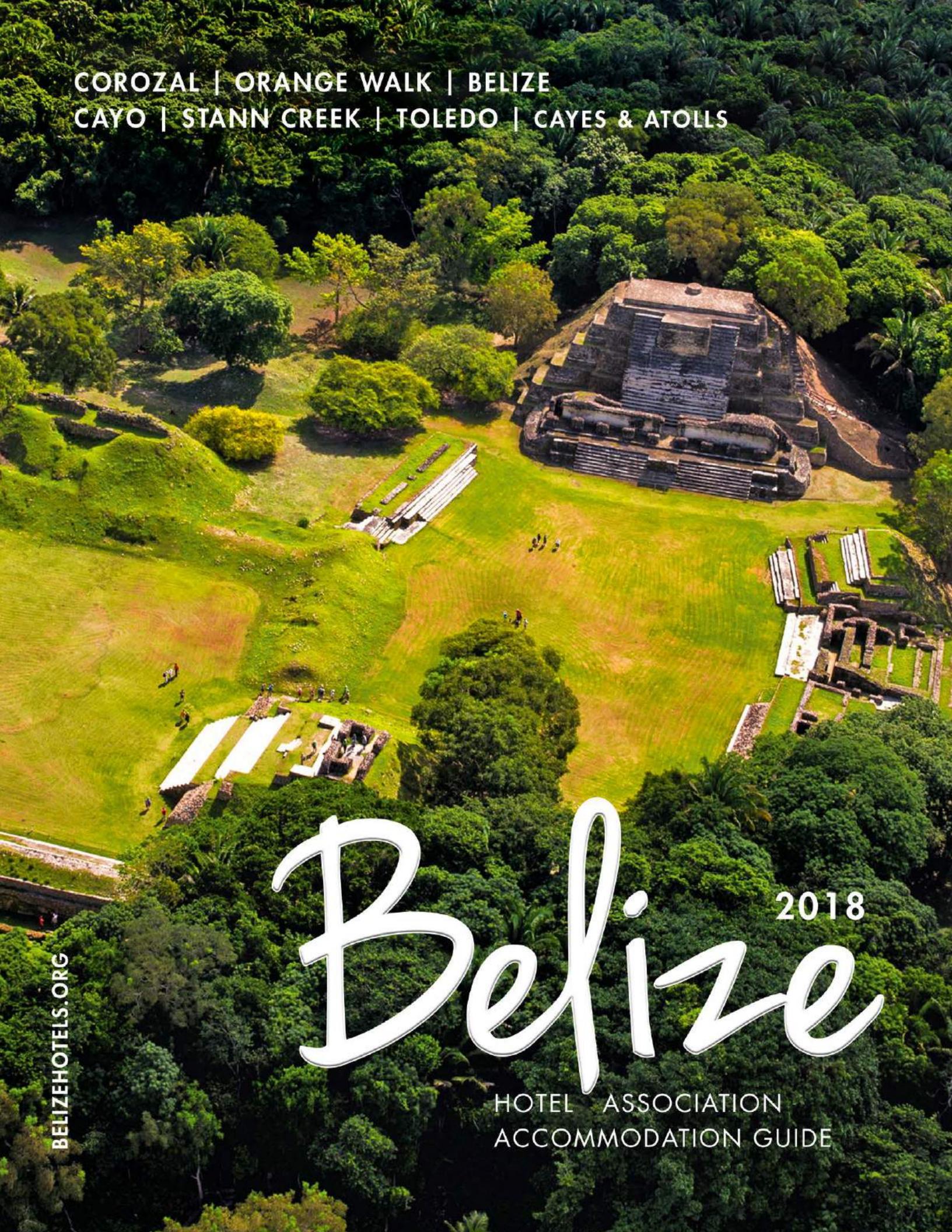


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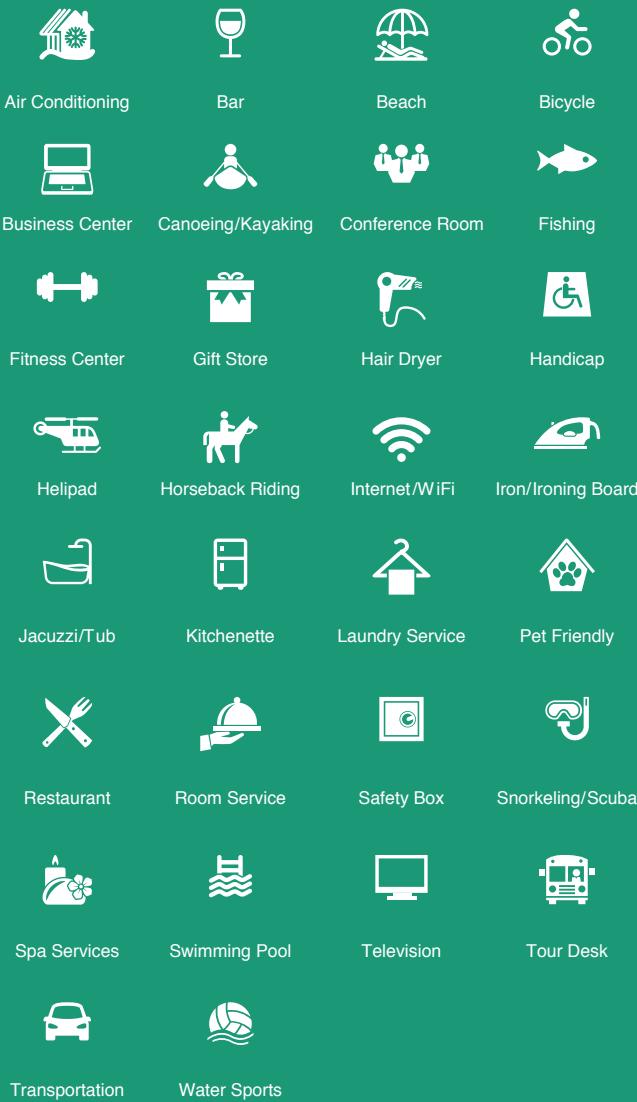
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It is with the greatest of pleasures that I welcome you to our home - Belize, the hidden gem of Central America and the Caribbean. Once known as British Honduras before our Independence in 1981, Belize is truly making its mark within the world of global travel. With new flights being added frequently, we welcome even more adventure-seekers from across the globe who trek to discover our country and its endless opportunities for exploration.

Our mainland is approximately 290km long and 110km wide. Yet with a small and friendly population of around 370,000, much of our country remains raw and untouched in its beauty. Once home to the enduring

Maya civilization, what remains now is a legacy full of rich culture and arts. Owing to its colonial past, Belize is one of the few Central American countries to have English as its official language. Many inhabitants stay true to their roots; during your visit, you may hear other languages including Spanish, Mayan, Garifuna, and Kriol being spoken throughout the country.

With an average high temperature of 84°F, Belize is a tropical paradise. For those visiting who have an affinity for the oceans, you will not be disappointed. The coastline of Belize extends 175 miles along the Caribbean Sea. It is home to the second largest barrier reef in the world and the largest in the Western Hemisphere, as well as, the famous Blue Hole. Warm turquoise waters are full of life and undisturbed ecosystems and offer unforgettable diving and snorkeling experiences. For those less keen on jumping carefree into the depths, there are endless opportunities for boat trips, kayaking, and fishing excursions. Of course, you may choose to simply relax on one of our many white sand beaches and enjoy the warm Belize breeze while sipping on a variety of delicious fresh fruit juices!

Head inland and the opportunities are just as diverse with chances to explore both rainforest and jungle. Want to zip-line through rainforest canopies and rappel down the side of a waterfall? We can take care of that. Prefer a day cave tubing or swimming through ancient caves? No problem. Wish to spend a day horseback riding on nature trails and exploring how chocolate is made? We have that too! We are also home to the world's only Jaguar Preserve. While we cannot promise a jaguar encounter, we can guarantee it at our incredible zoo where we study and learn all about how to preserve a home for these majestic big cats.

Beyond the nature and ocean, you will find countless ancient Maya sites scattered throughout the country. While some are still undiscovered or unexplored, many of these protected 'portals to the past' are restored and open to visitors. Along with adventure, we are fortunate to have accommodations that are as diverse as our culture, so whether you are a solo explorer, an adventure couple, a family looking for a laid-back vacation or a group looking for an energetic experience, we have the perfect location and options for you from the Caribbean Sea, the mangrove swamps, pristine jungle and mysterious Maya Mountains, there is something here to quench the thirst of every explorer and traveler – all you have to do is start the journey and let us help you make memories to last a lifetime!

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President, 2017-2018  
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BELIZE HOTEL ASSOCIATION

As the Minister of Tourism and Civil Aviation, it is my sincere pleasure to welcome you to our jewel. Belize is a young and progressive nation that has, over the years, gained global recognition for offering our visitors a unique, intimate, and authentic experience. It is our sincerest hope that from the minute you cross our borders by land, sea or touchdown at our Philip S. W. Goldson International Airport, you will begin one of the most memorable and unique travel experiences.

Belize is a culturally diverse country nestled along the second largest barrier reef in the world with access to one of the lush tropical rainforests in our region. Nonetheless, what makes us exceptional and

unique in many ways is the interaction and personal encounters you will enjoy by being a part of the warm and hospitable way of life of our Belizean people. Visitors will surely become acquainted with our diverse ethnic groups, such as the Garinagu, East Indians, Mestizos, and Creole to name a few. An excellent introduction to this way of life is, without a doubt, an opportunity to savor a wide array of local and traditional dishes, enjoying local festivals, and just giving in to the local laid-back way of doing things. This culinary experience is only more so amplified with the ability to visit one of the most pronounced and accessible networks of Maya Archaeology in the Mundo Maya while experiencing firsthand the ways and traditions of the living descendants of the Ancient Mayas.

As you travel North to South, there is no absence of things to do and see. A complement to the cultural landscape is the vast and unmatched biodiversity. From northern agricultural plains to western rolling hills, from the Caribbean Sea offering world class diving, fishing and snorkeling to our southern Maya Mountain Massif hosting exquisite landscapes and sceneries, Belize with close to 30% of its territory under protected area status, continues to be a haven for nature, outdoor, and adventure enthusiasts.

Part of the lure of Belize involves various accommodations easily accessed around the full breadth and length of our country. While a wide assortment of options exist, the foundation of our offer remains with establishments that take advantage of our country's flourishing biodiversity, cultural richness, embracing eco- and responsible tourism in their own unique ways, providing alluring amenities and world-class hospitality. While there is so much to share, we invite you to visit us and experience it for yourself: our country, our biodiversity, and our people. We look forward to hosting you and making one of your most memorable travel experiences possible. Welcome to Belize!



Honorable Jose Manuel Heredia, Jr.  
Ministry of Tourism and Civil Aviation



# WHO WE ARE

The Belize Hotel Association (BHA) is a non-profit, non-government organization and Belize's oldest private sector tourism organization. Its membership is comprised primarily of accommodation providers including hotels, resorts, lodges, condominiums, educational facilities, and allied members including tour operators and ancillary businesses that service the hospitality industry.

The BHA works diligently to support the sustainable growth of member hotels and the tourism industry in Belize through global marketing initiatives, private and public sector partnerships, and training opportunities aimed at increased standards and professional service. Above all, the BHA is committed to ensuring that visitors to Belize receive quality service at a fair price.

## THE BELIZE HOTEL ASSOCIATION SCHOLARSHIP FUND

The Belize Hotel Association Scholarship Fund was established in 2011 with the purpose to provide educational funding for children of employees working with the BHA member hotels and businesses, who are unable to meet financial obligations for their child's secondary or tertiary level education. To date, the BHA has financed education for students in Belize City, Caye Caulker, and is presently funding five high school students in Belize City, Stann Creek and Cayo.

In addition, the BHA scholarship fund has assisted in subsidizing a member hotel's Children's Summer Camp Program in the Cayo District. Thanks to the immeasurable generosity of our members and to the local business community who offered gift certificates, cash, gift packages for our raffles/auctions, and through their purchases of our BHA umbrellas, the Belize Hotel Association is pleased to say that we were able to assist more students this year.

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# Calendar of Events

## JANUARY



- 1<sup>st</sup> - Celebration of New Year's Day
- Krem New Year's Cycling Classic
- Horse Racing in Burrell Boom

## FEBRUARY



- San Pedro Carnival
- Valentine Cycling Classic
- Orange Walk Rum Festival
- Placencia Sidewalk Arts & Music Festival

## MARCH



- 9<sup>th</sup> - National Heroes Day
- La Ruta Maya Belize River Challenge
- San Cas Belmopan Cycling Classic
- San Jose Succotz Fiesta
- 30<sup>th</sup> - Good Friday
- 31<sup>st</sup> - Holy Saturday Cycling Classic
- Holy Saturday Regatta

## JULY



- Benque Viejo Fiesta
- Orange Walk Fiestarama
- Pibil Festival
- Belize International Film Festival
- National Corn Festival

## AUGUST



- International Costa Maya Festival
- San Joaquin Festival
- Willows Bank Fyah Haat Festival
- Maya Deer Dance Festival
- Tres Pescados Slam Tournament
- Hike & Bike for the Rainforest

## SEPTEMBER



- Queen of the Bay Pageant
- Sir Barry Bowen Belikin Bash
- 10<sup>th</sup> - St. George's Caye Day
- Fire Engine Parade
- Carnival King & Queen
- Belize City & Orange Walk Carnival
- Military, Police & Fire Tattoo
- Belize Expo
- 21<sup>st</sup> - Belize Independence Day
- Flag Raising Ceremonies & Parade
- Placencia Yamaha Marelco Saltwater Fishing Tournament

## APRIL



- Holy Week in Benque Viejo
- 1<sup>st</sup> - Easter Sunday
- 2<sup>nd</sup> - Easter Monday
- Burrell Boom Cycle & Horse Race
- San Ignacio Easter Fair
- San Pedro Lagoon Reef Eco Challenge
- Hopkins International Paranda Music Fest

## MAY



- 1<sup>st</sup> - Labor Day
- Crooked Tree Cashew Festival
- 13<sup>th</sup> - Mother's Day Cycling Classic
- 21<sup>st</sup> - Sovereign's Day
- National Agriculture and Tradeshow
- Toledo Cacao Festival
- San Ignacio Festival
- The Chocolate Festival of Belize

## JUNE



- Lobster Festival in San Pedro, Caye Caulker & Placencia
- Dia de San Pedro Celebration
- Hopkins Mango Festival

## OCTOBER



- 8<sup>th</sup> - Pan American Day
- Belikin Spectacular Fishing Tournament
- Belize Birding Festival
- Tide Fish Fest

## NOVEMBER



- 19<sup>th</sup> - Garifuna Settlement Day
- Stann Creek Agriculture Fair
- Battle of the Drums
- 27<sup>th</sup> - San Pedro Township Day
- Orange Walk Taco Festival

## DECEMBER



- The Love FM Christmas Parade
- 5<sup>th</sup> - San Pedro Boat Lighting Parade
- 21<sup>st</sup> - Maya Winter Solstice
- 24<sup>th</sup> - Christmas Eve
- 25<sup>th</sup> - Christmas Day
- 26<sup>th</sup> - Boxing Day
- Horse Race

## Preparing for Your Adventure

# THINGS TO KNOW

**Country Size:** 22,965 sq. km. including 689 sq. km. of offshore cayes

**Population:** The population of Belize is approximately 370,000 comprised of diverse ethnicities including Creole, Garifuna, Mestizo, Spanish, Maya, English, Mennonite, Lebanese, Chinese and East Indian

**Language:** The official language of Belize is English. Because of its diverse mix of cultures, Spanish, Maya (Mopan, Ketchi & Yucatec), Garifuna, Creole, German (Mennonites) and Mandarin are frequently spoken

**Time Zone:** Belize occupies time zone GMT-6 or US Central Standard Time. Daylight Saving Time is not observed

**Government:** Since 1981, Belize has been an independent country with a democratically elected parliament. It is a member of the British Commonwealth

**Currency:** The Belize Dollar has a fixed exchange rate to the US Dollar (BZD\$2 = USD\$1). Currencies such as Pounds and Euros can be exchanged at most banks. ATM machines are available in major towns and cities. Credit cards such Visa and MasterCard are widely accepted. Be sure to notify your bank or credit card provider of travel plans before travel

**Passport and Visas:** All visitors require a valid passport with proof of return ticket. Visitors from the United States, United Kingdom and most Caribbean nations do not require visas for stays less than 30 days. A notarized permission letter from parent/s not traveling with their child/children is required and will be requested at your departure airport or border, if arriving by land. Contact the Belize Embassy in Washington DC, Belize High Commission in London or the Belize Consulate in Canada for more information.

