

COMMUNITY-BASED TOURISM



DISCOVERING NATURE AT PARQUE AMBORO



Route: Ecotourism
Duration: 3 days / 2 nights
Starts and ends in Santa Cruz
(or Cochabamba)
Guide: Spanish-speaking
Difficulty: Easy
Comfort: Regular



DAY 1

At 08:00 a.m. we leave Santa Cruz and head to Buena Vista (a 2 hours ride) where we have a short coffee break at that coffee-growing village. Then we continue our trip to River Surutú where we take our ecological transport to La Chonta hostel. Accommodation and break before lunch that will be prepared by community-based ladies. In the afternoon we go for a walk to River Saguayo along a path where you can watch local fauna and flora, especially birds and mammals. You can also enjoy a refreshing swim in the crystalline waters of natural pools. Return to the hostel, dinner, we spend the night at the La Chonta hostel.

DAY 2

Early in the morning we have a short walk for a bird-watch near to *Lagunita del Serere*, a swampy area that captivates local animals. We return to the hostel for breakfast. Then we pick up our walking along the *Sendero Helechos* (Fern Path) where our guide will explain about the endemic flora of that primary wood. We go back to the hostel for lunch and in the afternoon you can make your choice among several activity options: daily community activities, cooking of typical dishes, making of some characteristic local handicraft or others. Dinner, accommodation at the hostel, however if you still wish to go for a night walk we can go and watch the footprints of nocturnal animals that live in the Park.



DAY 3

After breakfast we go for a last walk along *Sendero Marimonos* (Spider Monkey Path). After that, we return to La Chonta and head to Buena Vista where we take our transport to go back to Santa Cruz or Cochabamba.

ADVICE

We recommend our visitors to take fresh clothing with long sleeves, an insect repellent and a small rucksack for personal belongings.



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