

Tropical Costa Rica

Monday, October 11th - Tuesday, October 19th, 2027

Book Early and Save! Save $150/person when booking before April 11, 2027.

From lush forests and stunning waterfalls to rumbling volcanoes and endless coastlines, Costa Rica is a paradise teeming with exotic plants and incredible animals. Savor breathtaking beauty and fine sandy beaches. On this once-in-a-lifetime trip, join an engaging talk led by a local birding expert, exploring the fascinating migration patterns of the county's avian visitors, and catch a glimpse of local life as you explore a family-owned farm. You don't want to miss out on these breathtaking views and exciting adventures!



Highlights:

- Monteverde Cloud Forest
- Monteverde Hanging Bridges or Canopy Adventure
- Farm Tour and Lunch
- Coffee Plantation
- Arenal Volcano
- Cano Negro Refuge

Tour Includes:

- Round trip air from Eppley Airfield, transfers to airport from Grand Island, air taxes, fees and surcharges, hotel transfer in San Jose.

Deposit

• $698 Deposit/Person is Due at Sign-Up.

Tour Price (Per Person)

Prices Starting at $4,049 (Based on Double Occupancy)

Reservations and Payments

At this time, all Cornerstone Bank Travel Club reservations and payments will be conducted through Gannon Travel Associates at (308) 381-8785. Simply mention that you are with the Cornerstone Bank Travel Club when you call. A full payment is due within 7 days of signing up. Final payment is due July 13, 2027. Payment may be made by check to: Gannon Travel. Credit cards may also be used for payment but will incur a 3% fee.

Cancellation Policy

Without insurance, cancellations made after April 11, 2027 are non-refundable. No charge for name changes. For more information, visit cornerstoneconnect.com/Travel-Club/ or email travelclub@cornerstoneconnect.com.









Tropical Costa Rica Itinerary

Day 1 (San Jose, Costa Rica) Monday, October 11th

Your trip to Costa Rica opens in the colorful capital city of San Jose, the perfect place to relax and soak up the sights as your adventure begins. As travelers' arrival times will vary, we have not included any sightseeing or meals today. For this short duration, you will be staying at the Doubletree Cariari Hotel.

Day 2 (San Jose, Coffee Plantation, Arenal) Tuesday, October 12th

Meals included: Breakfast & Dinner

Welcome to the Central Valley. Begin with a private tour of a local coffee plantation highlighting the history and cultivation of this driver of the Costa Rican economy. This afternoon, check in for a leisurely 3-night stay at a lodge overlooking the majestic Arenal Volcano.

Day 3 (Arenal) Wednesday, October 13th

Meals included: Breakfast & Lunch

Today, explore a family-owned farm, getting a peek into the daily lives of the locals. During a tour of the gardens, learn how the plants are organically grown through the concept of sustainability. The farm considers itself a "classroom without borders." Taste the exotic fruit harvest and experience the traditional way to process sugar cane. Enjoy a sip of cane liquor before engaging in a culinary demonstration and a farm-to-table lunch. Later, return to Arenal for the chance to relax at your resort.

Day 4 (Arenal, Cano Negro, Arenal) Thursday, October 14th

Meals included: Breakfast & Dinner

Embark on a Cano Negro guided riverboat trip in a covered canoe known as a panga. These 20,000 acres are home to the largest viewable collection of indigenous wildlife in all of Costa Rica. Go in search of caimans, river otters, sloths, monkeys, river turtles, exotic birds, and rare butterflies.

Day 5 (Arenal, Monteverde) Friday, October 15th

Meals included: Breakfast & Dinner

Today, it's off to the secluded Monteverde Cloud Forest, a place you have to see to believe, where trees grow to heights of 100 feet! Set off on a nature walk through this spectacular ecosystem, where you're sure to encounter many incredible species of flora and fauna.

Day 6 (Monteverde) Saturday, October 16th

Meals included: Breakfast & Dinner

It's your choice! This morning, join your Tour Manager for a leisurely paced "Hanging Bridges" walking tour to gain a different perspective of the cloud forest's lush ecosystem-OR- take an exhilarating ride on one of the longest canopy zip line tours in Costa Rica. Your afternoon is at leisure, or if you would like to do both the hanging bridges and the zip line tour, you may purchase the Canopy Adventure zip line as an optional activity. This evening, take part in an expert-led discussion about the migratory birds that flock to Costa Rica.

