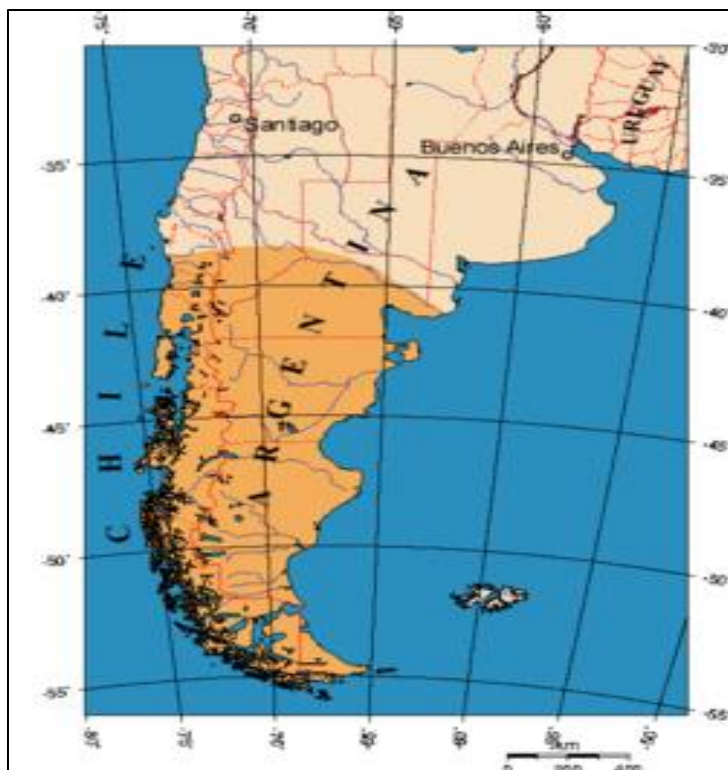


PATAGONIA – SOUTH AMERICA

Dec. 28, 2021 – Jan. 12, 2022



Patagonia is the semiarid scrub plateau that covers nearly the entire southern portion of mainland Argentina. With an area of about 260,000 square miles, it constitutes a vast area of steppe and desert that extends nearly the entire southern half of Argentina. It is bounded, approximately, by the Patagonian Andes to the west, the Colorado River to the north (except where the region extends north of the river into the Andean borderlands), the Atlantic Ocean, to the east, and the Strait of Magellan to the south; the region south of the strait—Tierra del Fuego, which is divided between Argentina and Chile—also is often included in Patagonia.



Your Patagonia Tour Includes:

- Air Transportation between Dayton and Buenos Aires, Argentina
- 13 Nights accommodations in 4 star hotels as detailed in the following itinerary
- Breakfast daily at all hotels
- New Year's Eve dinner in Buenos Aires
- 2 Lunches during specific tours. (See Itinerary for details)
- Air between Buenos Aires and Trelew
- Air between Trelew and Ushuaia
- Air between Ushuaia and Calafate
- Air between Calafate and Buenos Aires
- Dinner and Tango show your last night in Buenos Aires
- All transfers and tours as detailed in the itinerary below
- All local taxes
- All current airline taxes and fuel surcharges. **(Subject to change)**



DAILY ITINERARY :

Dec. 28 – Depart US for Buenos Aires.

Dec. 29 – Arrive Buenos Aires

Welcome at the airport followed by transfer to hotel
In the afternoon enjoy a half-day city tour

Dec. 30 – Buenos Aires

Breakfast. Full day to a ranch.(70 km aprox
Depart at 9:30AM to the Pamapas , near of the town Los Cardales . The farm has 1200 hectares.
Reception with empanadas and wine in the Pulperia. Guided tour to the Museum and Chaple
Time for horseback ridings and breaks
Typical lunch (barbeque) while enjoying a tango and folklore show
In the afternoon , Runs of Ring , entreveo, Cuadreras. (Gaucho skills)
After a tea and a piece of typical cake, return to the hotel

Dec 31 – Buenos Aires

Breakfast. Half day excursion to Tigre.
Discover a wonder of nature a few kilometers away from the City. We travel to the north of the city. Crossing parks and beautiful buildings. Breathtaking view of Rio de la Plata, the widest in the world. We spotted the Jorge Newbery Airport, River Plate World Stadium and Ciudad Universitaria. We undertake a 30 km trip to the city of Tigre. We stop at the Puerto de Frutos, with its magnificent market with its small jetty on the banks of the Rio Lujan Arriving at TIGRE CITY we will board a Panoramic Catamaran to enjoy the Paraná Delta. In a quiet, stable and safe route we labyrinth of islands crossed by rivers and streams. We learn about life on the islands, flora, wildlife, recreation and water sports.
At evening New Year Dinner .

