

proudly presents
a golfing holiday to
BUENOS AIRES
ARGENTINA

1 – 9 November 2009

Golf competition on world class courses

Huge steaks

Amazing Latin American experience

4 star luxury

Unbeatable package prices

Buenos Aires is a city of Paris-inspired boulevards and historical neighbourhoods. Home of the tango and the finest steaks to be found. Where leather work is an art form and nightlife is rumbustuous and elegant. Where natural beauty and passionate inhabitants define a lifestyle centred around fine music, excellent food and endless shopping.

**Buenos Aires is also home to some superb golf courses...
so book early and join us on a golfing holiday to this pulsating city
....then experience it all for yourself!**

Our 2009 tour is scheduled for November in order to avoid the cold of winter and the heat of the Argentinean summer in the early part of the year.

This is what you can look forward to when you board the plane in November:

Sunday 1 November

Assemble early morning before boarding our flight in Johannesburg for our departure for Buenos Aires, Argentina. Thanks to the time difference, we arrive in Buenos Aires mid-afternoon and will be able to enjoy the sights of this beautiful city en route to our central hotel. After checking in, we have the late-afternoon free to start exploring the City or just relaxing in one of the many nearby restaurants and sampling the food, wine and musical pleasures of Buenos Aires.

Monday 2 November

This morning we go on a guided city tour, which includes all the "must see" sights of Buenos Aires. These include the "pink palace" where Evita waved to the crowds from the balcony, "Caminito" where the entire street is a museum and which features the most colourful

buildings, the world famous Colon Theatre (the 2nd most important Opera House in the world), 2 Avenue 9th July which boasts no fewer than 27 lanes and is accepted as the world's widest street, the exclusive waterfront redevelopment lined with shops and restaurants, Florida Street (the busiest shopping mall you will ever see), a street-walk tango dance and much more.

Later today take a stroll down Florida Street to compare prices and get into the mood of this throbbing city before heading for an "Asador Parrilla", or Argentinean grill-house, to savour one of the region's legendary steaks.

Tuesday 3 November

Our first round of golf in Argentina is at the legendary **SAN ANDRES** club, the oldest club in Argentina and named after the home of golf, St Andrews. The beautiful parkland course has hosted more tournaments than any other in Argentina and its greens are always true and fast. Your round here today is certain to captivate you as it has many golfers in the past.

While the golfers are enjoying the "SAN ANDRES experience", the non-golfers will no-doubt be exploring the endless shopping attractions, both in the up-market malls and the street markets. Argentinian handcrafts and clothing are world-renowned and there are bargains aplenty awaiting the shoppers in the group. The famous landmarks, buildings and European style squares with coffee shops make for fascinating sightseeing and relaxing in Buenos Aires.

After today's round on a course which will be long remembered, the restaurants and live-entertainment venues of Buenos Aires await you...and you will be pleased to learn that the locals take pride in never disappointing their visitors!

Wednesday 4 November

The stunning **ESTANCIA DE PILAR GC** is the ideal course to continue our golfing week in Argentina! Designed by the renowned Randall Thompson (President of the USA Course Designers Assoc), the course moulds the rolling Pampas countryside and numerous water hazards into a visual and golfing pleasure. The club's infrastructure is world class and is a golfing experience to be remembered.

This evening we have the opportunity to attend a **live Tango show**...an unforgettable evening which always has the crowd on its feet. Bring your camera to capture the beauty and elegance of the most passionate dance of them all.

Thursday 5 November

Today is time to take a break from golf and spend the day relaxing, shopping and exploring the **sights of spectacular Buenos Aires** or experience the life and legends of the *gaucho* (the Argentinean cowboy) during a **full-day excursion to an estancia** (cattle ranch). The outing to the *estancia* includes a spectacular horse and skills show by the *gauchos*, the largest *Parrilla* (braai) you will ever see with the largest steaks imaginable and a live-show featuring song and dance including the passionate tango. For those who want to play an optional round of golf today, we can arrange tee-off times on many of Buenos Aires' famous and challenging courses to suit your preferred start time.

Friday 6 November

We are back on the course today, at the beautiful parkland course of **MARTINDALE GC**. The greens and overall maintenance of Martindale are regarded as the best in the region. A great day of golf on a truly great course!

Saturday 7 November

The course today is **PILAR GC**, where a truly round of golf awaits us today! The stunning **Pilar GC** is destined to become South America's premier golf course and already has critics raving about the beauty of its natural setting. Perfectly nestled in the rolling Argentinean countryside, the course winds around numerous lakes, wetland, native trees and ornamental grass outcroppings. It hosted the 2006 and 2007 Argentinian Open and is certainly a course where you need your camera close by. Pilar is a car-only course, so golf cars are included in the package.

For dinner this evening, a visit to an *Asador Parrilla* with live entertainment is always a good idea for a final dinner.

Sunday 8 November

Our flight home only departs this evening, so there is still time to catch up on shopping and sightseeing and enjoying the food, drink and music of Buenos Aires before our coach transfer to the airport for our flight home.

Monday 8 November

Our flight arrives in Johannesburg early morning. Then it's time to share our memories of wonderful Buenos Aires with all those unfortunate folk who were not with us on the tour (and to find a way past customs with all our bargains from Argentina).

OPTIONAL EXTENSION

A 3-day optional extension to the spectacular Iguazu falls is available.

For more details please contact our office. Guests who book for the extension will arrive back in South Africa on Thursday 11 November.

The tour package includes:

- 7 night's accommodation on a bed and breakfast basis
- 4 rounds of golf
- Half day City tour of Buenos Aires
- All transfers
- Golf car at Pillar GC
- Experienced tour leader
- CD-Rom featuring the photographs taken of the group and destination during the tour

Not included in the tour package:

- visa costs where relevant (not required by South African passport holders)
- travel insurance
- airport departure taxes
- sightseeing not specified
- Day outing to an estancia on the Pampas
- optional extension to Iguazu Falls

Package prices per person:

CATEGORY	PACKAGE PRICE PP
Golfer sharing a room	15 995,00
Non-golfer sharing a room	12 195,00
Golfer alone in a room	20 115,00

Please Note:

- 1. A deposit of R3 000 per person is required to secure the airline seat and hotel accommodation.*
- 2. All prices are strictly subject to exchange rate fluctuations.*
- 3. Your surname must be included on your bank deposit slip as your reference.*
- 4. Tour members will be able to leave the group at the end of the tour and extend their stay. A nominal levy for the extension may be charged by the airline.*
- 5. As the tour costing has been calculated on cheque and EFT payments, no credit card payments can be accepted. Cash deposit fees will be for the account of the depositor.*
- 6. A handicap certificate issued by the player's club not more than 10 days prior to departure will be required from each participant.*

7. *Passengers over the age of 65 years on the date of departure will be required to supply a medical certificate of good health.*
8. *The Golf Travel Company will book golf cars when requested to do so by clients but cannot accept responsibility for availability on the day.*
9. *Both pages of the booking form must be completed in full by each passenger.*
10. *No booking can be confirmed until receipt of deposit.*

Please fax or mail your booking form it to us in order to ensure that you do not miss out on this fantastic golfing holiday.

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