



**BRAZILIAN TOUCH  
SOCCER TOURS**

# SUMMER '09 BRAZIL TRIP

**DATES:**

August 14th to August 31st, 2009

**CITIES (Soccer Clubs):**

Rio De Janeiro, Salvador, Bahia (E.C. Vitoria),  
Belo Horizonte (Cruzeiro E.C),

**PLAYERS:** Manhattan Soccer Club U-12 and  
U-11 teams.

**PLAYERS COST:** Full Trip: \$4,000.00

Prices for custom itineraries upon request

**PARENTS/OTHERS:**

Prices for other family members will be done  
individually. Please email us with your plans  
and we will respond with a custom itinerary  
and price.

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9	10	11	12	13 Travel U.S. to RIO ✈️	14	15
16	17 Travel Rio to Sal ✈️	18	19	20	21	22
23	24 Travel Sal to Belo ✈️	25	26	27	28	29
30	31 Travel Home ✈️	1	2	3		
<b>IN SALVADOR, BAHIA</b>				<b>IN RIO DE JANEIRO</b>		

**In Belo Horizonte at Cruzeiro**

The trip will depart the US on August 13th and will fly to Rio De Janeiro. Rio is one of the most popular tourist destinations in the world and has many cultural and soccer attractions. These include Ipanema beach, Sugarloaf Mountain, Maracana Stadium, and the training facilities of the Fluminense and Botafogo soccer clubs. The team will spend 3 nights in Rio, taking time to explore the city and playing soccer on the their famous beaches. There will be 1-2 friendly matches against local clubs before the players depart for Salvador, Bahia.

In Salvador, everyone will stay at a beautiful hotel within 50 mts of the beach, and will be training with the professional club E.C. Vitoria. The days will begin with breakfast at the hotel and then it's off to the club for a morning training session. These sessions will consist of tactical, technical, and fitness training alongside the developing professional players at Vitoria. Lunch will be served at the club or hotel and afterwards, the players will have some down time. This may be spent on the pristine beaches playing beach soccer, fut volley, and relaxing. In the afternoons, the teams will either have matches against local teams or another training session at the Vitoria facility. The evenings will be filled

with cultural excursions through the city center - which offers a tremendous amount of art, food, and architecture. The group will visit famous architectural sites, sample the local cuisine and attend professional soccer matches whenever possible. After 7 days in Salvador the players will fly to Belo Horizonte for the final portion of the trip.



In Belo, the players will be training, playing, and living at the newly built youth facility of Cruzeiro Esporte Club. The team will receive world class instruction from some of the best youth development coaches in Brazil and will play against top notch competition. Cruzeiro is known for having one of the best youth development systems in the world and the players will benefit from the level of soccer that is taught and played by everyone around them.



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While in Belo Horizonte the group will also be able to visit the city and experience many of the famous cultural attractions that it has to offer. They will also get the chance to see first division professional soccer matches at the famous Mineirão stadium.

The trip is designed for the last week of the trip at Cruzeiro to be for the players and coaches. Parents and other family members that want to come down and experience Brazil are encouraged to come down with the group on the 13th and participate in the Salvador and Rio portions of the trip. While the players are training at Cruzeiro, family members can either accompany us to Belo, can return to the US on the 24th, or can go on their own Brazilian excursion to another city.

Players and coaches will spend the week in Belo Horizonte where they will engage in a week of intensive preseason training that will get them into top form for the upcoming season.



## COSTS

The total cost per player is: \$4,000 and includes the following:

- Airfare: round trip from NYC to Brazil
- 3 days, 2 nights in Rio de Janeiro including 3 meals per day and trips to many different cultural attractions.
- Transportation from Rio to Salvador
- 7 days, 6 nights in Salvador including 3 meals per day (breakfast and lunch at the hotel and dinner out), soccer training at Vitoria, and matches against local clubs.
- All transportation, coaches, chaperones, and guides in Brazil.

Costs that are not included are shopping and other unplanned expenses in Brazil, Brazilian Touch apparel that will include jerseys for the teams to scrimmage in against Brazilian teams, bags, shirts, and hats.



## DEPOSIT AND PAYMENT SCHEDULE

In order to proceed at the quoted price, we will need a deposit of \$800 per person. This will allow us to begin booking airfare, hotels, and the soccer clubs at the lowest possible prices.

We hope that this answers most of the questions that you have about the trip and we are available to answer any others. We are looking forward to seeing the improvement of the players that are visiting Brazil for the first time as well as the continued development of those who are returning.