

Whales 2010

March 4 through March 7, 2010

Join the Baja Bush Pilots on their annual "Pet a Whale" adventure. Four days of fun, excitement, whale petting, and more....

Yes, you read it right. Fun, excitement, whale petting, and more.

Last year, almost everyone got a chance to see, touch, feel, pet, and or scrub a whale. The Whales were there and wanted to make friends.

And take it from Jack who has a habit of learning things the hard way. Always stay on the upwind side of a whale's blowhole.



And for those that are looking for more, we have also made arrangements with Salvador to take people up the valley to see the Petroglyphs. Although the Petroglyphs are extremely interesting as they were carved into the rocks 100s' of years ago by migrating Indians, a big part of the adventure is the trip up. In a van, you will go west of Mulege on back roads to reach a private part of Baja that only your guides have access to.



And yes, there will be our traditional Friday Night Street Party downtown. Food, sprints, laughter, stories, and more all downtown Mulege.

And your package will include your room, most of your food, the whale petting trip, and a whole bunch of margaritas, beer, and sodas. And then the whole thing is capped off with Don

Johnson's World Famous Pig Roast at the Hotel Serenidad on Saturday night.

Regarding fuel, as in the past, we will have ASA bring their fuel truck down from Loreto one day of the trip so that those that need fuel can “fill up” without having to go to Loreto for fuel. The military is now stationed on the field so that there is added security for the aircraft and the Hotel Serenidad will be putting on more staff, including security, for our visit.



And for the “first time border crossers”, I will have additional information and step by step instructions for crossing the border both ways.

Whales 2010, a chance for all to make and /or renew old friendships, head to the beach for a day, lay out by the pool, pet a whale, make a trip out to the petroglyphs, or do nothing at all.

What the trip includes:

Thursday:

Welcoming reception / dinner

Friday:

Breakfast either downtown or at the Serenidad

Street party / dinner, downtown Mulege

Saturday:

Breakfast either downtown or at the Serenidad

Don Johnson’s world famous “Pig Roast”



And:

Room for three nights, Hotel Serenidad or Las Casitas.

On either Friday or Saturday, your Pet a Whale trip.

Coupon book for drinks both at the Serenidad and downtown

A coupon for valuable BBP “Stuff”

And:

A chance to visit with other pilots and friends with common interests.

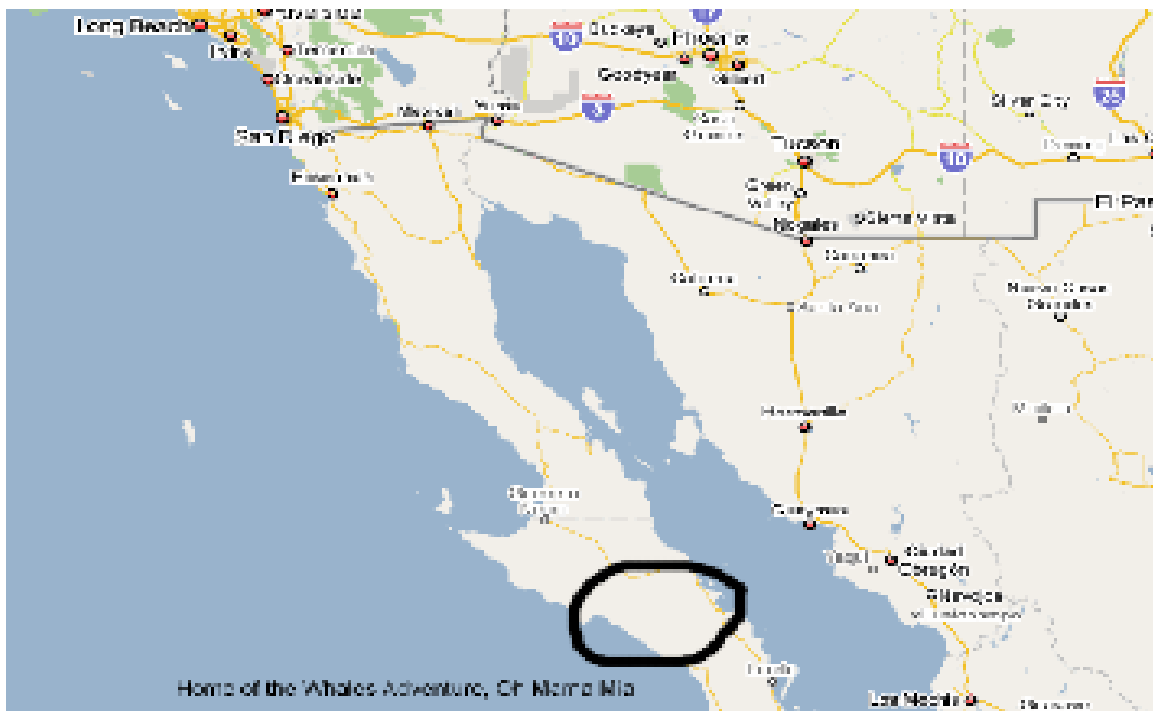


If you want to be part of this experience, fill out the attached form and send it in. Then get ready for the trip south for Whales 2010.

