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4 days Casanare - Colombian Cowboys and Wildlife

Embark on a unique wildlife adventure in the heart of the **Ilanos Orientales**, Colombia's vast tropical grasslands known for its **cowboys and diverse wildlife**. Your journey begins as you are collected from Yopal airport and transported through the picturesque Orinoquia landscapes to a traditional Hato, a farmhouse, situated in a **Natural Reserve** preserving the rich traditions of the region. This reserve, part of the Natural Reserves of the Civil Society NRCS, is home to an array of wildlife, from capybaras and alligators to pumas and various bird species. Over the next few days, immerse yourself in safaris, guided walks, and even horseback rides to witness the abundance of flora and fauna. Indulge in the Llanera culture, relishing colorful sunrises and sunsets, typical regional cuisine, and the tranquil sounds of nature.

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The llanos Orientales are home to Colombian cowboys and some of the most diverse wildlife in the country. A wildlife safari across these vast tropical grasslands is an experience unlike any other in Colombia.

You'll be collected from the airport in Yopal and take a relaxing journey of around 2-2.5 hours through some beautiful Orinoquia landscapes to your **Hato** (Typical farmhouse of the region).

Your Hato is located on a **Natural Reserve** which preserves the traditions of the region. In addition to its biodiversity and culture, it's also part of the Natural Reserves of the Civil Society NRCS. Its extensive territory is home to a large number of species of **birds, reptiles, amphibians, and mammals**, numerous herds of **capybaras**, and large flocks of **colorful birds** that can easily be found. Quite often the trails of **Pumas** (giant paw prints) can be found, and occasionally you can observe these elusive animals in person as well.

Here you will enjoy an amazing landscape, with **sunrises and sunsets** that are painted in many colors and the different expressions of the living Llanera culture.

On arrival to your Hato, you'll be greeted with warm smiles and be shown to your room for the next 2 nights in the Casanare. Once you've freshened up it'll be time for a wonderful **typical lunch** of the region.

After lunch, it's climbing into an **open-top 4x4** and off on **your first 3-4 hour safari** of this magnificent area in search of some of the many wild animals that thrive in this region.

Be sure to keep an eye out for *Capybaras, deer, babillas (small alligators), wild horses, palm and honey bears, iguanas, ducks, howler monkeys, owls, armadillos, foxes, turtles, wild pigs, pumas, and hundreds of species of birds.*

Getting back to your Hato as the sun is setting you'll enjoy a wonderful Los llanos dinner before relaxing with the sounds of nature as you drift off to sleep.

This is a sample itinerary that can be modified at the Hato depending on the weather conditions and desires of the travelers. Your guide will explain possible changes.



Check In - Casanare Hato (Homestead)

Nestled in the most secluded reaches of the nature reserve, this Hato captures the essence of enchantment, surrounded by mysterious ravines and lush forests that serve as the natural habitat for diverse wildlife. The homestead offers a unique accommodation experience, featuring rooms adorned with balconies and open-sky bathrooms.

Immerse yourself in the breathtaking sunsets that bathe the reddish plains, providing an unparalleled connection with the landscape and the vastness of the plains.

Day 2



Birdwatching + Safari in Los Llanos.

Today will be pure heaven for wildlife lovers. Take your time to observe and enjoy!

Rising with the sun you'll take a quick coffee or juice before heading out on foot for a couple of hours to check out the amazing abundance of **birdlife** in this region.

With more than **270 species** of registered birds along with various species of migratory birds passing through the reserve, you are going to love the amazing variety of colors, shapes, and songs of these beautiful winged creatures.

Next, it's back to the lodge for some breakfast and maybe a quick nap before you're off again around 10:30 am for a guided **walking safari** to build up your appetite before lunch.

Before and following lunch, you'll have a bit of me time to just enjoy your surroundings before venturing out on another **3-4 hour safari**. But this time on **horseback** for a new experience in this beautiful location. Riding your horse until the sun starts to set you'll love the large variety of wild animals you'll see in such a short time. Not to mention one of the most spectacular sunsets you'll ever see anywhere.

Arriving back at your Hato, you'll have time to freshen up before enjoying a **bonfire and dinner outside** with the light of **burning touches** providing you with yet another perfect Los Llanos experience.

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Day 3



Living the life of Llanos cowboys

Waking with the sounds of the wildlife and the light peaking into your room you'll rise and enjoy this beautiful sunrise on your last day in this paradise. With time to head down to the lake and enjoy the golden hours of light for some wonderful photography before breakfast, you'll quickly down coffee and be on your way.

Returning for breakfast and time for another **safari on your choice of a canoe** (if in the wet season), **or on foot**. You'll venture out for a couple more hours in search of some more magical moments to share between yourself and these wild animals.

Next, it's back to your Hato to freshen up for **lunch** before learning about the life of the **Llanos cowboys**. Discover their **tools of the trade**, their **artisan-crafted utensils**, and about the **indigenous** who inhabit these lands.

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Day 4



A gift from you to the Region

Waking with the sounds of the wildlife and the light peaking into your room you'll rise and enjoy this beautiful sunrise on your last day in this paradise.

After breakfast, it's **time to say goodbye** to this Natural Reserve that gave you a real llaneros welcome into their homes. The best way to show your appreciation for everything that lives here and to leave a mark on this territory is to plant a tree to help to conserve and maintain the llanero forests. So the last thing on your to-do list will be just this.

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Transfer to Yopal

Today is the last day of your amazing adventure. You'll be transferred to Yopal airport at the desired time. You might feel tired from all the walking, but your heart will be happy for experiencing Colombian llanera life. Have a safe trip!

Information & Pricing



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- Number of days chosen,
- Experiences chosen,
- Time of year,

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