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Day 7 (Monteverde, Guanacaste) Sunday, October 17th

Meals included: Breakfast & Dinner

Today, we make our way to breathtaking Guanacaste, known for its fine sandy beaches. Settle in for a relaxing 2-night stay at your resort and take in the mesmerizing ocean views.

Day 8 (Guanacaste) Monday, October 18th

Meals included: Breakfast & Dinner

Fun in the sun is in store today as you explore the nearby beaches, or simply relax by the pool and take advantage of your resort's lovely amenities. This afternoon, visit the delightful beach town of Samara for some local culture. Return to your hotel in time to catch a Costa Rican sunset and soak in the spectacular colors as the sun illuminates the natural landscape before your final dinner.

Day 9 (Guanacaste, Omaha) Tuesday, October 19th

Meals included: Breakfast

Today, you depart for home with fabulous memories of your Costa Rican adventure. *(Note: Breakfast is not provided on the last morning for travelers leaving before the hotel breakfast room opens.)*

Travel Requirements

Passports are required for this tour at your expense. Certain countries require that your passport be valid at least 6 months beyond the dates of your travel. You are strongly urged to contact the appropriate consulate for details. Visit www.travel.state.gov for the U.S. State Department's latest details about passports and visa requirements.

IMPORTANT: We recommend that travelers take a photocopy of their passport and applicable visas. It should be packed separately from your actual passport and visa. We also recommend leaving a copy at home with your emergency contact.

Collette will provide all necessary information, updates, and supporting documents for your travel requirements, including visa and Electronic Travel Authorizations (ETAs), if required, approximately 60-90 days prior to your departure.

Deposit & Reservation

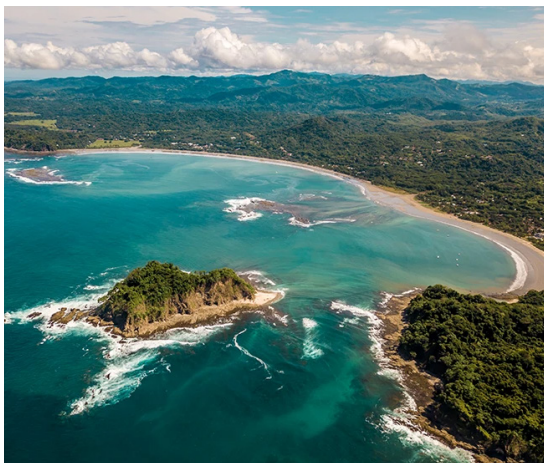
A deposit of $698 per person is due upon reservation. Reservations are made on a first-come, first-served basis. Reservations made after the seat reduction date of April 11, 2027 are based upon availability. Final payment due by July 13, 2027. Deposits are refundable up until April 11, 2027.

For important reservation information visit:
https://gateway.gocollette.com/link/1486185
You can also find this information on your tour documents.









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Offer ends April 11, 2027

~~Single $4,899~~ ..... **Single $4,749/Per Person***

~~Double $4,199~~ ..... **Double $4,049/Per Person***

~~Triple $4,149~~ ..... **Triple $3,999/Per Person***



For Bookings made after April 11, 2027 call for rates.

Included in Price: *Round Trip Air from Eppley Airfield, Air Taxes and Fees/Surcharges, Hotel Transfers*
Not Included in Price: *Canellations Waiver and Insurance of $469/person*

**All rates are per person and are subject to change, base on air inclusive package from OMA*

IMPORTANT CONDITIONS: Your price is guaranteed once deposit is received and booking confirmed by Collette. Your price is not subject to increase after the deposit is received and booking confirmed, except for charges resulting from increases in government-imposed taxes or fees. ***(See registration form for consent.)***

Important Tour Information:

Book Now rates valid until April 11, 2027, valid on air Inclusive packages only.

