

The chase is fair, everything else is excellent

# JUNÍN

# NEUQUEN, ARGENTINA





100.000 acres of endless habitat for wild game.



# RED STAG JUNÍN

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Red Stag Junín ranch is located on a 100,000 – acre family owned estancia in the high desert foothills of the Andes. Situated in the province of Neuquén, approximately 40 miles southeast of San Martín de los Andes, the ranch is a 2-hour and 30 min. drive from Bariloche (BRC) airport and 2 hours' from the San Martín airport (CPC).

The surrounding landscape is made up of lush green valleys and intimate creeks, set against a backdrop of awe-inspiring peaks. Red stag frequent the rich pastures where they come to feed, fight and ROAR.

You'll also see a wide variety of native animals such as guanaco (a type of wild llama), choique (rhea), wild boar, puma, fox, and much more.

Red Stag season coincides with the rut—known in Argentina as the 'brama'. The vast estancia is entirely unfenced and hunters will encounter free ranging herds of deer throughout the day.

A pair of hunters will be accompanied by one of our guides, all of whom have an intimate knowledge of the terrain. Guests will move to their chosen hunting grounds by a combination of trucks and horses and then progress on foot.

Hunters will stay in a newly refurbished house, close to the main estancia. With wood stoves and a cozy living room, this simple but comfortable lodge is the perfect place to unwind after a day's hunting.



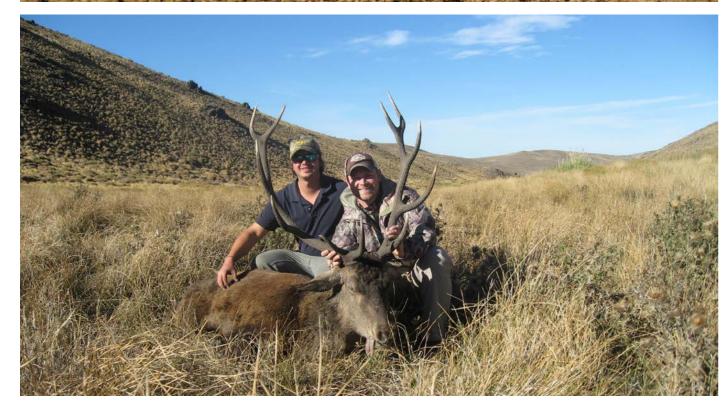














# WHY CHOOSE RED STAG JUNÍN?

- Red Stag Junín offers free range wild red stag hunting across some of the most beautiful ground in all of Patagonia.
- Professional, english speaking, guides, with an extensive knowledge of both the area and the animals will host you during your hunt. Locating and glassing animals in order to find the best, mature specimens for you to pursue.
- In addition to the Red Stag, you may also have opportunities to pursue Wild Eurasian Boar during your stay. You will also have opportunities to view some the native wild game, with Guanaco, Rhea, Puma, Andean Condor, Fox and a number of other bird species often viewed on the ranch.
- As a working family ranch, Red Stag Junin offers incredible, local Argentine beef, from right here on the ranch, paired with incredible wines from some of the best wineries in all of Argentina.
- This 100,000+ acre ranch offers amazing views of the Patagonian wilderness, with the impressive Lanín Volcano in view from nearly every corner of the ranch, and after the sun sets you will experience a night sky the likes of which is rarely visible in this modern world of ours.
- Horseback riding, trout fishing, rafting, winery tours and more are available for non-hunting companions, or after you take your stag.



The surrounding landscape includes lush green valleys irrigated by small creeks, set against a backdrop of high peaks. It is these rich pastures that concentrate the game.



# **LOCATION**

• Red Stag Junín Ranch located in the Collón Curá region in the province of Neuquén, 60 miles from San Martin de los Andes airport (CPC).

# **GETTING THERE**

- Reaching Junin is easy. Hunters fly from Buenos Aires to either Bariloche (BRC) or San Martin (CPC). Guests will be collected from the local airport and then driven to the lodge.
- -From BRC (Bariloche) airport is 2 hours' and 45 min. drive
- -From CPC (San Martín de los Andes) is a 2 hours' drive















# **FACILITIES AND SERVICES**

- Capacity: 6 people (4 hunters and 2 non-hunters).
- Accommodation: 3 double rooms
- The main lodge houses a dining room, comfortable sitting room with fireplace, bar and gun cleaning table.
- Satellite telephone and TV.
- Our very talented chef will prepare delicious menu options including Argentina's famed beef and fine wines, locally sourced fruits and vegetables, delicious desserts, Traditional Argentine Asado and more.
- Maid and laundry service
- Gun Rental is available

