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SANTA CRUZ | LOS GLACIARES NATIONAL PARK

## Mt. San Lorenzo & Cueva de las Manos

### Pre-tour

Dominating the Southern Andes region is Mt. San Lorenzo (3,706 m), its highest peak. This is a scarcely visited area due to the long distances and the few places to stay. For this reason, here you will feel well off the beaten road and into the wilderness. Very few places around the globe remain as unspoiled as this one. Along the way to Mt. San Lorenzo we will have the chance to visit the impressive Hand Painted Caves at Río Pinturas Canyon, with paintings dating back more than 9,000 years.

#### DAY 01: COMODORO RIVADAVIA / PERITO MORENO VILLAGE

Upon arrival to Comodoro Rivadavia airport during the morning, you will be met and driven 480 km across the Patagonian steppes, and towards the Andes Range, to the town of Perito Moreno. Lunch on road. Accommodation. Dinner

#### DAY 02: PERITO MORENO / LAKES POSADAS & PUEYRREDÓN

Morning visit to the River Pinturas Canyon where we will descend 70 metres on foot to visit the impressive Hand Painted Caves. We will then get back on to the road southwards to then finally turn west towards the Andes Range until we reach lakes Posadas & Pueyrredon area. Lunch on road. Accommodation. Dinner.

#### DAY 03: LAKES POSADAS & PUEYRREDÓN

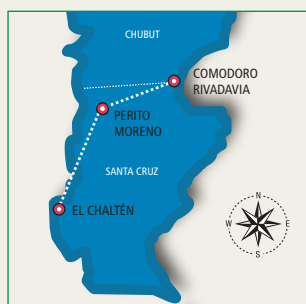
Trekking day following the River Oro course along a well marked path. We will then keep on walking surrounded by hanging glaciers and a superb wild scenery. Back to our starting point. Box Lunch. Accommodation. Dinner.

#### DAY 04: LAKES POSADAS & PUEYRREDÓN

Breakfast. Another dramatic and interesting trekking day along the Río Furiioso valley. Box Lunch. Accommodation. Dinner.

#### DAY 05: LAKES POSADAS & PUEYRREDÓN / EL CHALTÉN VILLAGE

Early morning departure and back on to Route 40 going southwards after our first 100 km to Bajo Caracoles, a small supply settlement. From here we will drive 490 kms along the great Patagonian steppes up to the small village of El Chaltén. This is a hardly driven road and will allow us to admire the immensity, the loneliness and the beauty of Patagonia. Box-lunch.



NOTE : this optional circuit does not include the first night in Calafate of the 'Adventure in Patagonia' programme, therefore, day 5 replaces day 2. Tour continues on day 3 of the main programme.

## Ushuaia

### Post-tour

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#### DAY 09 - EL CALAFATE / USHUAIA

Reception at Ushuaia airport and transfer to the hotel. Accommodation. Dinner.

#### DAY 10 - USHUAIA

Breakfast. Transfer to Mt. Martial base where a lift chair will take us to the starting point of the trek upwards, that will lead us to the foot of Martial Glacier. Looking back on the way, we will have an amazing view of the city and the Beagle Channel. From the foot of the glacier we will be able to observe the summits of the Fueguinian Andes Range and Andorra Valley. Box Lunch. Return to the hotel. Accommodation. Dinner.

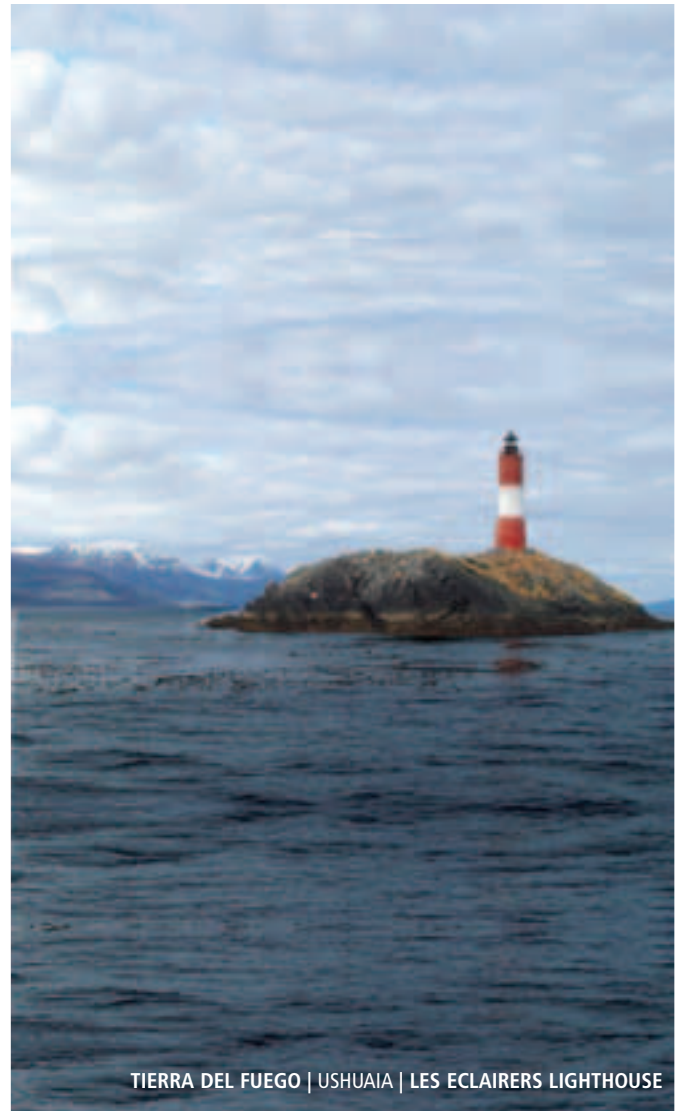
#### DAY 11 - USHUAIA

Breakfast. Departure from the hotel towards Tierra del Fuego National Park, located 12 km (7 miles) from Ushuaia. It preserves typical species of the Andean Patagonian forest such as firebushes, beech trees, ñires, boxes leafed barberries and flowers, in an area of 63,000 hectares (155,700 acres). Before entering the National Park we will board the Train to the End of the World and enjoy an unforgettable trip along the original embankment where the old prisoners' train ran until 1947 for their

expeditions into the National Park in search of wood for heating. The highlight of the park is Lapataia Bay, the southernmost tip of the continent, where we will appreciate a wonderful view of the Beagle Channel. Here, the old inhabitants of the area have left their testimony in the 'concheros', incredible archaeological deposits. Box Lunch. Return to the hotel. Accommodation. Dinner.

#### DAY 12 - USHUAIA

Breakfast. Transfer to the airport.



TIERRA DEL FUEGO | USHUAIA | LES ECLAIRERS LIGHTHOUSE

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DAYS

MT. SAN LORENZO & CUEVA DE LAS MANOS

ADVENTURE IN PATAGONIA



NOT INCLUDED



DAILY



FULL BOARD



SPANISH AND ENGLISH

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DAYS

ADVENTURE IN PATAGONIA

USHUAIA POST TOUR

SOFT ADVENTURE



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