

## November to May | Tuesday to Saturday

# Day 1: Tuesday IQUITOS / NAUTA / EMBARKATION

Arriving on a morning flight\*, receive a warm welcome at lquitos International Airport by our crew and enjoy lunch at a local restaurant. The afternoon continues with an introduction to the historic city of lquitos and the opportunity to visit an indigenous Amazon community.

In the early evening, embark the Aqua Nera and settle into your generously-sized suite as you begin one of life's greatest adventures. Following an introduction to our naturalist guides and a routine safety drill, gather at the restaurant for the first of many Amazonian cuisine experiences created by Aqua Nera consulting chef Pedro Miguel Schiaffino, whose restaurant, ámaZ, is one of Peru's most renowned dining establishments.

### Notes

**Recommended Flights** Lima to Iquitos LATAM – LA2240

#### Inclusions

Dinner

Group transfer between airport and port if booked on our recommended flights.

\*Separate arrangements can be made for afternoon arrivals.



Day 2: Wednesday YANAYACU-PUCATE RIVER / LISBOA TOWN Rise with the sun for an early morning birdwatching along the Marañon River and enjoy breakfast in the middle of the jungle. Later, swim, canoe or kayak in Yanayacu-Pucate River as we look for the legendary pink river dolphins. In the afternoon, come with

us to an Amazonian village, to interact with the native people and

# Day 3: Thursday SAMIRIA RIVER

visit local schoolchildren.

The rewards for our early start today are plentiful: a full day excursion including a picnic lunch that is accompanied by the jungle symphony, and fishing along the black waters of the Samiria River. On the way back to the Marañon River after lunch, we venture out by skiffs alongside the banana boats transporting jungle products, keeping an eye out for pink river dolphins.

Day 4 Friday NAUTA CAÑO RIVER / JUNGLE WALK IN CASUAL As the day begins, embark on a morning wildlife excursion on the extraordinary black water Nauta Caño River. In the afternoon, we will take a jungle walk on the firm soil forest of Casual while looking for flora and fauna which may include medicinal trees, insects and poison dart frogs. Learn more about the different rainforest strata and ecosystems. At night, focus our hi-tech telescope on the sky to identify the stars, planets and the milky way.

# Day 5: Saturday ARRIVAL IN IQUITOS / MANATEE RESCUE CENTER / TRANSFER TO THE AIRPORT

In the morning, take a guided visit to the local market and marvel at the regional produce of the Peruvian Amazon, and sample exotic snacks if you wish.

Return to the Aqua Nera for breakfast before disembarkation. En route to the airport, visit the Manatee Rescue Center, where orphaned Amazonian manatees rehabilitate before they are released back into the wild.

Note: All itineraries are subject to change, due to weather and other conditions. Flight arrangements and timings are subject to change at the carrier's discretion.



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## **Recommended Flights**

Iquitos to Lima LATAM – LA2241