**Departure Fees:** Airport Departure fees are usually included in the airline ticket. If it is not included in the ticket price, passengers may pay a departure fee of US \$55.50 per person. Belizean residents pay a fee of \$35.00 BZ. Additionally, a security fee of US \$0.75 is charged for domestic security screening. Fees via the borders with Mexico and Guatemala are US \$20.00.

**Taxes:** Hotel Room Tax is 9%.The General Sales Tax (GST) is 12.5% on other goods and services.

**Tipping:** 10 – 20% is the standard gratuity for most restaurants and tour guides. Establishments may add a service charge

**Vaccines:** No vaccinations are required for entry

**Cell Phone Service Provider:** Be sure to notify your carrier of travel plans; roaming fees can be costly

**Climate:** The climate is subtropical with prevailing winds from the Caribbean Sea. The annual temperature averages 27°C / 80°F

**Clothing:** Light cotton clothing is recommended along with a light jacket or long sleeved shirt for cool evenings. For jungle locations and trekking, pack long sleeved shirts, long pants and hiking boots. Binoculars, insect repellent, sunscreen and hats are essential for tropical travel

**Health Services:** There are three hospitals in Belize City (one public and two private). Several private doctors are also available. The district towns and larger villages also have hospitals and clinics. It is recommended that travelers have international medical insurance

**Water:** Tap water in Belize is treated and fit to drink, however bottled water is also readily available

**Safety:** Basic safety tips should be followed wherever you go in the world. Ask your hotel manager or local guide for specific advice on local areas



Fry jacks are traditionally eaten for breakfast and usually accompany either a sweet or savory component. Eat with jam, powdered sugar, or honey for a sweet treat or eat with refried beans and cheese for a savory meal. Fry jacks can also be used to mop up sauces and gravy from other savory dishes. Although fry jacks taste best when freshly made in Belize, you can enjoy this popular food right at home.

- 1 Mix flour, baking powder, and salt into a bowl.
- 2 Cut shortening into flour.
- 3 Slowly add water and mix to make a soft but non-sticky dough.
- 4 Divide dough in half and let rest for 15-20 minutes.
- 5 Flour counter-top or board and roll out dough in rounds 10-20 inches in diameter.
- 6 Cut into 3-inch strips and then again crosswise to achieve desired size (traditionally small triangles).
- 7 Fry each side in hot oil until golden brown.



Photo by Immaculate Bites

### Ingredients

2 cups all-purpose flour  
1 cup water  
1/4 teaspoon salt  
1 tablespoon shortening  
3 teaspoons baking powder  
Oil (for frying)

**Note:** Use very hot oil to ensure the jacks puff up. To get a crunchier texture, place a small slit in the dough pieces before frying.

Content by Larry Waight, Belize Hub

## How to Make Belizean Fry Jacks

## THINGS TO TRY



Mainland Belize is a place like no other, uniquely beautiful, with infinite places to unravel the most picturesque landscapes and immersive cultural experiences. Wild and largely untamed, yet fragile ecosystems, inhabited by the most stunning creatures, blanket the Belizean territory. The Belizean people will capture you with their vibrant personalities and will welcome you into their lives and share with you their history, culture and cuisine. On the central east coast of the country is where our British colonial history begins and ultimately shines. Belize City was strategically formed at the mouth of the Belize River, as this was where the logs were collected and shipped to England. Today, it is the centre of commerce where colonial architecture is predominant and there are many hotels, restaurants, bars and gift shops. Relatively nearby, either by taxi ride or tour operator services, one can visit the Museum of Belize to learn about Belize's ancient world and our colonial history, and the Belize Zoo, a sanctuary for wildlife showcasing majestic native animals from a very close vantage point. Altun Ha, an ancient Maya city, can be found in northern Belize District. The site has residential palaces and sacred temples where the Maya conducted their ancient religious rituals. Several community based sanctuaries and protected areas can also be found here, such as the Community Baboon Sanctuary in Bermudian Landing, where the community protects the howler monkey and its habitat, the Crooked Tree Wildlife Sanctuary where hundreds of birds, especially Jabiru storks and waterfowl species can be seen, and Gales Point within the Southern Lagoon, which is a reserve for the endangered manatee.

The heart of the country was first inhabited by the ancient Maya. This advanced civilization built their cities and palaces and developed advanced farming methods in just over two thousand years of inhabiting this area. At present, Belmopan, the nation's capital, houses all the government offices and the National Assembly Building. The municipality of San Ignacio and Santa Elena is home to some 19 thousand people of all mixed races like Mestizo, Maya, Creole, Garifuna, Mennonite and Asian, all of whom came here seeking jobs in industries such as logging, palm oil production and chicle farming. Today, farming and tourism are the two main industries in the west. Caracol is the largest Maya site in Belize, where about 150 thousand Maya people lived. It features residences used by royals, several ceremonial areas used for rituals, places of social gatherings, as well as monumental art, like stelae and altars. The Mountain Pine Ridge is a spectacular highland savannah. This rugged terrain is covered with Caribbean pines and is the water source of the country. In the Cayo District there are many caves which were considered by the Maya to be sacred pools, entrances to an afterlife and used by them

to conduct rituals. The Actun Tunichil Muknal and Barton Creek caves are perfect places to experience this cultural underworld. A few other impressive places to visit are the ancient Maya city of Xunantunich, once home to about 20,000 people, which was built on a hilltop overlooking the entire Mopan River valley. The ancient Maya city of Cahal Pech is within walking distance from downtown San Ignacio and is one of the oldest sites, dating to 1200 B.C., the very beginning of the ancient Maya civilization.

Northern Belize was first accessed by the Baymen, the early settlers, for cutting the logwood shipped to England for the production of textile dyes. They logged along the New River and beyond, where they encountered Mahogany and other hardwoods. In the 1840s there was a large influx of Mestizo and Yucatec Maya during the Caste War revolution, where people fled south from the Yucatan into Belize. Today, Orange Walk is mostly known for its sugar production and other farming crops like rice, papaya and soybeans. Tourism is largely present, with Maya sites like Lamanai and Cuello easily accessible from Orange Walk Town, and Cerros near Corozal Town.

Southern Belize showcases the intermarriage of the coast and the mountains, the sea and the jungle, the best of both worlds. The Placencia Peninsula offers an immaculate beach with the perfect shade of blue, as well as a rich culture and a mixture of Belizean and Caribbean cuisines. Tourism, industrial farming, giant citrus and banana plantations thrive here. The Garifuna made Belize their home since 1802 and live mostly in communities along the coast, such as Dangriga, Hopkins, Seine Bight and Barranco. Traditional Kekchi Maya villages like San Pedro Columbia and San Antonio are found throughout the Toledo District, engaging mostly in subsistence farming and cacao plantations. Belize is the ultimate destination for adventure travel, the perfect place to discover yourself, to bond with your family, to immerse into a new culture and to make new friends.

# MAINLAND BELIZE

*By Cruz Cambranes*

# BELIZE CITY & NORTHERN BELIZE



Photograph by Edwin van der Sande

## DID YOU KNOW?

Northern Belize offers spectacular treasures to explore. Experience Maya archaeological sites like Altun Ha and Lamanai which charmingly rises along the new river lagoon and Fortress Cerros which perches above the azure Corozal Bay. Wildlife creatures like jaguars, wildcats, storks, crocodiles and many more inhabit the river banks and flourishing jungles. This region is home to an abundance of over 570 species of birds. Fascinate your eyes while bird watching in Belize. Tour Belize City - the commercial hub, and view stunning ancient artifacts at the Belize Museum, the historic St. Johns Anglican Cathedral Church, and the House of Culture.

## AREA HIGHLIGHTS

- Airboat Tours
- Bacalar Chico
- Bliss Centre for Performing Arts
- Community Baboon & Black Howler Monkey Sanctuary
- Corozal Bay
- Crooked Tree Wildlife Sanctuary
- Goff's Caye Marine Reserve
- Government House (Belize City House of Culture)
- Maya Sites: Altun Ha, Cerros, La Milpa, Lamanai, and Santa Rita
- Museum of Belize
- Rio Bravo Management Area & Hill Bank
- Sibun River: Snook and Tarpon Fishing
- The Belize Zoo



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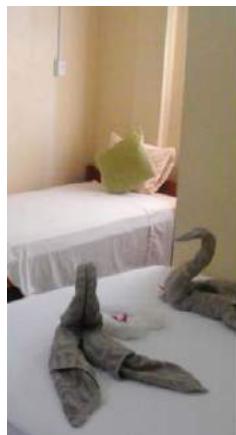
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## BELIZE CITY AND NORTHERN BELIZE



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Bird's Eye View lodge is a Belizean family owned and operated resort located in the heart of the Crooked Tree Wildlife Sanctuary. The lodge sits directly in front of the picturesque Crooked Tree Lagoon and has been called "a bird-watcher haven" by the Belize Audubon Society. Accommodations consists of a total of 22 air-conditioned rooms (Quad, Triple, Deluxe, Double, Twin) and 4 stand-alone cabanas. Our restaurant serves delicious local and international cuisine for breakfast, lunch and dinner. Our guest can also enjoy adventures like Birding by Boat, Guided Bird Walk Tours, Guided Nature Trails, Horseback Riding, Canoeing, Night Safari/ Crocodile Spotting, Exploring Maya Temples and other various private tours easily organized for you by our office. Bird's Eye View Lodge a Sanctuary of Serenity. For reservations and inquires, call us at +501-203-2040 or email us at [birdseye@btl.net](mailto:birdseye@btl.net)



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The Ramada Belize City Princess Hotel is located in the heart of Belize City's business district, only 10 miles away from the international airport. Its strategic location provides easy access for adventure trips to every attraction Belize has to offer including the Maya ruins, beaches, snorkel, mountains, waterfalls and caves. We offer first class accommodations in 160 newly renovated guest rooms all with a breathtaking view of the Caribbean Sea. Hotel amenities include cinemas, 24 hour front desk, room service, and casino. Our hotel facilities also include our Olympic-size swimming pool, gym, business center and gift shop. Guests have a choice of two restaurants on site. The air conditioned Seaview Restaurant & Bar overlooks the Caribbean Sea, serving daily buffet breakfast included in room rates, international lunch buffets and à la carte dinners. Calypso Seafood Restaurant, over the water, located at the marina serves lunch and dinner à la carte every day with live entertainment on weekends.



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## BELIZE CITY AND NORTHERN BELIZE

This Belizean landmark was built in 1927 by talented local craftsmen and still retains its beauty, grace and charm. Now, this magnificent four-story colonial style residence is probably the largest classic wooden home still in existence in Belize. Originally built as a family home, this wonderful structure still provides the warmth and comfort reminiscent of the early colonial times of Belize. Spacious verandahs in front of the house allow you to relax and let go amidst the soothing embrace of the Caribbean breezes. Only 100 meters from the Caribbean Sea, 12 miles from largest barrier reef in the Western Hemisphere, 25 miles from the sites of the Maya civilization, and a 10 minute walk from the city center (directly across the street from the Radisson Hotel). Our colonial heritage and ambiance are faithfully preserved in all of our sixteen guestrooms. Each is individually color coordinated with a host of tasteful and comfortable appointments. The look and feel of yesterday with today's modern conveniences makes The Great House Belize's most desirable "outpost" away from home. From polished pine floor to fresh fruit on arrival, our guestrooms and our staff let you know you made the right choice.



## Villa Boscardi

villaboscardi.com

6043 Manatee Drive, Belize City

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E: boscardi@btl.net



Additional Amenities/Services: breakfast included

 VILLA BOSCARDI

Villa Boscardi is a tasteful bed & breakfast located in a safe, quiet residential area. Footsteps away from the beautiful Caribbean Sea, guests can go for a leisurely walk or enjoy the tropical garden and Jacuzzi in their own private sanctuary. A short drive from the airport and downtown Belize makes this destination easily accessible. The bed and breakfast offers eight spacious bedrooms tastefully decorated with private bathrooms. Each room is a blend of traditional European elegance with tropical wood furnishing, combining an atmosphere of old world and new. Francoise Lays, owner of Villa Boscardi was born in Belgium and lived her childhood years in Africa. Her path then opened new horizons bringing her to gorgeous Belize. She now enjoys 28 years in this young country full of promise. Her love of travel and adventure has enabled her to recreate a charming, warm environment for her guests. Francoise wants you to truly enjoy your stay while visiting Belize and is waiting to share life experiences.



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### Almond Tree Hotel Resort

almondtreeresort.com

425 Bay Shore Drive, Corozal District

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E: info@almondtreeresort.com



Almond Tree is a small resort designed to make each guest feel special. We provide a unique environment with comfort and a touch of elegance. Relax on the balcony as the moon rises and become mesmerized by the sparkling reflections on the bay's water or watch the sunrise while lying in a hammock among the swaying palm trees and tropical landscape. Unwind in our uniquely designed guest rooms enhanced by fresh clean tropical furniture, acid stained concrete floors, and hand painted Mexican vessels. Almond Tree creates ambiance with the finest accommodations from distinctive decor, tropical landscape to the expansive sky and bay. Experienced from our backyard veranda, you will find yourself in a place where you can relax and feel at home with a sense of quiet luxury. We will be happy to help you with anything you are interested in doing while in Belize, whether you are looking for property to buy, seeing the Maya archaeological sites, diving/snorkeling off the cayes, fishing, cave tubing, zip lining, or visits to the Belize Zoo. Let us help you have an unbelievable Belize experience.





## Orchid Bay Beach Club

[orchidbayrentalsbelize.com](http://orchidbayrentalsbelize.com)

Chunox Village, Corozal District

Mailing Address: same as above

T: +501-650-1925

E: orchidbayrentals@gmail.com



Orchid Bay Beach Club is the perfect place to get away and have some quality relax time. Located on the Caribbean Sea, on the nicest beach in Northern Belize, our casitas are beautiful, and feature all of the luxuries of your home. Each unit is finished with the finest Belizean hardwoods, the comfort of a screened in veranda, and a fully stocked kitchen. Orchid Bay is only 10 miles from Corozal Town and 26 miles from Orange Walk. Cerros Maya Ruins is only a bike ride or a kayak away. The resort offers a gorgeous infinity pool where you can beat the heat while taking in our tropical lush gardens and over 200 varieties of orchids. Our restaurant is open daily and features all of the local Belizean fares in a comfortable and relaxed environment, with great service. You can even have a drink at our swim up bar. Orchid Bay Beach Club is the gem of Northern Belize where we experience less annual rainfall than anywhere else in Belize. Day trips to Chetumal, or fishing trips to Bacalar Chico can be arranged right here. Come to the real paradise at Orchid Bay Beach Club and experience our wonderful casitas... "the only island you can drive to".



