

The Fishing

Boca Chica is a small fishing village/popular resort town on the mainland that sits on the northern edge of the Gulf of Chiriqui and about an hour and a half drive east from the city of David. Our island lodge is located approximately 12 miles south offshore of Boca Chica, in the Gulf of Chiriqui. Therefore it is on the way to the fishing spots at Hannibal Bank, Isla Montuosa, and Isla Coiba. We will pick you up right at your hotel's dock in Boca Chica!

Prime season: December - February

The Lodge's highly maintained boats are available for Professional "no-nonsense" **Boca Chica Fishing**. In other words, we can put you on fish anywhere in the Gulf of Chiriqui. Your Captain will pick you up at the public dock, local marina, or at your hotel's dock. We also offer to pick up/drop off at the **David Airport** and transport to Boca Chica by our private van if needed.

"T.O.P. Cat" – "Sea Toy" – "Cow Boy"

33' World Cat catamarans with twin 300 hp Suzuki 4-stroke outboards

\$1765/day (up to 5 people)

All-Inclusive Day Charter

Note: All of our prices include 7% sales tax and all applicable fees...no surprises!



"Scandalous"

25' SeaCraft center console with twin 140 hp Suzuki 4-stroke outboards

\$1550/day (up to 3 people)

All-Inclusive Day Charter

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All of our Boca Chica Fishing Charters include:

- English speaking Captain & Mate
- Top-of-the-line tackle/gear
- Bait, ice, sodas, bottled water, fresh fruit, chips, delicious sandwiches, and cold beer!
- We will fillet and clean a portion of the fish we catch for you to take with you.
- All required safety equipment such as life jackets, throw devices, fire extinguishers, smoke and flare devices, and first aid kits.

Boca Chica Fishing Frequently FAQs:

What is a Fishing Charter?

Let us start with the USA Legal Definition from uslegal.com:

Pursuant to 16 USCS § 1802 (3), [Title 16. Conservation; Chapter 38. Fishery Conservation and Management; Generally] the term charter fishing means “fishing from a vessel carrying a passenger for hire (as defined in section 2101(21a) of title 46, United States Code) who is engaged in recreational fishing.”

To put it in less legal terms: A fishing charter then is an entire boat chartered (adjective) carrying you or your group only, that you have hired to engage in recreational fishing.

A key concept to a charter at our lodge is that it is private. You or your group will enjoy one of our World Cat boats with an assigned captain and mate.

Fishing in the Gulf of Chiriquí, Panama is unique, as you might expect, to other recreational fishing locations in the world.

Easy to get to the lodge

Generally calm seas year around.

Relatively short runs to prime fishing grounds.

There are over 50 species of game fish.



What to Take on a Fishing Charter in Panama?

The Lodge provides all of the necessary fishing gear needed to catch fish. As our typical day lasts 8 to 9 hours here are some critical items that we suggest you bring:

Sun Gear (We are Lat. 10, closer to the equator than you are probably used to)

Sunglasses

Lip balm

Long sleeve shirt

A buff (to cover face and neck)

Sunscreen

Rain jacket

Camera (Don' t forget this , we catch fish!)

Seasickness Medication (If prone to motion sickness)

Non-skid rubber-soled shoes (Flip-flops not recommended)

Hand sanitizer and wet wipes, and a Backpack or travel bag for all of the above

We would also suggest bringing US cash to tip our captains, mates, and lodge staff.



Do Panama Fishing Charter Boats have Bathrooms?

One of our boats has a bathroom. The rest of our boats do not. If you are in need of a boat with a bathroom be sure to request our brand new model year 2020 33' World Cat the "Cow Boy" for your charter.

Do You need a Fishing License for Charter Fishing in Panama?

No fishing licences are required here in Panama.

What to Wear on a Fishing Charter? Are There any Particular Shoes I Should Bring?

As the sun is brutal here we recommend wearing a hat, polarized sunglasses, long sleeve shirt, a buff (to cover your face and neck) and maybe some long pants. Also remember to bring plenty of sunscreen! Although you can wear sandals if you like we recommend wearing some type of shoe that covers your toes to protect from the sun as well as from possibly stubbing your toes while moving around on the boat.

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The Lodging



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Rooftop entertaining with stunning views

Boca Chica, Panama



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