

## Patagonia 2.0 Jan 31 - Feb 7, 2019



A joyful outdoor bacchanal for the senses, this magical weeklong Girls Getaway has it all: beauty, camaraderie, aweinspiring scenery, plenty of vino tinto and as much challenge as you're willing to take on. This potent mix keeps our Patagonian "Veterans" coming back for second and third helping -- this little Slice of Heaven is addictive! A more magical spot just doesn't exit anywhere. And this time around, we've changed it up (hence the "2.0" label) minimizing our time atop the big water and maximizing our "terra firma" fun, with a few new camps to explore as well! Private camps, old growth forests, snow-packed Andean peaks, turquoise waters and the finest guides in the world are waiting for us. The perfect way to start off 2019 --- deep in Chilean Patagonia with the adventurous women of Private Journeys. Doesn't get any better than this.

**Day One:** The group will gather up in Esquel, Argentina where we'll takeover our own lodge on the edge of the Patagonian wilderness.

Days Two: We'll cross over the border into Chile and head deep into the Futaleufu Valley. Our first hike will take us to Lago Las Rosas, swimming and relaxing lakeside follow before dinner and dreams under a full sky of stars.

**Day Three:** On horseback we'll bring ourselves to Espolon Lake for a delicious lunch. A fun afternoon spent in outrigger canoes continues our Private Journey to El Tigre camp surrounded by the majesty only Patagonia delivers.

Day Four: Back in our canoes we'll reach our trailhead. Our old growth forest hike takes us past waterfalls and breathtaking river views until finally we reach our amazing Tree House Camp. Yes, we'll sleep in a master tree house in a spot engulfed by snow-capped mountains on all sides and 360-degree views of lakes and the magnificent Futaleufu River below.

Day Five: Our morning hike will take us down to the river where we'll zip-line across to the magic of Cave Camp. We've arrived in Never Never Land! Options include a dramatic three-part rock climb and 350-foot granite tower rappel (no experience necessary!), hot tub soaking, massages, or a visit to Lost Beach for some serious relaxation.

Day Six: A relaxing morning will precede our hike along the river's edge that will lead us to our waiting rafts. After a safety talk and some training, its time to raft the Rio Futaleufu! Canyoneering through Arroyo Blanco will find us on an easy journey in a natural labyrinth of white boulders and clear azure pools until finally reaching a striking waterfall. Tonight we will celebrate with a traditional roasted lamb Asado and an evening of smiles and shared tales from the trail.

**Day Seven:** A relaxing morning in paradise is on tap before we drive back across the border to Esquel for our final evening together back at the lodge where it all began.

Day Eight: Flight departures from Esquel.

## **Highlights:**

- Unlimited opportunity to enjoy outdoor activities in a spectacular Patagonian wilderness playground
- Full services of world-class guides, masseuse, and professionally trained chef
- Amazing private camps including lakeside camps, tree houses, cliff shelters and a cave camp all with hot tubs
- A much needed escape from our technology, politics, connectivity and a week of nature's tonic

**Details:** This eight-day exclusive adventure includes two nights in Esquel, Argentina and six nights in an array of mind-boggling Patagonian camps All accommodation, activities and meals, beverages and ground transportation are included. Exclusive of international air to and from Esquel, Argentina. Single Supplements are available.

**Price: AVAILABLE UPON REQUEST.**