



Argentina 2018

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Thanks to its vast geography and diversity of native species, this South-American country offers one of the best wing shooting proposals of the world.

Our Partner, Argentina Bighunting, has many years of experience in the field; our professional hunters support and take care of our clients personally, whom also receive the assistance of qualified bird boys and highly trained pointer and retriever dogs. The number of daily rounds shot by the hunters depends on the bird species subject to the shoot, but in every case shooting will go beyond the expectations of our guests.

Altogether with wonderful landscapes, a great quantity of recovered pieces, good food, excellent wine, friendliness and shared anecdotes, our partner guarantees an unforgettable hunting trip.



Accommodation:

The accommodations of all our bird hunting programs are of excellent quality. We cater to all lodging needs according to the preferences and budget of our customers. Luxurious hunting lodges, cozy country houses, traditional "estancias" on the grounds and even a 180 year old palace are some of the choices available for our clients.

Following the main goal of our partner, our desire is to place our hunters as close as possible to the hunting grounds in order to avoid unnecessary trips.

For example Santa Adela



Wing Shooting		
High volume Dove hunting, daily rate, per hunter	USD	550 –
Dove and Pigeon hunt, daily rate, pro hunter	USD	750 –
Mixed bag for ducks or partridges in the morning and doves every afternoon daily rate, per hunter	USD	850 –
Mixed bag for ducks every morning and doves or partridges in the afternoon, daily rate, per hunter	USD	950 –
Daily rate per accompanying person		50 %
Arrival & departure day per person	USD	250 –

Possible Itinerary

For example - Bird combo hunt itinerary

A short description of a normal itinerary for hunting parties booking a bird combo hunt near Buenos Aires:

Day 01

Our services begin upon your arrival at Buenos Aires Int. airport in the early morning. We help our clients with the gun clearance and preparing the gun introduction forms in advance. Then we take a van and drive directly to the lodge from the airport. Once we arrive at the lodge we offer a welcome drink. Our chef will prepare lunch afterwards; both Argentinean and International gourmet cuisine will be served at the main dining room.

We go hunting in the afternoon immediately after lunch or after a nap, depending on the preferences of the clients. A professional hunter will decide what program would be most suitable for the party (doves or partridge) according to the time and hunting conditions, if we go for partridge we expect to shoot around of a couple of boxes (10/15 partridges) on the afternoon or 20 boxes if we go for doves. After hunting, snacks and drinks will be offered either on the deck or in the living room. Dinner will be prepared on request to provide a restful end to a long and happy day.

Day 02

Starting with an early morning wake up call, we head out to start duck hunting. We shoot around 4 boxes on normal days. A light or full breakfast can be served on request. If only a light breakfast was chosen, the lodge welcomes you to enjoy a brunch later at the nearby lodge. After which guests have the opportunity to choose between continuing to hunt or taking a small break until lunch. The afternoon provides another chance to hunt (partridge, doves or pigeon if available).

Day 03 to 04

Similar to day 2, the hunters also have the choicer to alter their program to try some of the other opportunities provided.

Day 05

A final opportunity to hunt in the morning before lunch and driving back to Buenos Aires Int. airport and drop off the hunters over there.



Wing shooting: Dove hunting:

For those who love the sport of dove-shooting, Argentina offers great opportunities which are difficult to find in other parts of the world.

The wide plains, rivers that furrow our lands and the bounding extensions of hills are the perfect habitat for the different species of doves that populate our countryside.

From the little eared dove (*zenaida auriculata*) up to the big pigeon (*colomba pica zuro*), large numbers of birds inhabit the territory in huge quantities that result unbelievable shooting opportunities for foreign hunters. That's why our partner's dove hunting expeditions have to be experienced, not explained. Sportsmen who never had the chance to shoot nearby our dove roosts can't imagine the spectacular flight of hundreds of thousands of birds in the sky.

Bird combo hunts of ducks, partridge and high volume dove shooting at two hours from Buenos Aires city:

The main goal of our company is to provide the best possible hunts with the highest quality of comfort for our clients. That's why the main wing shooting area of our partner is conveniently located at two hours by car from Buenos Aires, connected to the capital city of Argentina by a brand new four lanes' highway.

Hunters who arriving from abroad are received at Buenos Aires International Airport, assisted with their gun clearance and immediately transferred to the hunting area. Given that most of the international flight arrivals take place during early morning our guests usually go hunting on their very first afternoon in the country after a good lunch in the field.



4 days of high volume dove shooting: Group size: 2 - 5
Non hunting observer

USD 2,150 –/hunter
USD 1,296 –/observer

4 days of high end mixed bag program: Group size: 2 – 5
Mixed package for ducks, partridges and high volume dove shooting
Non hunting observer

USD 3,250 –/hunter
USD 1.625 –/observer



- Season** Mixed bag goes from May to August while Dove shooting all year around
- Climate** The highest temperatures are from November to March, the cooler season begins in June and ends in September. In the months of April, May and October, the climate is moderate. During the peak of the wing shooting the weather is colder all over the country, but not as cold as Europe or North America.
- Shooting Equipment:** Shooting equipment: we strongly recommend bringing at least two shotguns, either side by side, over/under or semiautomatic (maximum 3 cartridges) due to the high volume of birds at some points of the drives.
- Clothing:** Since Argentina doesn't have as extreme weather conditions as North America and Europe we recommend bringing clothing for mild/cold weather. During our fall we recommend light but strong shirts and trousers, a wool sweater, hat and a heavy jacket just in case. Camo gear is allowed in Argentina. Special underwear, gloves and a warm hat can also be useful. As for the footwear we recommend comfortable waterproof boots, suitable for long walks.
- Documents:** Prior to your arrival please submit the following data: A color photocopy of your local shotgun license (EU-Firearm pass), local hunting license, passport and the type and the make and serial number of your gun/s. This information is needed one month prior to your arrival.
- Flights** Please take a flight to Buenos Aires international airport.

Costs included	Personalized outfitter services
	English translation services
	Four-wheel-drive vehicles available for the group of hunters
	Bird boys
	Trained dogs
	Birds' pre-preparation
	Accommodation with laundry and maid serviced double room
	All daily meals with Argentinean quality wine
	Non-alcoholic drinks and snacks in the field
	All hunted animals according to the previously agreed number of pieces
	Reception, assistance at Buenos Aires Intern. Airport
	WiFi Internet

Additional costs	Flights (we are happy to organize your flights to Argentina)	On request
	Travel insurance	On request
	Hotel before / after the hunt	On request
	Ground transportation from/to Buenos Aires Intl airport per Hunter	USD 200 –
	Santa Candida Palace surcharge per night	USD 150 –
	Single room surcharge per night	USD 50 –
	Extra night in the field without hunt	USD 270 –
	Shotgun import customs – per gun	USD 120 –
	Shotgun rentals / day	USD 75 –
	Ammunition used during the hunt – shells per box	USD 13 –
	Hunting license	USD 150 –
	Suggested gratuities	
	Wingshooting: for the bird boys/ per day – no less than	USD 50 –
	per day for the house staff	USD 30 –
	Non-Spanish/English speaking guide service	
	Spirits, beverages	
	Organization fee per hunter	USD 35 –

Map



Entry requirements

Please note the entry requirements for the respective country. Information can be obtained at the responsible consulate. In case a visa is needed, please be advised, that the acquisition is your own responsibility.

Vaccination requirements:

Please note the vaccination requirements for the respective country. Information can be obtained at the responsible tropical institute. In case a vaccination is needed, please be advised, that the adherence is your own responsibility.

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