2024 COSTA RICA & PANAMA SCHEDULE



DAY	PORT	FEATURED EXCURSIONS	ONBOARD
January 22 (Mo) Pre-Tour	San Jose, COSTA RICA	PRE TOUR — SJO airport transfer to hotel, dinner	Pre-Tour Program
January 23 (Tu)	San Jose to Puerto Caldera,	PRE TOUR program – Synagogue, breakfast, city tour, lunch	Embarkation
Day 1	COSTA RICA	Transfers from airport (SJO) or pre-night hotel to the ship 14:00	Orientation & Introductions
		Check-in begins after 15:00 – all on board by 17:00 (ship departs) Guest services begin with a lite meal at 16:00	Welcome dinner
January 24 (We)	Curu, COSTA RICA	Wildlife Refuge Visit (AM)	Evening program Lecture program
Day 2	curu, costa nica	Zodiac launches to Island & exploration (PM)	Culinary program
Duy 2		Ship Operation (Open Marina Platform with toys (PM)	Evening program
January 25 (Th)	Golfito, COSTA RICA	Choice excursion (AM)	Shabbat onboard
Day 3		Catamaran Dolphin Watching & Beach	Lecture program
		 National Wildlife Refuge Cascades & Sightseeing 	Evening program
January 26 (Fr)	Isla Cebaco, PANAMA	AM & PM zodiac launches to Island beaches & exploration	Lecture program
Day 4		Ship Operation (Open Marina Platform with toys)	Shabbat onboard
January 27 (Shabbat)	Isla Cebaco, PANAMA	Shabbat onboard	Shabbat program
Day 5			Lecture program
			Evening program
January 28 (Su)	Darien National Park, Playa Del	Embera Indian Tribe Heritage program excursion (AM)	Lecture program
Day 6	Muerto, PANAMA	Ship Operation (Open Marina Platform with toys)	Culinary program
			Evening program
January 29 (Mo)	San Jose Island, Pearl Islands,	AM & PM zodiac launches to Islands & exploration	Farewell dinner
Day 7	PANAMA	Ship Operation (Open Marina Platform with toys)	Evening Program
January 30 (Tu)	Panama City, PANAMA	Transfer from the ship to PTY Airport	Disembark
Day 8		POST TOUR program Panama City – city tour, lunch, hotel check-in, dinner	Or Optional Post Tour
January 31 (We)	Panama City, PANAMA	Airport transfers	
Day 9 Post Tour			

Changes to Itinerary and Water Levels: Please note mooring and casting off times are only guidelines. We reserve the right to make changes to the itineraries and excursion programs. If due to weather, a defective ship, or a section of waterway is closed to travel, the ship-owner reserves the right to transport guests along this section by bus or change the course of that part of the journey. These situations are rare but do happen from time to time and are all part of riverboat vacations. There's nothing anyone can do to control Mother Nature. Please note all rivers and oceans that you will travel on have shipping channels that are maintained by national nautical authorities. On rare occasions, travel may be impacted by weather or water levels in these shipping channels. Usually, minor adjustments in the ships cruise schedule will allow safe and unimpeded passage – even under challenging circumstances. Precipitation patterns are relatively even throughout the year which makes long-term predicting of high or low water impossible. Luckily, major disruptions are rare exceptions, and most cruises take place exactly as planned.