

Lanzarote – Canary Islands

Lanzarote on Mountain Bike

El Bosquecillo



This ride starts from the highest point of the island, on the cliff-top above the west coast and goes all the way down through Tabayesco to Guatiza on the eastern coast and then to Costa Teguisse. The route crosses the 'Valley of One Thousand Palm Trees' at Haría and the valley of Tabayesco, where cultivated terraces adorn the landscape. Splendid views and a large variety of endemic plants and flowers, plus some very typical examples of farming on volcanic ash.

Itinerary: Transfer to El Bosquecillo - El Bosquecillo – Road from Haría to Teguisse – Haría – Tabayesco – Guatiza – The Volcanoes – Costa Teguisse.

3-4 hours ride.

The North



Transfer to Arrieta, a little fishing village on the east coast. Ascent to Maguez and to the base of Volcan de la Corona. Splendid and continually changing landscapes throughout the ride. We cross the Guinate valley in our way to Famara cliff. Sea views over the east and west coast where beaches and creeks are found. Dykes and old lava flows protect an endemic vegetation. Terraced cultivations. Seabirds.

Itinerary: Arrieta – Máguez – Volcán de la Corona – Valle de Guinate – Risco de Famara – Máguez – Haría - Arrieta

4-5 hours ride.

La Graciosa



Transfer to Órzola in the North of the island. Boat cross to La Graciosa. The ride starts in the quiet and beautiful little island's port and traverses dunes, lonely beaches and lava fields through volcanic and coastal vegetation. Picnic at Playa de las Conchas. (picnic and swim). Boat to Lanzarote.

Itinerary: Caleta del Sebo – Pedro Barba – Playa de las Conchas – Caleta del Sebo.

4 hours ride.

La Geria and The Volcanoes



Transfer to La Asomada. Unique ride through exhilarating landscapes of basalt rock bombs, cinder, ash and lava 'aa' and 'pahoehoe'. Lichens and colonizing plants surviving in extreme conditions. Vineyards where the vines grow in black volcanic ash, each vine being surrounded by low walls as protection from the wind.

Itinerary: La Asomada – Paso entre Tinasoria y Guardilama – Uga – Travesía del Parque – Caldera Blanca – Camino de la Playa de la Madera - Mancha Blanca – Montaña Roja – El Cuervo – La Asomada. Transfer from La Asomada.

5 hours ride.

Playas de Papagayo



Transfer to Maciot in the South of the island. Uphill to the base of the Ajaches range and long descent to reach the famous Papagayo beaches. Several old and barren gulleys adorn the landscape where the endemic vegetation and remains of abandoned croplands compete for the scarce rainfall. Creeks and beaches.

Itinerary: Casas de Maciot – Valle de los Dises – Playas de Papagayo.

3 hours ride.

Los Cocoteros



Starting out at Costa Teguisse on the East coast of the island we cross volcanoes and valleys belonging to the third volcanic phase that happened around 1 million years ago. A wild area where abandoned croplands and old houses hide rich endemic vegetation and some protected birds as “Hubaras” and other species as partridges and falcons. We reach a salt land on production on the sea shore and fields where the “cochinilla”, natural dyeing, is still cultivated.

Itinerary: Costa Teguisse – Los Cocoteros – Mala - Costa Teguisse

3 hours ride.

General Information and bookings

- *bikes (Trek or Specialized) and helmets are provided.*
- *equipment: bike or sport shoes, water, sun glasses, sun cream and sweater..*
- *groups from 3 people and more.*
- *grade: easy to moderate. Paths on sand, stony surface and, sometimes, lava and ash.*
- *transport: vans, ferry to La Graciosa.*
- *guide: Spanish, English and French.*
- *Dates & Prices: upon request.*