(Note, the registration prices are based on staying at the Hotel Serenidad and Las Casitas. If there are reasons beyond our control and we have to use a different property, the price may have to be adjusted.

We believe that the Serenidad will be fully operational with the number of rooms needed by early March. Fuel will be available at Mulege if minimum number of aircraft is met)

The place, Mulege Baja Sur. We stay on the East side and see the whales on the West side. And the trip from the states is just a couple of easy hours in your airplane...



Want to go.... Scroll on down to the next page

Whales '10 Four Days, Three Nights

Note, Fill out (including check boxes) on line before printing

March 4th through the 7th, 2010
Thursday, Friday, Saturday, Sunday

Name: Date: BBP #

Pilot and all passengers must sign (Children 12 or younger must have parents signature)

Name	Signature	Nickname	Date of Birth	Date
#1 (Pilot)				
# 2 Passenger				
#3 Passenger:				
#4 Passenger:				
#5 Passenger:				
#6 Passenger:				

We have read, understand, and agree to the "Details", "Waiver of Liability", and "Cancellation Policy" as listed below.

Pilot Information:

Address: City: State: Zip:
Office # Fax #
Home # E-Mail

Specialty

Emergency Contact Name Telephone #

I don't want my personal contact information i.e. telephone # provided to others on this trip

Persons Number Extension

Adults:
Adults: (single occupancy)
Children 12 and under:
Petroglyph (cave painting) tour:
Second Whale watch:

Credit Card Number:

Signature:

Expiration Date: Authorization code (three or four digit code)

N Number of aircraft:

Number of Seats:

Airspeed (knots)

Room Preference: one bed two beds

Cancellation Policy: (days before scheduled arrival) No other refunds will be made.

30 days, 90%

7 days, 50%

Fax Form to: 480 730 3251

Telephone: 480 730 3250

Baja Bush Pilots, 149 W Boston Street, Chandler, AZ, 86225

Baja Bush Pilots Registration Form, Waiver & Cancellation Clause.

There is always a chance of weather of ground fog at the Lagoon. If we cannot land at the lagoon because of weather or other reasons beyond our control there is a chance that you might not be able to see whales.

Note: there will be a \$50.00 processing fee for any change once the BBP has received and processed this application. Add \$25 per person late fee charge for any application received with less than 30 days.

There cannot be any refunds for any fees for any reason. Pilot must be current BBP member; Baja trip numbers will be assigned in order of receipt of form. Itinerary is subject to change. The BBP is not responsible for any additional cost by the pilot and/or passenger(s) due to weather, mechanical problems, etc

And....

Like any long-distance travel venture with personal aircraft, there are some things we can do and others that are beyond our control. The BBP wants to recap those so there are no misunderstandings about any of it. After all, we take some of your money and this is what we can give and cannot give you for it:

We do and/or provide:

Try to find and pay for the best hotels with clean and comfortable rooms, some meals, occasional good music and periodic libations.

Arrange for fun side trips and excursions

Set up receptions for when you arrive

Suggest the best routes and times to fly

Provide some bus/rail transportation/shuttles

Provide airport security at some locations

Provide liaison with the hotels, airports, etc

Act as gracious host, cinema photographer, and confessional box to those who need it

Help to find assistance or mechanic if needed in case of an aircraft mishap or funny landing

And most important, we do provide an opportunity for a unique experience with fellow pilots and fliers, which generally proves to be more fun than you know what to do with.

We encourage you to obtain and possess (you can't get here without some of them):

Proper passports, visas, aircraft permits, licenses, insurance, emergency equipment

Aircraft and personal insurance, a flight plan, emergency information

Safety equipment, emergency equipment, pre-flight weather briefings

Proper charts, weather information, in flight data

Credit cards or cash for fuel, parking or airport fees, customs, immigration, or other duties required in foreign countries

Medicines with prescriptions, protective Rx's for heat, sun, insects, rashes, Montezuma's gift for *gringos*, and other common or not so common maladies.

Clothing, flashlights and any special diet foods

We cannot provide:

That the route, hotel, area, etc. that we travel to/stay in will be as indicated

Weather/flight/route guarantees

Five-Star Accommodations, electricity, hot water, and some times water period.