# **NON-HUNTING ACTIVITIES**

- Horseback Riding
- Sightseeing Tours
- Hiking
- Fly fishing



# THE HUNTING

- The Red Stag Junín hunting program is focused on providing the best free range opportunities on Red Stag and Eurasian Boar in Patagonia.
- Most mornings will find you up well before dawn. After a hot breakfast, you and your guide (2x1) will depart by 4 wheel drive truck for the hunting area. Horses may also be used, depending upon the locations the guide have scouted the big stags in, along with your preferences. When on horseback, the hunting party will also have a gaucho (wrangler) to assist with the horses.
- As the ranch is expansive, drives to the hunting area may be anywhere from 15 to 40 minutes, depending upon where the animals have been scouted.
- Spotting and stalking is the most common method of hunting for rifle hunters. Archery hunters may also spend some time sitting over wallows and watering areas, awaiting the stag to come in.
- Hunters will return to the lodge at midday, for lunch and a siesta.
- You will begin around 2 to 3pm for your afternoon hunt. In the evening we hunt until dark, but with just enough light to get back to the lodge safely.
- In addition to trophy stags, there are opportunities to hunt culpable deer, along with the pure wild European boar that thrive as well in this area.











# **SPECIES**



# **RED STAG**

We are located right in the heart of the Andes high desert hills range, this area offers one of the most dense stag populations in the country and is very common to see hundreds of deer a day.

Hunting in northern Patagonia is very similar to the hunting in the rockies, where hiking and horse backing is the norm. The best time of the year to chase big bulls is during the peak of the rut, which is usually between mid-March and mid-April.

This part of Northern Patagonia where our ranch is located, offers the possibility of combining red deer hunting with great trout fishing. The best stag country is crisscrossed by some of the best trout streams in South America. This is a great option for a non-hunting partner.



# **WILD BOAR**

Wild boar (Sus scrofa) from Europe were introduced into Patagonia (Argentina) around 1890. Their colonization pattern follows rivers and lakes, moving vertically from the original release site on the eastern desert hills to the western forested mountains. During the last 60 years, the area occupied by wild boar has increased throughout all Patagonia.

Our ranch in Junín has a permanent population of pigs and during the Red Stag rut is common to see big tuskers among sow and piglets. It's a great added hunt!



**RATES** 

Season: March 10th until April 15th

#### WEEKLY RATES:

**5 NIGHTS/4 DAYS HUNTING:** \$6,550 per person (Flat fee, any size)

NON HUNTER: \$450 per night

EXTRA RED STAG TROPHY: \$3,500

**GUN RENTAL & AMMO:** \$250 per person for the entire Hunt.

**WILD BOAR:** \$1,000

**HUNTING LICENSE:** \$100 per person

#### PAYMENT TERMS:

50% deposit is required to guarantee booking. Final payment is due 60 days before departure. Please note this deposit is NON REFUNDABLE unless a replacement is found.

#### • INCLUDED:

Lodging, Meals, all wines, beer, and local spirits bar; Professional guide service (2:1); 1 trophy Red Stag, and Trophy preparation.

#### NOT INCLUDED:

Transfers in/out of local airport; Gratuities for guides and house staff; Airfares; Gun entry permits; Gun Rental; Hunting license; Extra trophies, Trophy export (See our trophy export procedures); Phone calls; Sightseeing Tours, Fishing trips, etc.; Any items of a strictly personal nature; Baggage overweight charges; Personal and baggage insurance; Cost of itinerary modifications requested by passenger; Buenos Aires transfers and hotels.

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#### TRANSFER RATES:

2 to 5 passengers: \$225 Round Trip p/person

1 Passenger: \$250 per way.



#### INTERESTED IN VARIETY?

Red Stag Patagonia, David Denies Bird Hunting and Nervous Waters are all proud members of **The Kautapen Group** - a single team of dedicated professionals focused on maintaining the highest standard of service and elevating your sporting experiences.



**Red Stag Patagonia**, outfits some of the best Red Stag hunts in both **Argentina** and **Chile** as well as best free-range Black Buck and Axis Deer hunting in South America. Our four operations are located in Chile, Northern Patagonia, Mendoza and Buenos Aires. All of Red Stag's hunts are fair chase, open country hunts in magnificent terrain, and their success rate speaks for itself.



**David Denies Bird Hunting** comprises 10 world class bird hunting lodges across **Argentina & Uruguay**. From high volume dove shooting in the famed hills surrounding Cordoba, to the fertile wetlands of the Buenos Aires province, where marshes and swamps teem with ducks in unfathomable numbers, to the idyllic rolling pastures of Uruguay, home to the greatest concentration of hard flying perdiz, we bring you to the ultimate wingshooters paradise, with an impeccable style and attention to detail found nowhere else.



If fly fishing is your passion—consider the **Nervous Waters** family of lodges. Nervous Waters is the leader in international Fly Fishing destinations, with nine special lodges spread out across **Argentina**, **Chile**, and the **Bahamas**. We offer a plethora of coveted gamefish including bones and tarpon, sea-run and resident brown trout, rainbow trout, and golden dorado, pacu, and pira pita.

#### **SEASONS BY SPECIES**

ARGENTINA, CHILE & URUGUAY FEB MAR WILD BLACK BUCK **AXIS DEER RED STAC FALLOW DEER** WILD BOAR DOVES PERDÍZ DUCKS **PIGEON SEA-RUN BROWN TROUT** PIRÁ PITÁ **BROWN TROUT RAINBOW TROUT** 

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