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### Chan Chich Lodge

**CHAN CHICH LODGE**  
[chanchich.com](http://chanchich.com)

Gallon Jug, Orange Walk District

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T: +501-227-7031 / Lodge: +501-223-4419

Int.: +1-877-279-5726

E: reservations@chanchich.com



Additional Amenities/Services: complimentary coffee in the morning, airport drop-offs and pick-ups, taxi arrangements, hot and cold water, and luggage storage

Chan Chich Lodge is located on a 130,000 acre private nature reserve in north-western Belize at the heart of "La Selva Maya"; a unique destination for serious eco-tourists and novices alike. Carefully situated in the plaza of an ancient Maya city and surrounded by pristine forest, the Lodge consists of two 3-bed thatched-roof Casitas, 12 individual thatched-roof cabanas and one beautifully appointed 2-bedroom Villa. With a screened-in pool and Jacuzzi, fully stocked bar and excellent cuisine, your every desire will be fulfilled by the exceptional facilities and outstanding service we provide. Come and retrace the footsteps of the Maya, wander our extensive trail system and discover the unforgettable flora, fauna and Maya history unique to this tropical paradise. With an unparalleled abundance of wildlife (and the best chance to see the elusive jaguar in its natural habitat) Chan Chich is an extraordinary destination for naturalists, birders and for those seeking an authentic retreat to the jungle.





## Hill Bank Field Station

[pfbelize.org](http://pfbelize.org)

Rio Bravo Conservation & Management Area

Orange Walk District

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Hill Bank Field Station, within the Rio Bravo Conservation and Management Area, has four cabanas, each with two double beds, fan, mosquito nets and private bath with hot/cold water overlooking the majestic New River Lagoon. There is also a comfortable green dormitory that sleeps thirty guests in six rooms, each room has two bunk beds and a single bed. It is equipped with no-flush composting toilets and shared male and female shower. Solar power provides most of the electricity. Hill Bank has a dining facility that provides a variety of delicious local dishes for visitors. Also available are conference room, telephone, laundry services and tours. Hiking, nature trails, canoeing, tubing, crocodile spotting, jungle trekking and birding are the order of the day at Hill Bank. Avid birders can compile a list of more than 150 species during a three day trip to Hill Bank. Travel time is 1½ hours from Orange Walk Town and 2½ hours from Belize City.



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## La Milpa Lodge & Research Center



[pfbelize.org](http://pfbelize.org)

Rio Bravo Conservation & Management Area

Orange Walk District

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The La Milpa Lodge has eight thatched cabanas, each having two double beds, fan, mosquito nets, tiled floor and private bath with hot/cold water. There is also comfortable green dormitory that accommodates thirty guests in six rooms and is equipped with no-flush composting toilets and shared male and female showers. Solar power provides most of the electrical needs. La Milpa's dining facility providing delicious home-style local dishes. Also available are conference room, telephone, laundry services and tours. Hiking, night spotting and birding are a must at La Milpa. Tour majestic ancient Maya sites, observe more than 150 bird species during a three day trip to La Milpa and listen to the sounds of nature as you relax. Visit the nearby Mestizo and Mennonite villages for a taste of Belizean culture. La Milpa Lodge is within the Rio Bravo Conservation and Management Area, Orange Walk. La Milpa is 1 hour from Orange Walk Town and 2½ hours from Belize City.





## Lamanai Landings lamanailandings.com



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Make us your gateway to the famous Maya City of Lamanai and all of Northern Belize including Ambergris Caye. We are only 35 minutes (by land) from the Int'l airport of Belize and only 20 minutes (by air) to San Pedro on Ambergris Caye. Get your rainforest and ruins fix with us, then hop over to the islands! LAMANAI LANDINGS features 24 spacious and modern rooms, with over the water balconies, A/C, flat screen TVs, cable, free WiFi. Your sanctuary in the midst of nature's sanctuary. Our on-site "Shuga City Rum Bar and Grill" serves up a fine selection of international and local delights! Tour the famous Lamanai Maya site and all attractions of Northern Belize, then join our night-time Crocodile Research Safari! Learn about Belize's vibrant Sugar Cane industry. Visit local rum distilleries and sample their vintages. The quaint Mennonite community of Shipyard is only 30 minutes away. Horse and Buggies is their way of transportation! Book our NEW Culture and Cuisine Package!



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# WE ARE SEA PEOPLE

Content by Dorian Nuñez, Editor  
Ambergris Today Online

*The Belize Barrier Reef is the largest living reef in the world, teeming with brightly colored corals, fish and marine life.*

Belizeans are popularly known as "Sea People"; that could not be any closer from the truth. We all gravitate to the sea, be it that we live on an offshore island, along the coast or even way inland by the Maya Mountains. We are influenced, driven and impacted by the salty air that breezes by.

Our National Anthem tells of our closeness to the sea: "Land of the Free, by the Carib Sea". Growing up, island kids spend endless hours in the water - before and after school, the weekends and every waking hour of summer vacations. Belizeans living inland can't wait until the weekend to travel to the cayes to relax, unwind and take in some "Vitamin Sea".

The Barrier Reef is less than a mile from shore in Ambergris Caye and Caye Caulker. Snorkeling the Belize Barrier Reef, swimming with the sharks, rays and sea turtles at Hol Chan Marine Reserve, picnicking on the beach and evenings at the sandbar for the best sunset views are just a few of the activities islanders enjoy.

Diving and snorkeling have become synonymous near the hundreds of barrier islands that offer pristine locations for underwater enthusiasts while sports fishing has put Belize on the map with some of the best hot spots in the world.

We are Sea People - wanting to spend every waking hour in, by or at the water's edge. Luckily, we are to have the sea in our own 'front' yard. Visitors are attracted to the same activities locals enjoy including the allure of other adventurous water sports like paddle boarding, parasailing, kayaking and more invigorating activities like jet skiing and the new fly boarding.

Further down South, coastal communities offer bigger beaches for more laid-back time by the shore, plus deeper waters for out-of-this-world experiences with whale sharks and giant sea turtles. You can sail down to a deserted island, make it your own for a couple days - camp on the beach, catch your own fish, and snorkel the reef. Traveling throughout the country, the number one activity on my list is watching the sunrise everywhere I go. On the coastline of Ambergris Caye I look out to sea and watch the waterways come alive with sailboats and cruising catamarans. Down South in the village of Hopkins I stare out at the quiet sea and watch children on the beach enjoying an invigorating dip before heading out to school. Dolphin sightings so close they could easily allow you to touch them.

We are Sea People! Privileged to live at the edge of the Western Caribbean.

# CAYES & ATOLLS



## DID YOU KNOW?

Over 450 exquisite small islands, locally known as cayes, dot the turquoise waters off the length of Belize's coast; as well as atolls outside the magnificent Belize Barrier Reef. The Belize Barrier Reef is the second largest reef system in the world. The azure waters offer a truly remarkable experience for the first-time snorkeler to the avid scuba diver. Caye Caulker the epitome of the "laid-back island" lifestyle, is lined with brightly-colored wooden houses interspersed with shops, restaurants and small hotels. The larger islands in the north support charming towns while elsewhere on the barrier reef, smaller private islands provide exclusive getaways. The town of San Pedro on Ambergris Caye offers an eclectic choice of accommodations that are complemented by sophisticated international cuisine in beachside restaurants and local cafes serving traditional Belizean food. Top activities include adventure at Bacalar Chico National Park and snorkeling at Hol Chan Marine Reserve and Shark Ray Alley.

## AREA HIGHLIGHTS

- **Fishing: Punta Ycacos Lagoon**
- **Gladden Spit: Whale Sharks**
- **Half Moon Caye National Monument**
- **Hol Chan Marine Reserve**
- **Lighthouse, Turneffe and Glover's Reef**
- **Red-Footed Booby Birds of Half Moon Caye**
- **Shark Ray Alley**
- **South Water Marine Reserve**
- **Swallow Caye Wildlife Sanctuary**



## Banana Beach Resort

[bananabeach.com](http://bananabeach.com)

Seagrape Drive, San Pedro Town, Ambergris Caye  
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Banana Beach Resort is located on the beautiful Island of Ambergris Caye. Its surroundings consist of tropical flora and splashing of the majestic barrier reefs' waves provide a relaxing and tranquil aura. Combined with its savory and elegant steakhouse and martini lounge and balancing it out with daily and nightly adventures, Banana Beach Resort is truly the best of both worlds. Service is a priority and our team provides first class service, satisfying the different needs of its guests. Spacious Ocean Front Suites, Courtyard Suites, Private Balcony rooms and Veranda rooms.



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## Banyan Bay Suites

[banyanbay.com](http://banyanbay.com)

100 Seagrape Drive, San Pedro, AC  
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Our beachfront location guarantees you and your family the best seat in the house. Located on Ambergris Caye in Belize, our villas offer balconies, full kitchens, and smooth tropical vibes. As our local motto says "Your home away from home" we welcome you to Banyan Bay Suites. With plenty of inland and underwater adventures, our tour desk will plan your complete Belize experience. Unwind poolside or indulge in a massage on the beach from the on-site Seashells Spa. Pier 366 Seafood House features a very unique sea to table dining and is home to one of the only on the water restaurants on the island. Come join us as new memories await you at Banyan Bay.





Caye Casa  
[cayecasa.com](http://cayecasa.com)



Beachfront San Pedro, Ambergris Caye  
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Toll Free: +1-800-936-3433  
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Caye Casa is a boutique hotel on the beach just North of the center of town yet South of the bridge. Thatch roofed porches and wooden shutters combine to create authentic Belizean charm. Small and conveniently located: the ideal place to explore San Pedro and all of Belize. There are three, two bedroom villas; two, one bedroom casitas; and three classic hotel rooms. All are on the beach with breathtaking views of the Caribbean. The hotel provides concierge services and air-conditioned rooms with cable television and wireless Internet access.



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**Cayo Espanto** CAYO ESPANTO  
[aprivateisland.com](http://aprivateisland.com)

A PRIVATE ISLAND

San Pedro, Belize  
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Reservations: 910-323-8355  
E: reservations@aprivateisland.com



Discover your own private island at Cayo Espanto where paradise and luxury come together as one. Cayo Espanto is an intimate, five-star, World Class resort created for the discriminating few who demand the best life has to offer. We invite you to spend enchanting evenings and unforgettable days overlooking the Caribbean while our staff anticipates your every need. Located three miles from San Pedro in the calm waters of the Western Caribbean, off the coast of Belize, Cayo Espanto is truly a spectacular and private retreat. Although Belize is less than two hours from Miami, Houston, Atlanta and Charlotte, it remains virtually undiscovered. With only seven villas and a staff to guest ratio of two to one, you will always feel as if you have the entire island to yourself. A private, seafront, freshwater pool in every luxurious villa, romantic dining on your personal verandah or private dock and breathtaking alfresco showers are just a few of the memories guests will take home with them.





## Daydreamin' Bed & Breakfast

[daydreaminbelize.com](http://daydreaminbelize.com)

Tropicana Drive - Tres Cocos, San Pedro  
Mailing Address: same as above  
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Daydreamin' Bed & Breakfast is like no other on Ambergris Caye. Four luxury cabanas surround a crystal clear dipping pool. Located on the desirable north end of the island in Tres Cocos, we are close enough to everything of interest and just far enough away for a tranquil vacation.



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### El Secreto

[elsecretobelize.com](http://elsecretobelize.com)

11 Miles North of San Pedro Town, Ambergris Caye  
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El Secreto boutique hotel is the perfect antidote for civilization. Remotely located in Ambergris Caye, Belize and reachable only by boat you can truly have an intimate barefoot luxury experience in our secluded little piece of paradise surrounded by the crystal blue waters of the Caribbean and lush tropical landscapes. Without any neighboring hotels, restaurants or stores ... you can listen to the sound of the reef only a few feet away from our private beach while you enjoy dinner or cocktails at our beachfront restaurant or just admire the starry sky from your private outdoor Jacuzzi or hammock. Come and discover the magic of being away from everything and re-encountering yourself and your loved one in an unforgettable natural setting. El Secreto is a perfect destination for Elopements, Weddings and Honeymoons. You can experience a variety of activities for couples to enjoy together, from private dinners, couples' massages, complimentary water sports to diving and adventurous excursions, all designed to create lasting memories for a lifetime.





## Grand Caribe

[grandcaribebelize.com](http://grandcaribebelize.com)

2 Miles North Ambergris Caye

Mailing Address: PO Box 242

T: +501-280-4726

E: guestrelations@grandcaribebelize.com



Grand Caribe Belize is a luxury Caribbean resort only 2 miles North of San Pedro Town on the island of Ambergris Caye. Our wide selection includes One, Two, Three, and Four bedroom condominiums alongside a 5 bedroom mansion. All our condos are beautifully furnished with fully equipped bathrooms and kitchens that give you all the amenities of home while capturing the breathtaking views of the Caribbean Sea and the Belize Barrier Reef a short 1/2 mile offshore. Complimentary daily laundry, pool towels, and reliable WiFi are also included. The family friendly surroundings feature 650 feet of manicured beach, 6 pools, hammocks, kayaks, snorkeling gear and freshly prepared meals from any of our two on-site restaurants. Fun, comfort, and convenience are our specialties. Additional amenities include on-site fitness center, grocery store and conference room. A vacation with us is yours to do with as you wish. We'll provide everything needed to make your time on beautiful Ambergris Caye unforgettable. So just sit back, relax and enjoy.



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## Mahogany Bay Resort and Beach Club

[mahoganybayvillage.com](http://mahoganybayvillage.com)

Sea Grape Drive, San Pedro, Belize, CA

Mailing Address: same as above

T: +1-800-416-7339 / +501-226-4817

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Mahogany Bay Resort and Beach Club is designed for guests who equally love adventure and luxury. The property is inspired by the rustic charm of Belize and the elegance of British colonial architecture. Mahogany Bay Resort offers 205 breezy hideaways elevated with lofty ceilings and grounded with authentic hardwoods. Located on the soulful island of Ambergris Caye, Mahogany Bay Village sits no more than 10 minutes from the colorful eateries and shopping of historic San Pedro Town, and underwater adventures in the turquoise blue Caribbean Sea. The jewel of the resort is the country's only private Beach Club. Located a short boat ride from the resort, The Beach Club features pristine white sand beaches, full beach service from our bar & grill, over water tanning beds, non-motorized watersport toys and views unlike any other Caribbean beach.





## Mayan Princess

[mayanprincesshotel.com](http://mayanprincesshotel.com)

Beachfront (end of Pelican Street)  
San Pedro Town, Ambergris Caye  
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Toll Free: +1-800-250-6972  
E: info@mayanprincesshotel.com or mayanprin@btl.net



Located on the finest white sand beach in San Pedro, every room at the Mayan Princess Hotel offers panoramic views of the turquoise Caribbean just steps away. Enjoy a wide range of amenities such as private seafront balconies, fully-equipped kitchenettes with granite counter tops, daily housekeeping, free Wi-Fi, cable TV, on-site dive shop, complimentary airport transfers and more. Our central location makes the Mayan Princess Hotel the perfect launching pad for exploring San Pedro Town and Ambergris Caye, not to mention our private dock for easy access to the Belize Barrier Reef just beyond our shore!

Additional Amenities/Services: private pier and cart rental



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## Portofino Beach Resort

[portofino.bz](http://portofino.bz)

6 Miles North of San Pedro Town, Ambergris Caye  
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We would like to introduce you to one of the premier, luxury resorts on Ambergris Caye, Portofino Beach Resort. Just 6 miles North of the hustle and bustle of San Pedro Town lies a haven of barefoot luxury, unique in its kind. For over 16 years we have established a solid reputation for outstanding personal service in a comfortable and unique setting, unmatchable on Ambergris Caye! Our traditionally modern thatched cabanas, one of the best restaurants on the island and our personal service will certainly guarantee a vacation of a lifetime. Be pampered in paradise yourself! Additional amenities and services include complimentary arrival and departure transfers; welcome cocktail and cold towel check-in; movie and book library; beachside sun decks and hammocks for two; complimentary daily Continental breakfast; unlimited use of complimentary snorkel equipment, a complimentary private candlelight dinner setting for 2 either poolside or beach; complimentary nightly turndown service; on-site PADI certified dive shop, vacation planning assistance: on-site wedding coordinator, dinner, tour & spa reservations.