Guarantees of your safety or security, or that of the aircraft

Perfects landings or landing strips, tie downs everywhere, Taxis, umbrellas in the rain

Medical, Accident or Evacuation Insurance

Refunds if weather or aircraft conditions prevents you from arrival at any destination

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Additional expenses for the pilot and/or passenger because of delays of any kind.
Guarantees against everything from mosquitoes to funny critters
Changes in foreign governments' policies on customs, immigration, fees, taxes
Insurance for any of the items mentioned above

So, for that and all your money, your self and all with you agree to sign our release prior to or upon arrival at your first stop on the trip. (so says our lawyer)

Waiver of Liability and Consent and Registration Form

I intend to participate in activities sponsored by the Baja Bush Pilots Ltd. Organization (hereafter "BBP") in or outside of the United States of America, during which time I will either be operating an aircraft, or a passenger in a participating aircraft.

I understand that the activities involved may expose me to certain risks not normally encountered in my home country. These risks include, but are not limited to, exposure to sun, heat, and tropical climates, adverse weather patterns, limited airport and medical facilities, as well as a variety of differing customs, legal requirements and laws in any of the foreign countries that will be visited. The travel, activities, and locations in these countries could possibly expose me to tropical diseases, viruses, infections, malaria, cholera, insect bites, stings, poisonous snakes, as well as contact with plants and trees capable of causing allergic reactions in human beings. I also realize that the medical treatment facilities outside the United States are often quite limited, and cannot be expected to provide the same level of health care and emergency services, which I would expect in the United States. I also understand that the level of police protection, government stability, and emergency services may also be at levels below that which is customarily found in my home country.

The activities sponsored by BBP during this period, including the lodging, food, and services, are all subject to unknown conditions and circumstances within the host countries, which may be beyond the ability of BBP to control. BBP cannot fully guarantee that any of the accommodations, suggested routes of travel, airport services, or other facilities, will be free from change requirements, or in exact conformity with the written materials and information which have been provided. Every effort has been made to ensure that they conform with the written materials; however, BBP cannot and does not exercise any control over any of these accommodations, airports, or other facilities, which I will be using during this travel.

I also understand that the countries in which I will be traveling ordinarily do not have the level of police services, police protection, or freedom from criminal activity that is ordinarily found in the United States. Neither BBP, nor Jack McCormick are guarantors of my personal safety, the safety of any aircraft, or my personal possessions during any period of this travel activity. I understand that I must maintain all required aircraft, personal property, and medical and personal evacuation insurance necessary to protect the aircraft, my property or me during these activities described in the literature provided to me. I have received and reviewed written information describing the trip, activities, suggested routes, precautions, accommodations, and other useful information, and I understand that there may be modifications of some of these necessitated by situations encountered during the travel activities, which may be entirely beyond the control of BBP, its agents, servants or employees.

The pilot of each aircraft participating in these travel activities retains the sole and exclusive responsibility and discretion to determine whether or not to fly to or from any given destination, alter a suggested route, time of departure or arrival, or make any other changes which the pilot in command of the individual aircraft believes are in the best interests of the safety of the aircraft, and his or her passengers. BBP, Jack McCormick, their agents, servants or employees do not assume any responsibility or liability for the safety of any participating aircraft, pilot or passengers, during any of the travel, flight operations, or other described activities that are in any way related to those specified in the literature provided to me prior to this travel venture. BBP, Jack McCormick, his agents, servants and employees have made no representations or warranties to me regarding any of these activities, and I have received no promises or other warranties from any of them that they assume any legal liability or responsibility for any accident, injury, mishap, occurrence, or other adverse event, which might occur during these activities.

**Baja Bush Pilots Registration Form,
Waiver & Cancellation Clause.**

In the event of a dispute arising from my participation in these activities, or arising out of or in any way related to the travel, flight, airport facilities, accommodations or related services, for injuries, damages, or loss associated with such activities, I agree any and all disputes arising out of or in connection with these activities will be subject to mandatory arbitration before a single arbitrator appointed by a judge of the superior court in the county of Maricopa, Arizona, under the Arizona code of civil procedure, and procedures for the appointment and conduct of arbitrations of civil disputes, waiving the right of any appeal from the decision of the appointed arbitrator except in the case of fraud or willful nondisclosure of any actual bias or prejudice towards any party, and that all costs, attorneys' fees, or other fees related to the arbitration shall be recoverable by the prevailing party as defined by the arbitrator in any such matter submitted for determination. I hereby expressly waive my right to any other claim, lawsuit, or action for civil or other damages arising out of or in connection with the activities described herein.