## TOUR RESERVATION POLICY:

Reservations can be made by calling Curtis Whitaker at (269) 209-5889. A \$500 deposit is required to guarantee your place (credit cards accepted). Remaining balance due 90 days before departure.

**Note:** The information, dates and prices provided in this document are estimates only based on currently available information. All prices and itinerary details are subject to change pending the release of 2025 dates and pricing. All pricing is listed per person.

**Pricing Disclaimer:** Every effort will be made to provide accurate pricing information. Operator reserves the right to correct promotional or pricing errors at any time, or to increase the trip price in the event of cost increases, currency fluctuations, venue fee increases, taxes, or fuel surcharges, or other reasons, unless you pre-paid according to the terms of the Good Buy Plan prior to the cost increase going into effect. For more information, please call Curtis Whitaker at (269) 209-5889.

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