## Ramon's Village Resort

[ramons.com](http://ramons.com)

Coconut Drive, San Pedro, Ambergris Caye

Mailing Address: same as above

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T: +501-226-2071 • E: info@ramons.com



Additional Amenities/Services: cabanas, telephone, coffee makers with complimentary coffee, paddle boards, electric golf carts, hammocks, beach chairs

Ramon's Village Resort is a vacation and scuba diving resort located on the stunning island of Ambergris Caye in the quaint town of San Pedro. Ramon's Village offers 61 palm thatch cabanas nestled among a jungle of tropical flora and fauna with the best beach in San Pedro. Guests will enjoy our beautiful lagoon style pool, beach spa, hammocks and beach chairs all with a fabulous view of the Caribbean Sea. Guests and visitors will enjoy dining at our world-class Pineapples On The Beach, tropical frozen concoctions and specialty coffee at Tropic AI's and shopping at the Tiki Turtle Trading Company. Ramon's Village Divers, a PADI 5 Star IDC located on the pier at Ramon's, is Belize's oldest and most respected dive operation. Novice and experienced scuba divers and snorkelers can explore the undersea wonders of Belize via one of our six dive boats. Island and mainland tours are also available from Ramon's Village Divers – your one stop shop for seeing all that Belize has to offer. Downtown San Pedro is just a 3 minute walk down the beach from Ramon's Village. Come enjoy the vacation of a lifetime at the iconic Ramon's Village Resort!



## CAYES AND ATOLLS

### San Pedro Holiday Hotel

[sanpedroholiday.com](http://sanpedroholiday.com)

6 Barrier Reef Drive

San Pedro Town, Ambergris Caye

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Come experience old world charm, a dedicated staff, and an unforgettable stay at Holiday Hotel, San Pedro, Ambergris Caye, Belize. The flagship of all hotels just celebrated its golden anniversary of distinguished and unequalled service to those travelers who have been fortunate enough to choose her as their home away from home while in Belize. Apart from its excellent service, Holiday Hotel offers one of the premier restaurants anywhere in Belize. Caprice Bar.Grill delivers a selection of local and international mouthwatering cuisine that makes it a must, while considering where to dine on the Island. Whereas Celi's Deli offers a choice selection of traditional breakfast plates and Belizean treats. 52 remarkable years under the stewardship of the very extraordinary Celi McCorkle! A visionary and an innovator who started the hotel and tourism industry on La Isla Bonita, Celi still takes an active part in the community teaching the younger generation that hard work does pay.





## SunBreeze Hotel



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Beauty greets you at every turn at SunBreeze Hotel from the Spanish Architectural building surrounded by lush tropical gardens to breathtaking views of the Caribbean Sea. This Seafront oasis boasts a serene and relaxing atmosphere while being mere steps from all the culture, crafts, dining, and entertainment of San Pedro. Designed with all commodities to make a vacation memorable offering 43 spacious comfortable accommodations in 3 different categories to suit most pockets, including large rooms ideal for families. All rooms feature great amenities, outdoor seating and fantastic views. This year SunBreeze Hotel added a Courtyard Lounge and all 43 rooms have added amenities for additional guests' comfort. Fun-filled packages are available: Diving, Honeymoon, Island Wedding and Adventure packages. SunBreeze Hotel is an ideal venue for Meetings and Incentive groups. SunBreeze Hotel offers comforts and services in a casual and relaxed atmosphere – "No Shoes, No Shirt... No Problem" has long been the SunBreeze Motto and relaxed prices reflect the casual philosophy.



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## SunBreeze Suites



Barrier Reef Drive San Pedro Town  
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SunBreeze Suites' central location has been one of the top choices for visitors in "la Isla Bonita" San Pedro, Belize. Each of the twenty (1) bedroom seafront suites offers a tranquil and relaxed atmosphere in addition to stunning views of the Caribbean Sea and the second largest barrier reef in the Western Hemisphere. A total of 8 Oceanfront Suites and 12 Ocean View Suites, all suitable for families, friends and couples who are looking for a home away from home. Each suite has an equipped kitchen, complimentary coffee, potable water, private bedroom, dining -living area and private balcony. SunBreeze Suites offers easy access to a variety of local and gourmet restaurants, souvenir shops, art galleries, entertainment and provides guests the ideal location to experience fun adventures such as diving the barrier reef, Great Blue Hole, snorkeling, or spend a full day on an ecological tour. Amenities: free WiFi in most common areas, diving services of Ambergris Divers, concierge service, open air bar & restaurant, pool and sun deck.



## The Palms

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Coconut Drive, San Pedro

Ambergris Caye, Belize

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A hidden jewel in the heart of San Pedro Town, on the island of Ambergris Caye, Belize. Friendly, intimate and tranquil yet close to all amenities and local restaurants. Set amid lush tropical gardens with pool and fountain. The Palms consists of 12 Oceanfront suites and 1 poolside casita. Each unit is uniquely decorated with modern kitchens and spacious living areas. All oceanfront suites have private balconies or decks with fabulous views overlooking the sparkling Caribbean Sea. Come stay with us and have the vacation of a lifetime.

## CAYES AND ATOLLS



### Victoria House Resort & Spa

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22 Coconut Drive, San Pedro, Ambergris Caye

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Reservations: (USA) 713-344-2340 or +1-800-247-5159



Victoria House Resort & Spa, one of Ambergris Caye's most luxurious and awarded resorts is a peaceful retreat located two miles South of San Pedro Town. The ambiance of the resort is one of relaxation, privacy and barefoot elegance. The resort features 2 main guest pools, dive shop and a full service spa and fitness center. Victoria House is the perfect locale to scuba-dive, snorkel or just "unplug" from the rest of the world! Rejuvenate yourself... begin your day with yoga at the Spa then pamper yourself from head to toe! Or... just relax by the pool! Victoria House offers diverse room options such as charming thatched-roof casitas, plantation-style rooms and suites as well as luxury beachfront villas. Two villas have private pools and all are set in an idyllic setting of white sand beaches, azure waters, swaying palms and beautiful gardens. Palmilla Restaurant and Admiral Nelson's Bar at Victoria House are both known for their outstanding cuisine and extensive wine list.





## Xanadu Island Resort

[xanaduislandresort.com](http://xanaduislandresort.com)



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Imagine tranquility settling over you like a mist over the ocean; kick off your shoes and stroll amongst the natural vegetation past the water features and onto the beach. Breathe in the fresh ocean air as you wander down the long pier to relax on the sun loungers under the palapa and gaze out over the barrier reef to the deep blue waters of the Caribbean Sea. Settle in and experience the uniqueness of the monolithic dome buildings and enjoy the romantic setting of your private veranda. When you are ready to explore, visit the friendly staff at the front desk to arrange tours or to use the complimentary bicycles, kayaks and paddle boards. Experience all this at the unique, boutique, Green Globe certified Xanadu Island Resort – a touch of luxury in harmony with nature. Additional amenities and services: beach BBQ, poolside bar, log bench with table and chairs on the beach, complimentary access to the bird/nature walk into the tree tops. All suites have a full kitchen, open plan living room and dining room opening onto a private veranda with hammock, table and chairs.



## CAYES AND ATOLLS



## Caye Caulker Plaza Hotel



[cayecaulekerplazahotel.com](http://cayecaulekerplazahotel.com)

Avenida Langosta/Calle Al Sol, Caye Caulker  
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At Caye Caulker Plaza Hotel, we strive to ensure you are right at home. Our front desk personnel will make you feel comfortable and assist you to your room or with any questions you may have. Whether you have an inquiry at 6 AM or at 10 PM, we will do our best to assist you. Our rooms are perfect for those who are looking for relaxation on a small tropical island; they are all equipped with private bathroom, cable TV, air conditioning, and complimentary WiFi.





## Sea Dreams Hotel

[seadreamsbelize.com](http://seadreamsbelize.com)

Near the Split, Caye Caulker

Mailing Address: Hattie Street, Caye Caulker

T/F: +501-226-0602

E: [reservations@seadreamsbelize.com](mailto:reservations@seadreamsbelize.com)



Additional Amenities/Services: paddle boards, hot breakfast, and bottled water

Sea Dreams Hotel is a family-run boutique hotel on the quaint island of Caye Caulker. We are located at the north end of the village which affords a three-sided view of the Caribbean Sea. Guests quickly become part of the Sea Dreams family: eating breakfast with Iris on our thatch-covered rooftop, picking up fishing tips from Haywood on our dock, planning excursions with Anna, Stephanie and Kelly, learning about island education with Heidi, enjoying impeccable housekeeping services from Celia and Karen, or enjoying a tropical drink with Elisia at our Banyan Tree. Our dock, located on the leeward edge of The Split, is the entry into a unique slice of paradise: perfectly clear and calm, chest-deep, turquoise water with a white sandy bottom. Every evening, guests watch the sun melt into these waters and cast pastel shades across the skies. When guests are not diving, snorkeling, fishing, kite boarding, or touring Maya Ruins, they relax at the hotel with a drink at the bar, a massage under the rooftop thatch, a book in a hammock, or a canoe ride to feed the local tarpon. Accommodations range from intimate courtyard rooms to one-, two-, and three-bedroom apartments, cabana, and home.



## CAYES AND ATOLLS



### Itza Lodge

[itzalodge.com](http://itzalodge.com)

Long Caye, Lighthouse Reef

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E: [info@itzalodge.com](mailto:info@itzalodge.com)



Itza Dive Lodge is located on Long Caye at Lighthouse Reef Atoll. The Great Blue Hole is just 17 minutes away by boat. Five minutes from our dock lies some of the best diving and snorkeling in the Caribbean. Make a quick visit to beautiful Half Moon Caye to see one of the Caribbean's only Red-Footed Booby Bird colonies.

- 12 ocean view rooms in a two story building with balcony, hammock and private bathroom
- 6 rooms in a side building with shared bathrooms
- Open dining and bar with thatched roof directly situated at the beach
- Complimentary kayaks, paddle boards, bikes
- Fishing & snorkeling from the beach
- Ping Pong table, horseshoe, volleyball
- Fully equipped dive center

Whether you are coming for one of the best diving in Belize, snorkeling or simply to unplug from the world you will find a tranquil oasis in a natural habitat surrounded by "enchanted waters" as the name Itza in Mayan means.





## Pelican Beach, South Water Caye

[pelicanbeachbelize.com](http://pelicanbeachbelize.com)

South Water Caye

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Elegant barefoot simplicity on a private island paradise. Where...

- Solar powered beach cottages are open to the gentle rhythms of the Caribbean
- Local dishes and desserts are expertly prepared and served alfresco
- You step off your private beach to snorkel in lush coral gardens teeming with marine life
- Kayaking, fishing, bird watching and swimming are at your leisure
- Everything is on "island time"
- It's only five minutes from the dock to SCUBA diving the Belize Barrier Reef
- "Hammock testing" is an activity!

An intimate eco-friendly resort designed and built in tune with nature and all the comforts you need. We take care of everything so you don't have to.



## CAYES AND ATOLLS



## St. George's Caye Resort

[belizeislandparadise.com](http://belizeislandparadise.com)

Beachfront, St. George's Caye

T: +1-800-813-8498

E: reservations@belizeislandparadise.com



Additional Amenities and Services: complimentary airport greeting and transfers, daily housekeeping, valet luggage service, first rum punch on the house every day, free "Try SCUBA" in the pool, free kayaking, windsurfing, sailing, SUPs, and snorkel gear

Get an extra day of vacation! As the closest island resort to Belize City, you'll save hours of travel time – and your round-trip transfers are included. Within an hour of leaving the airport, you're on the beaches of our adults-only resort with 12 thatched cabanas and world-class diving and snorkeling 5 minutes away. With no roads, cars, or TV, and WiFi available only in the lounge, St. George's is an escape from the everyday; a place to unplug and relax. Enjoy coffee and juice delivered to your porch each morning and freshly prepared meals on the oceanfront-dining porch. Dive the Belize Barrier Reef only a mile away. Relax with a massage. Take guided tours to the mainland jungle. Explore the waters around the island with free stand-up paddle boards, kayaks, and Hobie Cat sailboats. Join us for relaxation, romance, adventure, and 5-star service on St. George's Caye, a secluded island paradise where you truly get away from it all.





**Turneffe Island Resort**

[turnefferesort.com](http://turnefferesort.com)

Turneffe Atoll

Mailing Address: 440 Louisiana St.,

Suite 250, Houston, TX 77002

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Turneffe Island Resort is a secluded 14-acre private island located 35 miles off the coast of Belize sitting on the Southern tip of the Turneffe Atoll. TIR is an exquisite coral island where travelers are pampered to enjoy a "Hemingway feel" vacation. Renowned by its location TIR is ecologically and environmentally friendly; utilizes solar power along with a one of a kind water purification system. TIR offers exclusive resort packages that include airport/boat transfers (Wednesdays and Saturdays), high-end luxury resort accommodations, free kayaking and boat-sailing with all-inclusive Caribbean meals and hors d'oeuvres served throughout the day. To elevate the comfort of guests staying and to ensure quality activities, fishing, diving and snorkeling packages are provided independently at guests' requests before or after their arrival. More than 70 dive sites, surrounded by the lagoons and best access to the world's famous Blue Hole and the Elbow. Turneffe Island Resort is a haven for divers, anglers, and visitors who are seeking a spectacular getaway experience.



## CAYES AND ATOLLS



*South Water Caye  
Photograph by David Webb*

# WESTERN BELIZE



*Caracol*  
Photograph Provided by San Ignacio Resort Hotel

## DID YOU KNOW?

Ecotourism adventures abound in Cayo, which is also the gateway into Belize from Guatemala. The lively towns of San Ignacio and Santa Elena and the quiet border town of Benque Viejo del Carmen provide a glimpse into the lives of friendly residents. A range of luxurious jungle lodges to local bed and breakfasts provide extensive options from which to base explorations. Adventures include horseback riding, canoeing, underground rivers, hiking, cave tubing, zip-lining, mountain biking and birding. Nature reserves and national parks is an unsurpassed combination with Belize's largest Maya sites and Central America's largest cave system.

## AREA HIGHLIGHTS

- Actun Tunichil Muknal Cave (ATM Cave)
- Barton Creek Cave
- Bird Watching
- Botanical Gardens
- Butterfly Falls
- Maya Sites: Cahal Pech, Caracol, and Xunantunich
- Capital City of Belmopan
- Che Chem Ha Cave
- Chiquibul National Park
- Crystal Cave Tubing
- Green Hills Butterfly Ranch
- Green Iguana Conservation Project
- Jungle Canopy Zip Lining
- Jungle Horseback Riding
- Kayaking & Canoeing
- Mountain Pine Ridge Forest Reserve
- Rio Frio Cave & Rio On Pools
- Saint Herman's Blue Hole National Park
- San Ignacio Marketplace
- Thousand Foot Falls
- Twin Towns of San Ignacio & Santa Elena



## Banana Bank Lodge

[bananabank.com](http://bananabank.com)

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Belmopan, Belize  
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Over 30 years of experience, we are Belize's largest horseback riding destination. We cater to first-time and experienced riders. Half-day, all-day, weeklong riding-packages are available. Miles of jungle and river trails for your riding enjoyment. Beautiful designer pool, tropical gardens, artistic walkways, Carolyn Carr's Art Gallery and John Carr Historic Collection are a few amenities you will enjoy at Banana Bank. For the celestial lovers, we have a 16" Computerized Telescope where you can admire the stars and planets. Our recently remodeled restaurant provides an excellent family style service. Admire our resident jaguar Tikatoo and the dozens of exotic native and non-native birds we have on site. Arrange a birding tour to enjoy some of the 290 species documented on the property. We also provide tours to Maya sites, caves, zip-line and other nearby adventures. Our accommodations range from air-conditioned rooms, thatched roof cabanas to budget rooms. Let the Carr family welcome you to your home away from home in paradise.



