

APEX BACKCOUNTRY GUIDES PRESENTS:

"THE GRAND SLAM ARAUCANIA"

SKI THE 4 VOLCANOES & EXPLORE THE INCREDIBLE
ARAUCANIA REGION WITH US

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The Grand Slam Tour tops out the 4 volcanos of Lonquimay, Tolhuaca, Sierra Nevada, and Llaima with the ambitious goal of summiting primarily through organic muscle power. Southern objectives include the ancient Sierra Nevada with a descent to thermal tubs and the towering Llaima at 10630ft with a 7000ft vertical drop. To the North Lonquimay with its small skiable crater and Tolhuaca the least ridden and most remote. To keep things in alignment count on two flex days, one to shred and the other for soaking in naturally heated hot tubs nestled in nature.

The tour combines big mountain touring, freeride skiing/snowboarding, naturally heated tubs, and lodging for experienced backcountry enthusiasts in search of a challenging Andean Adventure that pays big dividends. Our certified guides will show you the best ups and the most memorable drops from astonishing summits. Fully trust in our team, from the first snowfall to the last we know what's going on in our snowpack ensuring that making turns is the only thing on your mind! Those interested in making this a private tour should contact us directly to expedite your reserve of 4 spots automatically closing the group.

ALL-INCLUSIVE, just get to the Temuco Airport (ZCO) and leave the rest to us. When not striding to the summits and ripping turns in style you will be relaxing in the comfort of one of the great accommodations (Lodge, Hostel or Private Cabin) we have chosen for you, where comfort and great food will energize you for the days of charging Chilean powder! We're here to facilitate a trip of culture and experiences unique to the Araucanía Andina and will happily help from rentals and recommendations to ironing out whatever complications may arise.

Standard Package Includes:

- Transportation to/from Temuco Airport (ZCO)
- Transportation to/from all outings and dinners
- 8 Nights at Lodge in Malalcahuello
- 1 Night Hotel Volcanico
- 7 Days guided backcountry skiing / snowboarding, guest to guide = 4:1
- 2 Corralco Ski Resort passes for flex and Lonquimay Summit approach
- 1 Flex Day Upgrade to Ski or relax in Manzanar naturally heated hot tubs with waterfall visits
- 1 Afternoon hot tubs Cañon del Blanco
- 1 Asado del Gaucho with Lamb, Beef, Sausage and Roasted Vegetarian and Vegan options
- Breakfasts locally sourced ingredients
- Boxed lunches locally sourced ingredients
- Daily Après Chilean wine, Micro-Brews, Local spirits



- Dinner w 2 Drinks locally sourced ingredients,
- Vegetarian / Vegan options
- Welcome Package (hat, t-shirt, souvenir, map, and choice local brew or wine)
- Activities Insurance
- Concierge Services

Upgrades:

- Flex to Ski Day \$150CLP/pp
- Full Traverse Loop (Group buyout necessary, contact us for details)
- Single occupancy + \$550CLP
- Lodging Corralco / Private group Cabin
- Equipment Rentals (Ski, Board, Skins, Poles, Boots, Crampons, Ice-axes, Beacon, Probe, Shovel, and Backpacks available)

Not Included:

- International Flights
- Domestic Flights
- Travel Insurance MANDATORY
- Extracurricular Transportation
- Concierge Services

Itinerary:

Day 1- Airport pick up and lunch en route to Hostal Ruta 181 for a social evening and dinner with your guide

Day 2- Ski Resort Corralco and Summit Volcano Lonquimay followed by dinner at Nalcas Parilla Argentina

Day 3- Randonnee / Splitboarding La Fusta followed by dinner at Trafwe

Day 4- Flex Rando / Split APEX Guides choice followed by dinner at Mya

Day 5- Rando / Split to Summit the Sierra Nevada Volcano and ski to the hot tubs of Cañon del Blanco followed by Asado del Gaucho

Day 6- Rando / Split Cerro Cautin for hot laps followed by dinner at Gori's

Day 7- Flex + upgrade to Ski / Ride or relax in Hot Mineral baths and tour waterfalls followed by dinner at Randonnés

Day 8- Rando / Split Tolhuaca followed by dinner at Fundo Laguna Blanca to Hotel Volcanico



Day 9 -Rando / Split Summit Llaima followed by shuttle to Hotel Volcanico and a Goodbye Dinner

Day 10- Breakfast followed by airport shuttle

Pricing:

Starting at USD \$4.200 P/P

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Book with Confidence:

APEX Backcountry Guides does everything in its power to ensure that each advertised program is seen through to completion. This trip green lights with a minimum of 3. If we are unable to reach the minimum you will be contacted with an option to buy the remaining spots necessary or a FULL REFUND will be given, YOUR CHOICE!

APEX Backcountry Guides relies on satellite communications and a well developed plan of emergency response organized with the local SAR providing a shortened response time and access to snowmobile and helicopter evacuations if necessary.

Deposit & Balance:

- \$750 non-refundable deposit at time of reservation
- Balance due 60 days prior to departure
- Bank Transfer and PayPal accepted. We do not accept credit cards or checks.
- All payments are in US dollars, calculated as per the current xe.com rates (at the time of writing the US\$ is strong, book now and save!)

Cancellation by YOU

- \$750 non-refundable deposit - greater than 60 days
- 60 -14 days from trip = forfeit 70% of trip cost
- less than 14 days from trip = forfeit 100% trip cost

