

Birding in Nicaragua

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Designed to accommodate all skill levels for birders looking for adventure, breathtaking beauty, and authentic immersive community experiences.

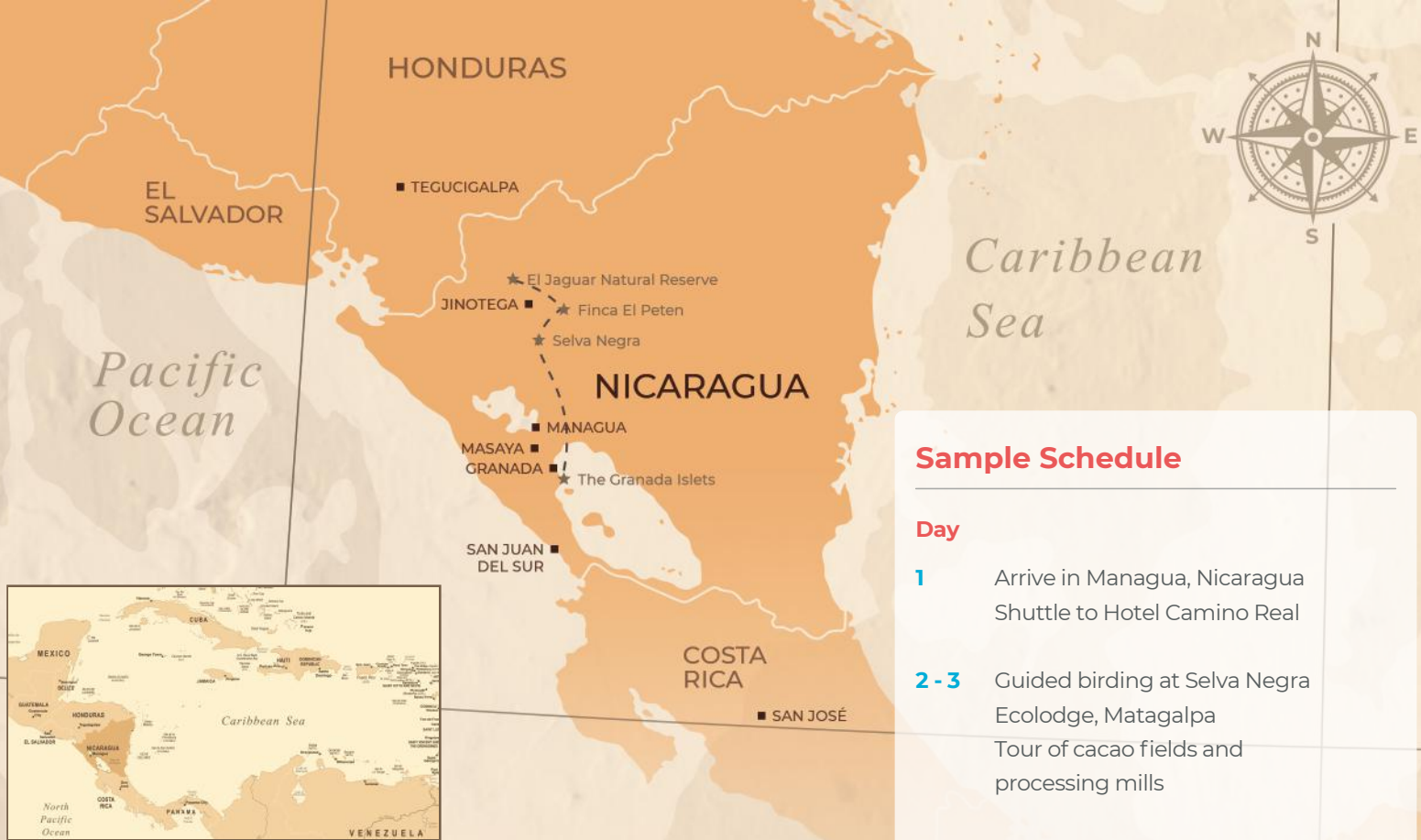
- » Enjoy world-class birding and a myriad of flora and fauna across the diverse topography of Nicaragua.
- » Take an active role in Comunidad Connect's grassroots efforts to promote public health and healthy homes through Family Impact Projects, such as clean-cook stoves and permanent floors in the homes of local residents.
- » Contribute to and learn about on-going sustainability efforts to protect native species and natural habitats.



Montezuma Orenpendula



Rufous-Tailed Hummingbird



Acting as a geographical funnel, many migrating birds travel through Nicaragua, making it an ideal location to see resident and migratory bird species.

- » **Selva Negra Ecolodge** - An operational coffee farm located on 100 hectares of rainforest and cloud forest 1,300 to 1,500 meters above sea level.
- » **El Jaguar Nature Reserve** - Located at 1,350 meters above sea level and home to over 200 different bird species.
- » **Finca El Peten** - 250 acre organic coffee farm and nature reserve situated on Lake Apanas within the community of Los Robles.
- » **The Granada Islets** - 365 small islands were formed from the nearby Mombacho volcano erupting thousands of years ago. Guided birding by boat offers a rare look at the flora and fauna of Lake Nicaragua.

Sample Schedule

Day

- 1** Arrive in Managua, Nicaragua
Shuttle to Hotel Camino Real
- 2 - 3** Guided birding at Selva Negra Ecolodge, Matagalpa
Tour of cacao fields and processing mills
- 4 - 5** Guided birding at El Jaguar Nature Reserve, Jinotega
Exploration of conservation efforts at the reserve
- 6 - 7** Guided birding at Finca el Peten Coffee Farm, Jinotega
Community Development projects in Los Robles
Tour of organic coffee farm
- 8 - 9** Travel to the cities of Granada and Masaya
Guided birding on Lake Nicaragua
UNESCO World Heritage site visits in colonial Granada
Visit historic artisan market in Masaya
- 10** Depart Managua for home



Jinotega



Granada



Matagalpa