

## **BUENOS AIRES**

TOUR DESCRIPTION	DAYS OF OPERATION	DURATION
Semi Private Classic City Tour Your first stop is Plaza de Mayo, the oldest public square in Buenos Aires, the scene of many important events in the city's history and surrounded by several important buildings, the Casa Rosada (Pink House), the Metropolitan Cathedral and the Cabildo (ancient Town Hall).  Pass by icons of the city, the Obelisk and the Colon Theatre, one of the five best opera theatres in the world, before arriving at La Boca. Stop to discover this unique neighbourhood with is colourful museum-street Caminito and legendary Boca Juniors stadium.  Leaving the southern part of the city, head north towards the wealthy neighbourhoods of Palermo and Recoleta, famous for the cemetery where Evita is buried. Return to the hotel.  *Note: Admission to the cemetery is not included	Daily Except 25 Dec & 1 Jan	Half day morning OR afternoon
La Ventana Tango Lesson At La Ventana, a restored tenement located in San Telmo, the Buenos Aires barrio where the sultry dance began, one can experience tango shows, have a drink, private dance classes with personalised individual lessons led by the best dancers.  You can choose your preferred style; tango, milonga, waltz or folkloric. The classes take place in an exclusive salon with floors especially designed for correct alignment.	Monday to Saturday	Evening lesson



Tigre Delta Premium Tour  On arrival at the Tigre, you will board the Delta to explore and discover new horizons. On the tour, you will appreciate access to the nautical clubs that border the Lujan River and the stupendous houses and mansions located on the cliffs along the river with their magnificent views of the Plata Estuary.  The principal outstanding locations along the river are the Cathedral of San Isidro, the Port of Olivos, the Monumental Stadium of the River Plata Athletic Club, the City University of Buenos Aires and the permanent flyover area of departures and arrivals at the Jorge Newberry Metropolitan Airport.	Daily Except 25 Dec & 1 Jan	Morning half day
Dinner & Tango Show at El Querandi The tango is the outstanding music of Buenos Aires. It originated in the 1880 ghettos which were populated by Italian and Spanish immigrants, Africans and gauchos. From this intersection rose the "Compraditos," whose songs, lyrics, and dances reflect "el duelo de cuchilleros," or knife fights characteristic of the social ambience.  The tango rose from a mix of Cuban and Spanish rhythms. In spite of its humble origins in the ghettos and brothels, in the 1920's, the tango rose to the salons of the upper classes. In 1920, this old colonial house was converted into the traditional bar, "El Querandi," with its Art Deco façade, boisserie of dark wood and salmon coloured columns. It's the ideal place for the tourist to enjoy an excellent dinner and a very traditional show.	Daily	Evening entertainment



## Fiesta Gaucha at Estancia Santa Susana with Lunch

The estancia, owned by the Rossiter family since 1860, covers 1200 hectares mostly used for agriculture, and to a lesser extent for cattle and horse breeding. It consists of the main house and a series of sheds that function as dining room, bar and grill. The day starts with savouring meat empanadas and wine at the bar. Later, at the dining room taste an authentic barbecue followed by a folkloric dance and music show, a tango demonstration, and afterwards an exhibition of roping and ring games where gauchos display their horsemanship abilities. A snack is served in the evening, which includes meat and pastries.

Tuesday to Sunday

Except 25 Dec & 1 Jan Full day

## Sightseeing options are to be used as a guideline only.

Certain guided tours depart from central points and additional charges may apply for pick up points located outside of the central points. Please enquire directly with Thompsons for pricing and additional information. Standard terms & conditions apply.