## WESTERN BELIZE



## Caves Branch Adventure Co. & Jungle Lodge

[cavesbranch.com](http://cavesbranch.com)

Mile 41.5 Hummingbird Hwy. Belmopan, Cayo District  
Mailing Address: PO Box 356, same as above  
Toll Free: 1-866-357-2698 (toll free from USA & Canada)  
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Ian Anderson's Caves Branch Adventure Co. and Jungle Lodge is located on its own 50,000 acre estate in the heart of the Belize jungle, overlooking the Caves Branch River below the 100ft. rainforest canopy. The Jungle Lodge offers unique boutique accommodations that range from cabanas, thatched in the style of the Mayas, to 1200 sq. ft. luxurious Canopy Tree houses with roof top soaker tubs; completely screened providing a comfortable bug free environment. Experience the most exciting adventures in Belize. Our activities are designed to create the utmost adventure and give each traveler a once in a lifetime experience. Join our guides, certified to international standards, as you inner tube through 7 miles of river; rappel over 300 feet into the abyss; rock climb incredible underground waterfalls. Spend the day relaxing at our swimming pool, explore our 15 acre botanical gardens with Belize's largest collection of orchids and bromeliads in our "Orchid House"; or enjoy tasting 12 artisan cheeses made daily in our cheese house.





## El Rey Hotel

**El Rey Hotel**  
Belmopan

23 Moho Street, Belmopan  
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Located in the capital Belmopan, El Rey Hotel is ring-fenced by some of the best adventures in Central America. ATM caves, cave tubing, zip lining, Xunantunich and Cahal Pech Maya sites, Caves Branch, St. Herman's Cave and the inland Blue Hole are just a few tour options that can be arranged for guests. El Rey is an intimate budget boutique hotel, where the value of a smile and good local advice are far more important than courtesy and overly starched uniforms. The hotel has three room types, and all offer en suite bathrooms with hot showers, AC, free WiFi, comfortable beds and cable TV. Some rooms also have a small fridge and coffee machine. Government buildings, Embassies and the Central Bus Terminal are all a 2 to 5 minute drive away. Prices range from US\$45 – US\$100 per night including taxes. We also serve an à la carte breakfast with local and international dishes. Other meals and group catering can be pre-booked.



## WESTERN BELIZE



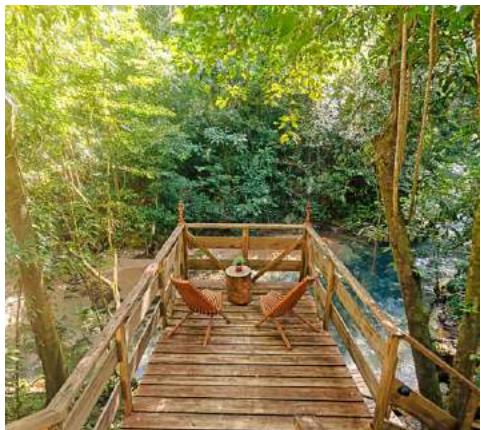
## Jaguar Creek

**JAGUAR CREEK**  
BELIZE  
pray • learn • serve

Mile 42 Hummingbird Highway, Belmopan, Cayo District  
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We are a Christ-centered, social enterprise jungle lodge and retreat center located in the Maya Mountain rainforest of central Belize. Our mission is to fill our guests with awe through a truly unique experience that adds positive value to our local communities. We do this through providing exceptional service to guests from all walks of life, ensuring all our activities are mindful of our responsibility as stewards of God's creation, supporting the local economy, creating opportunities for local entrepreneurs, and seeing all we do - from the big things to the small things - as the spiritual act of worship. Within our commitment to adding value to our local communities, we donate a large portion of our annual net profit to PathLight International., an innovative nonprofit organization that provides children the tools and encouragement they need to succeed in school and life.





## Pook's Hill Lodge



Roaring River, Near Teakettle, Belmopan  
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Pook's Hill is a small lodge situated within a 300 acre private reserve and adjacent to the 6,000 acre Tapir Mountain Reserve. A network of trails allows guests to explore the rainforest, and the lodge is known as an excellent destination for bird watching. Other activities on site include tubing down the Roaring River and swimming in its refreshing natural pools. The lodge has 11 thatched cabanas, each with private bathroom, fans, hot water, and several overlook the Maya plazuela site that lies at the lodge's center. The main lounge is a perfect place for relaxing with hammocks and views into the forest canopy. Meals are eaten communally in the dining room, which is lit in the evening by oil lamps. We are the closest lodge to the ATM cave and a comfortable two hours from the international airport. We offer a range of tours including canoeing, zip lining, cave tubing and visiting the Maya sites of Tikal, Xunantunich and Caracol.



## WESTERN BELIZE



## Hidden Valley Inn



4 Cooma Cairn Road, Mountain Pine Ridge  
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E: reservations@hiddenvalleyinn.com



Additional Amenities/Services: birdwatching, waterfall rental, and fireplace

Hidden Valley Inn, a luxury hotel with only 12 elegant rooms, is located on a 7,200 acre private reserve in the Mountain Pine Ridge area of Belize. This remote lodge offers guests both pine forest and tropical jungle where the flora and fauna are like few places on earth. An altitude of over 2,000 feet, the climate of the Mountain Pine Ridge is comfortable all year round with an average annual temperature of 73°F. Established in 1944, the Mountain Pine Ridge Forest Reserve is the largest and oldest of Belizean parklands. The red earth and sandy terrain, Caribbean pines, granite outcroppings, tumbling waterfalls, huge limestone caves, and rolling open savannah grasslands, bordered by lush tropical rainforest, make the reserve unique to Central America.





## Crystal Paradise Resort

[crystalparadise.com](http://crystalparadise.com)



Cristo Rey Village San Ignacio, Cayo District  
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Belizean owned; Crystal Paradise Resort is located in the lush jungle alongside the beautiful Macal River, a secluded location only two hours drive from the Belize International Airport and only 3.5 miles from the Town of San Ignacio. Each cabana designed and hand built by the Tut family, offering the best accommodation for couples, friends, and families travelling in search of a unique Belize vacation and adventure. The Tut brothers are known for their great birding experience for over 20 years, making our family resort the #1 Birding Resort in Belize. Our open deck and dining area will make each meal a Belizean Paradise Experience. Belizean Cuisine served daily and prepared with fresh vegetables from our Farmers Market. Our large Belizean family runs this eco-lodge as a team to offer you the finest Belize accommodations & meals along with a wide variety of activities & tours. Crystal Paradise has been a favorite in Belize travel for more than two decades.



## WESTERN BELIZE



## Rumors Resort



2.5 Mile Benque Road, Cayo District  
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Rumors Resort is a small Belizean family-owned and operated resort in the San Ignacio area. We pride ourselves in delivering the most personalized experience to each guest for a memorable and successful Belize vacation. Our location on a hilltop on the outskirts of San Ignacio town offers guests tranquility enriched with a nature-filled, fresh, and scenic ambiance while keeping within easy access to town's conveniences. We feature 13 accommodations in three categories, a fully operational on-site restaurant and bar, a saline infinity edge swimming pool with separate kids and adult sections, a pool bar with scenic pool bar terrace, vast green open spaces for recreation, jogs, hikes, etc. and an on-site sister company tour operator for all your adventure and airport transfer needs. Our staff is the friendliest you'll encounter, they are diligent in ensuring that you feel at home with us and that your overall experience is nothing less than stellar. We look forward to hosting soon!





## San Ignacio Resort Hotel



[sanignaciobelize.com](http://sanignaciobelize.com)

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Open to guests since 1976, San Ignacio Resort Hotel provides unsurpassed levels of luxury service and hospitality in Belize. The resort is centrally located in San Ignacio Town within a 17-acre private estate — giving the hotel its unique name of "the only jungle in town." Just a short walk puts you in downtown San Ignacio where the culture and lifestyle of the people abound or in the middle of the ancient Maya temple known as Cahal Pech. Honored as HOTEL & RESTAURANT OF THE YEAR in 2016 by the Belize Tourism Board, the deluxe 26-room hotel showcases a contemporary Mediterranean-style lobby, along with an exotic hardwood staircase winding up to its newest premium suites. The new air-conditioned dining room, Baroque-themed Lobby Bar and extended outdoor seating area make for the perfect dining experience by featuring sightings of resident wildlife. San Ignacio Resort Hotel truly symbolizes 'a new era of luxury' in Belize.



## WESTERN BELIZE





*Whale Sharks*  
Photograph by Belize Hub

**Q. Why You Have to Scuba Dive and Snorkel With Whale Sharks in Belize?** Until you've seen a whale shark up close, it is impossible to realize just how large these gentle creatures are. Measuring up to 40 feet long and weighing up to 20 tons; whale sharks are a migratory species that circumnavigate the globe annually. The Belize Barrier Reef acts as a nursery for thousands of marine species, and the location is the only place in the world where whale sharks congregate in large numbers near the surface as they rise to feed.

**Q. Where in Belize Can You Scuba Dive and Snorkel With Whale Sharks?** The best place to encounter migrating whale sharks in Belize is at the Gladden Spit and Silk CAYES Marine Reserve, measuring almost 26,000 acres in size and located approximately 22 miles (36 km) off the coast of Placencia and other locations in Stann Creek District.

**Q. When is the Best Time to Scuba Dive and Snorkel With Whale Sharks?** Because whale sharks are a migratory species, they are only in Belizean waters for a short time every year. Whale sharks arrive in the area in April and May. They rise to the surface waters to feed when the moon is in its full phase.

**The Best Way to Get to Gladden Spit Marine Reserve.** This protected marine reserve has no airport so all transportation to and from the area is by water taxi or private boat. From Placencia and other coastal locations in the southeast of the country, it takes about one hour to get to Gladden Spit.

**Best Way to Experience the Scuba Diving and Snorkeling With Whale Shark Tour in Belize.** Although there is little risk from the whale sharks themselves, it is important to prepare beforehand to get the best possible experience. Understand that no flash photography is permitted and that strict rules in place prohibit diving or snorkeling after 5:00 pm, and only six total boats are allowed in the area at one time.

## WHALE SHARKS IN BELIZE

Few diving or snorkeling experiences can compare to swimming with whale sharks, the largest fish species on the planet. Although these creatures are truly enormous, they feed on very small fish eggs and spawn thus posing no risk to humans. When whale sharks rise to the surface to feed in Belizean waters, divers and snorkelers have a unique opportunity to interact with these playful giants of the deep.

Content by Larry Waight, Belize Hub

# SOUTHERN BELIZE



*Lebeha Drummer  
Photograph Provided by Belize Tourism Board*

## DID YOU KNOW?

The picturesque Hummingbird Highway snakes through the Maya Mountains leading visitors from the north of the jewel to Dangriga, Hopkins, Placencia and Punta Gorda. The vibrant local cultures of the Maya and the Garifuna are alive with rich traditions in this part of Belize, which is also home to the world's first Jaguar Reserve, the intricate architecture of the Maya site at Lubaantun and over five marine protected areas offshore.

Dangriga is a great choice for experiencing the hypnotic music, vivid art and way of Garifuna life before exploring the islands offshore. The quiet fishing village of Hopkins further down the coast offers gold sand beaches and a range of visitor services. Placencia has become a thriving tourism center as a quaint seaside resort with a local flair, while the peninsula offers modern resorts, vacation rentals and condominiums. Punta Gorda is the gateway to lush rainforest, Maya sites, waterfalls, rivers, extensive cave systems, numerous national parks and protected areas teeming with wildlife.

## AREA HIGHLIGHTS

- Belize Chocolate Tours
- Bocawina National Park
- Cockscomb Basin Wildlife Sanctuary & Jaguar Preserve
- Drums of My Father Monument
- Farm Experience of the Banana Tour
- Gladden Spit: Whale Sharks
- Hokey Ha and Tiger Caves
- Laughing Bird Caye National Park
- Maya Sites: Lubaantun and Nim Li Punit
- Monkey River Tours
- Payne's Creek National Park
- Placencia Sidewalk Arts & Music Festival
- Port Honduras Marine Reserve
- Rio Blanco Falls
- Scarlet Macaws of Red Bank
- Serpon Sugar Mill Archaeological Site
- South Water Caye Marine Reserve
- The Sleepy Fishing Village of Hopkins
- Thomas Vincent Ramos Monument
- "Garifuna Culture Capital" of Dangriga
- "World's Narrowest Street" in Placencia



## Pelican Beach Resort, Dangriga

[pelicanbeachbelize.com](http://pelicanbeachbelize.com)

Dangriga, Belize

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Colonial architecture, tropical gardens, dockside palapas, and spacious verandas caressed by the trade winds, Pelican Beach Resort in Dangriga offers old world charm and comfort. Comfortable rooms overlook palm trees, beach and the Caribbean Sea. The menu at our seaside restaurant is flavored by the spices of the diverse cultures that make up Belize and modern event facilities are an added bonus for business or pleasure. Immerse yourself in local culture at a vibrant riverside market and tour the home base of Marie Sharp's famous habanero pepper sauce • Be drawn by distant drumming and traditional open hearth baking to experience Garifuna culture • Day tour to Cockscomb Basin Wildlife Sanctuary in search of hidden waterfalls and over 500 species of birds • Zip through the rainforest canopy or rappel waterfalls at Bocawina • Float down the river on a cave-tubing adventure • Travel back in time to mysterious Maya cities of Xunantunich and Cahal Pech • Disappear to our own tropical island...



## SOUTHERN BELIZE



## Hamanasi Adventure & Dive Resort

[hamanasi.com](http://hamanasi.com)



Sittee River Road, Hopkins Village

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Hamanasi (Garifuna for Almond Tree) combines the amenities of a top-class dive resort with an array of inland tours and activities. All of Hamanasi's rooms and suites face the sea, except for the popular wood-floored tree houses, which hide within the littoral forest behind the beach. Hamanasi believes in responsible, natural and cultural based eco-tourism. We understand the importance of preserving our environment and indigenous communities. Hamanasi is a special place from which you can explore the best of Belize on and offshore. A secluded, intimate boutique resort located on the beach south of Hopkins, Hamanasi sits on hundreds of feet of Caribbean Sea beachfront surrounded by tropical flora on the finest stretch of beach in Belize. With a short flight from Atlanta, Charlotte, Dallas, Houston, Miami, New York, Panama City or San Salvador you may let the warm tropical breezes melt away your hectic life for the laid back pace of Belize!





## Hopkins Bay Resort

[hopkinsbaybelize.com](http://hopkinsbaybelize.com)

**HOPKINS BAY**  
RESORT BELIZE

North End, Hopkins Village, Stann Creek District  
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This beach destination is an ideal spot for couples and families alike to enjoy a relaxing setting. Couples can enjoy a romantic getaway in a one-bedroom beach loft and families can make themselves at home in a two or three bedroom beach house. Whichever accommodation you choose, you'll be just a stone's throw away from the beach and an unforgettable Belize vacation. By combining the comforts of home with the unparalleled adventures of a unique destination, Hopkins Bay Resort curates experiences that offer new and life-altering memories of an authentic vacation. The relaxed beach property offers every opportunity to enjoy the marine & jungle tours while being immersed in the local culture and cuisine of Hopkins Village!



## SOUTHERN BELIZE



## Thatch Caye Resort

[thatchcayebelize.com](http://thatchcayebelize.com)

**THATCH CAYE**

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An undiscovered paradise awaits you at Thatch Caye Resort. This all-inclusive private island is 9 miles off the coast of southern Belize and ideally located along the Belize Barrier Reef, providing guests with easy access to all the best ocean & jungle activities, including diving, fly fishing, zip-lining, cave tubing, and more. Every room at Thatch Caye has been selectively positioned along the water's edge to provide stunning ocean views. Stay in a beautiful island cabana and catch the sunset from your rooftop terrace or in one of our romantic over-water bungalows; some of the only ones in Belize. The number of guests at Thatch Caye is limited to 26 at a time, which guarantees a unique experience. From destination weddings to corporate retreats, we host it all. For a truly intimate experience, you can book the whole island for your party's exclusive use. Escape to your private tropical retreat at Thatch Caye Resort.





