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News on Enchanted Expeditions, Guyana Tourism Authority, La Coralina Island House, Las Torres Patagonia and River House Lodge Patagonia

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September 2024

Dear Colleague,

I hope you've all had an amazing summer of '24 and recharged your batteries for the rest of the year.

The upcoming months will be hectic for the **Emerging Destinations** team as we attend various trade shows and events (APTA National Forum, ACTA Canada Shows, ASTA Show San Diego, Travel Savers Global Conference, Fora Travel Show, ATTA Adventure World Travel Summit, and USTOA).

In addition, we'll be making sales calls in NY, PA, NE, KS, FL, and TX. Please take a look at our itinerary below or [contact us](#) to discover when we will be in your area so that you can schedule an in-person meeting.

Slowly but surely we are entering a high season in **Central & South America**. However, our clients in **Panama, Guyana, Ecuador, Chile & Argentina** still have availability and would be more than happy to assist you with any request and offer your clients their extraordinary services and experiences. Some are running **special promos** (with either a comp night or extra discount) while others still **have space for the upcoming Holiday Season**.

Don't wait until the last minute! Please take a look at the specials, news, and updates in this newsletter, and feel free to use all our digital materials and blogs for your own website or email blasts.

Adventure awaits and our cool companies & destination in the Americas are ready to welcome you and your clients.

Best regards,

Upcoming Travel!

Emerging Destinations On The Road

- [Orange County \(CA\) – APTA National Forum](#): September 19 & 20
- [Marco Island \(FL\) – Affluent Traveler Symposium and Travel Market](#): September 24 to 29
- [Panama City, Panama – ATTA Adventure Travel World Summit](#): October 6 to 11
- [New York City \(NY\)](#): October 15, 17 & 18
- [Philadelphia \(PA\)](#): October 16
- [Omaha \(NE\)](#): October 21
- [Kansas City \(KS/MO\)](#): October 22
- [Overland Park \(KS\)](#): October 23
- [Wichita \(KS\)](#): October 24
- [Miami, Fort Lauderdale & Boca Raton \(FL\)](#): November 11, 12 & 13
- [Austin \(TX\)](#): November 14
- [Houston \(TX\)](#): November 15
- [Chicago \(IL\) – Africa Showcase](#): November 18
- [Toronto, Canada – Africa Showcase](#): November 20
- [Nairobi, Kenya – Essence of Africa](#): December 2 to 4
- [Orlando, Tampa, Jacksonville & Gainesville \(FL\)](#): December 2 to 6
- [Marco Island \(FL\) – USTOA Annual Conference](#): December 9 to 13

News at a Glance

River House Lodge Patagonia

- The **15% off Special** for all stays during November has been extended and you can use this discount for any new booking (FIT or buyout) until the end of the month. The 15% off applies to both All Inclusive programs: the Fly Fishing and the Leisure. More info [here](#).
- Did you miss our webinar "**Discover the Ultimate Patagonia Fly Fishing Adventure, along with other exciting outdoor activities**"? Don't worry! You can watch it [here](#).
- Our magical lodge hosts just the perfect number of visitors (up to 12 people at the same time), prioritizing quality attention to make each stay truly memorable.
- You can **access the rates** for the **2024-2025 season** [here](#). Our lodge is all inclusive and you can choose either for the Fishing All Inclusive Program or for the Leisure All Inclusive Program.
- **Great news for the upcoming 2024-2025 season!** We will be including the transfer in & out not only from San Martin de los Andes airport (CPC) but also from San Carlos de Bariloche airport (BRC)!

Las Torres Patagonia

- Las Torres Patagonia continues to fine-tune the details of what will be its **2024- 2025 season**. As of September 1, 2024, Paula Valdés, a professional with more than 20 years in the tourism industry, will take over as resident manager of Hotel Las Torres, leading the various teams responsible for hospitality and guest experience.

- Hotel Las Torres will start its new season this **October 1st**, finally, visitors from all over the world will be able to see the **remodeled rooms** that the team led by Pedro Kovacic and Enrique Concha have been working on during these months. A highly anticipated experience.
- How about taking a forest bath amongst the trees of Patagonia? Have an unforgettable experience with the magic of the world's southernmost forests. More [here](#).
- Hotel Las Torres **supports local craftsmanship** with new cutlery in its restaurant. More [here](#).

