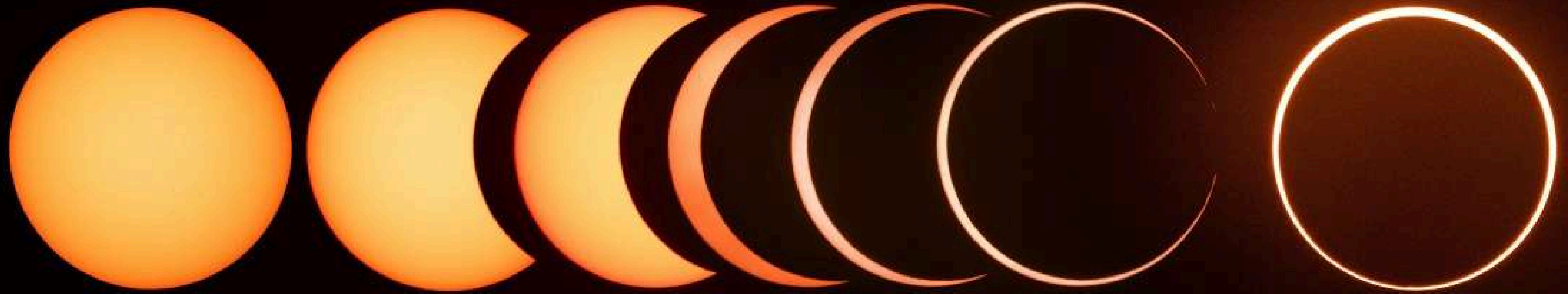


OCTOBER 2, 2024
SANTA CRUZ

ANNULAR SOLAR ECLIPSE



WOW
VIAJES



On Wednesday, October 2, 2024, there will be an annular solar eclipse during which the Moon will pass in front of the Sun without completely covering it. This occurs because the Moon follows an elliptical orbit around our planet, so it will be at a relatively greater distance, appearing consequently a bit smaller in the sky. Therefore, what would be a total eclipse under other circumstances, with the Moon closer, becomes an eclipse where a bright "ring" of the Sun remains around it. This is where the word "annular" comes from. Depending on the distance between the celestial bodies, on this occasion, the Moon will cover approximately 86% of the Sun.

A satellite-style map showing a rugged, mountainous landscape. A yellow line traces a route through a valley, crossing a river, and following a coastline on the right side of the image. The terrain is detailed with shadows and highlights, showing the texture of the mountains and the flow of the water bodies.

Estancia La Serena: the ideal base to enjoy it

Located on a paved route and 5 km of private coastline on Lake Buenos Aires, it offers six cozy cabins and a warm dining room with a wood-burning fireplace that will welcome you after each adventure with exquisite regional delicacies. An ideal proposal to experience the eclipse, combining the best tours and transfers to/from the airport.

