



# YUCATAN

## WILD & RAW

Trip Information

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# GENERAL TRIP INFO



**Trip:** Yucatan: Wild & Raw

**Participants:** Min:6/Max 12

**Trip Length:** 5 nights/6 days

**Trip Dates:** July 26 - 31, 2018

**Costs:** \$2450

**Deposit:** \$500 per person (to reserve spot- see Details and Policies for more information)

## Let Us Handle This:

- Personal guided trip experience
- Meals while in country
- Activities outlined in the itinerary
- Private in-country transportation
- Entrance fee's and permits
- Pre-trip planning and information sessions

## You Take Care of That:

- Meals while traveling
- Items on personal packing list
- Guide gratuities
- SCUBA gear rental (if applicable)





## ITINERARY OVERVIEW

Day 1: Fly to Cancun International Airport and travel to inland towards Valladolid to explore a ancient Mayan ruin.

Day 2: Enjoy the sunrise over the largest Mayan ruin in the Yucatan Peninsula. Cool off in a cenote hidden in the jungle.

Day 3: Head towards the coast and climb the ruins of Coba. Finish the day at a cozy beach town and enjoy the local cuisine.

Day 4: Explore the underground caves and cenotes during a SCUBA or snorkel trip. Head back to the beach and take a dip with sea turtles.

Day 5: Head out in search of Whale Sharks where you will have the chance to snorkel alongside the world's largest fish!

Day 6: Depart from Cancun International Airport.

# ITINERARY



## Day 1:

Arrive in Cancun International Airport. Our guides will be waiting for you at the airport. The adventure will begin immediately as we travel inland towards the traditional village of Valladolid. Along the way we will head off the beaten path to explore hidden Mayan ruins. You can choose to relax or explore the town before our first group dinner and orientation for the week ahead!

## Day 2:

Today we will enjoy the sunrise over the infamous Chichen Itza, the largest Mayan ruin in the Yucatan Peninsula. After a morning of exploration, we will hike to a hidden cenote to cool off, cliff jump and snorkel. We will finish the day with a homemade dinner and the sounds of the local bands.

## Day 3:

Get a complete understanding of the Mayan culture by visiting the final set of ruins for this trip. Climb the towering pyramids of the Coba ruin to get a sweeping view of the jungle. Keep an eye out for local wildlife! Finish the ruin experience at Tulum, a Mayan ruin that sits along the cliffs overlooking the turquoise ocean water. Tonight we will stay in cozy beach town where we will fall asleep to the sound of the waves.

## Day 4:

Set out for a grand adventure today as you embark on a SCUBA or snorkel trip through the underground cave systems of the Yucatan. After an adventurous afternoon, you have the option to relax on the beach or snorkel with a local population of sea turtles.

## Day 5:

Today is the day! We will take a boat out in search of the world's largest fish, the Whale Shark! You will get the chance to snorkel alongside these gentle giants! Our last night will finish with a group dinner where we will reminisce about our favorite parts of the trip!

## Day 6:

Unfortunately all good things must come to an end. Today we head to the Cancun International Airport for home.

# PACKING LIST



## You Are Required to Bring

- Lightweight Athletic Clothing
- Swim Suit/Beachwear
- Athletic Shoes
- Water Shoes
- Casual Summer Clothing
- Day Bag
- Beach Towel
- Toiletries
- Bag (for wet/dirty clothes)
- Sunscreen
- Sunglasses
- Insect repellent
- Re-usable water bottle
- Rain Jacket/Poncho
- Snorkel Gear

## We Recommend You Bring

- Camera/Waterproof Camera
- Dry Bag
- Travel Hammock

\*Please consider each item you bring. A duffel bag is preferred for saving space.

\*Please check the weather a few days prior to the trip to prepare accordingly.

\*There will be no extra equipment. Please follow this list closely to ensure the most enjoyable experience.

\*We will have a meeting prior to trip to answer any questions in regards to packing.

# Details & Policies

## **Weather & Uncontrollable Events:**

Many of our trips run regardless of the weather conditions; however, in the event of an extreme weather event or safety concern BTM will determine if the trip cannot proceed. If this were to occur, the trip would be rescheduled and no refunds will be issued.

## **Release Forms & Other Documents:**

In many instances, release forms and other documents are required prior to the trip. BTM will be sure to provide ample time for delivery and return of these documents to each traveler. In the event that a traveler does not return the documents in the allotted amount of time, there is a chance that he/she may be denied access to an activity or experience.

## **Dietary Restrictions:**

Various BTM trips require prior meal planning for the group. BTM will be sure to provide ample time to request special dietary needs or restrictions prior to the trip. In the event that the traveler has failed to respond in the allotted amount of time, there is a chance that he/she will not have the appropriate rations during the trip and will be responsible for supplying their own if need be.

## **Deposits, Payments & Trip Cancellations:**

A deposit is required to hold your spot for the trip. All deposit are non-refundable unless the trip minimum is not met. If the trip minimum is not met by the date determined by BTM staff, then the trip is cancelled and deposits are refunded. If you cancel within 90 days, you may be required to pay a portion of the remaining balance. Once a deposit is paid, a payment schedule will be created.

## **Accommodations:**

Most BTM trips require prior planning to determine room configurations. BTM will be sure to provide ample time to request special room configurations prior to the trip. In the event that the traveler(s) have failed to respond in the allotted amount of time, there is a chance that he/she will not be given the appropriate room configurations requested and will be responsible for any changes that may be necessary. All rooms are double occupancy. Single occupancy is available for an additional fee and must be requested upon deposit.





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