



Golf Program: "Amazing Buenos Aires, the Wine Route & the High Andes"
(11 days/10 nights)

Golfer Daily Itinerary

Day 01 – Buenos Aires:

Reception at the airport and private transportation service to the chosen hotel with bilingual guide. In the afternoon, we will enjoy the **"Visit to the City"** excursion in a private service with a bilingual guide. **It includes Appetizer at Tortoni Café.** We will depart from **Mayo Square**, fundamental perimeter of Buenos Aires, to visit the Casa Rosada, the Cabildo (Town Hall), and the impressive neoclassic-style Metropolitan Cathedral with the Mausoleum of San Martín. We continue to **San Telmo**, site chosen by the "porteño" aristocracy until 1871, walking through its cobbled streets, stopping at the traditional Dorrego Square where visitors can buy from first-class antiques to second-hand magazines and records. The next stop is **Mayo Avenue**. It was inaugurated in 1894 and it joins Mayo Square with the Congress; on both sides, it has amazing buildings in Art Nouveau and Art Déco styles. It is mainly populated by Spanish immigrants who set up numerous cafes, restaurants, as well as the Avenida Theater. We will have an appetizer at the mythical Tortoni Cafe, traditionally frequented by artists and intellectual people; then, we will visit **La Boca**, neighborhood where most of the Italian immigrants arrived and settled down at the end of 19th century. We will be amazed at the zinc-sheet houses painted in bright colors, Caminito Street, and the football stadium Boca Juniors, Maradona's sports cradle. We will visit **Puerto Madero**, the most modern and sophisticated neighborhood that originates from an urban project that started with the renovation of warehouses and sheds aiming at setting up exclusive houses, restaurant, hotels, and modern buildings. Next, we will move to **Retiro**, where the splendid San Martín Square can be found surrounded by elegant buildings reminiscent of the French Belle Époque such as the former Paz Palace, San Martín Palace, and the Plaza Hotel (Stop at the Monument for the Fallen on Falklands War). In **Recoleta**, we will visit Alvear Avenue where the principal fashion stores in the world are located. We will tour around Francia Square, one of the most beautiful parks of the city, the colonial Pilar Basilica, and the well-known Recoleta Cemetery where the most prominent Argentinean personalities rest, among them Eva Perón. **Palermo Chico:** Surrounded by the Palermo Forests, main green area of the city, it is the most exclusive and aristocratic neighborhoods of Buenos Aires. At night, **"Dinner and Tango Show with VIP Menu"** at the tango house chosen, **"Esquina Carlos Gardel"**, **"Gala Tango"**, **"La Ventana"**, **"Madero Tango"**, **"Piazzolla Tango"** or **"Viejo Almacén"**, including hotel/show/hotel private transportation service with bilingual guide. The famous nightlife of Buenos Aires offered to its own people and to those who visit the city features innumerable gastronomic and artistic options. You will enjoy the magic and the charm of Tango, the protagonist of the night! It includes **dinner with VIP Menu** with starter, main course, dessert, coffee or tea, soda, juice, mineral water, a bottle of wine per person, coffee or tea, a glass of champagne. Accommodation.

Day 02 – Buenos Aires:

Breakfast. After breakfast, private transportation service with bilingual guide to **"Buenos Aires Golf Club"**, 1st golf round, green fee and caddie service included. After the round, private transportation service with bilingual guide is offered to the hotel. Free afternoon. **Dinner** included at Clo Clo restaurant or a similar, including a starter, main course, dessert, coffee or tea, soda, juice, mineral water or a beer, and a glass of wine. Accommodation.

Day 03 – Buenos Aires:

Breakfast. After breakfast, private transportation service with bilingual guide to **"Pilar Golf Club"**, 2nd golf round, green fee and caddie service included. After the round, private transportation service with bilingual guide is offered to the hotel. Free afternoon. **Dinner** included at La Cabaña restaurant or a similar, including a starter, main course, dessert, coffee or tea, soda, juice, mineral water or a beer, and a glass of wine. Accommodation.

Day 04 – Buenos Aires:

Breakfast. After breakfast, private transportation service with bilingual guide to **"Olivos Golf Club"**, 3rd golf round, green fee and caddie service included. After the round, private transportation service with bilingual guide is offered to the hotel. Free afternoon. **Dinner** included at Cabaña Las Lilas restaurant or a similar, including a starter, main course, dessert, coffee or tea, soda, juice, mineral water or a beer, and a glass of wine. Accommodation.



