

Dos Talas

Built by Pedro Luro in the XIX century, Dos Talas is one of the most important estancias in Argentina. Its magnificent 40 hectare (98 acres) park, designed by Carlos Thays, surrounds the main house. Its chapel, a replica of a French chapel, contains works of art of French origin. Its library, with more than 3,000 Spanish, French and Italian books published during the XVIII, XIX and XX century, is one of the most important ones.



LOCATION

Dolores, 204 km (127 miles) south from downtown Buenos Aires.

ACCOMMODATION FACILITIES

4 rooms: 1 suite and 3 rooms with shared bathrooms.

PRODUCTION

Agriculture and cattle production.

ACTIVITIES IN THE ESTANCIA

Horseback riding, cycling, 'volanta' or 'sulky' guided rides and swimming.

ACTIVITIES IN THE SURROUNDING AREA

Flights in glider planes from the Aero Club, kayaking and sailing in Dolores lagoon.

MEALS

Barbecue (beef, lamb and pork) and local specialties. Home made cakes and desserts.

El Ombú de Areco

The magnificent Italian style farmhouse, built in 1890 by General Richieri, is surrounded by 300 hectares (740 acres) of fields.



LOCATION

San Antonio de Areco, 110 km (68 miles) north from downtown Buenos Aires.

ACCOMMODATION FACILITIES

6 rooms with private bathroom.

PRODUCTION

Mainly cattle breeding and agriculture.

ACTIVITIES IN THE ESTANCIA

Swimming, horseback riding, old carriage riding, football and farm work watching.

ACTIVITIES IN THE SURROUNDING AREA

Golf links and tennis courts in San Antonio de Areco Club. Visit to San Antonio de Areco and Ricardo Güiraldes Museum.

MEALS

International dishes and local specialties.

La Candelaria Polo Club

La Candelaria is one of the best places in Argentina to play polo, from beginners up to professional players. All the necessary equipment and polo ponies are ready for a great experience. The 100 hectares park was designed by the famous Carlos Thays, with centennial araucarias, palm trees, casuarinas, ombues among others, that circle the splendid Normand Castle.



LOCATION

Lobos, 130 km (80 miles) west from downtown Buenos Aires.

ACCOMMODATION FACILITIES

Bungalows in the woods, Dutch windmill and Colonial cottages, Classical & Standard rooms in the castle, Castle's Candelaria and Real Suites.

ACTIVITIES IN THE ESTANCIA

Swimming pool, horseback riding, carriages, tennis, soccer, volley ball, cycling, billiard, table tennis and guided tour of the farm, castle and chapel.

ACTIVITIES IN THE SURROUNDING AREA

Golf course.

El Rosario de Areco

El Rosario de Areco is a colonial style estancia whose main house was built in 1892. It has an extense park of 14 hectares (34 acres) with a great variety of trees, such as the centenary 'Ubaia', brought from Entre Ríos province by the current owners' ancestors.



LOCATION

San Antonio de Areco, 110 km (68 miles) North from downtown Buenos Aires.

ACCOMMODATION FACILITIES

2 comfortable apartments for 2 or 3 people with private bathroom and heating. 6 double rooms with private bathroom.

PRODUCTION

This estancia dedicates its 148 hectares (365 acres) to agriculture and specially to breeding and training polo horses.

ACTIVITIES

Horseback riding, sulky riding, biking, swimming, strolls around the main house and the stables, polo demonstrations and lessons.

ACTIVITIES IN THE SURROUNDING AREA

Golf and tennis courts in San Antonio de Areco Club and excursions to San Antonio de Areco.

MEALS

Barbques, home-made dishes and international cuisine. Vegetarian menu.

Los Patricios

Exclusive gaucho 'parties' are organized in this deluxe estancia. This property was owned by the founder of San Antonio de Areco and is nowadays run by one of its descendants. One of the main attractions in Los Patricios is its impressive main house area, formed by an imposing 40 acre park, a natural lake, barns, stables, polo field and carriage driving paths.



LOCATION

San Antonio de Areco, 100 km (63 miles) northwest from downtown Buenos Aires.

ACTIVITIES IN THE ESTANCIA

The day includes a reception cocktail, barbecue under the trees, horseback riding, driving in vintage carriages and bird watching. Guests can also enjoy the other facilities that include the swimming pool, tennis, volleyball and soccer courts.

Juan Gerónimo

Juan Gerónimo is a traditional Tudor-style estancia founded in 1920. Its 4,000 hectares (9,884 acres) are located in a World Natural Biosphere Reserve declared by UNESCO, overlooking Samborombón Bay. A wide variety of wildlife can be observed: axis deers, white herons, royal lapwings, and various other bird species.



LOCATION

Verónica, 165 km (102 miles) south from downtown Buenos Aires.

ACCOMMODATION FACILITIES

MAIN BUILDING

8 rooms with 6 bathrooms. Guest's House: 3 rooms with 1 bathroom.

PRODUCTION

Agriculture and cattle breeding

ACTIVITIES IN THE ESTANCIA

Horseback riding, carriage riding, mountain bike expeditions to sand dunes, mud flats and lakes. Paddle-tennis, trekking, fishing, bird watching and rural activities.

MEALS

Local and international cuisine.