



Puyuhuapi, remote place of the Chilean northern Patagonia, A space of wild beauty; a place of fjords, native forests, rivers, waterfalls, mountains and glaciers. We receive all travellers that venture to this uninhabited corner of Chilean Patagonia, where birds, dolphins, and sea lions roam. Amidst exuberant vegetation and accessible by sea, lies a unique space where sophistication and simplicity harmoniously combine. The Lodge and its staff warmly welcome their guests and invite them to explore and experience the stunning wilderness of cold rainforest of Queulat National Park and the Carretera Austral, and afterwards, back at the Lodge enjoy the rejuvenating thermal waters of the Spa. The experience culminates with a cruise aboard the catamaran Patagonia Express, through canals and austral fjords to Laguna San Rafael and its awe-inspiring glacier.

PC4 Puyuhuapi's Secret 4 nights

Regular Departures: Mondays

Day 1 / Balmaceda - Puyuhuapi

Reception in the Balmaceda airport. Begin tour through the Aysen region, crossing 45 min. of patagonian pampas to reach the city of Coyhaique. Along the way we are likely to spot pairs of caiquenes (wild goose) and flocks of bandurrias (storks) through the grasses. The vast remains of burned over forests are vestiges of the region's recent colonization period. After lunch, we continue along the Carretera Austral to Puyuhuapi Lodge & Spa (5 hrs). Much of the trip is along a gravel road that passes through extraordinary landscapes of dense forests between mountains and cliffs. In the afternoon we arrive at the Lodges Pier and then cross the Puyuhuapi Channel by motorboat in just 10 minutes. Welcome!

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Duration / 4 nights

Program / Puyuhuapi's Secret

Departs / Monday

San Rafael Glacier / Yes

Superior	Double	Single
Low	1760	2320
High	1970	2530

Low Season

October 10 to November 19, 2009

March 18 to April 30, 2010

High Season

November 20, 2009 to March 17,

2010

Day 2 and 3 / Puyuhuapi Lodge & Spa

Surrounded by lush vegetation, and accessible only by sea, this unique Lodge is where understated luxury and a well planned simplicity combine to create a unique atmosphere. The Lodge offers a variety of fascinating excursions in the cold rainforest and the Queulat National Park, after which one can wind down in the outdoor hot spring pools at the edge of the sea or in the wonderful Spa. The Spa's facilities are complete. Enjoy its large hydro massage pool, jacuzzis, spring-water fountain, and steam sauna, and then reap the benefits of thalassotherapy sessions, relaxation massages, and facial treatments.

Day 4 / San Rafael Lagoon - Chacabuco or Coyhaique

Our day begins early. At 7:00 am., we board the PATAGONIA EXPRESS catamaran and begin our journey through the austral fjords on our way to the San Rafael Lagoon.

The 7 hour route is a sheer delight to the senses: the transparency of the waters,

the majesty of the Andes Mountains wrapped in lush forests, the play of light interwoven through the clouds, and sometimes... encounters with playful dolphins. Sailing through a number of channels, we finally reach the Témpanos River, which leads us to the San Rafael Lagoon, home to a millenarian glacier. Experience it! After a visit of approximately 2 hours, we begin our return trip, arriving in Puerto Chacabuco around 10:30 p.m., where we will be transferred to the hotel in Puerto Chacabuco or Coyhaique.

Day 5 / Chacabuco or Coyhaique- Balmaceda

After breakfast, bus drive to the airport in Balmaceda. Bon Voyage & Hasta la Vista!

Note:

- Operation of the program should be confirmed (02) 2256489.
- Rates are per person, quoted in US Dollars, subject to modifications.
- Rates are not including tax and only for foreign guests not resident in Chile, according to decree 825, art.12 (tax exempted).