RED STAG PATAGONIA

A HIGHER FORM OF HUNTING

BIG GAME CORRIENTES

IBERÁ MARSHES, ARGENTINA

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The Lodge was designed by award-winning architects to respect traditional regional elegance—offering all of the comforts and luxuries of a contemporary hotel.

CORRIENTES BIG GAME

Iberá wilderness meets world-class hunting

Over the past 20 years, Northeastern Argentina—particularly the province of Corrientes—has emerged as one of the finest free-range hunting destinations in South America. A unique combination of remoteness, pristine wilderness, and ideal habitat has created a true haven for big game species, especially the magnificent spotted **Axis Deer**.

At the heart of this region lies **Corrientes Big Game**, our luxury property overlooking the Iberá Marshlands. For many years, hunting in this area was prohibited, as it lies within the Iberá State Park (more than 3 million acres). Recently, however, the park has authorized regulated hunting of non-native species such as Axis Deer and Wild Boar, opening unique opportunities for sportsmen in this remarkable environment.

With more than 30 years of local experience, our team has developed a deep understanding of the land and its wildlife. Today, we manage over **150,000 acres of pristine hunting grounds**, where trophy Axis Deer remain the highlight, complemented by excellent opportunities for **Water Buffalo and Wild Boar**. In addition, just a short distance from the lodge, a growing herd of **Blackbuck Antelope** adds yet another exciting option to the hunting experience.

Here, world-class hunting blends seamlessly with authentic Argentine hospitality, expert guiding, and the unmatched beauty of the Iberá wetlands. And with the rare possibility of combining your hunt with **Golden Dorado fishing**, Corrientes Big Game offers a truly exclusive sporting adventure unlike anywhere else.

IBERÁ WILDLIFE MANAGEMENT & CONSERVATION

For more than 20 years, the **Iberá ecosystem** in Argentina **has been impacted by invasive, non-native species**— primarily Axis deer and feral hogs, along with others such as water buffalo. In recent years, these populations have grown rapidly, spreading throughout vast areas of the Iberá marshlands and placing increasing pressure on native wildlife and habitats.

To address this challenge, we have worked closely with the Iberá National and Sate Park authorities and rangers, supporting their management efforts through our Big Game hunting division, Red Stag Patagonia. Our team brings extensive experience in ethical, professional, and results-oriented game control on large private and protected landscapes.

In 2025, Iberá National Park and Reserve **officially authorized regulated hunting** of invasive species as a conservation and population-control tool. Building on our long-standing involvement, we now **offer to guests the opportunity to hunt out of Pira Lodge**. Paradoxically, the area where the lodge is located, has developed into one of the **world's premier destinations big wild Axis deer**.

These hunts allow you to play an active role in this conservation effort while enjoying challenging free-range hunting in one of **South America's most unique wild landscapes**. A portion of the proceeds from these hunts is directly reinvested into invasive species management programs, and the **majority of the harvested meat is distributed to local families**.

This is a rare opportunity to combine adventure, conservation, and responsible hunting in a truly special destination.

WHY CHOOSE CORRIENTES BIG GAME

- Be the first to experience this newly opened hunting ground, where international hunters can chase arguably the world's biggest free-range Axis Deer.
- Experience the first world-class hunting program in the Iberá region, granting exclusive access to Argentina's top free-range Axis Deer territory in the untouched Iberá Wetlands.
- More than 150,000 acres of pristine private land dedicated to big game hunting, carefully managed to ensure healthy wildlife populations.
- Trophy opportunities for Axis Deer, Water Buffalo, Wild Boar, and a developing herd of Blackbuck Antelope.
- Experienced, bilingual professional guides with decades of local knowledge ensure a safe, ethical, and rewarding adventure.
- The Iberá wetlands provide a breathtaking backdrop—home to one of the largest wetlands in the world, with extraordinary biodiversity, including 350+ bird species, caimans, capybaras, and more.
- Cozy and comfortable accommodations: private rooms, sweeping marsh views, open-air verandas, and the amenities on a remote cattle working ranch.
- Authentic Argentine hospitality: traditional cuisine, fine wines, and a dedicated team that makes every guest feel at home.
- Flexible travel options, with commercial flights to nearby airports or private charters landing directly to a nearby airstrip.
- A rare and exclusive opportunity to combine world-class hunting with Golden Dorado fishing, making Corrientes Big Game a true sportsman's paradise.