The overall activity level of this tour is a level 3. This means you're an on-the-go traveler. You don't want to miss a thing, so walking and standing for longer periods of time (2-3 hours) isn't a big deal. A moderately paced two-and-a-half-hour walking tour, covering several miles, hills, and uneven surfaces, is no problem for you. Walking four miles over the course of a day is very doable, as is climbing into and out of various modes of transportation (tuk-tuk, cable car, zodiac, etc.). You can climb three flights of stairs easily and handle altitudes between 6,000 and 9,000 feet. Expect some longer days with early mornings or late nights balanced with free time to recharge or set out on your own adventure. This level is not a fit for travelers who require mobility assistance devices.

Travel with an average of 37 people (maximum of 44).

Travelers must be in good health as sightseeing requires walking in uneven terrain.

If you require any special assistance while on tour, please make us aware at the time of reservation so the necessary request form can be sent to your attention.

Wheelchairs and walkers cannot be accommodated on this tour.

Costa Rica's tropical climate brings warm temperatures, high humidity, and frequent rainfall. Rainy season typically runs from May through November, with frequent showers - often in the afternoons.

Due to the bumpy, winding roads and long drives in Costa Rica, this tour may be uncomfortable for anyone with back or neck issues. Roads in Costa Rica are often affected by heavy seasonal rains, which can create potholes and uneven road conditions. As a result, travel may be slower, and road construction projects can sometimes lead to traffic delays and longer drive times. To experience the many highlights included on this tour, you can expect to spend an average of 4 to 5 hours traveling by coach between destinations. These journeys will be broken up with comfort stops and included sightseeing, though some travel days may total up to 8 hours. Along the way, you may encounter winding roads and occasional unpaved sections.

There are 4 full sightseeing days on this tour when you depart the hotel at 9:00 a.m. and do not return until 4:00 or 5:00 p.m. Additionally, there are 2 days when you depart the hotel before 8:30 a.m.

We make every effort to immerse you in Costa Rica's incredible nature and wildlife, but sightings cannot be guaranteed. Animals are wild and may behave unpredictably - keep a safe distance, stay alert, and follow your guide's instructions.

Many accommodations can be spread out, and you should be prepared to walk on a variety of terrains to get to public spaces like resort lobbies and restaurants. You may need to access your room through outdoor pathways.

Important Travel Disclosures:

We want you to enjoy your tour with us. Therefore, it is important that you know this tour is an adventure! You will view spectacular scenery while experiencing the culture and heritage of the region. We have selected small, comfortable hotels for their locations and they may be considered rustic.

Elevators and air conditioning are not available in most accommodations used on this tour.

Single accommodations are limited and are available on a first-come, first-served basis. Single rate subject to change based on availability.

Travelers with dietary restrictions or food allergies should be aware that included meals may feature preset menus showcasing local cuisine. Dietary needs may be shared with restaurant staff when possible; however, accommodations cannot be guaranteed. Travelers are encouraged to discuss their needs with their Tour Manager while on tour. Due to local ingredients and food preparation practices, options may be limited and cross-contamination may occur.

Our transfers will depart from Playa Carrillo, Guanacaste hotel for Liberia airport. Approximate travel time is 2 hours.

To complete your tour, we include round-trip airport-to-hotel transfers when purchasing our airfare with your tour. If you have arranged for your own air, we are pleased to provide you the option of purchasing these transfers. Please note that all transfers will leave at prescheduled times.

For air-inclusive reservations, the name provided at time of booking must match your government-issued ID that will be used during travel. Name changes are subject to penalties.

Our air travelers will depart from Liberia airport.

Please be advised, many airlines do not provide advance seat assignments until check-in at the airport. Advance seating will be subject to the airline's terms and conditions.

Return flights should not be booked prior to 11:00 a.m.

Prepaid tipping is not available on our tours. Gratuities for your Tour Manager, primary motor coach driver, and other applicable services are not included in the cost of your tour. Additional gratuity guidance can be found within the final travel documents you'll receive prior to departure.

Economy air rate and schedule are applicable for groups of 10 or more traveling on the same flights and dates.

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BOOKING NUMBER: 1486185
DEPARTURE DATE: October 11, 2027

TOUR: Tropical Costa Rica
GROUP NAME: Gannon Travel Associates

Available Options

Personalize your tour by adding an optional activity below. Our recommended options have been carefully chosen to help enhance your individual experience. Complete the provided Prepaid Options Form to reserve your options.

