

IWOKRAMA

RiverLodge

Essequibo Rapids Cat Run – Fishing Package

This tour package is seasonal and takes place during the months of September - April, taking the fishers upstream over the Kurupukari Rapids, Accouri Falls, Marataitai Rapids, Gold Falls and up to Koratoka rapids, or downstream to Turtle Pond, and up to Standly Lake. Additional fishing areas includes Lady Smith – Kabakalli, and Burro Burro - Sand Stone, Powis Fall, Water Dog Rapid, and White Water.

Some of the highlight specie includes Jou, Peacock bass, Wolf Fish, Silver Drum Fish, Lou Lou, Redtail Catfish, Piranha, Arawana, Leopard Catfish, Shovel Noise Catfish, Flat Wisker Catfish, Zamora Catfish just to name a few.

Other mega fauna sighting including harpy eagle, jaguar, anaconda among others can be a bonus.

This is a more specialized fishing packages that requires anglers to be fully equipped with their own fishing gears and kits. The packages include meals, accommodation – River Lodge/Fly Camp, fishing activities, professional guide, boat captain services and limited local bar.

Recognising that adventure travel and tours have some element of risk despite safety measures being in place, all participants shall have a duty to act as a reasonably prudent person when engaging in the activities which are offered by the Iwokrama International centre and sign the waiver.

Participant are expected to have their own insurance coverage.

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Using the Iwokrama River Lodge and its accompanying creatures comfort, anglers will fish upstream and down stream targeting Jou, Peacock bass, wolf fish, silver drum fish, Lou Lou, Redtail Catfish, Piranha, Arawana, Leopard catfish, Shovel nose catfish, flat wisker catfish, Zamora catfish just to name a few. Other mega fauna sighting is bonus.

Day 1 – Rapids Cat Run - Upstream

0600hrs – Depart the River Lodge for Koratoka Falls
0700hrs – Fishing around Koratoka Falls
0800hrs – Pack breakfast on boat
0900hrs – Fishing around Gold Fall – streaming down into the deep pool
1000hrs – Fishing around Marataitai
1100hrs – Fishing around Accouri Falls
1230hrs – Lunch – fly camp conditions
1400hrs – Fishing around Kurupukari Rapids
1600hrs – Return River Lodge

Day 2 – Essequibo Reel - downstream

0600hrs – Depart the River Lodge for Standly Lake
0700hrs – Fishing within Standly Lake and surrounding area
0800hrs – Pack breakfast on boat
1000hrs - Fishing around Post Arinda – back channel
1230hrs – Lunch – fly camp conditions
1400hrs – Fishing around Turtle Pond and Paddle Rock area
1600hrs – Return River Lodge

Day 3-7 – Repeat days 1 and 2

Day 8 Depart IRL/return to GT

Minimum 8 persons and includes river transfers; forest user fees; meals; accommodation – fly camp and lodge; conducted fishing activities; limited local bar