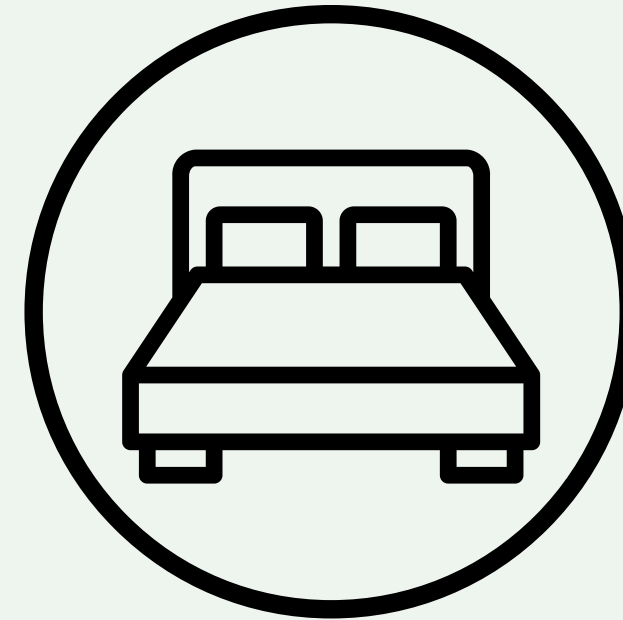
COMPREHENSIVE PROPOSAL



Transfers
From/to the
airport



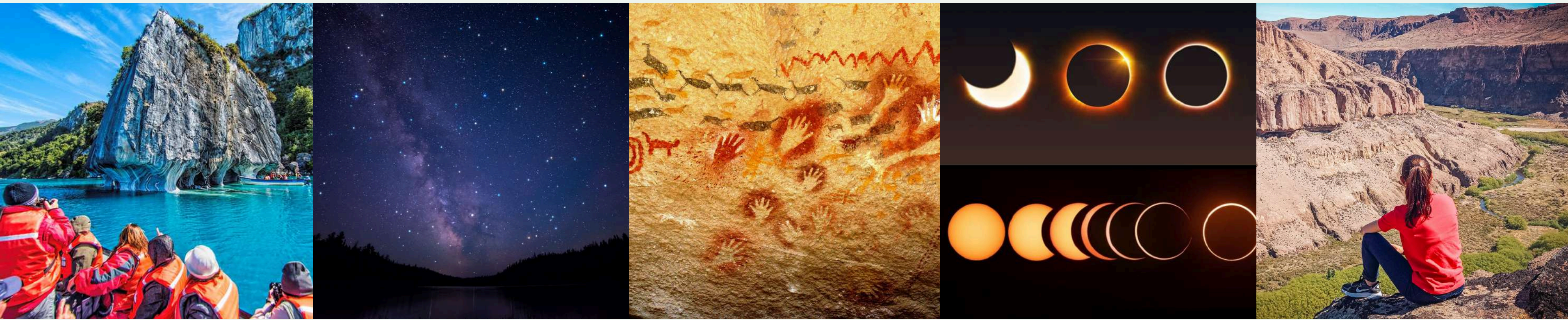
Daily
explorations



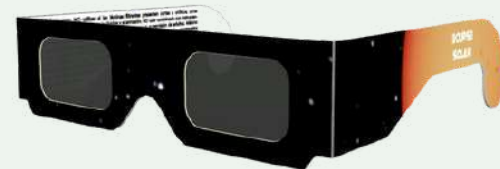
Accommodation



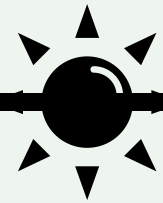
Outdoor
picnics



- Walk among 65-million-year-old petrified logs
- Discover the second largest lake in South America and sail to the Marble Chapels and Cathedrals (Chile)
- Trek through the Cañadón del Río Pinturas to the Cueva de las Manos
- Learn about the "rewilding" project and observe a wide variety of native wildlife
- Fully experience the eclipse with preliminary talks, a visit to the Planetarium of Parque Patagonia, and specific equipment

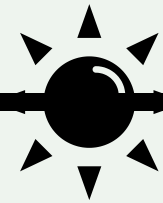


Planned Itinerary



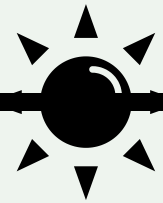
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Transfer from Comodoro Rivadavia airport to Estancia La Serena



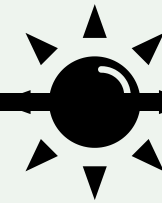
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Trek to the Cañadón del Río Pinturas and the Cueva de las Manos



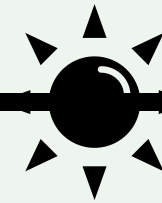
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Trails of Parque Patagonia to enjoy the annular solar eclipse in the afternoon



03/10

Sailing to the Marble Chapels and Cathedrals



04/10

Return transfer to the airport with a visit to the Lobería of Caleta Olivia on the way

DETAILED ITINERARY

30/09

Arrival at Comodoro Rivadavia airport on the first morning flight (AR1822), reception and transfer to Los Antiguos, with a visit to the Petrified Forest of Sarmiento en route, aiming to arrive at the destination around 7 PM.

NOTE: We suggest flying the day before to rest better and have a greater safety margin in case of any delays. In that case, we will pick you up from the specified accommodation.