Availability is limited and reservations are on a first come, first serve basis. Payment must be received no later than 15 days prior to departure. Prices are subject to change.

Children under the age of 18 **MUST** be accompanied by an adult.

Monteverde Cloud Forest

BEST SELLER

Canopy Adventure **$89 USD**

If you'd like to enjoy both the Hanging Bridges and Canopy Adventure experiences, you may purchase the Canopy Adventure option now and select Hanging Bridges as your Choice while on tour.

Experience the unique sensation of flying through nature! For nature lovers, the greatest adventure of all is to take a Zip Line Canopy Adventure Tour. Selvatura Adventure Park and Canopy Tour is one of the best soft adventures in Costa Rica. Canopy Tour guides start by outfitting you with the appropriate equipment. Then, they take you through each of the 13 cables and 15 platforms and through the Tarzan Swing (optional). Selvatura Park is one of the longest Canopy Tours in Costa Rica, and is the only zip line canopy tour located inside the actual virgin cloud forest of Monteverde. Feel pure adrenaline and excitement of flying up to 35 miles per hour and viewing magnificent landscapes. Zip lines ranging from 120 to more than 2,000 feet in length and 60 to 400 feet in height let you experience the cloud forest from a whole new perspective. The tree top canopy tour not only offers a great adventure but also an opportunity to observe wildlife in its natural habitat. Trained personnel (accredited by the Costa Rican Institute of Tourism) accompanies you throughout the tour. If you are looking for a fun adventure and amazing rides, this canopy tour is your best choice. This option must be booked at least 30 days prior to departure and is non-refundable within 15 days of departure. This adventure is NOT recommended for travelers who have high blood pressure, back or heart problems, or women who are pregnant. *Duration: Approximately 3 hours.* Please note a minimum of 2 passengers is required. Transportation is included.

Guanacaste

BEST SELLER

Mangrove Kayaking on the Ora River **$69 USD**

Branches reaching out into the swamp, creatures bustling through the undergrowth, and long-necked birds wading into the cloudy water. The mangroves of Costa Rica are not only essential to the larger ecosystem but also function as an ethereal waterway that will make you feel as if you've been transported to another world. Mangrove trees live in swamps where saltwater meets fresh water, creating a flourishing home for a wide variety of animals. On your kayak, discover an intimate look at the local wildlife as you gently paddle down the Ora River. Keep an eye out for playful monkeys and explorative iguanas scurrying up the trees. Follow your guide as you coast along the water, making your way along the winding river and taking in the nature all around you. Availability is based on river or sea conditions and cannot be guaranteed. This tour often runs at the same time as the Dolphin & Snorkel Adventure due to the tide schedule. Therefore, you can only book one of these optional tours, not both. *Duration: Approximately 3 hours.* Please note a minimum of 10 passengers is required. Transportation is included.

Dolphin Watching & Snorkel Experience **$70 USD**

Get a different perspective of the Costa Rican wildlife when you venture into the natural habitat of a dolphin family. With a guide, get a firsthand look at these elegant creatures and watch as they play along the water's surface. Home to an abundance of animals, keep an eye out for other creatures as well. If you're lucky, you may even spot some whales or turtles! You'll also get a chance to swim and snorkel in the warm waves along the coast, getting a closer look at the sea life. Wildlife sightings are not guaranteed. Activity is dependent on ocean and weather conditions. This tour often runs at the same time as the Mangrove Kayaking on the Ora River due to the tide schedule. Therefore, you can only book one of these options. *Duration: Approximately 4 hours.* Please note a minimum of 10 passengers is required. Transportation is included.

Extend your vacation with

Optional 4 Days 3-Night Jungle Adventure Pre Tour Extension

Per Person Rates: $999.00 USD double, $1,199.00 USD single, land only
8 Meals: 3 Breakfasts, 3 Lunches, 2 Dinners

Day 1: San Jose, Costa Rica
Arrive in San Jose, Costa Rica's capital city, for an overnight stay.

