# ESSENTIAL PATAGONIA

**11 days /10 nights- TBK 0101**

**DAY 1 Buenos Aires**

Arrival and reception at the airport; transfer to the hotel. Afterwards, city tour visiting the most interesting places in Buenos Aires city. At night, transfer to El Querandí to attend to a **dinner** **and** **tango** **show** where you will enjoy the magnetism of tango.

Note: Early Check-in guaranteed only for our fixed departures.

# DAY 2 Buenos Aires

Day at leisure to enjoy an optional excursion to Tigre, Gaucho Party or get to know more about Buenos Aires, enjoying cooking classes, museums, or taking a tango lesson.

# DAY 3 Buenos Aires / Puerto Madryn

Transfer to the airport to board the scheduled flight to Trelew. Arrival to Trelew and departure towards Punta Tombo Fauna Reserve, the largest Magellan penguin colony in the continent.

From Mid-April to Mid-September the visit to Punta Tombo Penguin Rookery will be replaced by a tour to Avanzado Mount and Punta Loma where it’s possible to see Sea Lions.

# DAY 4 Puerto Madryn

Full day in Península Valdés, declared World Heritage Site by UNESCO due to its geography, flora and fauna. Departure from Puerto Madryn towards Puerto Piramides. Here, from July to November, it is possible to do Meetings the whales (optional). Visit Punta Delgada Light-house, Natural elephant seal colony and Caleta Valdes (Valdes Cove), a viewpoint where we can see the peninsula coast and the amazing topography of Caleta Valdes (Valdes Cove). During the excursion, we will have the opportunity to catch a sight of some of the terrestrial fauna. Return to Puerto Madryn.

# DAY 5 Puerto Madryn / Ushuaia

Morning at leisure. Transfer to the Airport to board the scheduled flight to Ushuaia. Arrival and transfer to the hotel.

# DAY 6 Ushuaia

In the morning, excursion to Tierra del Fuego National Park, the only one with sea coast in Argentina. During the excursion, you can take the End of The World Train as an optional tour. In the afternoon, sail through the Beagle Channel admiring the Sea Lions Island and Les Eclaireurs Lighthouse. Return and transfer to the hotel.

# DAY 7 Ushuaia / El Calafate

In due time, transfer to the airport to board the scheduled flight to El Calafate. Arrival and transfer to the selected hotel.

# DAY 8 El Calafate

Departure from the Hotel towards Perito Moreno Glacier located in The Glaciers National Park

During the tour, a walk along the paths located in front of the glacier, allow us to admire this impressive natural wonder from different view points.

This tour can be accompanied by a one-hour boat trip, Nautical Safari, which allow you to enjoy a different view of the front of the glacier from the water level.

Thanks to its breathtaking beauty it was declared a World Heritage by UNESCO. Free time for lunch (not included). In the afternoon, return to the hotel.

# DAY 9 El Calafate

Day at leisure. Do not miss the chance to sail among icebergs taking the Estancia Cristina or Ice Rivers Express excursions or just enjoy the ancient landscape of El Chalten or Torres del Paine. Choose your option on pages 37 and 39.

# DAY 10 El Calafate/ Buenos Aires

In due time, transfer to the airport to board the scheduled flight. Arrival and reception. Transfer to the hotel. Accommodation.

# DAY 11 Buenos Aires

In due time, transfer to the Airport to board the scheduled flight.

# DEPARTURES DATES

**Day 1 in Buenos Aires**

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| **2016** | | **2017** | |
| July 03 | November 06 | January 08 | April 09 |
| August 07 | November 13 | January 22 | May 07 |
| September 04 | November 20 | February 05 | June 04 |
| September 18 | November 27 | February 19 | July 02 |
| October 02 | December 04 | March 05 | August 06 |
| October 16 | December 16 | March 19 |  |
| October 23 | December 23 |  |  |

**SUGGESTED EXTENSION:**

**Puerto Iguazú**

3 days/ 2 nights**-** **TBK** **0207.**

# From day 1 to 10. Same itinerary as above. DAY 11 Buenos Aires / Puerto Iguazú.

Transfer to the Local airport to board the scheduled flight to Puerto Iguazú. Arrival and reception.

Transfer to the hotel. Accommodation.

# DAY 12 Puerto Iguazú. In the morning we will visit the Argentinean side of the Iguazu Falls, declared World Heritage Site by UNESCO and one of the New Seven Wonders of Nature. We will visit the Devil’s Throat balcony, upper and lower walkways from where you can take the Great Adventure as an optional tour. A brief navigation of one hour and a half, we can approach some waterfalls, navigate downstream by the river and walk by an interpretive trail of Flora and Fauna of the jungle.

Note: The entry of the Garganta del Diablo may be interrupted due to the increase of the river flow.

# DAY 13 Iguazú / Buenos Aires.

In the morning, we suggest visit the Brazilian National Park in order to appreciate a different panoramic view of the falls. At due time, transfer to the airport to board the scheduled flight.

# Due to different rescheduling of flights, please consult our required flights at time of booking flights.

**What’s included:**

* Arrival/departure airport transfers
* 10 nights with breakfast: Buenos Aires (3)
  1. Madryn (2)

Ushuaia (2) + Calafate (3)

* Tours:

Buenos Aires: City and Tango Show with dinner

* 1. Madryn: Punta Tombo and Península Valdés Ushuaia: National Park and Beagle Channel navigation Calafate: Perito Moreno Glacier
* Necessary admission fees