01/10

The deep Cañón del Río Pinturas houses the most important archaeological site in Patagonia. The Cueva de las Manos features cave paintings that record human presence in the area over nearly ten thousand years. The proposal is to emulate our ancestors and access the site via the same trail they used in antiquity, trekking through the canyon to finally visit the Archaeological Trail. On the return, we will trek to the striking Tierras de Colores, an ideal spot for photography with great scenic beauty and a source of raw material for the region's rock art.

02/10

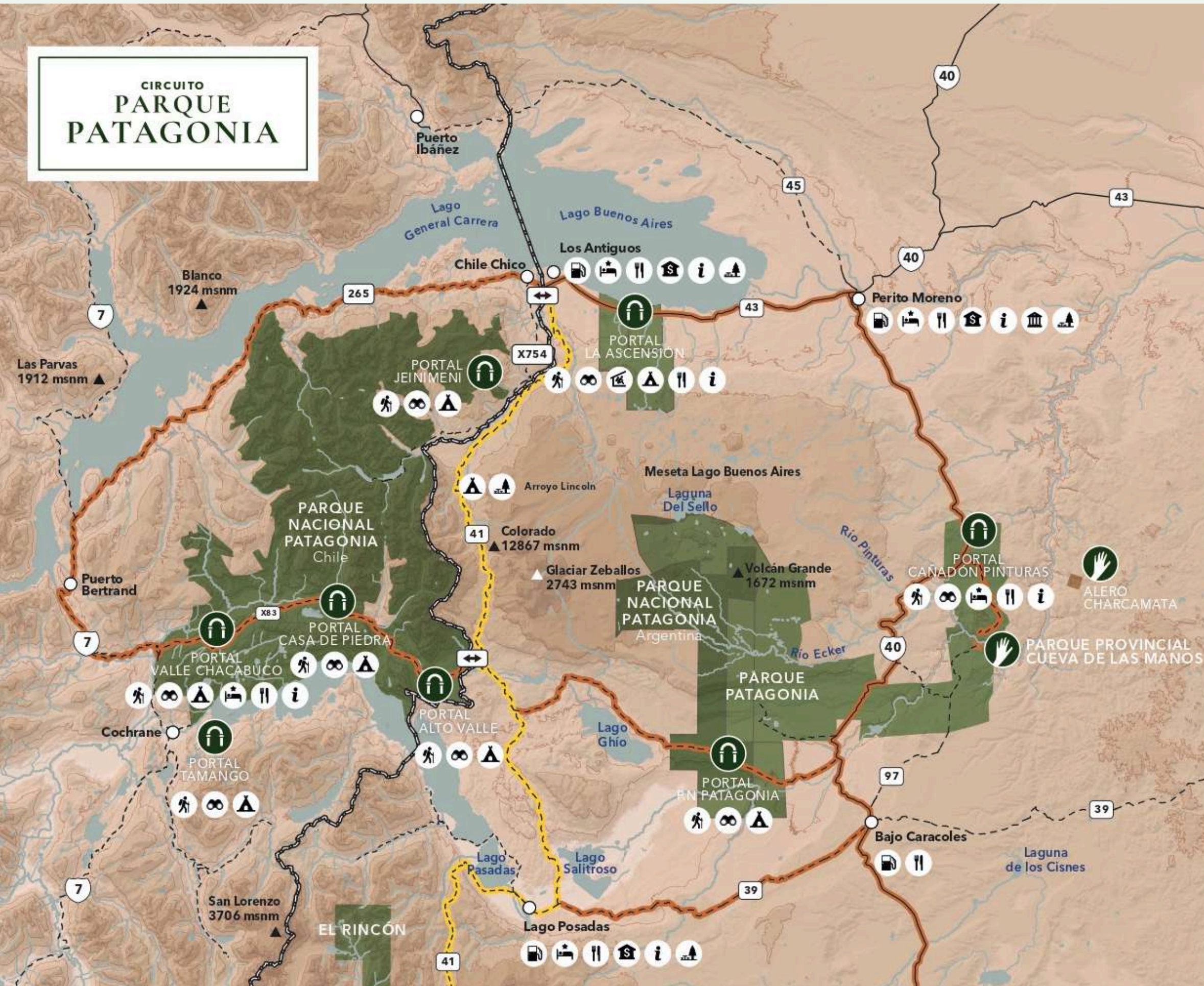
A day entirely dedicated to exploring the trails of Parque Patagonia, culminating in the afternoon with the eclipse. The day begins with a visit to the Elsa Rosenvasser Feher Interpretation Center and Planetarium, where we will receive an introductory talk for observing the annular eclipse. Following this, the adventure continues with the spectacle of native wildlife across more than 50 kilometers of trails that traverse imposing cliffs, panoramic mountain views, vibrant colored lands, and deep canyons. The Cañadón Pinturas Portal safeguards the wildest nature of the Patagonian steppe. In the afternoon, we will position ourselves in a privileged location to enjoy the annular solar eclipse, which will start at 4 PM, reach its peak at 5:25 PM, and end at 6:43 PM. We will be equipped with special glasses for this

