

EcoAdventures In Argentine Patagonia

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3 & 4-Day Tours

Here are some suggested itineraries to the Argentine Patagonia.
These itineraries may be modified to suit the individual traveler.

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The southern third of Argentina is a sparsely populated, broad, dry, treeless plain where sheep ranching is the main industry. Ecologically speaking, there are four areas of special interest: the **Lake District** of San Carlos de Bariloche ([click here for programs](#)), with its Andean ski slopes, lake and densely forested **Nahuel Huapi National Park**; the wildlife reserves of **Peninsula Valdes** and **Punta Tombo** on the Atlantic Coast; **Glacier National Park** in the mountains near Lake Argentina (El Calafate); and **Ushuaia**, the "southernmost city in the world," on the island of Tierra del Fuego. Visits to the more southern locations should be scheduled from spring to autumn, November through March. A **schedule of the wildlife migrations** to Peninsula Valdes and Punta Tombo is **featured below**

Rates for the following packages include:

Hotel accommodations as per the package, including tax, service and breakfast daily

Round-trip airport/hotel transfers and surface transportation as needed

Sightseeing as indicated
Airmiles are **NOT** included

Bariloche, Argentina 3-Days/2 Nights

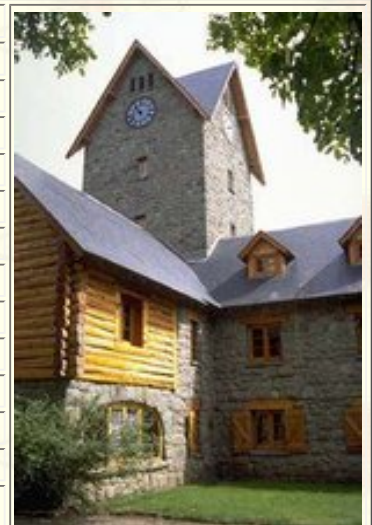
Rates Per Person - 2011†	3-Day Tour			Extra Nights		
	Dbl	Sgl	Tpl	Dbl	Sgl	Tpl
Aconcagua	\$315	595	310	\$60	125	53
Nevada or Kenton Palace	\$400	725	375	\$109	190	85
Kenton Palace (Lake View Suite)	\$455	845	415	\$135	250	105
Arelauken (Mountain View)	\$720	960	690	\$205	180	157
Arelauken (Golf View)	\$790	1080	755	\$194	289	189
Villa Huinid (Mountain View)	\$435	845	n/a	\$125	250	n/a
Villa Huinid (Lake View)	\$510	980	n/a	\$165	320	n/a
Design Suites (Mountain View)	\$465	890	n/a	\$140	275	n/a
Design Suites (Lake View)	\$500	980	n/a	\$160	320	n/a
Llao Llao (Mountain View)	\$810	1600	835	\$250	500	230
Llao Llao (Lake View)	\$1030	2320	985	\$360	860	305

Rates include a half-day Scenic Bariloche excursion with an English-speaking guide.

Rates are **not** valid during Easter Week, JUL & AUG, Christmas/New Year.

For Llao Llao & Arelauquen the tour is via private car/van with a guide.

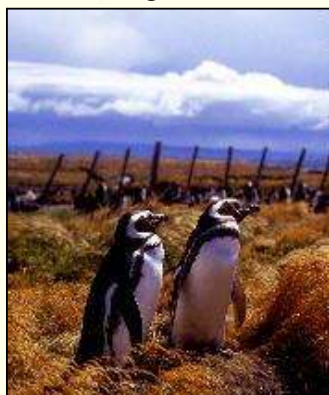
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Clock Tower in
Bariloche's Main Square

Peninsula Valdes & Punta Tombo

3 & 4-Day Tours



On the Atlantic Coast, a pancake of sandy land juts into surrounding protected bays warmed by the water of Golfo Nuevo, an ideal breeding ground for colonies of birds and mammals. Cavorting sea lions breed in protected rookeries called *loberias*; 1600-pound sea elephants sunbathe on a long, pebbled finger of beach called Caleta Valdes, and Right Whales come to breed in Golfo Nuevo. SCUBA divers can touch and tickle the 70-foot leviathans. Eighty-four miles south of Trelew is Punta Tombo, filled with three million Magellan Penguins (*Sphaniscus Magallanicus*). The three-day tour includes a full-day excursion to Peninsula Valdes for whale-watching from



the shore, bird-watching and viewing the sea lions and elephant seals. **The four-day tour also includes a full-day tour with lunch to the penguin colony at Punta Tombo and a stop at the Welsh town of Gaiman for tea.**

