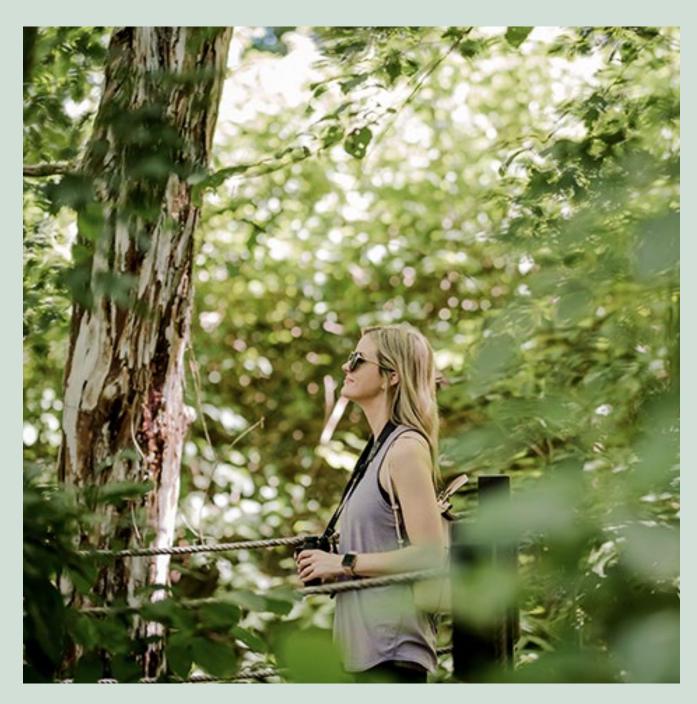


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Experience our unique destination surrounded by sapphire waters and vast protected tropical forests. Take home long-lasting memories, a sense of reconnection with your inner self and the natural world. Rediscover your sense of wonder.

# AN IMMERSION IN NATURE



### CHOROTEGAS WALK

Discover the ancient spirit of the Chorotegas, the indigenous tribe that inhabited Peninsula Papagayo while exploring the natural surroundings of the resort. Our expert guide will illuminate the wonders of endemic flora and fauna encountered along the way, get your body active and help you connect deeply with nature.



#### LOOKING FOR MONKEYS

Peninsula Papagayo is home to more than 15 monkey troops of three different species: howler, white-face and spider monkeys. On this tour, join our knowledgeable naturalist guide on a quest to spot as many primates as possible: You may be lucky enough to see some babies amongst the troops! It's a great experience for kids of all ages who enjoy nature and wildlife without a lot of walking.



### MAGICAL MANGROVES

Few experiences are more magical than touring the mangroves of Palmares - one of the jewels of the peninsula. Venture into this natural sanctuary, and explore a unique ecosystem of eerie "walking trees" able to survive (and thrive) in salty fresh water, creating a rich refuge for wildlife. Take a relaxing paddle through the mangroves in an outrigger canoe or explore on one of our water bikes for a more strenuous workout.



### WILDERNESS HIKE

You never know what you'll encounter in the wilderness of Palmares Preserve, where ecosystems converge. Tucked away from civilization, Palmares provides shelter for a dazzling array of wildlife. If you're lucky (and very quiet), you might even spot a tapir - a rare experience sure to delight for families with kids.

BOOK YOUR EXPERIENCE NOW>>

# PALMARES AERIAL ADVENTURE



A unique collection of 30 epic aerial trails designed by adventure park legend Victor Gallo create a not-to-be-missed voyage through one of the last vestiges of old-growth tropical dry forest in the Americas. The two-hour guided exploration traverses seven ziplines, a majestic weeping fig tree, and 21 adventure-filled high-rope obstacles replete with rope bridges, swinging logs, cargo nets and more.

SIGN ME UP! >>



### **OFF-ROADING**



Join us for a heart-pounding off-road adventure around the Palmares estuary in a UTV - and be prepared to get dirty! Stop for a quick nature walk before heading over to the northern peninsula for astounding ocean views, exclusive to adventures with Peninsula Explorers. From there, visit Playa Zapotillal to hang out on a secluded beach where there is rarely another soul.

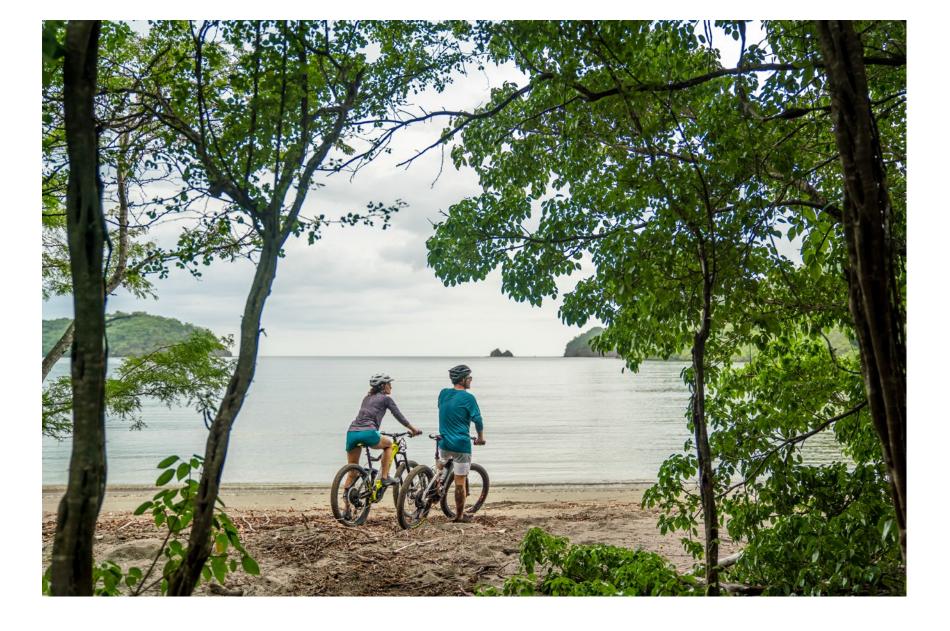
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# MOUNTAIN BIKING

Traversing through forest, estuaries and mangroves, Peninsula Papagayo's many trails within Palmares Preserve are a wonderland for mountain biking. The new fleet of electric-assist off-road bikes all boast full suspension, and will allow you to escape the confines of pavement, connect with nature and journey out for the ride of your life!

Seeking a more active workout? Ask for our regular mountain bikes!

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# **OTHER ADVENTURES**



OUTRIGGER CANOE



NIGHT WALK



**BIRD WATCHING** 



BIOLUMINESCENCE



WATER BIKE



CORAL PLANTING

# GOLF & TENNIS



### THE OCEAN COURSE AT PENINSULA PAPAGAYO

Ranked among the "Top 100 Courses Outside the United States" by Golf Digest, our private 18-hole, par-72, Arnold Palmer Signature Course winds through 125 acres of old-growth forest, valleys, and sea cliffs shaped by an ancient lava flow. Dramatic elevation changes and a variegated landscape stir the senses while wide fairways and large greens provide a fair and challenging test for all skill levels.

VIRTUAL TOUR >>

# TENNIS & PICKLEBALL

For tennis enthusiasts, Peninsula Papagayo Club offers three tennis courts and three pickleball courts with clay-like Har-Tru surfaces. Our tennis program includes weekly clinics, private and semi-private lessons, rentals and more.



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