

## **CASA BLANCA - PLAYA BLANCA**

These sister lodges, Casa Blanca and Playa Blanca, have earned a reputation as two of the finest salt water flats fishing lodges in the Caribbean. They are located on the coast, just a few miles apart, in the remote Sian Ka'an Biosphere Reserve in the southwest part of the Yucatan Penninsula. Access is via chartered plane from Cancun and this flight is included in their package.

CASA BLANCA: Casa Blanca is located on the southern edge of Ascension Bay on a beautiful point jutting out into the Caribbean. Bonefish and permit are the primary targets, but tarpon, snook, barracuda and the whole array of salt water fish are present. Fishing is done from Dolphin skiffs with experienced guides as well as wade-stalking. Accommodations are comfortable and spacious and all located on the beach with the Caribbean knocking on your door. Meals are a treat with an imaginative menu that includes, as a specialty, varieties of fresh seafood.

PLAYA BLANCA: Playa Blanca is a few miles south of Casa Blanca, located on a 10- mile long white sand beach, in the heart of the Sian Ka'an Biosphere Reserve. It is uniquely situated to access the fertile waters of Espiritu Santo Bay and the many mangrove lagoons in the area. The fishery centers on sight fishing for bonefish, permit, and juvenile tarpon, but snook, snapper, jacks and barracuda are also present. Much of the fishing is done from 16ft Dolphin Skiffs, but wade fishing is also common. Playa Blanca also offers numerous activities for non-anglers including guided snorkeling, sea kayaking, bird watching, Mayan ruins, bicycling and windsurfing.