[Guyana Tourism Authority](#)

- **Guyana is adding over 1,000 rooms to the country's accommodation listing.** Included in the list are internationally renowned hotel brands. They are: AC Marriott, Aiden by Best Western, Four Points Sheraton (completion expected by July 2025), Hyatt Place, Kings Hotel, Lakeside Hotel, Marriott Courtyard (completion expected by 1st Quarter of 2025), Ocean View by Best Western (completion expected by September 2025), Royal Orchid Hotel, Pasha Global, RIFS Hotel, Rooster Hotel, Sheriff Hotel, Sleepin Hotel.
- We have an exciting few months ahead with Diwali, GuyExpo and so many other exciting events and activities- check out our Q4 [Calendar of Events](#)

[Enchanted Expeditions](#)

- We're excited to officially share our new chocolate business [Enchanted Galapagos Chocolate!](#) Arriba Nacional is a highly prized cacao variety from Ecuador, celebrated for its exceptional flavor and deep cultural significance. After many years of experimenting with our cacao plants on Santa Cruz Island we have had great success growing plants at our lodge [Enchanted Galapagos Lodge](#) ~ and we're now offering a chocolate making experience! Hopefully next time we see you we will have a supply of chocolate to share. It is so good!

[La Coralina Island House](#)

- Count down to enjoy the **5x4 promo** for any booking staying with us until the end of October. More info [here](#).
- Last rooms available for our **Dum Spiro Retreat** to be held **January 16 to 19, 2025**. During this magnificent journey, sound, frequencies, and breathe unite to enhance consciousness, offering transformative experiences for our guests. Contact us at reservations@lacoralinaislandhouse.com
- We are pleased to announce the opening of our **new Beach Club at Bluff Beach**. Prepare to experience some of the best waves in Bocas del Toro with us while tasting bites and cocktails at the bar. Spa treatments available on the beach. Shuttle service to/from the hotel included.
- A new edition of the **Elemental Goddess Retreat** will take place from **February 20 to 23, 2025**. Join us for an empowering journey crafted for women seeking balance and renewal. Connect with your inner power through movement, Ayurveda, breathwork, and sensory experiences. Embrace your cyclicity as a strength and discover the profound richness of self-love and understanding. More info [here](#). Bookings at reservations@lacoralinaislandhouse.com

Guyana's Tasty Rum Route



If rum is your chosen tippie, **Guyana** is a must-visit destination. With strong cultural ties to the Caribbean, Guyana has a rich heritage of over two centuries producing some of the finest rum, including the world-renowned El Dorado.

The official Rum Route places the treasured El Dorado spirit in the spotlight. Both day and overnight tours of the route — with options in Georgetown, Berbice and the East Coast Highway; West Coast Berbice and West Coast of Demerara — are provided by [Dagron Tours](#) and [Wilderness Explorers](#).

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It's Whale Watching Season in Ecuador



During the summer and fall, the Galápagos Archipelago is honored with the presence of one of its most gentle and massive visitors.

More than 6,000 humpback whales migrate to the waters between the Galápagos and the coast of mainland Ecuador to feed and breed in the warm tropical waters.

[More Here](#)

Enjoy the "W" Circuit Like Never Before

Las Torres Patagonia is launching a new program for the upcoming 2024-2025 season that includes all the highlights of hiking the “W” Circuit and the amenities of **Hotel Las Torres**.

W Express + features self-guided hikes to Base Torres, Los Cuernos, Francés Valley, and the first Grey Glacier viewpoint plus a one-night stay at the Las Torres lodge at the end of your hike.

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Living in Harmony with Nature: Our Sustainable Philosophy



Some time ago, as part of their commitment to embrace a sustainable and environmentally respectful philosophy, **La Coralina Island House** in Panama’s paradise Bocas del Toro islands decided to stop harvesting flowers from the local vegetation for their floral arrangements.

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Riding the Pampas with River House

Argentina and its gauchos are world renowned for their equestrian skills while the wide-open spaces that surround **River House Lodge** offer ideal terrain for a trail ride.

Riders of every age and experience — including guests who have never ridden before — will find horses in the River House stable that match their ability level.

[More Here](#)



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