03/10

A day devoted to sailing to the Marble Chapels, discovering the vertiginous route, partly on a cliff, that crosses the mountain range, skirts the southern coast of the lake, and transitions from the steppe to the Patagonian Andean forest, culminating in an exclusive sail to the Marble Chapels.

04/10

Return to Comodoro Rivadavia airport with a visit to the sea lion colony at the Caleta Olivia RNP along the way, aiming to arrive at 3 PM for flights departing after 4 PM.



Planned Travel Dates:
30/09 to 04/10



5 days exploring the region of
Los Antiguos and Parque
Patagonia



An ideal proposal to explore
the annular solar eclipse

SERVICES

INCLUDED

- Transfers, land excursions, and navigation according to the itinerary
- 4 nights of accommodation in double, triple, or quadruple rooms with private bathrooms and breakfast
- 4 three-course dinners (starter, main course, and dessert), excluding drinks
- 5 field picnic meals
- Entry tickets to protected areas
- Introductory talk on the annular solar eclipse
- Special eclipse glasses
- Trekking poles, binoculars, maps, and guides of flora and fauna available

NOT INCLUDED

- Flights to and from Comodoro Rivadavia
- Travelers insurance
- Meals and drinks not specified

PRICES

- **USD 1975** per person in a double room.
- **USD 1875** per person in a triple room.
- **USD 1810** per person in a quadruple room.

IMPORTANT

- Since we will be crossing into Chile, it is important to carry an ID for Argentinians and a passport for foreigners (and a visa if necessary) according to nationality.
- The navigation to the Marble Chapels is subject to weather and wind conditions.
- It is highly recommended that all passengers have their own medical insurance. We can quote it separately for you.

LA SERENA

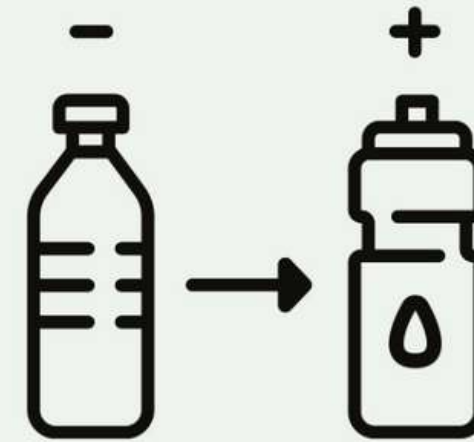
La Serena features 6 cabins with single beds, private bathrooms, and heating. There is also a dining hall with a fireplace, where breakfast and dinner are served.

The total capacity is 19 passengers, distributed as follows:

- Cabaña Lago Posadas: 3 beds
- Cabaña Lago Viedma: 2 or 3 beds
- Cabaña Lago Paine: 3 beds
- Cabaña Lago Argentino: 4 beds
- Cabaña Lago Yelcho: 3 beds
- Cabaña Lago Futalaufquen: 3 beds

WE PROMOTE SUSTAINABLE TRAVEL

- We prefer local production. Our lunches prioritize locally sourced ingredients, fostering local development and minimizing the carbon footprint of our services.
- We collaborate in the development of the town as a tourist destination and in the preservation of the regional cultural and natural heritage.
- We suggest bringing your own reusable bottles. Our water comes from safe sources, and we do not offer bottled water or soft drinks in our picnics.
- Environmental education is a key element in the services we offer.
- We respect the recommendations of the sites we visit, promoting their conservation together.
- We care for resources and minimize waste generation.



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Reservations

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