**Villa Verano**  
[villaveranobelize.com](http://villaveranobelize.com)



Hopkins Village, Stann Creek District  
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T: +501-533-7016 / Toll Free: 877-646-2317  
E: info@villaveranobelize.com



Additional Amenities/Services: private chefs who cook on site to cater to your specific culinary desires

Villa Verano offers a 5 star beachfront destination worthy of its stunning Belizean surroundings. Accommodating 1-38 guests in a spacious 10 bedroom hotel, it is perfect for romantic holidays, family reunions, fishing adventures, destination weddings, yoga groups, corporate retreats or unique conferences – all of which our property manager can help you plan and coordinate. You have the choice of booking a room, a floor or the entire villa! With WiFi throughout the home and poolside, Villa Verano's outstanding amenities are for the exclusive use of our guests, including but not limited to full concierge services to make arrangements such as tours, meals, spa treatments and any other needs; a 70 foot beachfront pool; bikes, double kayaks, paddle boards and a catamaran; a fully equipped air-conditioned gym and a rooftop game room; BBQ, hot tub, rooftop sitting area and galley kitchen capable of hosting your special event!



## SOUTHERN BELIZE



**A Belizean Nirvana**  
[belizeanirvana.com](http://belizeanirvana.com)



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A Belizean Nirvana is a boutique all-suite hotel in the heart of the village of Placencia on the beach or as we say in our native tongue “pan da beach”. Nirvana appeals to the traveler looking for simple elegance, where they can kick off their shoes, lie back and relax. We work hard at making your stay memorable, with luxurious linen, bathrobe, and continental breakfast with local cuisine, kayaks, and bicycles. And if you are so inclined, a fitness center so you can keep up with your workout. You can experience the culture of the small village, the pulse of the open bars, a variety of local and international restaurants and entertainment, all within walking distance. Nirvana offers five individually furnished suites each with wide verandas. The first floor has (3) one bedroom suites that can sleep up to four guests. The second floor has (2) suites. A junior suite that sleeps two and a deluxe suite that sleeps four guests. At Nirvana after you have enjoyed your swimming, you can rinse off with the outdoor showers available before you step onto your veranda to relax and enjoy your hammock. Nirvana has a rooftop deck that gives you a panoramic view of the Caribbean Sea to the east, the beach in front where the surfs never stops breaking and the Maya Mountains to the west bathed in a wonderful blue-green background.





## Belize Ocean Club

[belizeoceanclub.com](http://belizeoceanclub.com)

Maya Beach, Placencia, Stann Creek District

Mailing Address: same as above

T: +1-800-997-1289

E: info@belizeoceanclub.com



Belize Ocean Club Resort is situated on the beautiful Maya Beach, just a short journey from the authentic village of Placencia and all the activities Belize has to offer. This PADI 5-Star Dive Resort is perfectly located for access to both jungle and ocean adventures. Complete your vacation experience by exploring the Belize Barrier Reef, Maya Mountains, or simply lounging at the resort's beautiful private beach or huge infinity pool with swim-up bar. After a day of adventure, live in luxury with a unique all-suite experience. Suites are one or two bedrooms with oversized, water-view balconies and spacious en-suite bathrooms, kitchens, and living areas. With over 6,000 sq.ft. of event space and customizable vacation packages, Belize Ocean Club is perfect for special events like weddings, honeymoons, reunions, and corporate retreats. Coupling the finest amenities of a luxury resort with exhilarating adventures that can be enjoyed by couples, friends, and families, Belize Ocean Club is the ultimate Caribbean vacation destination.



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### Caribbean Beach Cabanas

[caribbeanbeachcabanas.com](http://caribbeanbeachcabanas.com)

The Sidewalk, Placencia Stann Creek District

Mailing Address: General Delivery, Placencia, SC

T: +501-622-4142 or US: +1-216-539-9921

E: info@caribbeanbeachcabanas.com



Additional Amenities/Services: complimentary airport pick up, paddle boards, luxury robes, resort towels, grill, cushioned lounge chairs, gift basket at arrival, on site concierge service, daily maid service, local cell phone

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## Green Parrot Beach Houses & Resort

[greenparrot-belize.com](http://greenparrot-belize.com)

1 Maya Beach, Placencia, Belize

Mailing Address: same as above

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## Los Porticos Villas losporticosvillas.com



Placencia Rd., Placencia, SC

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## Naïa Resort and Spa naiaresortandspa.com



Mile 17.5 Placencia Peninsula, Stann Creek District

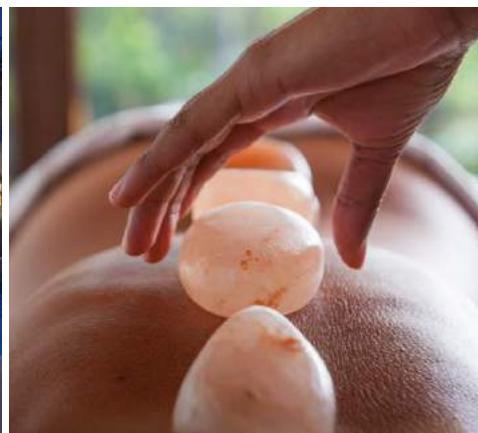
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**Copal Tree Lodge**  
[copaltreelodge.com](http://copaltreelodge.com)

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# The Farm Inn

[thefarminnbelize.com](http://thefarminnbelize.com)

San Antonio - Santa Cruz Road, Toledo District  
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THE LODGE AT BIG FALLS

## The Lodge at Big Falls

[thelodgeatbigfalls.com](http://thelodgeatbigfalls.com)

Big Falls Village, Toledo District

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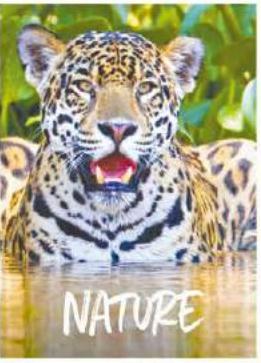
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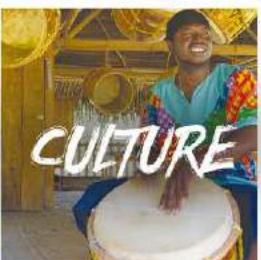
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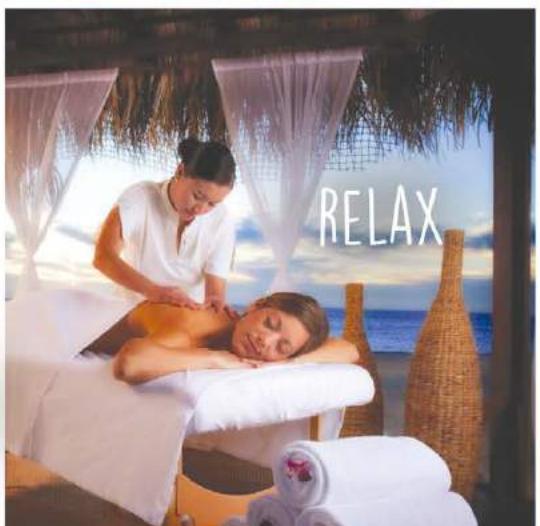
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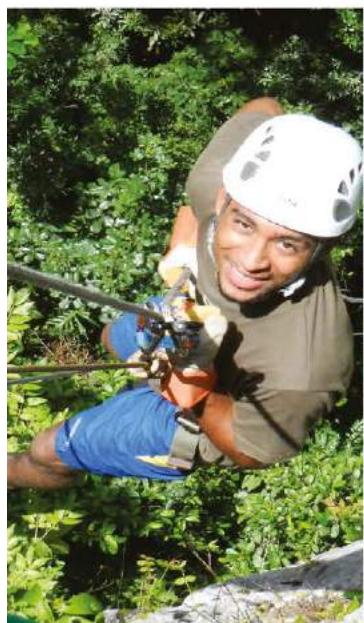
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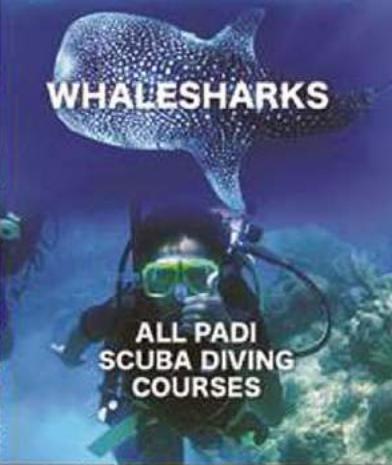
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**BELIZE CITY**

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Bachelor Inn Hotel	bachelorinnhotel@yahoo.com
Bay View Guest House	belize-guesthouse-hotel.com
<b>Belcove Hotel</b>	<b>belcove@btl.net</b>
Belize Pickwick Hotel	
Bella Sombra Guest House	lasbrisasdelmar.net
Bella Sombra Guest House	
Kings Park	
<b>Best Western Belize Biltmore Plaza</b>	<b>belizebiltmore.com</b>
Buy Belize Management House 4 - Thurton	
Buy Belize Management Ltd House #5	buy-belize.com
Buy Belize Management Ltd House #8	
Buy Belize Management Ltd. - House 1 Woods	buy-belize.com
Buy Belize Management Ltd. 3 - Fabro	buy-belize.com
Buy Belize Management Ltd. House #10	
Buy Belize Management Ltd. House #7	buy-belize.com
Buy Belize Management Ltd. House #9	
Caribbean Hotel (formerly Gulf Hotel)	
Coningsby Inn	coningsby_inn.com
D' Nest Inn	dnestinn.com
Diamond Motel	
Dreme Inn	
Easy Inn	booking.com/hotel/bz/easy-inn.html
Golden Tree Hotel	
Harbour View Cottages	vacasa.com
Honey's Hotel	
Radisson Fort George Hotel	radissonbelize.com
<b>Ramada Belize City Princess Hotel</b>	<b>ramadabelizecity.com</b>
Renaissance Towers	
Sea Breeze Guest House	seabreeze.com
Siesta Inn	
TBG Bed & Breakfast	
The Bakadeer Inn	bakadeerinn.com
The Caribbean Palms Inn	the-caribbean-palms-inn.html
<b>The Great House Inn</b>	<b>greathousebelize.com</b>
The Red Hut Inn	red-hut-inn-belize.50megs.com
Three Sisters Guest House	
Villa Boscardi	villaboscardi.com

**BELIZE RURAL**

HOTEL NAME	HOTEL WEBSITE
Bambaleo Inn Belize	
Belize River Lodge	belizeriverlodge.com
<b>Bird's Eye View Lodge</b>	<b>birdseyeviewbelize.com</b>
<b>Black Orchid Resort</b>	<b>blackorchidresort.com</b>
Casa del Mar	
Crooked Tree Lodge	crookedtreelodgebelize.com
El Chiclero Inn	
Gentile's Cool Spot	
Global Village Hotel	globalvillagehotel.com
Highway Trails Resort	highwaytrail.bz
Howler House Vacation Rentals	howlerhouse.com
Howler Monkey Resort	howlermonkeyresort.bz
Ionie's Bed & Breakfast	
Jacana inn	
Kingdom of Caerus	
Manatee Lodge	manateelodge.com
Maruba Resort and Jungle Spa	maruba-belize.com
Monkey Bay Wildlife Sanctuary	belizestudyabroad.net
Nature Resort	natureresortbelize.com
Riverbend Bed & Breakfast	
The Savannah Guest House	belizesavannaguesthouse.com
Tillet's Village Lodge	
Triple B Beck's Bed & Breakfast	becksbed&breakfast.com
Tropical Education Center	www.thebelizezoo.org
West Lake Park Motel	
Yellow Bell Guest House	

**CAYE CAULKER**

HOTEL NAME	HOTEL WEBSITE
3 Little Birds Guest House	
Alta Vista Accommodations	cayecaulkerrentals.com
Amanda's Place	cayecaulkercasita.com
Anchorage Resort	anchorageresort.com

**COROZAL DISTRICT**

HOTEL NAME	HOTEL WEBSITE
Aldy's Guest House	
<b>Almond Tree Hotel Resort</b>	<b>almondtreeresort.com</b>
Backpackers Paradise	cabanasbelize.wordpress.com
Cerros Beach Inn	cerrosbeachresort.com
City Light Guest House	
Coral Cottages	
CSFI-Shipstern Conservation & Management Area	visitshipstern.com
Fernando's Seaside Guest House	fernadosseaside.com
Gibson's Guest House	
Hok'ol Kin Guest House	corozal.net
Hotel Maya	hotelmaya.net
Hotel Posada Mama	
Las Palmas Hotel	laspalmashotelbelize.com
Las Vegas Executive Hotel	lvbelize.com
Maya World Guest House	
Mayra's Guest House	
Miracle Hotel	
Mirador Hotel	mirador.bz
Orchid Bay Beach Club Casitas	orchidbaybeachclub.com
<b>Orchid Bay Seafront Condos</b>	<b>orchidbaybeachclub.com</b>
Princess Hotel	
Sarteneja Homestay	
Sarteneja Inn	
Serenity Sands Bed & Breakfast	serenitiesands.com
Stone Sea Breeze	theseabreezehotel.com
Sunset Bay Guesthouse	
The Crimson Orchid Inn	
The Smuggler's Den	smugglersdenbelize.tripod.com

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HOTEL NAME	HOTEL WEBSITE
<b>Caye Caulker Plaza Hotel</b>	<b>cayecaulkerplazahotel.com</b>
Caye Reef Condos	cayereef.com
Caye Rentals	
Chila's Beach Front Studio	
China Town Hotel	chinatownbelize.com
Coconut Grove	cayecaulkeraccommodation.com
Colinda Cabanas	colindacabanas.com
Comfortably Numb	
Costa Maya Beach Cabanas	costamayabelize.com
De Real Macaw	derealmacaw.biz
Diane's Beach House	staycayecaulker.com
Dirty McNasty's Hostel	
Edith's Guest House	
Enjoy Hotel	
Foshay Tower	foshaytower.bz
Georgia Peach	cayecaulkeraccommodations.com
Go Slow Hotel	
Gumbo Limbo Cabana	
Hummingbird Cottage	cayecaulkeraccommodations.com
Ignacio's Beach Cabins	
Iguana Reef Inn	iguanaarefinn.com
Indigo Pearl	
Island Cheers	
Island Magic Beach Resort	islandmagicbelize.com
J & S Guest House	
Jaguar Morning Star Guest House	jaguarmorningstar.com
Jan's Place Hotel & Apartment LTD.	janshotel.com
Jeremiah's Inn	cayecaulkerhotels.com
Juan's Guest House Caye Caulker	juans.bravesites.com
Kimber's Banana Cabana	
Kokomo Beach	kokomobeachbelize.com
La Cuban Hostel, Sleep Box	
La Isla Resort	tropicalparadise.bz
La Sirena Guest House	cayecaulkeraccommodations.com
La Vida Perazosa	
Leeside Rooms	
Lena's Guest House	
Lorraine's Guest House	
Louise's Oceanfront Suites	weeziescayecaulker.com
Low Caye Cottages	airbnb
M & N Hotel Apartments	
Macaw Apartments Caye Caulker	
Mara's Place Guest House	.
Marin's Guest House	
Marin's Premier	
Mark's House	vrbo
Marlony's Guest House	
Maxhapan Cabins	
Miss Ellas Guest House	cayecaulkerdestinations.com
Morgan's Inn	
Mo's Cozy Cabanas	
Oasi Apartment Rentals	oasi-holidaysbelize.com
Ocean Pearle Royale Hotel	oceangopearlebelize.com
Pancho's Villas	panchosvillasbelize.com
Parky's Place	airbnb
Pause	
Picolo Studio Apartments	picololo.googlepages.com
Popeye's Beach Resort	popeyesbeachresort.com
Princesa Angienelle	vacasa
Pura Vida Inn	
Rainbow Hotel	rainbowhotel-cayecaulker.com
Raul's Rooms	
Reef House - RF Rentals	
Rock N' Reggae	
Rosco's Faymous Hideaway	
Sailwinds Beach Suites	sailwindsbelize.com
Sandy Lane Guest House & Cabanas	
Sapphire House	cayecaulkerrentals.com
<b>Sea Dreams Hotel</b>	<b>seadreamsbelize.com</b>
Sea N Sun Guest House	seaandsunguesthouse.com
Seabeezz	seabeezz.com
Seaside Cabanas	seasidecabanas.com
Seaside Villas	seasidevillasscayecaulker.com
Shirley's Guest House	shirleysguesthouse.com
SLO-N-EZ Villas	cayecaulkerrentals.com
Sophie's Guest Rooms	

