

## TRAFUL RIVER VALLEY

PATAGONIA, ARGENTINA

FLY FISHING IN THE WORLD RENOWEND RIVER TRAFUL





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# THE LODGE



For more than 35 years this lodge has played host to discerning anglers of all ages and abilities and to those seeking adventure in comfort. The world renowned river Traful which runs through the unspoiled beauty of the property.



The six bedrooms all en-suite, the bathrooms are bright and like the bedrooms with their distinctive decoration create a homely environment. About a mile and a half from the main house the cabin perches on a rocky outcrop overlooking the lake commanding a magnificent view.





## FLY FISHING

The season is from November through April.

The Traful is an exclusively catch and release fly-fishing river. At the beginning of the season the river runs high and fast with the level dropping in December but usually with fast water till the beginning or middle of January (depending on weather conditions, especially the winter snows), it then runs slow till the first Autumn rains.

A typical mountain river of crystal clear water varying in width from 60 to 90 feet (20 to 30 meters) with rapids and pools throughout its 10 miles course is home to rainbow and brown trout and land-locked salmon.

Although the average size of the fish is around 20 to 23 ins. for trout and 22 to 24 ins. for salmon, it is not uncommon to catch a 28 ins. Salmon, a 30 ins. Rainbow, a 29 ins. Brown. Also take into account that sections of the riverbank are lined with trees and shrubs making casting more exciting and rather challenging!





### CUISINE

Known for its traditional and international home made dishes. Some Argentinean ones such as "empanadas, carbonada, milanesas, puchero, roast beef, panqueques con dulce de leche" are favourites with our visitors.

Outside dining is very popular especially for lunch. The traditional asado (barbecue) with a whole lamb and side of beef accompanied by local sausages, home made fried bread, baked provolone cheese, baked potatoes and sweet potatoes, and a large variety of salads.



#### LOCATION

Situated within the Nahuel Huapi National Park in Northern Patagonia, it is just an hour and a half away from the local airport, San Carlos de Bariloche.

#### OTHER ACTIVITIES

- Horseback Riding
- Bird Watching
- Hiking





### READY TO PLAN YOUR NEXT FLY FISHING ADVENTURE?

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