

FLOATING REFUGE

EXPLORADOR

Enjoy the beauty of the Mountains' Fjord doing daily excursions in the surroundings, so then you can take a deserved rest in our exclusive floating Refuge "Explorador", located in the Huiros bay, in the Alacalufe National Reserve.

You need at least two days and one night to enjoy of this beautiful fjord and do different outdoor activities admiring the majestic Sarmiento mountain range with its six great glaciers that flow down to the sea. It's possible to navigate by all of them and get close to touch the ice of one of them.

If you like trekking, live the experience of trekking through the particular terrain of the Patagonian fjords and it's challenging weather. Our expert local guide will take you off-trail through the mountain up to amazing panoramic view points where you can contemplate the magnitude and the beauty of this inhospitable fjord surrounded of mountains and glaciers.

Everyday during your stay we'll offer half-day and full day excursions, it could be navigation, hiking or trekking. These will be decided the night before by our professional team on terrain, whom will base on the weather conditions and the security of the activity.

After a great day of excursions, spend a quiet moment taking a deserved rest in our comfortable common room and taste our outstanding cuisine, distinguished by typical, abundant and delicious dishes.

You can enjoy of the experiences on board of our exclusive floating refuge as long as you desire, being possible to do different excursions during seven days.



HOW TO GET

We begin by taking a ferry to go across the Señoret channel to Antonio Varas peninsula located in front of Puerto Natales. Then we continue by car for 45 minutes through a gravel road until the embarking spot, where we'll have a tasty lunch. Afterward we take a fast boat and navigate one and a half hour until the end of the Resi fjord; the beginning of the "Alacalufe path", named as the canoeist ancestors who inhabited all the fjord lands in the last 5,000 years, and used this pass to connect the fjord Resi with the Mountains' fjord.

Once in Resi, we disembark and hike for 20 minutes to reach the Acantilados lagoon, which is incased between huge rock walls, so it's only possible to go across by boat, taking five minutes to reach the other side where we hike for another hour and a half until the Huiros bay, where our exclusive floating Refuge "Explorador" is located.

The return to Puerto Natales is by the same route.

EXCURSIONS	TREKKING	NAVIGATION	ELEVATION GAIN	DIFICULTY
THE BAY VIEWPOINT	400 M	0.5 N.M..	60 M	EASY
THE FJORD VIEWPOINT	1,2 KM	0.5 N.M.	210 M	MEDIUM
BERNAL & HERMANN VIEWPOINT	3,5 KM	5 N.M.	140 M	MEDIUM
LA PAZ VIEWPOINT	3 KM	1 N.M.	230 M	MEDIUM
THUNDER'S PASS VIEWPOINT	7 KM	10 N.M.	470 M	HARD
3 LAGOONS VALLEY VIEWPOINT	5 KM	13 N.M.	600 M	HARD
GLACIER KIARA VIEWPOINT	5 KM	13 N.M.	50 M	EASY
GLACIER ZAMUDIO VIEWPOINT	3 KM	16 N.M.	220 M	MEDIUM
GLACIER ZAMUDIO	-	17 N.M.	-	-
GLACIER BERNAL	1,5 KM	10 N.M.	-	EASY
GLACIER HERMANN	-	16 N.M.	-	-
GLACIERS ALSINA & PAREDES	-	20 N.M.	-	-

