

Belize River Lodge and Long Caye Outpost Lodge

Historically the first fishing lodge in Belize, and still going Strong!

GUEST QUESTIONNAIRE

Long Caye is 14 miles from the Lodge and we would like to have the Long Caye Outpost Lodge ready and prepared for your arrival and stay. Whether you are visiting BRL, LCOL or both, please fill out the following questionnaire to help us better prepare for your trip. Please return to Lodge at fishing@belizeriverlodge.com before your arrival in Belize. Thank you very much.

1. Name of Group Leader: _____ 2. # of People in Party: _____

3 Names of Members in Party: _____

4. Type of Fishing: _____

5. Fishing Expertise: Novice Intermediate Expert Professional

6. Specific Species After:
Bonefish Tarpon Permit Snook Other: _____ All species

7. **VERY IMPORTANT: Any Food Allergies, dietary needs in Group:** Yes / No

Our BRL cooks can handle most dietary requirements, please let us of your dietary needs (food allergies, dietary needs or special requests) BEFORE your arrival in Belize, so that your cook is aware and prepared.

LCOL is 14 miles from the nearest supplies and is stocked before your arrival on the island. We need to know of any dietary requirements (food allergies or special requests) BEFORE your arrival in Belize, so that your cook is aware and the island is fully stocked and prepared. Your cook can accommodate dietary needs as long as she is aware ahead of time.

Please let us know if you need a diet to take into account:

_____ Diabetes _____ High Cholesterol _____ Celiac Disease _____ Vegetarian

_____ Other: Notes on other: _____

If you do not eat on of the below foods, due to allergies, dietary needs to just plain dislike, please let us know ahead of time so that we can plan your menu accordingly. (** Alternative)

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| _____ Milk | _____ Pasta, white flour | _____ Pickles |
| _____ Eggs | _____ White Rice (** brown rice) | _____ Relish |
| _____ Eggs cooked in breads | _____ Potatoes (** sweet potato) | _____ Beef |
| _____ Milk cooked in breads | _____ White bread (** wheat) | _____ Pork |
| _____ Butter | _____ Onions ___Raw ___Cooked | _____ Chicken |
| _____ Cheese | _____ Mayonnaise | _____ Fish |
| _____ Sugar, white | _____ Mustard | _____ Shellfish (shrimp/lobster/conch) |
| _____ Other _____ | _____ Other _____ | _____ Other _____ |

Available upon request: Soy &/or Almond milk, yogurt or bran cereal.

** Notes substitutions.

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8. Rod & Reel Rentals: Do you need Yes / No

BRL has rental equipment, subject to availability. Fly fishing equipment is top quality, mainly Sage rods, 8 wt's, 10 wt's & 12 wt's, & Teton, Sage and Bauer saltwater reels. All reels have Rio lines. We also have a few 8 wt, 9 wt & 12 wt Winston rods in our rental equipment.

Spin fishing equipment is also top quality, mainly Ugly Sticks with Shimano or Penn reels. If you find that you are short of the needed equipment, flies or lures, we have a good stock of flies & lures that work well for the local waters.

If you are fishing from LCOL, all fly and spin equipment is available for rent from the main Lodge. You will visit the main Lodge on your arrival for check-in. If you need to rent any equipment, please let us know and we can get it for you while you check-in. Note: If equipment is needed while you are on Long Caye, an extra charge will be incurred for us to take rental equipment out to the island. All rentals will be billed upon check-out.

9. Flies, lures, leaders: Do you need Flies: Yes / No Leaders: Yes / No Lures: Yes / No

Mike's Closet (Tackle Shop): BRL has a small tackle shop with an assortment of fishing supplies for sale – flies, lures, backing, lines, leaders and tippet.

If you are fishing from LCOL, all flies, leaders, lures and tackle is available for sale from the main Lodge. If you know ahead of time that you will need tackle/flyes/leaders, we can have it ready for your arrival. If you are not sure before your arrive in Belize, you will visit the main Lodge on your arrival for check-in at which time you can purchase any tackle/flyes/leaders. If tackle/flyes/leaders, etc is needed while you are on Long Caye, an extra charge will be incurred for us to take tackle out to the island. All purchases will be billed upon check-out.

10. Flight Arrival & Departure Dates & Times: _____

11. If you have an early arrival or late departure,
Would you like to do a tour (City, Zoo, Ruin, ect.), instead of waiting at Lodge. Yes / No

Or you can add a ½ day of fishing instead of waiting at Lodge. Yes / No

Any ½ day activity is at extra cost to the package. Please contact for ½ day fishing price.

12. Beverages & Liquor ~ Special Requests: Yes / No

BRL has a small self-service, honor system bar and guest sign a tab for drinks. The bar has an assortment of sodas (Coke, Coke Zero, Sprite, Red Fanta, Orange Fanta, Tonic and Soda Water), Belikin Beer and alcohol (a Belize rum, a vodka, a gin, a whiskey, & a tequila) for you to mix drinks in the evening. Notate any alcoholic drink in your booklet during your stay.

We also have alcohol & wine for sale by the bottle. If you would like something special, please let us know and we can have it ready for your arrival or you may bring your own alcoholic beverages, if you like. Any purchases or requests can be paid on check-out.

