**Trekking & Hiking Tour:**

**Period: APRIL to DECEMBER**

* **LEVEL OF PHYSICAL DIFFICULTY**
* **GOOD PHYSICAL CONDITION TO MAKAY**

**PROVIDER: Fana Clémont**

* **2 \* OR 3 \* HOTEL ACCOMMODATION (Local standards), basic double or twin room B&B**
* **ALL INCLUSIVE DURING THE BIVOUACS,ONLY WATER IS IN YOUR CHARGE**
* **RECENT WORKFORCE: Minimum: 2 personnes - Maximum: 12 personnes.**

**Day 1: Fianarantsoa-Ranohira B&B**

The southern road that leads to Ranohira then takes on airs of solitude with granite monoliths and more sparse vegetation. Past the city of Ihosy, the famous plateau of Ihorombe extends to infinity to face the sumptuous massif of Isalo. Free lunch.

Night at the hotel

**Day 2: Ranohira-Beroroha-Beronono**

Departure in 4 × 4 for the massif of Makay. Savannah crossing on track along the chain of Isalo. The state of the track is quite degraded, making access difficult and long. Crossed by ferry to reach the village of Beronono. Picnic on the way.

Night in bivouac

**Day 3: Trekking Makay massif: Trek of 6 to 9 hours a day**

The Makay is a 7,500 km2 massif located southwest of Madagascar. It is part of the municipality of Beroroha, where civilization stops and nature begins to prevail. The Makay massif is made up of hundreds of inextricable canyons, protecting a unique biodiversity for millions of years. This massif is considered as the last paradise for adventurers and hikers who want to go off traditional trails. This massif is not yet classified "National Park" but it contains many endemic species. The sanctuary of nature protects many species: lemurs, crocodiles, many birds, and insects.

We are in another timeless environment. The Makay massif remains the last paradise for hikers in Madagascar. Preserve and mysterious. During our progression we will be led to discover the intact nature of the big island.

Night in bivouac

**Day 4, 5, 6 Makay massif: Trek of 6 to 9 hours a day**

These are 3 full days of hiking await us in the Makay. To begin to dream, the Makay is without a doubt, one of the most monumental works of nature that exists on the island. Few people, even in Madagascar knows the existence. This massif of yellow sandstone presents parts in heights covered by a forest or a shrub vegetation typical of dry environments of the west Malagasy. At the bottom of each canyon or valley, "a life" is developed: lemurs, reptiles, snakes, crocodiles. A place totally devoid of all human observation that has allowed nature to be the absolute master.
 During the hikes, we alternate between the crests of this massif, whose different colors form a natural and eternal rainbow, the canyons with sandy crevasses, the points of view, the dense forests, the sacred lakes, the natural pools, and caves with rock paintings.... Every moment will be appreciated. Here, we certainly answer to "Bara", the semi-nomadic ethnic group that occupies the lower plateaus of the south of the island. The opportunity to live and use their life and their daily life that is far from any form of civilization. They will discover their technique of distilling local rum based on Tamarin and sugar cane!
After the effort of each day, the comfort ... the team of the place to make a pleasure of preparing you the good simple meals but tasty, well copious and complete. The camp will be located near a water point, a small river ...
 Here, we will ask to leave behind only the sole of our feet.
Night in bivouacs

**DAY 7: MAKAY - RANOHIRA 10 to 11 hours of trail** Departure in 4 × 4 after breakfast for Ranohira. Picnic on the way.

Night at the hotel

End of our services. Possibility to continue until Tulear or Ifaty