

2020



BLACK DIAMOND TREK TO MACHU PICCHU

Rates Terms and Conditions

Seeking off-the-beaten-path trails and the ultimate hiking challenge? Join us on this unique 10-day, 75-mile trek that takes you from the heart of Cusco to the Sun Gate of Machu Picchu along seldom-traveled mountain paths, and through traditional villages and remote archeological sites. Along the way we mix luxury camping & mountain lodges, with the support of experienced guides and staff. Do not miss the trek of a lifetime!

Rates

- / Cusco to Cusco itinerary. MLP services end upon arrival in Cusco on Day 10.
- / Guaranteed departures with a minimum of two (2) guests.
- / 2020 Departure date:
 - o March 6th
 - o April 8th
 - o July 12th
 - o August 12th
 - o October 5th
 - o November 8th

| PROGRAM | RATE |
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| 10 Days / 9 Nights | US \$ 5,500.00 person based on shared accommodations |

WHAT IS INCLUDED?

- / All transportation services for the duration of the standard itinerary.
- / Entrance fees to archaeological sites and other points of interest.
- / Four (4) nights of accommodations at MLP lodges.
- / Three (3) night of accommodations in premium camping installations.
- / Two (2) nights of accommodations at MLP affiliate hotels.
- / All Meals and beverages including soft drinks and a house selection of beer, wine, and spirits.*
- / Service of a bilingual guide (Spanish/English) during all program days. Tours of archaeological sites are led in English.
- / All gratuities for the staff at all MLP lodges and in the field.* Gratuities for the guides are not included and are at your discretion. In general, we suggest \$10 - \$20/day (per person) for lead guides and \$5 - \$15/day (per person) for assistant guides.
- / Wireless internet access (Wi-Fi) at all lodges.

**All meals and beverages at MLP lodges. Soft drinks and alcoholic beverages are subject to an additional cost at the premium camping installations and at our affiliate hotels in the Sacred Valley and Aguas Calientes. In consideration of the adventurous nature of the MLP experience, the risks associated with alcohol consumption, and the importance of maintaining positive group dynamics, we encourage guests to enjoy alcoholic beverages in moderation. In accordance with company policy, MLP guides and/or other company/lodge representatives may modify or suspend a guest's access to alcohol and/or trip partially or entirely if the guest's health or safety may be at risk due to excessive alcohol consumption.*

NOT INCLUDED:

- / Massage service.
- / Bottled water and sports drinks. As per our ongoing effort to reduce plastic waste on the trail and at the lodges, we do encourage guests to use the refillable water bottle that is provided to each guest at the pre-trip briefing. The highest-quality filtered water is available at all MLP lodges; affiliate hotels will have bottled water.
- / Local taxes (18% IGV) on meals and lodging applicable to Peruvians, foreign residents, and tourists traveling in Peru for 60+ days.

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SINGLE TRAVELER RATES:

- / Requested single room: subject to a 50% supplement in addition to the standard retail cost/per person.
- / Single traveler willing to share: subject to a 25% supplement in addition to the standard retail cost/per person.*

** In the event that the roommate of a guest willing to share cancels less than 60 days prior to departure, the remaining guest will not be charged the supplemental fee.*

CHILDREN:

Due to the high altitude in the Cusco region, the physically demanding nature of the hikes, and the camping in remote mountain areas, we will impose an age restriction of 18+.

RESERVATIONS

- / At time of reservations, MLP will need the following information: **departure date, full name, passport number, nationality and date of birth of all participants.**
- / Reservations will be held for 48 hours; if a deposit is not made during this window, then the reservation will be cancelled automatically. However, your MLP travel specialist will make an attempt to contact you before this happens.
- / Complete guest information is required 90 days prior to departure date.

DEPOSIT AND FINAL PAYMENT:

- / A non-refundable deposit of \$ 500.00 USD per person is required at time of booking.
- / The balance payment is due 60 days prior to the departure date.

***Note:** Additional travel services purchased through MLP may have different payment and cancellation terms. Please ask your sales representative for additional details.*

CANCELLATIONS

In the event of a guest's cancellation, MLP requires notification in writing, by email or fax.

The following cancellation fees apply:

- / 60+ days prior to departure date: US\$ 500.00 per person is not refundable.
- / 59 - 30 days prior to trip start date: 50% of the total trip cost.
- / 29 - 0 days prior to trip start date: 100% of the total trip cost

TRANSFER FEE—TRANSFERRING FROM ONE DEPARTURE TO ANOTHER

- / 60+ days prior to departure date: US \$ 150.00
- / 59 - 30 days prior to departure date: 25% of the rate
- / 29 - 0 days prior to departure date: 50% of the rate

ADDITIONAL NOTES ON TRANSFERS

- / It is not necessary to specify a future departure date upon requesting a transfer.
- / The transfer fee and rate difference, if applicable, are due at time of future date confirmation.
- / Transfers are only valid until the end of the following year, depending on availability.

TRAVEL INSURANCE

The Black Diamond Trek to Machu Picchu is a multi-activity program in remote locations and thus, comes with inherent risks. In order to provide a safe experience for everyone, we kindly request that each guest present valid proof of medical insurance. Please take care when assessing and/or purchasing your insurance policy to ensure that it includes, at minimum, coverage for emergency medical treatment and evacuation during adventure travel activities.

The following information is REQUIRED at least 60 days prior to trip start date:

- / Name of insurance company and name of specific policy (if applicable).
- / Coverage registration number or code.
- / 24hr emergency telephone numbers provided by the insurance company.

Note: In the event that a guest does not provide proof of insurance prior to departure, Mountain Lodges of Peru will automatically add \$10/day to your invoice to secure coverage through our partner BUPA GLOBAL TRAVEL – a member of the BUPA Group. The full terms of coverage of the mentioned policy can be found at <https://global.ihl.com/travel+insurance/single+trip/cover.aspx>

Terms and Conditions for Other Travel Services

RESERVATIONS

- / At the time of reservations: No deposit is required
- / 60 days prior to trip start date: Full payment

CANCELLATIONS & TRANSFERS

- / Until 60 days prior to trip start date: No charge
- / 59 – 30 days prior to trip start date: 25% of the total trip cost
- / 29 days or less prior to trip start date: 100% of the total trip cost.

Note: Special Terms and Conditions apply to the cruises, certain hotels and travel services during high season or holiday time. Your Travel Specialist will advise of specific reservations and cancellation terms

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