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HOTEL NAME	HOTEL WEBSITE
Axios Apartments	axios.aeworldhotels.com
Axios of The Sun	axios.aeworldhotels.com
Barefoot Beach Belize	barefootbeachbelize.com
Barefoot Caribe Hotel	barefootcaribehotel.com
Bay Breezes Apartments	airbnb.com
Beachside Cottage	cayecaulkerrentals.com
Bella's	bellasinbelize
Birdhouses	
Blue Wave Guest House	
Bonita's Bayside Cabanas	cayecaulkeraccommodations.com
Botanical Paradise	vrbo.com
Canuck Cottages	cayecaulkervacationrentals.com
Carolyn's House	cayecaulkerrentals.com
Casa Ciiclee	cayecaulkerdestinations.com
Casa Esmeralda	
Casita Bella Vida	VRBO
Caye Caulker Beach Hotel	
Caye Caulker Condos	cayecaulkercondos.com

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Sunny Cabana	
The French Lady Guest House	cayecaulkerrentals.com
The Roughrider Inn	cayecaulkerdestinations.com
The Sail House	
The Sands Inn	
The Stoned Crab Hideaway	
The Tranquila Caye	cayecaulkerrentals.com
Traveller's Palm Backpacker's Hostel	
Tree Tops Guest House	treetopsbelize.com
Trellis House	cayecaulkerrentals.com
Tropical Dream Vacation Rentals	lthompson2@gmail.com
Tropical Oasis	
Tropical Paradise Hotel	tropicalparadise.bz
Valarosa	cayecaulkeraccommodations.com
Vega Inn and Gardens	
Villa Almendra	cayecaulkerrentals.com
Villa Gemma	vrbo.com
Villa Hermosa	cayecaulkeraccommodations.com
Vista del Mar Guest House	
Weezie's Cabin	
Yocomatsu	yobelize.com
Yuma's House Belize	yumashousebelize.com
Zekes Casa Roja	cayecaulkeraccommodations.com

**OFFSHORE ISLANDS NORTH**

HOTEL NAME	HOTEL WEBSITE
Belcove Island Lodge	belcove.com
Blackbird Caye Resort	blackbirdresort.com
Huracan Diving	huracandiving.com
Itza Lodge - Long Caye Lighthouse Reef	itzalodge.com
Royal Palm Caye Resort	royalpalmisland.com
St. George's Caye Resort	belizeislandparadise.com
Turneffe Flats Lodge	tflats.com
Turneffe Island Resort	turnefferesort.com

**OFFSHORE ISLANDS SOUTH**

HOTEL NAME	HOTEL WEBSITE
Billy Hawk Caye Lodge	islandinbelize.com
Bird Island Placencia Belize	birdislandplacencia.com
Blue Marlin Beach Resort	bluemarlinlodge.com
Coco Plum Island Resort	cocoplumcay.com
Coral Caye	thefamilycoppolahideway.com
Fairweather's Place	
Garbutt's Lodge - Lime Caye	
Gill's Cove	
Glover's Atoll Island Lodge	glovers.com.bz
Hatchet Caye Resort	hatchetcaye.com
Hideaway Caye	hideawaycaye.com
Isla Marisol Resort	islamarisolresort.com
Island Adventures Campground	
IZE Cottages	izebelize.com
Jean's Place	
Joe Jo's By The Reef	joejosbytherereef.com
Long Caye Adventure Camp	slickrock.com
Off the Wall Dive Center	offthewallbelize.com
Pelican's Pouch	pelicanbeachbelize.com
Ranguana Caye Cabins	ranguanacaye.com
Reef Conservation International (REEFCI)	reefcii.com
Reef's End Lodge	reefsendlodge.com
Royal Belize Vacations	royalbelize.com
Thatch Caye Resort	thatchcayebelize.com
Tobacco Caye Lodge	tclogbelize.com
Tobacco Caye Paradise Cabins	tobaccocaye.com
Yok Ha Resort	yokhabelizeresort.com

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HOTEL NAME	HOTEL WEBSITE
18 Degrees North	vrbo.com property #132079
3 D Vacations	
A. K. Mayflower Casita	belizemayflower.com
Ak' Bol Yoga Resort	akbol.com
Ambergris Lake Villas	ambergrisvacations.com
Amelia Guest House	
Anil Mar	ambergrisvillas.com
Aqua Vista Beachfront Suites	aquavistabelize.com
ASunsetBeachResort.Com	
Athens Gate	athensgatebelize.com

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Azul Maya Villas	azulmayavillas.com
Baja Mar Vacation House	bajamarbelize.com
Banana Beach Resort	bananabeach.com
Banyan Bay Suites	banyanbay.com
Belize Island Beach House	vrbo.com/131779
Belizean Cove Estates	belizeancove.com
Belizean Reef Suites	ambergrisvacationrentals.com
Belizean Shores Resort	belizeanshores.com
Bermuda Beach	landingstrescocos.com
Bermuda Landing Condominiums	landingstrescocos.com
Bermuda Palms	
Blue Bone Fish Belize Villa	naknekrivercamp.blogspot.com
Blue Dolphin	bluedolphinbelize.com
Blue Tang Inn	bluetanginn.com
Blue Wave Villa	
Brianna's Beach House	briannasbeachhouse.com
Canary Cove	canarycove.com
Captain Morgan's Retreat	captainmorgans.com
Caribbean Villas Hotel	caribbeavillashotel.com
Caribe Island Resort	ambergrisvacationrentals.com
Carlstrom House	cayemanagement.com
Casa Amarillo	casaamarillobelize.com
Casa Ashley	
Casa Azul	azulbelize.com
Casa B'Alam	belizemanagement.com
Casa Blanca Beach Resort	belizecasablanca.com
Casa Bonita	vrbo.com/b91547
Casa Buena Vista	
Casa Caracol	casacaracol.com
Casa Checking Out	vrbo.com/694966
Casa Coral	cayemanagement.com
Casa de Bonita	
Casa de Lisa	mandmrentalsbelize.com
Casa Del Rai	
Casa Gonzo	
Casa Grande	vrbo.com/393581
Casa Layla	vrbo.com/571368
Casa Mayan Breeze	cayemanagement.com
Casa Miradores	casamiradores.com
Casa Natural Belize	belizevacationrentals.com
Casa Nirvana	belizesanpedro.net
Casa Playa	cayemanagement.com
Casa Redonda	belizemandmrentals.com
Casa Tortuga Villa	casatortuga.com
Casita Tres Cocos	
Caye Casa	cayecasa.com
Caye Villas	vrbo.com
Cayo Espanto Island Resort	aprivateisland.com
Cayo Frances Farm & Fly	belizeflyfishcamp.com
Changes In Latitudes	changesinlatitudesbelize.com
Chez Caribe	chezcaribe.com
Coco Beach Resort	cocobeachbelize.com
Cocotal Inn & Cabanas	cocotalbelize.com
Conch Shell Inn	
Coral Bay Villas	coralbaybelize.com
Coral Pelicano Vacation Home	cayemanagement.com
Corona Del Mar	coronadelmarhotel.com
Costa Blu Dive & Beach Resort	costabluelbelize.com
Day Dreamin' Bed & Breakfast	daydreaminbelize.com
Debbie's Beach House	cayemanagement.com
Diamond Reef Condominium	diamondreefcondominiums.com
Downtown Nest	vacasa.com
El Castillo De Arena	vrbo.com/376639
El Pescador Lodge & Villas	elpescador.com
El Secreto Resort	elsecretobelize.com
Escape Away Belize	
Exotic Caye Beach Resort	belizeisfun.com
Grand Baymen Gardens	grandbaymen.com
Grand Caribe Belize	grandcaribebelize.com
Grand Colony Island Villas	grandcolonyvillas.com
Grande Paraiso Casa	
Heron's Rest	
Hicklin House	cayemanagement.com
Hol Chan Reef Resort	holchanreefvlas.com
Hostel La Vista	hostellavista.com
Hotel Central Park	
Hotel Del Rio	hoteldelriobelize.com
Hotel Ocean Paradise	
Hummingbird Suites	hummingbirdsuites/facebook
Indigo Beach Homes	
La Beliza Resort	labelizaresort.com

**SAN PEDRO (continued)**

HOTEL NAME	HOTEL WEBSITE
La Casa Pura Vida	
La Perla Del Caribe	
Las Terrazas Resort	lasterrazasresort.com
Los Encantos Villas	cayemanagement.com
Mahogany Bay Village	mahoganybayvillage.com
Martha's Hotel	ambergriscaye.com
Mata Chica Resort	matachica.com
Mata Rocks Resort	matarocks.com
Mayan Princess Hotel	mayanprincesshotel.com
Miramar Villas	bleasemanagement.com
Mr Craig's Place	vrbo.com/342624
Oasis Del Caribe #4 & #15	cayemanagement.com
Ocean Tide Beach Resort	tidesbeachresort.com
Oceaneira Condos 1 & 9	cayemanagement.com
Palm House	thepalmhousebelize.com
Paradise on the Caye	
Paradise Villas - Nellie Gomez	nelliesprop.com
Park Place Belize	
Pedro's Hotel	pedroshotel.com
Pelican Reef Villas	pelicanreefvlas.com
Pirate Villas	piratevlas.com / vrbo.com
Playa Blanca Island Villas	
Playa Villa	
Portofino Beach Resort	portofinobelize.com
Pristine Cove	
Ramon's Village Resort	ramons.com
Royal Caribbean Resort	royalcaribbeanbelize.com
Royal Palm Villas	
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San Pedro Hotel	
San Pedro Holiday Hotel	sanpedroholiday.com
Sandbar Beachfront Hostel	sanpedrohostel.com
Sapphire Beach Resort	
Sea Pearl Vacation Suites	seapearlvacationsuits.com
Sea The View	vrbo.com
SEAcluded Sands	
Seascape Villas	seascapebelize.com
Seaside Casa	ambergrisvlas.com
Seven Seas Resort	sevenseasbelize.com
Shell-Ease by the Sea	
Sol Spot Unit H-5 @ Casa Del Sol	cayemanagement.com
Solaria Villas	solarivillasbelize.com
South Ambergris Village	
Spindrift Hotel	ambergriscaye.com/spindrift
Stella De Mare	cayemanagement.com
Sun Breeze Hotel	sunbreeze.net
Sunbreeze Suites	sunbreezesuites.com
Sundiver Beach Resort	sundiverbeachresort.com
Tan's Inn	
Tara Del Sol	ambergrisvacationrentals.com
The Palms Condominiums	belizepalms.com
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The Tree House	cayemanagement.com
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Tradewinds Paradise Villas	tradewindsparadisevlas.com
Tranquility Bay Resort	tranquilitybayresort.com
Tranquility Beach Club #5, 8 & 9	cayemanagement.com
Tres Banderas Vacation Home	vrbo.com/484357
Tropical Escape	vrbo.com/353219
Tropical Research and Education Center-TREC	
Tropicana Hotel & Condos	
Turtle Beach Cabanas	
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Twisted Palm Villas	twistedpalmvlas.com
Victoria House Resort & Spa	victoria-house.com
View The Blue	ambergrisvacationrentals.com
Villa De Plata	cayemanagement.com
Villa Incomunicada	myprivatevacation.com
Villa Incomunicada 2	vacationthecaribbean.com
Villa Ragazza	ragazzabelize.com
Villa Twin Dolphins	
Wataview	wataviewbelize.com
Watercolor V/H	
Water's Edge-A Mata Grande Villa	vrbo.com/510104
White Sands Cove	whitesandscove.com
X' Tan Ha Resort	xtanha.com
Xanadu Island Resort	xanaduislandresort.com
YWAM - Destination Paradise Caribbean	ywamdp.org

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HOTEL NAME	HOTEL WEBSITE
Acropolis Maya Hotel	acropolismaya.com
Aquada Hotel	aguadabelize.com
Amber Sunset Jungle Resort	ambersunsetbelize.com
Avana Villa	
<b>Banana Bank Lodge</b>	<a href="#">bananabank.com</a>
Belize Cultural Adventure Guesthouse	
Belize Jungle Dome	belizejungledome.com
Bella's Backpackers Hostel	bellasinbelize
Belmopan Bed & Breakfast	belmopanbedandbreakfast.com
Belmopan Sunview Inn	
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Better in Belize Eco Lodge	betterinbelize.com
Black Rock Lodge	blackrocklodge.com
Blancaneaux Lodge	coppolaresorts.com
Bull Frog Inn	bullfroginn.com
Cabo's Hotel	hrcabos.com
Cacao Rainforest Lodge	
Cahal Pech Village Resort	cahalpech.com
Calico Jack's Village	calicojacksvillage.com
Camalote Camp	camalotecamp.com
Casa Blanca Guest House	casablancaguesthouse.com
Casa Hill View	flipkey.com
Casa Santa Maria	jhagenphotography.com
Casa Sofia	
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<b>Caves Branch Jungle Lodge</b>	<a href="#">cavesbranch.com</a>
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Cheers Cabanas	cheersrestaurant.bz
Chiquibul Ranch	airbnb.com
Clarissa Falls Resort	clarissafalls.com
Cocopele Inn	
Cool M Farm Cabanas	
<b>Crystal Paradise Resort</b>	<a href="#">crystalparadise.com</a>
Dream Valley Belize Ltd.	dreamvalleybelize.com
duPlooy's Jungle Lodge	duplooy.com
Eastern Guest House	
Eighty Two	
<b>El Rey Hotel</b>	<a href="#">elreyhotel.com</a>
Elvira's Guest House	
Falcon Hill Cabanas	
Flores Villas	
Foresters Lodge	airbnb
Gaia Riverodge	gaiariverodge.com
Global Nomads Belize Ltd-The Treehouse	globalnomadsboutiquevillas.com
GM Suites Bed & Breakfast	gmsuites.aspx
Green Valley Inn	greenvalleybelize.com
Gumbo Limbo Jungle Resort	gumbolimbo.com
Hacienda Tropical Guest House	haciendatropicalguesthouse.com
Happy Happy Inn	
Hibiscus Hotel	hibiscusbelize.com
Hidden Haven	
<b>Hidden Valley Inn</b>	<a href="#">hiddenvalleyinn.com</a>
Hi-Et Guest House	
Hode's Place	
Home Hill Apartments	homehillapartments.com
Hotel El Pilar	
Hotel Tia Maria / Guest House	tiamariaguesthouse.com
Hummingbird Haven Lodge & Hostel	hummingbirdlodge.com
Iguana Yard	
Inn The Bush	inninthebushbelize.com
J & R Guest House	
<b>Jaguar Creek</b>	<a href="#">jaguarcreek.org</a>
Juntos Conference & Cottages	
Ka'aná Boutique Resort	kaanabelize.com
Kantara Ku Jungle Escape	
Kenmar's Bed & Breakfast	kenmar.bz
Kukulkan Villa	
La Casa Del Caballo Blanco	casacaballoblanco.com
LA's Guest House	
Love Kiss Motel	
Lower Dover Field Station	
Lucky Dreamer Casitas	belizeglamping.com
Macaw Bank Jungle Lodge	macawbankjunglelodge.com
Mahogany Hall Resort	mahoganyhallbelize.com
Mallorca Hotel	mallorchatelbz.com
Maná-Kai Camping & Cabins	maná kai-belize
Mariposa Jungle Lodge	mariposajunglelodge.com