Free-range beauty in the Iberá Wetlands. This Axis Deer trophy from Corrientes Big Game is a true testament to the wild, untamed spirit of Argentina's grasslands

FACILITIES AND SERVICES

Built in authentic Corrientes style, the lodge offers spectacular views over the surrounding wilderness of the Iberá. At the time, the lodge accommodates up to **4 hunters**.

After an exhilarating day in the field, relax with a cocktail by the fire, share stories with fellow hunters, or simply unwind under the starry sky. Dining showcases the best of Argentine hospitality: **classic asados, fresh local ingredients, and carefully selected Mendoza wines**.

- Daily maid and laundry service
- WiFi internet access
- Open bar with premium local and international labels
- Gun rental available on-site
- Trophy preparation and export assistance
- Fishing rental equipment available on-site

LOCATION

Corrientes Big Game, nestled in the breathtaking Iberá region of Corrientes Province, northeastern Argentina. This vast wilderness is home to one of the largest wetlands in the world—spanning more than **3 million acres**, an area nearly twice the size of Florida's Everglades. Towering palm groves, sweeping grasslands, marshes, and lagoons define the landscape, creating ideal conditions for free-range big game.

The Iberá Marshlands remain largely unexplored and uninhabited, preserving both the raw beauty of the land and the health of its wildlife populations. The region's remoteness ensures thriving herds of **Axis Deer**, alongside **Water Buffalo, Wild Boar**, and a growing herd of **Blackbuck Antelope**.

Beyond the hunt, Iberá is also a sanctuary for biodiversity. Guests may encounter **capybara, marsh deer, river otters, howler monkeys, yacaré caimans**, and an extraordinary array of more than **350 bird species**—from parrots and southern screamers to kingfishers, ibis, and herons.

Set against this unique backdrop, Corrientes Big Game offers world-class hunting paired with the cultural richness of Corrientes Province—where traditions, cuisine, and warm hospitality combine for an unforgettable experience.

GETTING THERE

Guests will first arrive in **Buenos Aires (Ezeiza International Airport – EZE)**, which receives daily direct flights from the U.S. and Europe. From there, you may choose from several options to reach **Corrientes Big Game:**

1. Commercial Flights: Daily nonstop flights connect Buenos Aires with the neighboring airports of Corrientes (CNQ) and Resistencia (RES). Flight time is approximately 1 hour.

Drive time from CNQ to the lodge: 4 hours. Drive time from RES to the lodge: 4.5 hours. Upon landing, you'll be met by a lodge representative for the transfer.

2. Private Charters: For maximum convenience, we have a **5,000-foot grass landing strip** suitable for private charters. Flight time from Buenos Aires is about 2 hours, depending on aircraft type and group size. If the grass strip is unavailable due to weather, charters can land at **Mercedes Airport** (paved landing strip), followed by a 1 hr 20 min drive to the lodge.

Whichever option you choose, our staff will be there to greet you and ensure a smooth arrival, with the Iberá wetlands unfolding in every direction as you approach the lodge.

THE HUNTING

The Corrientes Big Game program is designed to deliver authentic fair chase, free-range hunting across vast, carefully managed landscapes. Our goal is to provide challenging, ethical hunts that showcase both the quality of the trophies and the raw beauty of the Iberá.

Spot-and-stalk is the primary method, whether with rifle or bow. Our bilingual professional guides bring decades of local experience, using glassing techniques and intimate knowledge of the terrain to locate mature, representative animals. Every outing is tailored to ensure a safe, rewarding, and unforgettable experience.

Rifles such as bolt-action .243 Win, .270 Win, .308 Win, and 6.5 Creedmoor are ideal for Axis Deer and Blackbuck, while heavier calibers like the .375 H&H are recommended for Water Buffalo. For archery hunters, compound bows in the 50–70 lb range with 300+ gr arrows and sharp broadheads are well-suited for Axis and Blackbuck.