Day 05 – Buenos Aires:

Full-day excursion in private service with bilingual guide to **“Paraná Delta & Río De La Plata: An unforgettable Trip”**. It includes a **Boat Trip through the Delta and the Río de la Plata**. In **San Isidro**, we will visit the elegant historic center which is very well preserved. We will visit the neogothic-style San Isidro Labrador Cathedral built from 1895 to 1898 that displays works of art and relics; among them, a piece of the incorrupt body of Saint Isidore. Around the Cathedral, we will admire the splendid mansions that in the Argentinean golden years were the weekend residencies of the “porteño” elite, such as Anchorena House (today, San Juan el Precursor School) and Pueyrredón House, pompeian-style building from 1790 where a museum is currently working. Finally, we will go down the viewpoint of the Río de la Plata which will amaze us for its immensity. We will move to Tigre city, located in the mouth of the Paraná River Delta. It is an alluvial basin of 100,000 years formed by sediments deposited through time by the Paraná River, with an approximate extension of 750,000 hectares; i.e., approx. 500 kilometers by car. We will visit Paseo Victoria where the Tigre Club and Casino are located. In this elegant totally-restored building, the Municipal Museum of Fine Arts is nowadays open. After the guided visit around the museum that displays an important collection of Argentinean figurative art, we will enjoy an excellent lunch at the bank of the river at Acacia restaurant located in the exclusive Villa Julia Hotel. Back to Buenos Aires in an exclusive craft sailing across the Paraná Delta, we will be amazed at the lushness of the landscape. We will continue through the Delta until we reach the Río de la Plata, and before disembarking in Costanera Norte, we will have the unique opportunity of observing the whole city from the river. **Lunch** included at Villa Julia restaurant or a similar, including a starter, main course, dessert, coffee or tea, soda, juice, mineral water or a beer, and a glass of wine. Accommodation.

Day 06 - Buenos Aires – Mendoza:

Breakfast. In due time, private transportation service to domestic airport with bilingual guide is offered to take the flight to **Mendoza City**. Arrival, Reception at the airport and private transportation service to the chosen hotel with bilingual guide. In the afternoon, we will enjoy the **“Visit to the City”** excursion in a private service with a bilingual guide. The tourist circuit of the city and surroundings enables us to make contact with a modern city, known by its trees, its wide sidewalks and cleanliness. This tour is about the history and culture of a city founded by colonists more than four centuries ago. We will visit places like La Alameda, Foundational Area (Pedro del Castillo Square), the main avenues, the heart of the city center, Independencia Square, Civic Neighborhood, and Emilio Civit Avenue, where we can access General San Martín Park through the gates. In the park, we will walk through the coppices, the rose garden, the lake, and clubs until we get to La Gloria Hill where we can see the monument to Ejército Libertador and Frank Romero Day Greek Theater. Then, we will go to El Challao, where we can visit the Virgin of Lourdes Church, the religious place that attracts many people. Return to the hotel. At night, **dinner** can be enjoyed at Terruño restaurant or a similar one, including starter, main course, dessert, coffee or tea and soda or juice, mineral water or a beer. (It includes hotel/restaurant/hotel private transportation service). Accommodation.

Day 07 - Mendoza:

Breakfast. After breakfast, private transportation service with bilingual guide is offered to the **“Golf Club Andino”** golf course, 1st golf round, caddie is optional, green fee included. After the round, private transportation service with bilingual guide is offered to the hotel. Free afternoon. At night, **dinner** can be enjoyed at Francis Mallman 1884 restaurant or a similar one, including starter, main course, dessert, coffee or tea and soda or juice, mineral water or a beer. (It includes hotel/restaurant/hotel private transportation service). Accommodation.

Day 08 - Mendoza:

Breakfast. After breakfast, private transportation service with bilingual guide is offered to the **“Golf Club de Campo Mendoza”** golf course, 2nd golf round, caddie is optional, green fee included. After the round, we will enjoy a tour in a private service with a bilingual guide to **“Familia Zuccardi Winery”**. Located in Mendoza, one of the eight wine capitals of the world, this winery is the result of an ever-present innovative spirit and passion that drives their search for the highest quality possible from the soil. They are a family-led company, founded in 1963, recognized as an Argentine winery that produces outstanding wines, with a clear commitment to quality and innovation. Their wines are characterized by their quality and modern style, but mainly through their ability to innovate in every aspect of production, from the vineyard to the elaboration. Their strong capacity to innovate allow them to create non traditional characteristics and varieties. We will



have **lunch** at “**La Casa del Visitante**,” awarded in 2006 as the best winery restaurant by the Global Net of the Great Wine Capitals, offers a unique experience surrounded by vineyards, mountains and beautiful scenery. The lunch includes a variety of olives, empanadas (meat pie), asado criollo (Argentinean barbecue), grilled vegetables, salads and dessert. Everything is home made and there will be 3 different types of wines. We will be presented with a bottle of a varietal wine. After lunch we will walk through the “parrales” (vineyards) as part of “enoturism” and we will continue the tour visiting this important winery, which shares the secrets of the wine world with those who visit it in their Cava de Turismo. Through original experiences that allow visitors to explore and enjoy the wine-making process through from the harvest to the finished product, Familia Zuccardi is proud to have become known as a pioneer in wine tourism. In 2007, this effort was recognized by the Global Net of the Great Wine Capitals, with the award “Relevant Experience in Wine Tourism”. We will finish this visit with wine tasting. Their wines: **Zuccardi, Santa Julia, Malamado, Textual, Espumantes**. Some of their varietals: **Malbec, Cabernet Sauvignon, Chardonnay, Tempranillo, Bonarda, Viognier, Caladoc, Marselán and Ancellota**. On our return to Mendoza City we will visit the “**Wine Museum San Felipe**”, the museum displays machinery, carriages, presses and other elements that contributed to the Mendoza wine industry. Located inside of Bodega La Rural, in front of Don Felipe Rutini’s original residence, it has become the most important wine museum in the Americas, on par with many French, Italian and South African museums. The museum has within it 4500 artefacts. Of special interest are antique crushers, cooperage tools, colonial mud amphorae, books and enological catalogs, laboratory equipment and some fifty carriages. These pieces were found for the most part in Bodega La Rural warehouse and within the Maipu area. Accommodation.

