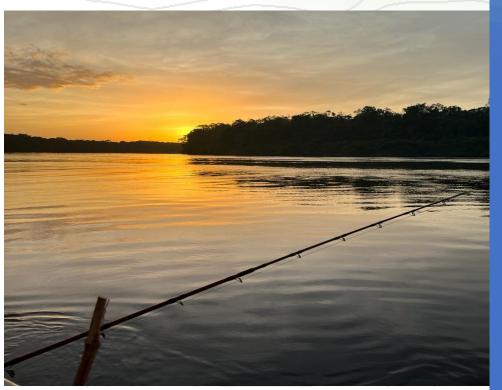


# **PARAIBA PONTOON - SURINAME**



Paraiba Pontoon Raft is out of a Tom Sawyer Novel, deep in the heart of the Suriname Rainforest on the Mighty Coppename River, for an angling adventure like no other. Cast your line into these rich waters, home to a diverse array of species featuring Monster Paraiba / Lau Lau, with other notable species such as Tiger Shovelnose Surubim catfish, Peacock Bass, Cobie (Drum fish) and Tarpon. With experienced guides leading the way, prepare for an immersive fishing experience amid stunning natural scenery



Fishing has always played a major role in my life, having learned the craft from my farther and many others, having spent several nights over a few drinks listening to stories both fact and fiction about the one that got away will always haunt me...... and keeps me coming back for more.......

My Goal is to ensure you have the trip of a lifetime, to create those memories that will last a lifetime and keep you dreaming about your return to the Amazon..........









## **The Fishing**

#### **Amazon River Monsters do exist!**

- Paraiba Catfish up to 400lb
- Surubim Shovel-nose Tiger Catfish
- Porthole Shovel-nose Catfish
- Peacock Bass
- Silver Pacu
- Black Piranha
- Stingrays
- Tarpon



### **Paraiba Pontoon Raft**

Our Pontoon Raft has two sets of comfortable bunk beds which accommodates up to 4 clients and is currently being revamped to accommodate up to 6 clients. The raft also has a working kitchen and toilet.

Our chief cooks up amazing local Surinamese meals, breakfast, lunch and supper along with Tea, Coffee and local Alcoholic beverages which are inclusive. Spirits will also be included such as Rum. A mixture of soft drinks, fruit juices, energy drinks, coke, and coke zero will also be provided.

The raft also has a shower or alternatively you can wash down in the river when the tide is at its Ebb. Unfortunately, we don't have laundry facilities, however we can provide soap and buckets to wash your own clothes in the river. We have a portable generator on-board to charge all your electronics equipment / cameras etc.

We have Three fantastic local guides with boats equipped with 50 hp outboard engines. 2 clients per boat.

Please let me know on booking if you have any Food allergies or special requirements.













### <u>Transfers and Schedule – Entry Visa required for Suriname (online approx. \$25 USD)</u>

**Day 1:** Arrival in Suriname – Johan Adolf Pengel International Airport (PBM), also known as Paramaribo-Zanderij International Airport. Collection by certified Taxi from Airport to Local Hotel (approx. 1hr drive) Taxi and Hotel Included.

**Day 2:** Breakfast at hotel then Early morning 9am Departure from Hotel to Coppename River Launch (1hr) A detour to the local fishing tackle store is recommended on-route, followed by boat ride into Jungle to awaiting Pontoon Raft (approx. 1hr 15min). Lunch will be severed on arrival. Set up Tackle and Rods then spend the afternoon fishing.

**Day 3 – 10**: Eight Days fishing, depending on clients needs, either fish from Pontoon or go out on the smaller boats. The guides know the best times to fish, for example 1 or 2 hours before and after tide change. Fishing will be split throughout the day making the most of the best bite times.

**Day 11:** Breakfast then fish the morning, slowly making way down to the Coppename launch. Meet Pontoon Raft at Launch and have lunch before departing via taxi shuttle back to the hotel. Overnight stay at hotel included

Day 12: Taxi to Airport and journey home. Taxi included.





#### **Cost Breakdown**

**Cost Per Person \$3,500 USD**. Costs are based on Single Occupancy at Hotel, Shared Room on Pontoon Raft and sharing boat with second angler.

**Included:** Transfers from Johan Adolf Pengel International Airport (PBM) International Airports and two nights accommodation at Hotel with continental breakfast. (one night prior to jungle trip, one night after trip). Taxi shuttle and Boat ride to Coppename River Launch, 9 nights on Boat, 8 full days fishing plus 2 half days fishing with local guide, three meals a day, water, soft drinks and beer at camp.

**Not Included:** International Airfares To and From Suriname, Hotel stays outside of Suriname, Taxi transfers outside of Suriname, Meals and Beverages at Hotel before and after trip, Medical costs (medical advice, medications and inoculations etc for your trip) Fishing Tackle. **Tipping:** we insist on **\$200 USD** Per person tips to be divided between guides and camp staff.

Payment Terms: 50% on Reservation, 50% due 60 Days before trip start date.















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