Guests also have the rare opportunity to combine their stay with Golden Dorado fishing—making Corrientes Big Game one of the most versatile sporting destinations in South America.

RECOGMENDED GEAR:

- Quality binoculars and range finder
- Comfortable day pack for personal items
- Insect repellent and snake-proof gaiters (precautionary)
- Personal medication and first-aid items
- Gun rental available on-site for those who prefer not to travel with firearms

AXIS DEER

The undisputed highlight of Corrientes hunting, Axis Deer thrive in the grasslands, palm groves, and marsh edges of the Iberá. Recognizable by their striking spotted coats and elegant antlers, these deer offer both beauty and challenge. Careful management has resulted in healthy populations and excellent trophy quality, making them the crown jewel of the region.

WATER BUFFALO

Known for their imposing size, strength, and resilience, Water Buffalo present an exhilarating test for any hunter. The wetlands and open pastures of Corrientes provide ideal habitat, where mature bulls can weigh over a ton. Successfully taking one of these giants is among the most rewarding big-game achievements in South America.

WILD BOAR

Hardy, prolific, and highly adaptable, Wild Boar roam freely across the Iberá landscape. Their sharp senses and unpredictable behavior make them a thrilling quarry, whether encountered on open ground or within dense cover. Each stalk promises fast-paced and exciting action.

BLACKBUCK ANTELOPE

Elegant and alert, Blackbuck Antelope bring yet another dimension to the hunting experience. With their spiral horns, striking coloration, and lightning speed, they provide both a visual spectacle and a unique challenge for the skilled hunter. This developing herd continues to grow, offering guests the chance to pursue one of South America's most coveted exotic trophies.

DAILY ITINERARY

To take advantage of prime hunting hours, mornings begin early. Guests depart around 5:00 am, heading into the field before first light. By mid-morning, you'll return to the lodge for refreshments, a hearty lunch, and time to relax or enjoy a short siesta.

Afternoon hunts depart around 4:30 pm, continuing until dusk.

Evenings are reserved for cocktails and appetizers, followed by a three-course dinner paired with fine Argentine wines. Hunters often gather by the fire to share stories from the day or simply unwind under the vast Iberá night sky.

As an alternative, guests may also enjoy Golden Dorado fishing during the day, adding a unique option to the program.

RATES 2027

Season runs September to December - Rest of the year upon request

REGULAR PIRÁ HUNTING PROGRAM

5 Nights & 4 Hunting Days: $6,950 per person

- Includes 1 Axis Buck (no size limit)
- Double room accommodation (Single if available)
- 2x1 Guiding

Extras

- Gun Rental & Ammo: $395 per person
- Hunting License & Tag: $395 per person

CUSTOMIZE YOUR HUNT

Extend your stay with additional nights and hunting days for **USD 950 per person, per night**, including lodging and guiding. Build your own hunting package by choosing from the extra trophies listed on the right.

AXIS AND BUFFALO COMBO HUNT

7 Nights & 6 Hunting Days: $12,950 per person

- Includes 1 Axis Buck + 1 Water Buffalo Bull (no size limit)
- Double room accommodation (Single if available)
- 2x1 guiding

Extras

- Gun Rental & Ammo: $450 per person
- Hunting License & Tag: $450 per person

FISHING OPTION

- 2 fishing sessions are included with any program.
- From the 3rd session onward - Extra cost applies.

EXTRA TROPHIES

- Axis Buck: USD 3,450
- Blackbuck: USD 2,950
- Water Buffalo Bull: USD 6,950
- Water Buffalo Cull Bull / Cow: USD 3,750
- Wild Boar Tusker: USD 1,500
- Wild Boar Sow / Lesser Boars: USD 650

INCLUDED

Lodging based on single-room accommodations, all meals, wine and beer, two-to-one guiding, basic trophy preparation.

NOT INCLUDED

Airfare; round-trip transfers between Buenos Aires and the lodge; trophy fees; trophy export services and documentation; gratuities; firearm import permits; rifle rental and ammunition; hunting licenses; massage services; laundry service; non-hunting activities; personal expenses; costs resulting from itinerary changes requested by the guest; and transfers and hotel accommodations in Buenos Aires.

