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North Pantanal Araras Lodge 3 nights

Pantanal (swampland and shallows, actually an alluvial plain) is a vast wetlands in the center of South America with around 130,000 sq. kilometers (50,000 sq. miles) in Brazil. A perfect ecological niche for a great number of birds, reptiles and other animals to the delight of wildlife watchers and photographers. Transpantaneira, a raised dirt road crossing more than 100 small wooden bridges which ends 147 km (90 miles) from Poconé to Porto Jofre, penetrates deep into the Pantanal Bioma.



Duration time: 4 day(s), 3 night(s)

Departures on: Sunday, Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, Saturday

Program:

1st Day – .../CUIABA – ARARAS ECO LODGE - Arrival at Cuiabá Airport and transfer to Pantanal lowlands. While crossing the area, it is possible to spot and appreciate the local flora & fauna. Late afternoon hike through surrounding area to a 12 m observation tower and a spectacular view of sunset. After dinner, night tour to observe nocturnal environment. Overnight at Araras Eco Lodge

2nd Day – ARARAS ECO LODGE - Full day dedicated to observing the Pantanal's flora & fauna at the Araras Eco Lodge private reserve. After breakfast, the guide will lead you on a 2 to 3 hour horseback ride through the pastures, woods and wetlands. Lunch at the lodge. In the afternoon, the guide will lead you on a hike in a different area of the private reserve, allowing you to observe and learn more of the local environment. Overnight

3rd Day - ARARAS ECO LODGE - After breakfast travel down private dirt roads, to Sentinela Camp on the edge of the Rio Clarinho. Canoe tour to spot aquatic wildlife, birds and flora; possibility of piranha fishing. Brazilian churrasco style picnic lunch along the banks of the river. Return to the lodge for dinner and overnight.

4th Day - ARARAS ECO LODGE – CUIABÁ /... - After breakfast, photo-safari along the Transpantaneira Park Road and return to Cuiabá. Drop off at airport.

General Information:

Included:

transfers;

03 nights at Araras Eco Lodge with full board ;

all the tours described in the program;

English speaking guide and travel insurance

Not included:

meals during transfers and in Cuiabá, drinks; phone calls; and other personal expenses