Day 09 - Mendoza:

Breakfast. After breakfast, private transportation service with bilingual guide is offered to the “**La Vacherie Country Golf**” golf course, 3rd golf round, caddie is optional, green fee included. After the round, we will enjoy a tour in a private service with a bilingual guide to “**Lagarde Winery**”. **Lagarde** is a traditional winery that preserves its original framework since 1897, year of its foundation. As you go round the winery, its centenarian vineyards, its “patios” and the old house, you’ll feel embraced by an ambiance of ancient times. Besides preserving the identity and culture, Lagarde invests in the highest technology to guarantee the excellent quality wines. At Lagarde they endeavour to attain high quality wines with a personal style, elegant and characteristic of Mendoza’s unique terroir. To guarantee excellence Lagarde wines are produced only with very high quality grapes grown in their own vineyards. The winemakers and the owners then provide their artistic skill which ensure that the process results in superior wines of distinction and cult status. We will have **lunch** at the **Restó of Lagarde**, situated in the original colonial house of the winery. In this unique and charming restaurant, the visitors can have an exclusive 3 steps menu matched with the best wines of Lagarde. It’s ideal for enjoy after a visit to the winery and the vineyards. After lunch we will perform a guided tour that includes a full explanation of each step of the winemaking process while going around the stainless steel tanks, the ancient oak casks, the champagne cellar and of course the magnificent vineyards. The visit closes with a tasting of two varietals wines at the colonial house. Their wines: **Semillón 1942*, Henry, Guarda, Lagarde Reserva, Altas Cumbres**. Some of their varietals: **Cabernet Sauvignon, Malbec, Syrah, Merlot, Chardonnay, Sauvignon Blanc**. * Oldest wine in South America, the extraordinary Semillón 1942 was completely bottled in 1990 and was the first Argentinean wine to be awarded a gold medal. Over 50 years inside a French oak cask provided this Semillón with exceptional characteristics similar to those of a Sherry wine. Accommodation.

Day 10 - Mendoza:

Full-day excursion “**High Mountain through the River**” in private service with bilingual guide. During the tour, we can enjoy the huge Potrerillos Dike. Located 100 kilometers from the capital, Uspallata is the scenery of Huarpe indigenous settlement during pre-Hispanic times. Near Uspallata, we can find Las Bóvedas, historical well-maintained adobe constructions, where Fray Luis Beltrán, chaplain of General San Martín’s Andes Army, forged the canyons and the weapons used to liberate Chile. After that, we will visit Pichueta, Polvaredas, and Punta de Vacas villages, where we can access to the famous Los Penitentes village. One of the ski centers, opened from June to August, is located 167 kilometers from the capital. Later, in Puente del Inca at 2,720 meters above the sea level, Las Cuevas river has bored through the mountain and formed a natural bridge where thermal water spouts from. Near this place, we can find Andes mountaineer’s cemetery. Near the border, there is a magnificent viewpoint where we can admire Aconcagua Hill. An unpaved road off the international road, takes us to the beautiful Horcones Lagoon and Aconcagua



National Park. Following the international route, we find Horcones Customs Complex and some kilometers later, in the Chilean border, Las Cuevas city, a European-style city built at 3,200 meters above the sea level. There is a route between Las Cuevas and the international tunnel that takes to Chile. From this route and subject to weather conditions, we will climb up to Christ the Redeemer monument at 4,200 meters. This monument symbolizes the fraternity between Argentines and Chileans. **Lunch** is included at the mountain restaurant Ayelén or a similar one, including starter, main course, dessert, coffee or tea and soda or juice, mineral water or a beer. Return to Mendoza via the same route. Accommodation.

Day 11 - Mendoza - Buenos Aires:

In due time, private transportation service to Mendoza City airport with bilingual guide is offered to take the flight to **Buenos Aires**. Arrival at domestic airport and transfer to the international airport to take the returning flight to the USA. **END of services.**

Our Hotels in Buenos Aires:

Alvear Palace Hotel
Caesar Park Buenos Aires
Faena Hotel+Universe
Four Seasons Buenos Aires

Hilton Buenos Aires
Intercontinental Buenos Aires
Loisuites Recoleta
Marriott Plaza Hotel

Panamericano Buenos Aires
Park Hyatt Buenos Aires
Park Tower Buenos Aires
Sofitel Buenos Aires

Our Hotels in Mendoza:

Park Hyatt Mendoza Hotel Casino & Spa
Executive Hotel Park Suites (Wine Floor)