LCOL will be supplied with an assortment of sodas (Coke, Sprite, Red Fanta, Orange Fanta, Tonic and Soda Water). Light Coke (diet) is provided upon request – please let us know how many cases.

Guest Questionnaire: Beverages & Liquor ~ Special Requests continued

The Outpost Lodge will have 2 cases Belikin Beer (US\$3.00 per bottle) and a bottle of One Barrel Rum (US\$15.00 per bottle); guest sign a tab for drinks, which will be billed upon checkout.

We will not have any other alcohol stocked, unless by request. If anything else is needed (wine, more beer, spirits, specific mixers), please e-mail with any requests, which can be purchased by the bottle.

Note: Six bottles of tonic and 6 bottles of soda water are stocked at Long Caye, if you need additional, no problem, please let us know before your arrival in Belize.

You may bring your own alcoholic beverages, if you like. When entering Belize, after Immigration and before luggage retrieval, there is a "Duty Free". This is an easy place to pick up your liquor and tobacco. If purchased at the duty free in Belize, visitors are allowed 4 liters of alcohol duty free each. If additional beer or alcohol is needed while you are on Long Caye, an extra charge will be incurred for us to take extra requests out to the island.

Drink &/or alcohol requests: _____

13. Special Requests & Miscellaneous Items:

Alcoholic beverages, cigars and items not included in the package will be billed to you during check-in on your arrival day:

Cigars (Cuban): Best place to purchase is at the Duty Free at the Belize Airport upon arrival while waiting for your luggage. Most variety and best pricing.

BRL Internet: All rooms, Guest House, Cottage and Bungalow, and the main Lodge building including screened porch, living room and dining room have free shared wireless internet.

LCOL Internet Service ~ MIFI Rental: [Yes / No](#)

LCOL does not have internet. Router rental is US\$5.00 per day. GB time is at extra cost; pricing from Smart is changing often, so please contact us for updates GB pricing.

Fly Tying Bench: Belize River Lodge has a fly tying bench with tying materials available for guest use. If you have a particular fly that you like to tie, maybe bring a few of those materials with you. Only available at main Lodge, if you would like a tying vice available at Long Caye Outpost Lodge, please let us know. If requested for Long Caye, the vice will be available, not tying materials.

Fly Tying Bench ~ Vice requested at LCOL: [Yes / No](#)

Kayaks: Kayaks are available for use at no charge for guests. PFD required at all times while on kayak. If you do not see the kayaks, please check with BRL office and we can get it out for you.

Kayaks ~ Kayaks requested at LCOL: [Yes / No](#)

Games: Belize River Lodge has a wide range of games available for guest to enjoy. If you would like to have a fun game, Monopoly, Bingo or cards, please check with BRL office and we can get it out for you. 2023 game addition at both BRL and LCOL, Cornhole.

Games ~ games requested at LCOL:

Volleyball net & ball [Yes / No](#)
 Badminton [Yes / No](#)
 Croquet [Yes / No](#)
 Trivial Pursuit [Yes / No](#)

Backgammon [Yes / No](#)
 Checkers [Yes / No](#)
 Cards [Yes / No](#)
 Other: _____

Guest Questionnaire continued

14. Long Caye Outpost Lodge - Items to consider before heading to the island: LCOL is stocked per trip for food, drinks and any requests. Alcohol is basic stocking of 2 cases of Belikin Beer and 1 bottle of One Barrel Rum, purchased by guests, only if used. When booking LCOL, please note that along with basic stock of alcohol, we do NOT have flies, lures, any rods & reels, tying bench and materials. All of this is available at the main Lodge, so please be prepared. When staying on the island, please consider:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Food (diets & special requests) | <input type="checkbox"/> Rod & Reels |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Drinks (sodas, tonic, soda water, beer, wine or other alcoholic beverages) | <input type="checkbox"/> Flies & Lures |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Anything else of importance | <input type="checkbox"/> Leaders |

15. Anything you would like us to know before your arrival. _____

REMEMBER

Belize Fishing Licenses: A fishing license is now required to sports fish in Belize.

Note: CZMAI now requires all fishing licenses to be purchased from them. Please visit <https://apps.coastalzonebelize.org/> to purchase your Belize fishing license.

Fishing licenses are per person - US\$25.00 for the week or US\$10.00 per day.

Travel Documents: A valid passport is required to enter Belize and must be valid at least six months beyond the duration of your stay.

Travelling with Minors: **Children under 18 years of age must have proper documentation, including a valid passport and letter of parental consent.** Children traveling with one parent require a notarized letter of authority from the other parent indicating travel consent.

Travel Protection: Travel Insurance and protection is always nice to have as you never know what the future will hold or if plans need to be changed at the last minute. Many travel insurance sites are available. Belize River Lodge strongly recommends that you enroll with Global Rescue (<https://ss.globalrescue.com/partner/belizeriverlodge/>) prior to your trip if you are getting trip insurance.

Currency: The Belizean dollar is worth half of a U.S. dollar. US Dollars are accepted everywhere, but change will be given in Belizean dollars. For your convenience, please bring small bills to cover small expenses, such as Departure Tax (if not included in your ticket price), fishing license, bar bill and any incidentals.

If you have any questions or need help when getting ready for your visit, please contact us via:

Physical Address: 3.5 Miles Belize Olde River * Ladyville, Belize

Call BRL direct: 011-501-225-2002 / 011-501-225-2459

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