

# Learn to Play Polo, Argentina

## Itinerary

### Day 1

Arrive in Cordoba and be transferred to Los Potreros, a journey of approximately an hour.

On arrival at the estancia, be shown to your room and have the chance to settle in.

Please note that below is an example of what may happen during the week. Local conditions, weather and the ability of the group can cause the itinerary to change.

Polo is always weather dependent. If the ground is too wet to play, an alternative will be offered and where possible the sessions will be made up during the week by playing twice per day.

### Day 2

After a hearty breakfast, take the horses down to the polo ground. Here there will be an introduction to the skills and tactics you will be focusing on today. Get the feel of your mount and have a short stick and ball session.



Lunch will be served back at the estancia. This afternoon you can relax in the shade or have a siesta.

A candlelit dinner accompanies the tales of the day that always seem to get longer as the week goes on!

### Day 3

This morning perhaps ride over to the waterfall and take a refreshing dip in the natural pool.

Return to the estancia for lunch on the veranda.

This afternoon take your polo pony to the polo ground for a stick and ball session followed by some practice chukkas.

### Day 4

After breakfast head to the polo field for stick and ball session and some practice chukkas, perhaps followed by a barbeque lunch.



This afternoon perhaps ride over to the northern part of the farm – Potrero de Niz to soak up some of the family history. This was the original home of the Begg family some four generations ago. The landscape is peppered with shrubs along running streams.

### Day 5

Spend the morning on the polo ground before heading back to the estancia for lunch.

This afternoon set off on a ride to further explore the hills and the traditional way of life.

### Day 6

After breakfast return to the polo ground for practice chukkas in preparation for the in-house tournament.

The afternoon ride may take you to the south of the farm or perhaps see the gauchos in action with the Aberdeen Angus cattle which are the backbone of the farm today.

### Day 7

The culmination of the week is here! The tournament will show how far you have come in just a week. You may be joined by players from the local area.



The farewell dinner tonight is likely to be a lively affair as you recount your adventures and discuss the excitement of the tournament.

**DAY 8**

After a hearty breakfast of bacon and eggs depart for your onward flight.