PAYMENT TERMS

A 50% non-refundable deposit is required within 14 days of booking. The remaining balance is due 90 days prior to arrival. As a small operation that books far in advance, all payments are non-refundable. However, if we are able to resell the cancelled dates, the amount recovered will be applied as a credit toward a future trip. We strongly recommend purchasing comprehensive travel insurance.

OUR OTHER SPORTING DESTINATIONS

Born of passion, backed by ownership.

With 35+ family-owned, high-end sporting lodges across Argentina, Chile, Uruguay, Mexico, the Bahamas & the United States, **The Kautapen Group** brings together a lifetime of experience dedicated to fly fishing, wingshooting, and big-game hunting. Through **Nervous Waters, David Denies Bird Hunting**, and **Red Stag Patagonia**, we deliver best-in-class guiding, authentic hospitality, and the consistency that comes only from operating our lodges under our own ownership and uncompromising standards. Each experience reflects our commitment to excellence, conservation, and the values that have guided our family for more than four decades.

NERVOUS WATERS

A Higher Form of Fishing

With 19 signature fly-fishing lodges and counting, Nervous Waters continues to expand into new horizons across Argentina, Chile, Mexico, the Bahamas, and the United States. Pursue sea-run browns, wild browns & rainbows, dorado, & other exotic freshwater species as well as the ultimate flats species—bonefish, permit, tarpon, & snook—guided by the most experienced teams in the field. Our lodges offer a level of service on par with the finest boutique hotels of the world, yet each shines with its own personality.

DAVID DENIES

A Higher Form of Wingshooting

Comprising 13 world-class lodges across Argentina & Uruguay, David Denies redefines the art of wingshooting. From high-volume dove and wild pigeon shooting in northern Argentina, to the fertile wetlands of Buenos Aires Province—where marshes and swamps fill with ducks in remarkable numbers—to the rolling pastures of Uruguay, home to the world's greatest concentration of hard-flying perdiz over pointing dogs, we deliver the ultimate wingshooter's paradise. All with a level of style, service, and attention to detail found nowhere else.

RED STAG PATAGONIA

A Higher Form of Hunting

Red Stag Patagonia sets the standard for authentic Big Game hunting in South America. Operating across Argentina and Chile, our carefully curated programs deliver truly wild, fair-chase hunts throughout the breathtaking peaks of Patagonia and the vast Argentine Pampas, targeting free-range red stag, axis deer, blackbuck, fallow deer, and other select game species. Whether you prefer spot-and-stalk, horseback pursuits, or vehicle-assisted outings, we tailor every experience to all skill levels—always providing the finest wild and fair-chase hunting adventures.

THE SPORTSMAN'S SEASONAL CALENDAR

ARGENTINA, CHILE & URUGUAY	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
SEA-RUN BROWN TROUT	● ●	● ●	● ●	●								●
DORADO	● ●	● ●	● ●	● ●	● ●	● ●	● ●	● ●	● ●	● ●	● ●	● ●
TROUT	● ●	● ●	● ●	● ●	● ●						● ●	● ●
DOVES	● ●	● ●	● ●	● ●	● ●	● ●	● ●	● ●	● ●	● ●	● ●	● ●
DUCKS					● ●	● ●	● ●	● ●	●			
PERDÍZ					● ●	● ●	● ●					
PIGEON				●	● ●	● ●	● ●	● ●	● ●	●		
BLACKBUCK ANTELOPE					● ●	● ●	● ●	● ●	● ●	● ●	● ●	●
AXIS DEER					● ●	● ●	● ●	● ●	● ●	● ●	● ●	●
RED STAG			● ●	● ●	● ●	●						
FALLOW DEER			● ●	● ●	● ●	●						
WILD BOAR					● ●	● ●	● ●	● ●	● ●	● ●	● ●	●

BAHAMAS	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
BONEFISH	● ●	● ●	● ●	● ●	● ●	● ●	●			● ●	● ●	● ●

MEXICO	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
PERMIT		● ●	● ●	● ●	● ●	● ●	● ●	● ●	● ●	● ●	● ●	
TARPON			● ●	● ●	● ●	● ●	● ●	● ●	● ●	● ●		
SNOOK		● ●								● ●	● ●	

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