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MANZANILLO

EXPLORE MANZANILLO

Manzanillo is known for water sports, adventure tours, and Mexican festivals – we’ve pulled the best together here for you.

COCO LOCO TOURS – HIKE OR WALK

For the adventurous, athletic traveler you can hike or walk, depending on your skill set. Coco Loco tours offer a variety of both challenging and leisurely paths. Each hike can last anywhere from 2-4 hours. Along your journey you will get to swim in hidden lakes, play beneath waterfalls, and see private villages. In addition to the trail’s exciting pit-stops you also get to ascend all the way to Manzanillo’s many scenic mountain tops. From the top you get a breathtaking, 360 degree view of this lovely city and the endless blue of the Pacific Ocean.

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DEEP SEA FISHING WITH OCEAN PACIFIC ADVENTURES

If you like to fish or if you want to learn, Manzanillo is the ideal place. Manzanillo is known as the Sailfish Capital of the World. With Ocean Pacific Adventures you can see all types of fish and work with experienced captains. If you are beginner do not worry, you will learn the proper technique to catch a variety of fish successfully, including marlin, dorado, and rooster fish.

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VOLCANO TOUR

Have you ever seen a picture of a volcano? Have you ever stood in one? If you answered yes to the first and no to the latter, than now is your chance! If you are not physically or mentally fit to climb the 13,000 feet necessary to have this experience (perfectly understandable) there is a more leisurely option. With Colima Magic Volcanic tours you can see lava flow from a lower point and also enjoy a traditional folkloric Mexican ballet. Or if you prefer, you can hike in canyons and rappel in waterfalls, it is up to you, but be prepared to have some serious fun.

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UNDERWORLD SCUBA

Underworld Scuba is one of the best scuba tours in Manzanillo as well as on the Pacific coast. You can do a day or night dive and experience the mysterious, secret lives of the undersea world up close and personal. There is a program for children, ages 8-11 and adults, so there is definite fun for everyone.

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MANZANILLO OFF-ROAD WARRIORS

Want to shake off your bad boss, tired muscles, and lethargic mind? Here is your chance! Nothing beats cruising through the open dirt roads off the main strip of Manzanillo. As you ride down dry creek beds, you will see gorgeous flowers, a view of the Chacala River, and spectacular sunlight. Not to mention the rush of off-road driving. No angry drivers or sitting in traffic - it is just you and the open road.

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VENTANAS ADVENTURE

Do you want to zipline or scale mountain walls? Here is your chance. With the Ventanas adventure you can enjoy a wide range of activities that allow you to work your body and challenge your mind. Ventanas adventures are all adrenaline pumping fun activities designed to free your mind and maybe give you a good yell as you fly across a zipline.

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MANZANILLO MUSEUM OF ARCHEOLOGY

Looking to learn a fact or two or just take in culture with your favorite crew? Visit Manzanillo’s University Museum of Archeology, here you will find a real sliver of Mexico’s vast history. There are over 1,800 figurines and a variety of dishes from the Colima and Armería cultures.

TAKE ADVANTAGE OF MANZANILLO'S WORLD FAMOUS BEACHES

Pena Blanca also known as White Rock is an amazing attraction that you must see if you are a beach lover. The white color of the rocks is astounding to the untrained eye. This is highly recommended if you want to see a beautiful beach and excellent wildlife.

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SHOP SANTIAGO

Santiago contains, "Shell Palace." Here you will find a variety of seashells and many creative items made from them. Located on Calle Juarez #40 there is a large arts and crafts center filled with handcrafted little treasures, this area is known as Las Primaveras. A unique, hand crafted item sure beats a t-shirt, so check it out!

FESTIVALS

You haven't experienced Mexico until you've experienced festival. All main festivals are celebrated in Manzanillo with their own regional flavor.

'Festival Cultural del Centro Historico' is a cultural festival held in the old part of the city in the second two-week period of March. Diverse cultural events are held in different restaurants, bars, libraries and plazas. The program includes book presentations, film and cinema festivals as well as young narrators, folklore ballet, music and dance groups.

'Semana Santa' is a Mexican celebration of Easter that involves the reenactment of the events leading up to Christ's crucifixion on the cross. It takes on special meaning as the entire community participates. This festival also brings together local performing groups and has a special program for children.

'Festival de Poesia' is a poetry festival held in November that features both local and international poets and writers in open air programs.

Christmas festival or 'Festival de Navidad' is a special occasion not to be missed! Outdoor performances of traditional Christmas carols and Pastorals (a tradition originating from medieval Europe involving a humorous meeting of a knight and shepherdess) are put on by local theatre groups and local pre-school children.

During festival programs are normally advertised on posters throughout the city. If you require further information you may contact the Cultural Institute of Manzanillo:

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DINE IN MANZANILLO

From the freshest seafood to Mexican steakhouses, Manzanillo will satisfy your cravings. Dine informally on the beach or from a traditional clay pot.

PEDRO'S CAZUELA GRILL

For those of you who don't know a cazuela is a clay pot. What is unique about the cazuelas at this restaurant is that they contain a fruit drink and not Mexican food. That's right you get a huge serving of a wonderful fruit drink with Tequila in a clay pot. The restaurant is also known for its excellent tortilla soup.

Miramar Beach (Hwy. 200) across the street from Club Maeva.

EL OASIS RESTAURANTE

This beachfront delight offers an elegant atmosphere and tasty meals. The restaurant believes in serving the freshest food around and pairing them with carefully chosen wines. For a meal with a beach backdrop, this is a surefire bet.

Club Santiago on the beach, 335-0944.

ROCA DEL MAR

This local hotspot is great for informal dining. The menu includes a variety of sandwiches and hamburgers for those missing home. They have a great selection of tacos and fajitas. The café is clean and fun, they also offer sidewalk dining.

Across from the plaza, Downtown, 314-332-0302

MOUSTACHE'S BIGOTES

Enjoy seafood? Check out Moustache's Bigotes. The restaurant has been in business for 23 years. They know their clients and they know good seafood. Check this place out for a great meal at a fair price.

Puesta del Sol # 3, 333-1236

EL FOGON

This Mexican steakhouse is sure to satisfy your meat cravings. With sizzling steak (generous cuts) and outrageous Aztec Soup, you can't go wrong. Food is prepared using a traditional stone oven further adding to the local flavor.