

BELIZE

EL PESCADOR

All year round Tarpon in a relaxing family-friendly environment



At 40 years old, El Pescador Lodge is the oldest and most well established fishing lodge in Belize. Surrounded by lush palm trees on a beautiful beach with a choice of swimming pools and private villas, it caters as much for the dedicated fisherman as for families and non-fishers.

The best Tarpon fishing is to be had from June through to September with the arrival of the migratory Tarpon. That said, Ambergris Caye has long been recognised as one of the destinations where you have a chance of catching a large Tarpon all year round. Bonefish are present in good

numbers and there are opportunities for Permit, Barracuda and Jacks along with a variety of other reef species.

The diversity of the fishing is matched by the other activities on offer at the lodge for non-fishers. Whether it be diving, snorkelling, exploring the caye by bicycle or the waterways by sea kayak, taking a massage or relaxing by the pool or on the beach there is plenty of variety on offer. In addition inland trips to the Mayan ruins or to explore the rainforest are all within convenient reach.



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The Area

El Pescador lodge is situated on the Northern part of Ambergris Caye, Belize's largest island. Ambergris Caye itself is 25 miles long and a little over a mile wide in some places. It is however the 190 mile long Barrier Reef, the second largest living coral reef in the world, that makes this area special. Running around a quarter of a mile from the shore, it provides superb sheltered conditions for salt-water fly-fishing.

The Accommodation

The main lodge is an intimate 14 room hotel set in a colonial style mahogany building with a long veranda overlooking the beach and the Barrier Reef. In addition there are two collections of one, two and three-bedroom villas, each surrounding a private pool. All the rooms have en-suite bathrooms, powerful showers and air conditioning.

The Fishing

The fishing at Ambergris Caye is both abundant and diverse. It has a combination of ocean-side flats, which run between the shoreline and the reef as well as a series of inland creeks, mangrove lagoons and channels. Anglers either fish as pairs with a shared guide or as individuals. The guides are English speaking and have traditional 23 ft pangas. The boats are very stable and designed to cut through the waves giving a smooth ride. Equipped with a long casting platform, guides poling platform and with deckchairs and cushions in the body of the boat, they are a very comfortable means of transportation.

Best Time To Go

El Pescador is open all year round. The Tarpon fishing is at its best from July-Sept and the most settled conditions in Belize are typically found from April through to September. 2 for 1 offers from Mid July-December.

Wise Men Tips

With genuine opportunities at Permit, Bonefish and Tarpon, which can be in excess of 150lbs, it pays to have all your rods rigged and ready to go at a moments notice.

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TRIP DETAILS

Season:	All Year
Fish Species:	Permit, Tarpon and Bonefish
Tackle:	7-8 wt bonefish rod, 10-12 wt tarpon rod
Clothing:	Tropical flats clothing with suitable sun protection, Polaroids and firm bottomed flats wading boots
Rate:	See separate rate card for latest prices. Ask for special offers.

Package includes:

- **Seven nights accommodation (shorter packages available on request)**
- **Six days guided fishing**
- **Transport on arrival at Ambergris Caye**
- **All meals, board and lodging**

Lodge Capacity: **18 anglers**

Getting there: **Fly into Belize International Airport, followed by a 15 min connecting flight to Ambergris Caye**

Want to see more?: **DVD available on request**



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