# 7 Days Roraima

# Santa Elena – Roraima - Base Camp - Summit Camp - Riotek Camp

Hike Roraima Tepuy and discover the amazing table top mountains from South America, which inspired Arthur Conan Doyle's famous novel "The Lost World". Roraima is a huge and peculiar geological formation with more than 2100 years in age, one of the oldest rock formations of the planet. You will enjoy hiking through the savannah until reaching the vertical almost 3,000 feet Wall! The climb begins through the jungle and on a natural ramp where you will find carnivorous plants and unique flora and fauna. Once on top you will feel on another planet with huge rock sculptures molded by water & wind through ages. If you're looking for off the beaten track hikes, you will love this adventure!

#### Day 1: Santa Elena

Early pick up in Boa Vista airport and 2 hours private ground transfer to Santa Elena, stop at the border for immigration process and continue to Santa de Uairén for accommodation in a lodge (D)

#### Day 2: Roraima

4WD transfer to the Indian community of Paraitepui. Directly ahead of us is the massive, symmetrical bulk of Mount Roraima. Begin trekking followed by our Indian porters. Campsite on Tek River. (B, L, D) Trek length: 5 hours hiking.

Camp elevation: 1050 m.

#### Day 3: Base Camp

Trek along the savannah crossing rivers and following the long incline that leads gradually uphill to the base of Roraima vertical, 2,000-foot cliffs. Basecamp is located at the foot of Roraima spectacular walls. Here we have breathtaking views of the savannah rolling away into the distance as well as the splendid rose-colored cliffs rising straight up above us toward the mountain's flat summit. (B, L, D)

Trek length: 4 hours hiking. Camp elevation: 1870 m.

# Day 4: Summit Camp

Ascent follows a natural ledge along the cliff face, allowing the only non-technical access to the summit. This route passes through steep, jungle-like terrain that requires good stamina but no climbing skills. After 5 hours, we suddenly arrive to the summit gazing at the strange, fascinating landscape. Our tents are pitched in natural caves. (B, L, D)

Total track length: 5 hours hiking.

Camp elevation: 2700 m.

#### Day 5: Summit Camp

Full day to explore the fantasy land atop Roraima massive summit. The eroding forces of constant wind and rain have formed giant stone sculptures; house-sized slabs balanced precariously on slender spires; the arches and pillars of a forgotten, imaginary dynasty. (B, L, D)

Total track length: 7 hours hiking.

Camp elevation: 2700 m

#### Day 6: Riotek Camp

Begin our return down through the cloud-forest. After lunch and perhaps a refreshing dip in the stream below the campsite, we continue to the Kukenan River and camp at Rio Tek. (B, L, D)

Trek length: 6 hours hiking. Camp elevation: 1050 m.

# Day 7: Santa Elena – Boa Vista

Trek back to Paraitepui. We take final, lingering looks toward Roraima summit, remembering the bizarre rock formations and unique flora and fauna we discovered. Stop for lunch at Yuruani where you should have opportunities to purchase some of the intricately woven baskets, backpacks, fishing bows, arrows, and other local crafts, private ground transfer to Boa Vista. Stop at the border for immigration process. End of the services. (B)

Trek length: 4 hours hiking. Driving distance: 2 hours

# The price of the program for 1 pax in \$ USD(min.4 pax in a group):

In a group of 4 pax	\$ 1014p/p
In a group of 6 pax	\$736 p/p
In a group of 8 pax	\$ 660 p/p
In a group of 10 pax	\$ 674 p/p
In a group of 12 pax	\$ 667 p/p

### The price of the program includes:

- o Comprehensive pre-departure planning packet
- Flights described in itinerary
- o Accommodation described in itinerary
- Excursions described in itinerary
- o All meals indicated on the itinerary,
- o A English speaking guide from/to Boa Vista

# The price of the program does not include:

- o Tips for guide & drivers
- Alcoholic beverages
- Tours not indicated in itinerary
- Personal porter

#### Note:

- Physical demand: 4
- Travel Style: Active
- Walks of around 4 6 hours daily. 86 km
- Price for Minimun 4 Pers. group

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