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HOTEL NAME	HOTEL WEBSITE
Martha's Guest House	
Martz Farm Treehouses & Cabanas	martzfarm.com
Maxim's Palace	
Maya Bella Downtown Hotel	
Maya Hill	mayahill.com
Maya Hotel	
Maya Mountain Lodge	mayamountain.com
Maya Vista	
Midas Resort	midasbelize.com
Moes Place	okbelize.com
Moonracer Farm Lodge	moonracerfarm.com
Mountain Equestrian Trails	metbelize.com
Mystic River Resort	mysticriverresort.com
Nabitunich -The Stone Cottages	hannahstables.com
Nina's Place Ltd.	explore-belize.com
Pacz Guest House	marthasbelize.com
Parrot Nest Lodge	parrot-nest.com
Pilgrim's Paradise	
Pine Ridge Lodge	pineridgeodge.com
Plaza Hotel	
<b>Pook's Hill</b>	<a href="#">pookshillodge.com</a>
Rainforest Haven Inn	rainforesthavens.com
Rawspa Cabanas & Campground	
River Lane Cottage	
River Park Inn	
Riverside Resort Cabanas	
Roaring River Golf & Accommodation	belizegolfcourses.com
Rock Farm	rockfarmbelize.com
Rolson Hotel	rolsons.com
Rosa's Hotel	
<b>Rumors Resort Hotel</b>	<a href="#">rumorsresort.com</a>
<b>San Ignacio Resort Hotel</b>	<a href="#">sanignaciobelize.com</a>
Sleeping Giant Rainforest Lodge	vivabelize.com
Sopilar Camp Ground	
Sun Moon Star Motel	
Sunflower Inn	
Super Palm Resort	superpalmresort.com
Table Rock Jungle Lodge	tablerockbelize.com
The Garden House	
The Lodge at Chaa Creek	chaacreek.com
The Log Cab-Inn	logcabinnbelize.com
The Macal River Camp	chaacreek.com
The New Belmoral Hotel	
The Old House Hostel	forebook.com/hostelbelize
The Orange Guest House	belizegifts.com/guesthouse
Touch of Class Comfort Inn	
Tree Tops	
Tropicool Hotel	
Twin Palms Bed & Breakfast	
Vanilla Hills	vanilla-hills.com
Venus Hotel	
Villa Cayo	
Villa San Juan	villasanjuanbelmopan.com
Villa Teacup	
Warrie Head Lodge	warriehead.com
Watson Rentals	
Windy Hill Resort	windylhillresort.com
Wish Willy River Cabanas	
Yam Wits Lodge	yamwits.com
Yax Che Jungle Camp	mayaguide.bz
Yim Saan Hotel	yimsaan-hotel.com

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HOTEL NAME	HOTEL WEBSITE
Blue Agave House	silbelize.com
Blue Garden House	belizecottagerentals.com
Blue Sky Hotel	
Bull's Beach Cabanas	
C & C Comfort Rooms	
Capp's Inn	
Captain Jak's	captainjaks.com
Captain's House & Crow's Nest	
<b>Caribbean Beach Cabanas</b>	<a href="#">caribbeanbeachcabanas.com</a>
Caribbean Rental Delites	vrbo.com/298227
Caribbean Splash	
Caribbean Way Villa	
Carol's Cabanas	permitangling.com
Casa Beya / Seagrape Escape	casabeyabelize.com
Casa Charly	
Casa De La Vista	
Casa Laguna Vista	
Casa Nettuno	
Casa Palma	
Casa Placencia	casaplacencia.com
Casita Margarita	vrbloplaciabelize
Chabil Mar	chabilmarvillas.com
Champagne Island	
Coconut Cottage	coconutcottage.net
Coconut Inn	
Colibri House	colibrihouseplacencia.com
Coral Cove Inn	coralcoveinn.com
Cozy Corner Hotel	cozycorner-belize.com
Crocodile Creek Cabanas	
Deb & Dave's Last Resort	toadaladventure.com
Decked Out House	deckedouthouse.com
Dolce Cabana	
Dreamsicle House	mayabeachhotel.com
Easy Living Apartments	easylivingplacencia.com
Eloise Travel Lodge	
Evan's Place	
Finca Villa	
Flip Flop Palace	mayabeachhotel.com
<b>Green Parrot Beach Houses</b>	<a href="#">greenparrot-belize.com</a>
Green Tower House	
Hairy Hut	hairyhut.com
Harbour Hideaway	vrbo.com/313894
Harry's Cozy Cabanas	cozycabanas.com
Heaven's Gate Beach Cabanas	heavensgate@beachbungalow.com
HFC Lodge	
Hibiscus Beach Properties 5	
High Tide Guest House	hightideguesthouse.com
Hummingbird House at Placencia Caye	
Imperius Rex	
Joya Del Mar	mayabeachhotel.com
Julia's Guest House	juliascabanas.com
Kat Casa	
Kiskadee Cove	anchorbelize.com
Kitty's Place Seaview Guest House	kittysplace.com
<b>Laru Beya Resort</b>	<a href="#">larubeya.com</a>
Little Harvest Caye	
<b>Los Porticos Villas</b>	<a href="#">losporticosvillas.com</a>
Lost Reef Resort	lostreefresort.com
Luxury Beach House	vrbo.com/229207
Lydia's Guest House	lydiastguesthouse.com
Maison Blanche	
Manatee Inn	manateeinn.com
Mariposa 1630	vrbo
Mariposa Bed & Breakfast	
Maya Beach Hotel	mayabeachhotel.com
Maya Breeze Inn	mayabreezeinnbelize.com
Maya Lodge	placenciacrental.com
Maya Moon Cottage	
Maya Sunset Rental	vrbo.com/314068
Mayatopia	
Mi Sastun	
Michelo Suites	belize.net84.net
Maya Sunset	vrbo.com/314068
Mi Sastun	vrbo.com #499721
Michelo Suites	belize.net84.net

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HOTEL NAME	HOTEL WEBSITE
<b>A Belizean Nirvana</b>	<a href="#">belizeannirvana.com</a>
Affairs To Remember	
Agua Villa	mayabeachhotel.com
Ally's Guest House	allysguesthousebelize.com
Anda the Hows Hostel	
Angel's Landing	
Aurora Beach	
Bamboo Gardens	
Barnacle Bill's Beach Bungalows	barnaclebills-belize.com
Bayshore	bayshore.bz
<b>Belize Ocean Club</b>	<a href="#">belizeoceancclub.com</a>
Belize Paradise Cabanas Rentals	belizeparadisecabanaarentals.com
Belize Ocean Club	
Belize Paradise Cabana Rentals	belizeparadisecabanaarentals.com
BJ's Amir Inn	

**HOTELS IN BELIZE** (Hotels in bold are members of the Belize Hotel Association) ■ Western Belize ■ Southern Belize

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HOTEL NAME	HOTEL WEBSITE
Miller's Landing	millerslanding.net
Miramar Apartments	miramarbelize.com
Mirasol Villa	mirasolbelize.com
Mohito Coast Beach House	
<b>Nai'a Resort &amp; Spa</b>	<b>naiaresortandspa.com</b>
Ocean's Edge Beach House	oceangedge-belize.com
Orma's Guest House	
One Particular Harbour	placenciapropertyrentals.com
Paradise Vacation Hotel	belize123.com
Pearl Beach Dome House	placenciarentals.com
Pelican Perch	placenciapropertyrentals.com
Placencia Beach House	
Placencia Guest House	
Placencia Pointe Townhomes	
Ponciana Villa	placenciapropertyrentals.com
Ranguana Lodge	ranguanabelize.com
Refugio de la Laguna	
Reva's Pearl Vacation Home	placenciapropertyrentals.com
Robert's Grove Beach Resort	robertsgrove.com
Rocky Point Placencia Peninsula	
Romantic Sunset Cove	gingerspoint.com
Sailfish Hotel	sailfishbelize.com
Sand Garden Rooms	sandgardenroomsbelize.com
Sea Glass Inn	seaglassinnbelize.com
Seabreeze Villa	
Seaspray Hotel	seasprayhotel.com
Seaview Suites	seaviewplacencia.com
Serenade Hotel	
Shebeen	
Silver Leaf Villa & Cabana	
Simbert Apartments	
Singing Sands Inn	singingsands.com
Southern Shores Resort	southernshoresresort.com
Sundowner Lodge	sundownerlodge.com
Sunset Lagoon Cabanas	placenciapropertyrentals.com
Sunset Pointe Condominiums	sunsetpointebelize.com
Swan Villas	swanvillasbelize.com
The Arches	
The Elysian Boutique Hotel	theelysian.com
The Flamboyant Tree	flamboyantbelize.com
The Maine Stay	traversbelize.com
The Nautical Inn - Roger Blair	nauticalinnbelize.com
The Placencia Hotel & Residences	theplacencia.com
The Village Inn	thevillageinnbelize.com
The Villas at Cocoplum	thevillasatcocoplum.com
The White House in Placencia	whitehouseplacencia.com
The WindFlower	
Three Iguanas Villas	
Tradewinds Hotel	placencia.com
Tranquility Escape	
Tri-Tan Beach Cabanas	flipkey.com
Turtle Inn	coppolaresorts.com
Vandely's Guest House	
Villa Groovy Gecko	vrbo502818
Villa Jammin Gecko	vrbo.com/663419
Villa Ranguana	
Villa Tipsy Gecko	vrbo/376656
Village View Rental	
White Sands Villa	whitesandvilla.com
Wild Orchid Villas	wildorchidbelize.com
Winter's Avalon	
Wooden Mongoose	
Wrecked Beach	placenciapropertyrentals.com
Yellow Bella	

**STANN CREEK**

HOTEL NAME	HOTEL WEBSITE
AJ Palms Beach House	
Almond Beach Resort	almondbeachbelize.com
Amayanheaven	
Beaches & Dreams Seafront Inn	beachesanddreams.com
Bed & Breakfast in Belize	
Belize Inn Your Dreams	
Belizean Dreams Resort	belizeandreams.com
Blu Heven Beach Cabana	
Blue Moon Cabana	bluemooncabana.com
Bocatura Cabins	
Bonefish Hotel	bluemarlinlodge.com
Buttonwood Guest House	
Caribbean Shores Bed & Breakfast	visitcaribbeanshores.com
Casa Sunsandsea	casasunsandsea.com
Casita Del Mar	casitadelmarhop.com
Castello a Mare	
Chaleanor Hotel	
Christy's Casa	
Cockscomb Basin Wildlife Sanctuary	belizeaudubon.org
Coconut Row Guest House	
Colonial Suites	vivabelize.com
Comfort Inn	
Compass Rose Guest House-Belize	compassroseguesthouse.com
Cosmopolitan Guest House	cosmopolitanbelize.com
Dangriga Central Hotel	
Daranglelau Guest House	
Davis Falls Inn	macaronihillview.com
Dolphin Motel	
Double H. Guest House	
D's Hostel	
Flomon's Guest House	
Glover's Guest House	glovers.com.bz
Habaru House	
Hamanasi Resort	hamanasi.com
<b>Hopkins Bay Belize</b>	<b>hopkinsbaybelize.com</b>
<b>Hopkins Inn</b>	<b>hopkinsinn.bz</b>
Hotel Hello	
Innies Guest House	
Jabiru Nest	VRBO.com /454657
Jaguar Reef Lodge	jaguarreef.com
Jan's Beach Cabana	
Jungle Jeanie By The Sea	junglebythesea.com
Kismet Inn	kismetinnb.net
Latitude 17 Degrees	
Latitude Adjustment	latitudeadjustment.bz
Lebheba Cabanas	hopkinscabanas.com
Lewis Family Vacation Home	vrbo.com / 92935
Los Mangoes Rentals	
Lost World Jungle Lodge	
Mama Noots Eco Resort	mamanootsbocabina.com
Manatee Place	vrbo.com/579231
Mellow Yellow Beach House	mellowyellowcabana.com
Nuuk Cheil Cottages	nuukcheilcottages.com
Oceanus Cabanas	vacasa.com
Palm Cove Cabins	
Palmento Grove Cultural & Fishing Lodge	palmentogrovehostel.com
Pal's Guest House	palsbelize.com
<b>Parrot Cove Lodge</b>	<b>parrotcovelodge.com</b>
Pelican Beach Resort	pelicanbeachbelize.com
Pineapple Hill	
River House Lodge	riverhouselodgebelize.com
Ruthie's Cabanas	
Sandpiper Cabin	
Sandy Beach	
Sarkiki Reef Resort	sarkikireef.com

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HOTEL NAME	HOTEL WEBSITE
Seagrapes Cabana	
Seascape Vacation Rentals	
Seiri Del Mar	
Sittee River Lodge	sitteeriverlodge.com
Solution Guest House	visithopkinsvillagebelize.com
Sugar Patch Inn	
Sunrise Estate House	vrbo.com/579229
T.R.E.E.S Hosting Center	treesociety.org
Tania's Guest House	
The Funky Do Do Backpackers	thefunkydodo.com
Tipple Tree Beya	tippletreebelize.com
Tutzil Nah Cottages	mayacenter.com
Ursella's Guest House	
Villa Rising Sun	villarisingsun.com
<b>Villa Verano</b>	<b>villaveranobelize.com</b>
Vinilli a Mare	
Weyohan Hotel	
Windschief	windschief.com
Yugadah Inn	
<b>TOLEDO</b>	
HOTEL NAME	HOTEL WEBSITE
A Piece of Ground	apieceofground.com
Aguacate Homestay	aguacatebelize.com
Beya Suites	beyasuites.com
BFREE Belize Foundation For Research & Environ Edu	bfreebz.org
Big Falls Cottages	
Blue Belize Guest House	bluebelize.com
Blue Creek Rainforest Lodge	izebelize.com
Chaab'il B'e Lodge and Casitas	chaabilbe.com
Charlton's Inn	charltonsin.com
Circle C Inn	
<b>Copal Tree Belize</b>	<b>copaltreelodge.com</b>
Coral House Inn	coralhouseinn.net
Cotton Tree Lodge	cottontreelodge.com
Frontier Inn	
Garbutt's Fishing Lodge	garbuttsfishinglodge.org
Golden Motel	
Grace's Hotel	
Hickatee Cottages	hickatee.com
Joyful Inn	
Kiskadee Lodge	
Mahogany Villas	mahoganyvillas.com
Mahung's Inn Guest House	
Maya Emerson Homestay - San Jose Village	
Nature's Way Guest House	
Ra Xih Tzuel Maya Lodge	
Sabal Beach	sabalbeach.com
Sea Glass Cottage	coralhouseinn.com
St. Charles Inn	
Sun Creek Lodge	suncreeklodge.com
Tate's Guest House	
The Bunk House	
<b>The Farm Inn</b>	<b>thefarminnbelize.com</b>
<b>The Lodge at Big Falls</b>	<b>thelodgeatbigfalls.com</b>
The Sea Front Inn	seafrontinn.com
Toledo Ecotourism Association (2007) G/H	teabelize.org
Upstairs Lounge Inn	
Waruguma Inn	



# Belize Map

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## MAP LEGEND

-  Belize City & Northern Belize
  -  Western Belize
  -  Southern Belize
  -  Islands & Cayes
  -  Scuba Diving Site
  -  Maya Ruin Site
  -  Highway
  -  District Divisions
  -  River

GUATEMALA

A vibrant, colorful map of Belize, featuring a dashed red border that separates the country from its neighbors: Mexico to the north, Guatemala to the west, and the Gulf of Honduras to the east. The map is divided into six districts, each with a distinct color: Corozal (light green), Orange Walk (light green), Belize (light green), Cayo (brown), Stann Creek (orange), and Toledo (orange). The districts are separated by dashed red lines. The map includes numerous place names, such as Corozal Town, Orange Walk, Belize City, Belmopan, and Punta Gorda. It also features illustrations of local flora and fauna, including a toucan, a parrot, a jaguar, a tapir, a monkey, and various birds like a heron and a vulture. The map is titled "Belize Map" in a large, flowing green script at the top left.



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