Day 2: San Jose - Tortuguero National Park
This morning, set out for an exciting soft-adventure jungle experience in Tortuguero, the Amazon of Costa Rica, in search of wildlife such as macaws, sloths, monkeys, falcons, and other native species. Depart your San Jose hotel via private transportation for a transfer to the dock where you board an open-air boat with other travelers to journey into Tortuguero's unspoiled paradise. Check into an eco-lodge built in harmony with nature using the best sustainability practices – where fans create breezes instead of air conditioning, and meals feature locally sourced ingredients prepared with Caribbean flair. *Today breakfast, lunch and dinner will be included.*

Day 3: Tortuguero National Park
An early morning bird watching excursion* is offered so you may learn about the variety of local species and migratory birds that flock to this area. Join your fellow lodge guests on a spectacular boat cruise through the various canals and be sure to keep an eye out for wildlife, including howler monkeys, sloths, toucans, aquatic birds, bats, and caimans, as well as exotic flora. Tortuguero National Park is a study in rainforest, freshwater, and marine biology. It protects over 350 species of birds and mammals, including green macaws; 57 species of amphibians; 111 species of reptiles; and 60 mammal species, including 13 of Costa Rica's 16 endangered species, including jaguars, tapirs, ocelots, cougars, river otters, and manatees. *Today breakfast, lunch and dinner will be included.*

Day 4: Tortuguero National Park - San Jose
Depart Tortuguero National Park today to return to San Jose, where the rest of your adventure awaits you. *Today breakfast and lunch will be included.*

Important Tour Extension Information:

The overall activity level of this extension is a level 3. This means walking and standing for longer periods of time (2-3 hours) isn't a big deal for you. You can navigate hills and uneven ground, climb into various modes of transportation (tuk-tuk, cable car, zodiac, etc.), and could possibly anticipate changes in elevation. Walking four miles over the course of a day is very doable, as is climbing 3 flights of stairs. You can handle altitudes between 6,000 and 9,000 feet. You can expect some longer days balanced with free time. This level is not a fit for travelers that require mobility assistance devices.

Fully-guided extensions are a great way to explore a new destination. Enjoy sightseeing and local experiences led by a Tour Manager or local expert.

We reserve the right to cancel this extension if a minimum of 4 travelers is not met to operate.

Extensions are subject to availability and applicable charges at time of request.

River boats are used throughout the stay in Tortuguero National Park. Travelers must be willing and able to step on and off the deck of a docked boat.

If you require any special assistance while on tour, please make us aware at the time of reservation so the necessary request form can be sent to your attention.

Your transfer from the San Jose hotel to the dock, and on the land return back to the San Jose hotel, is private. Upon arrival at the dock, the boat transfer is provided by your eco-lodge, which you will be joined by other like-minded adventurous travelers of the lodge.

*Morning bird watching excursion is weather-dependent.

Order of sightseeing is subject to change.

In keeping with best practices for sustainability and responsible tourism set forth by the Rainforest Alliance, the hotel in Tortuguero does not offer air conditioning.

During our stay in Tortuguero, you will be staying in an eco-lodge. This is an experiential stay that will expose you to amazing wildlife. The rooms are rustic and basic but comfortable. There is a ceiling fan but no air conditioning available. Tortuguero National Park lodges can only be accessed by motorboat.

Due to luggage size and weight restrictions on the boats, please bring an overnight bag for the 2-night stay in Tortuguero National Park. Please make arrangements with the concierge's desk at the hotel in San Jose for luggage pick-up and for storage until your return from Tortuguero.

Single accommodations are limited and are available on a first-come, first-served basis. Single rate subject to change based on availability.

The transfer from San Jose to Tortuguero National Park by coach, and then by boat, will take approximately 5 hours in total.

For air-inclusive reservations, the name provided at time of booking must match your government-issued ID that will be used during travel. Name changes are subject to penalties.

Air inclusive rate is valid for travelers who have purchased our air package for the full tour, depending on the air schedule selected. Rate may vary for those who have purchased their own air.

Tour Extension Travel Requirements:

Collette will provide all necessary information, updates, and supporting documents for your travel requirements, including visa and Electronic Travel Authorizations (ETAs), if required, approximately 60-90 days prior to your departure.

