

# **SCOUTING TRIP**



Kingue's Scouting Trip is a chance for you to see the locations in which we work, build relationships with our staff, and connect with other educators who share your interests and goals for students. Additionally, you can work with our staff to build a course itinerary that fits the interests and needs of your school and students. The trip is led by Jorge Anhalzer, who is our Executive Director and will be one of your lead instructors if you choose to do a student Kingue course.

## Itinerary

- Day 0 Airport Pickup and drive to Finca San Cuco, a local bed and breakfast.
- Day 1 Tour Kingue's Headquarters, pack camping gear, have lunch at our farm house, and drive to Antisana National Park. Hike a few miles to Finca Arcoiris, a rustic fishing cabin. Dinner at the cabin, and sleep in our tents outside.
- Day 2 Morning hike to Laguna de Palos, return to Finca Arcoiris for coffee and discussion about the backpacking section of a Kingue trip. Lunch at Finca Arcoiris then drive to Papallacta Hotsprings for a quick swim. Continue to Pacha Eco Lodge in the Amazon for dinner, showers, and a good sleep in a bed.
- Day 3 Breakfast at Pacha, rafting safety talk with its owner and lead raft guide Santiago, half a day rafting trip. Lunch, then return to Quito. Stay in Casa Ilayaku by the airport.

Day 4 - 6 is an optional extension to visit the Galapagos Islands with Kingue.

- Day 4 Fly to Puerto Baquerizo Moreno on the Galapagos's San Cristobal Island. Lunch, then sea kayak to Playa Manglecito. Camp and discuss the sea kayak section of a Kingue trip.
- Day 5 Breakfast at camp and paddle towards the beach Puerto Grande. Take a boat
  to Kicker Rock and snorkel with local marine wildlife. We will return to our campsite
  on the same boat we went snorkeling, Campamento Manglecito. Closing dinner with
  the group.
- Day 6 Breakfast, then boat ride back to Puerto Baquerizo Moreno, where a bus will wait for us to take us to the airport in San Cristobal. Fly to Quito then back home.



# **COSTS & DATES**



Dates: 22 - 27 July, 2024

Costs per Scout:

Mainland cost: \$1,800 USD

Galapagos Extension: + \$3,200 USD

Total: \$5,000.00 USD

#### Mainland Cost Includes:

- All transportation
- · All meals and food
- All group camping gear (including tents, first aid kits, navigation tools, water treatment, cooking supplies, and more).
- A backpack, sleeping bag and sleeping pad (you may also choose to bring your own).
- · All accommodation
- · Management of all activities
- 24/7 Kingue HQ Support

## Galapagos Extension Includes:

- · Round trip flights from Quito to San Cristobal
- Galapagos National Park entrance fee
- · Sea-kayaking gear
- · Snorkeling gear
- All group camping gear
- · Sleeping pad, sleeping sheets, and pillows
- Fees for Galapagos Naturalist Guide
- All meals, accommodation, and transportation

#### Not included:

- Clothing needed for camping and sea kayaking (we will provide a gear list)
- · Round trip flights from the U.S. to Quito