Jan. 01, 2021

After breakfast, enjoy the full day at leisure



Jan. 02 Buenos Aires - Puerto Madryn

Transfer to the airport to take the flight to Trelew. Arrive and full day excursion to Punta Tombo:

Visit to the wonderful penguin colony of Punta Tombo. In the excursion the passenger will visit the port of Rawson (navigation for watching Toninas Overas is optional)

The visit to Trelew is limited to a short route by the city, going through the center, historical seat and other points of historical-cultural interest. Return to the city of Puerto Madryn at dusk.

Overnight at your hotel in Puerto Madryn

Jan. 03 Puerto Madryn – Península de Valdes.

After breakfast full day to visit Península de Valdes. We leave early in the morning to Puerto Pirámides. After one hour of trip, we stop to go on board and watch marine fauna . From May to December boardings are made to see whales and from December to March to see marine wolves, cormorans, and possibly dark dolphins. After the boarding, we went towards the south of the Peninsula, passing by the Salt mines. We arrive at Punta Delgada We lower by cliffs to walk next to the marine elephants. Soon we start off for Punta Cantor to observe the external coast of the peninsula and arrive to the beginning of the Valdés Creek. We interpret the formation geologic of the coast and we return to the Ameghino Isthmus. On the way we have a good probability of observing terrestrial wild fauna, like guanacos, choiques, foxes, maras, piches, zorrinos, etc. We returned to the city of Puerto Madryn at dusk. Approximate time: 11 hours. Route: 400 km approx. (half asphalted).

Jan. 04 Puerto Madryn – Ushuaia

After breakfast transfer to the airport to get the flight to Ushuaia. Arrive and transfer to the hotel and begin city tour of Ushuaia

Jan. 05 Ushuaia

After breakfast half day excursion to National Park.

Located at 11 km. to the west away from Ushuaia, it is the only national park of our country that possesses marine coast (Beagle Channel), forests of “Lengas”, “Ñires” and others, rivers, lakes and many beautiful views of the channel. Through paths of varying longitude, you will enjoy the nature sighting several species of the local fauna.

In the afternoon navigation to Isla de Los Lobos .

Departing from the port of Ushuaia, our navigation starts from Ushuaia's bay to the Beagle Channel. The ship will stop on the “Los Pajaros” island, where you will see the wildlife from the place, and particularly Skuas, Black-browed Albatross, Steam Ducks, Cauquenes, Gaviotas Cooks Gaviotas and Gray Gaviotas.

When we get to “De los Lobos” island, the main attractions are going to be the sea lions of 1 and 2 hairs. Those islands are part of the Bridges archipelago.

We are going to reach the “Les Eclaireurs” Island, place where you will see the lighthouse and you will see Royal and Imperial Cormorants, and also you can learn the story of the SS Monte Cervantes's shipwreck, many years ago on the 30's.

On your return to Ushuaia, you are going to be amazed with the incredible landscape of the Martial's Mountain.



Jan. 06 Ushuaia Calafate

Breakfast. Transfer to the airport to get the flight to Calafate. Arrive and transfer to the hotel. Accommodation.

Jan. 07 Calafate

Breakfast. Full Day Navigation

9 AM – 6 PM

Morning

Lago Argentino – on a northwest course to Punta Avellaneda and Boca del Diablo. Spegazzini Glacier, landing at Las Vacas Station, in the Spegazzini Canal Bay. Here our guides coordinate a trek with a view of the old Settlers' Station identifying flora and fauna.

Visit the Upsala Canal and navigate to Herminita Peninsula – limit of the navigation zone allowed by National Parks – panoramic view of the Glacier.

Lunch during navigation

Afternoon

Navigate to Canal de los Tempanos, visit PERITO MORENO GLACIER.

Return to La Soledad private port. Transfer to the hotel. Accommodation

Jan. 08 Calafate

Breakfast. Full day to Perito Moreno Glacier.

Starting off from the Calafate 80 km of debris route are crossed to arriving at the zone of footbridges (wood passages and balconies) from where we enjoy diverse panoramic views of the Glacier. In order to have lunch you can choose between a menu á la carte at a restaurant near the footbridges, sandwich in a bar near the glacier or a pic-NIC or you can take your own food.(lunch optional)

Jan. 09 Calafate

Breakfast. Full day to Torres Del Paine

Explore Torres del Paine National Park and see the park's landmarks and highlights, including the Salto Grande Waterfall, Cuernos del Paine, Nordenskjold Lake, Sarmiento Lake, and others.

Jan. 10 Calafate – Buenos Aires

Breakfast. Transfer to the airport to return to Buenos Aires. Arrive.

Transfer to the hotel. Accommodation. In the evening, transfer to enjoy a tango show with dinner

Jan. 11 – Buenos Aires – USA

Transfer to the airport to return to USA



NOTED ON RATES:

** Price is based on a min of 22 people traveling. Should number decrease the price will need to be adjusted.

** All prices, including airfare, are based on 2020/2021 pricing but may be adjusted departing from Dayton, Ohio.

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