Schedule of Wildlife Migrations

Sea Elephants	Nov-Jan (molting season)	Elefanteria at Punta Norte	
	Aug-Sep (breeding season)	Sunning on Caleta Valdes	
Sea Lions	Dec-Jan	Loberia at Isthmus of Peninsula Valde	
	All Year	Punta Loma	
Penguins	Sep-Apr	Punta Tombo (Males begin to arrive Aug)	
Seabirds	Sep-Dec	Isla de los Pajaros at Isthmus, Peninsula Valdes	
Right Whales	Jun-Dec	Golfo Nuevo (most significant numbers Oct-Nov)	
Killer Whales	Jul-Dec	Golfo Nuevo	

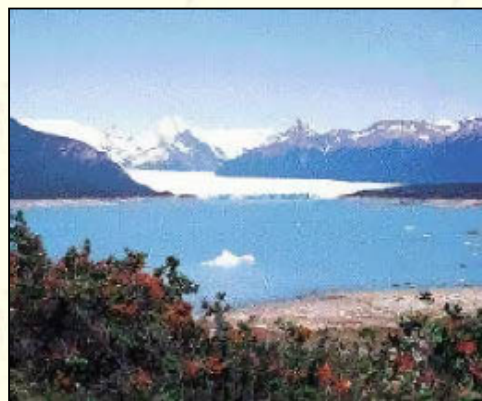
Rates Per Person - 2011†	3-Day Tour			4-Day Tour		
	Dbl	Sgl	Tpl	Dbl	Sgl	Tpl
Bahia Nueva	\$615	920	565	\$929	1199	859
Peninsula Valdes Hotel	\$670	975	609	\$1010	1430	925
Territorio Hotel	\$745	1460	765	\$1280	2069	1139

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El Calafate (Lake Argentina)

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Quiet Calafate is the only town of any size on **Lake Argentina** with one paved street and a few modest hotels. It is best reached by air from Buenos Aires, Bariloche or Ushuaia. In **Glacier National Park**, an area of extreme natural beauty, you will view the awesome **Perito Moreno Glacier**, the only glacier in the world that is still growing. Its blue color is attributed to its age (30,000 years), and is so big that it completely blocks two small arms of the lake from their natural outlet through Iceberg Channel. **For those wishing to see glaciers**, we recommend the four-day tour which also includes **a full-day boat trip with lunch on Lake Argentina to view the Upsala and Onelli Glaciers.**



Rates Per Person - 2011†	3-Day Tour		4-Day Tour	
	Dbl	Sgl Supplement	Dbl	Sgl Supplement
Mirador del Lago or Los Alamos	\$535	250	\$965	375
Design Suites	\$590	310	\$1055	465
Imago Hotel & Spa	\$915	635	\$1480	950

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Tierra del Fuego (Ushuaia)

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A glimpse of the deep blue **Beagle Channel** attracts many travelers to this "end of the world." The three-day tour includes a **two-hour cruise into Beagle Channel**, where you can view **sea lions, penguins and killer whales**, and a half-day tour to **Lapataia in Tierra del Fuego National Park**. The scenery is beautiful, with a wind-swept forest of lengas and coihues that cover rolling hills along the white-capped shoreline. (The **four-day tour** also includes a full-day tour to **Lakes Escondido and Fagnano** with lunch.)

Hotel Selection

	Rates Per Person - 2011†	3-Day Tour			4-Day Tour		
		Dbl	Sgl	Tpl	Dbl	Sgl	Tpl
	Hostal del Bosque	\$475	845	395	\$745	1230	639
	Del Glaciar or Tolkeyen	\$565	1020	469	\$875	1499	749
	Las Hayas	\$715	1325	n/a	\$1099	1960	n/a

Magellan Penguins call to each other with loud donkey-like brays

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