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SIGN UP FOR TROPICAL COSTA RICA PRE-PAID OPTIONS

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TOUR: Tropical Costa Rica
GROUP NAME: Gannon Travel Associates

DEPARTURE DATE: Oct 11, 2027
BOOKING NUMBER: 1486185

AVAILABLE PREPAID OPTIONS

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PASSENGERS NAME: (Please submit a separate form for each passenger)
Salutation:____ First:_____ Middle:_____ Last:_____ Suffix:____ Nickname:_____
(Mr., Mrs., Rev.) (Please print **EXACTLY** as it appears on Passport) (Jr., Sr.)

✓	Option	Price Per Person (USD)
____	Canopy Adventure *This option must be booked at least 30 days prior to departure and is non-refundable within 15 days of departure. This adventure is NOT recommended for travelers who have high blood pressure, back or heart problems, or women who are pregnant.*	89.00
____	Mangrove Kayaking on the Ora River *Availability is based on river or sea conditions and cannot be guaranteed. This tour often runs at the same time as the Dolphin & Snorkel Adventure due to the tide schedule. Therefore, you can only book one of these optional tours, not both.*	69.00
____	Dolphin Watching & Snorkel Experience *Wildlife sightings are not guaranteed. Activity is dependent on ocean and weather conditions. This tour often runs at the same time as the Mangrove Kayaking on the Ora River due to the tide schedule. Therefore, you can only book one of these options.*	70.00

Return to: *2335 N Webb Road, Grand Island NE 68803 or scan/email to admin@gannontravel.com*

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SIGN UP FOR TROPICAL COSTA RICA

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TRAVEL DATE: 10/11/2027 TERRITORY: MC
RES#: 1486185

Tropical Costa Rica

This form is intended for use by the Group Leaders only. Please note that Collette is unable to process this form

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YOUR INFORMATION:

Clearly print your full name (first/middle/last) **as it appears on your government issued travel documentation.**

IMPORTANT: In order to avoid any unnecessary change fees, it is imperative that all guest names are entered correctly from the start. The information below must be the legal name and be 100% identical to the ID being used to travel <passport/driver's license> including middle names or suffixes <Jr, Sr>.

First:_____ Middle: _____ Last: _____ Suffix: _____

Nickname: _____ Gender: ( ) Male ( ) Female Date of Birth: month _____ day _____ year _____

Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Phone: ( ) _____ Cell: ( ) _____ Email Address: _____

Should you become ill or injured, whom should we contact (not traveling with you): _____ Phone: () _____

ROOMING WITH: ☐ Check if address is the same as Passenger #1

First: _____ Middle: _____ Last: _____ Suffix: _____

AIR GATEWAY: Departure airport for this tour: _____

Air Seat Request: ( ) Aisle ( ) Window ( ) Next To Traveling Companion

Collette cannot guarantee your seat preference. If you have not purchased air through Collette and wish to purchase transfers, you must transfer at our pre-scheduled times.

Please be advised, when travelling as part of a group, many airlines do not provide seat assignments. Preferred seating may be available for an additional charge.

"Federal law forbids carriage of hazardous materials such as aerosols, fireworks, lithium batteries & flammable liquids aboard the aircraft in your checked or carry-on baggage. A violation can result in 5 years' imprisonment and penalties of $250,000 or more. Details on prohibited items may be found on TSA's "prohibited items" web page: http://www.tsa.gov/traveler-information/prohibited-items."

TRAVEL PROTECTION: ( ) Yes, I wish to purchase travel protection $469 ( ) No, I decline

If you choose not to purchase Collette's Waiver Insurance Plan, you will incur penalties for changes and cancellations. Travel Protection Payment is due with first deposit. The Waiver Fee does not cover any single supplement charges which arise from an individual's traveling companion electing to cancel for any reason prior to departure. The single supplement will be deducted from the refund of the person who cancels. (There is coverage under Part B which includes a single supplement benefit of $1,500 for certain covered reasons. See Part B for details.)

EXTENSION: I wish to purchase "3-Night Jungle Adventure" ( ) Yes ( ) No

PLEASE MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO: Gannon Travel Associates

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