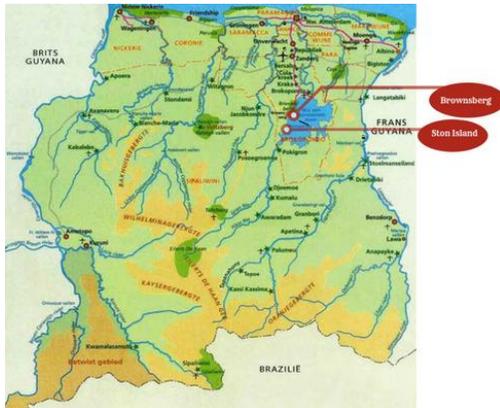


# Brownsberg Hiking Tour and Stone Island



*Brownsberg Hiking Tour in combination with Stone Island, an ideal trip for anyone who wants to get a good impression of the Amazon jungle without having to travel too far inland.*



## Highlights Tour:

- Transmigration villages
- Brownsberg with views over the Brokopondo Reservoir
- Ydillian waterfalls
- Vast green jungle
- Stone Island peninsula

## Location :

Approximately 130 km south of Paramaribo, northwest of the Van Blommenstein reservoir, is the approximately 6000 ha size Brownsberg Nature Park. In the same district stands Stone

Island, a peninsula in the Brokopondo reservoir. Here is a beautiful recreation resort.

## General information:

The Brownsberg area is stretched out and starts at the foot of the mountain, where seven transmigration villages are located. The mountain is a remnant of a half moon shaped bauxite plateau that protrudes above the surrounding jungle with its 500 meter height. As a result, there are beautiful views of the Brokopondo reservoir and the vast green jungle. The mountain is intersected by creeks that lead to waterfalls, where hiking trails lead through the tropical forest. The nature park is highly regarded by its biodiversity. The nature park serves as a center for nature education and public awareness.

## Tour description:

### **Day 1: Paramaribo – Stone Island**

Very early we leave Paramaribo towards the Brownsberg Nature Park. You drive by bus to the highest point of the plateau. There we make a short walk to the viewpoint where we have a very nice view of the Blommenstein reservoir. Then we take a walk to the Leo traps and / or Irenevallen. Then up again to the plateau of the Brownsberg where your lunch is served. In the

late afternoon you will leave for Stone Island at the reservoir, where we will enter a simple cottage with beds and mosquito nets. In the evening we have the evening meal and we can enjoy a beautiful starry sky, cozy at the campfire. (L, D)

### **Day 2: Stone Island – Paramaribo**

You decide on this day if you want to crawl longer under your blanket or if you want to enjoy the beautiful sun rise. After breakfast you will make an adventurous canoe trip on the reservoir with an authentic canoe made from an old tree trunk. The possibility exists already to make a trip with a motorized canoe over the reservoir. You can also fish, swim and relax. After lunch we leave for Paramaribo where we will be back around 6 PM. (O, L)

#### **Included in the tour:**

- Transport by car / bus
- Lunch
- Fruit
- Non-alcoholic beverage
- Entrée
- Dutch or English speaking guide

We take into account any possible diets if you pass this on when booking.

#### **What to take with you during the tour:**

- hiking boots
- sunscreen
- headgear
- film camera and or camera is recommended
- Kleine coupures Surinaams geld voor uw persoonlijke uitgaven.

### **Timeschedule:**

#### **Day 1**

<b>Time</b>	<b>Activity</b>
7.00 hrs	Pick up
9.00 hrs	Coffee- and toiletstop
10.00 hrs	Arrive Brownsberg Naturepark
10.00 – 13.00 hrs	Hiking Tour and visit falls
13.00– 13.30 hrs	Lunch
14.00 hrs	Depart from the Plateau
14.00 – 15.00 hrs	route plateau – foot Brownsberg
15.00 – 16.00 hrs	<u>Arrive Stone Island</u>
16.30 hrs	Back to Paramaribo

#### **Day 2**

<b>Time</b>	<b>Activity</b>
8.00 hrs	Breakfast
9.00 – hrs	Coffee and toiletstop
10.00 - 13.00 hrs	Free time
13.00 – 13.30 hrs	Lunch
14.30 hrs	<u>Depart to Stuwdam</u>
15.00 – 15.30 hrs	Sightseeing Stuwdam
15.30 – 18.00 hrs	Route back to Paramaribo

*\*\*Note: you depart from one of large hotels in Paramaribo and will be dropped of at the same hotel.*

*Subject to changes*