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**MONTARAZ LODGE**

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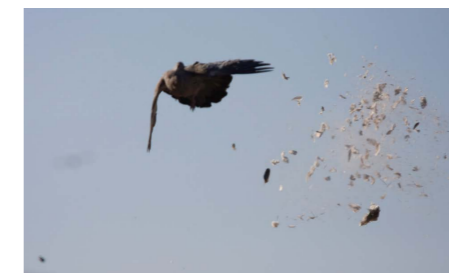
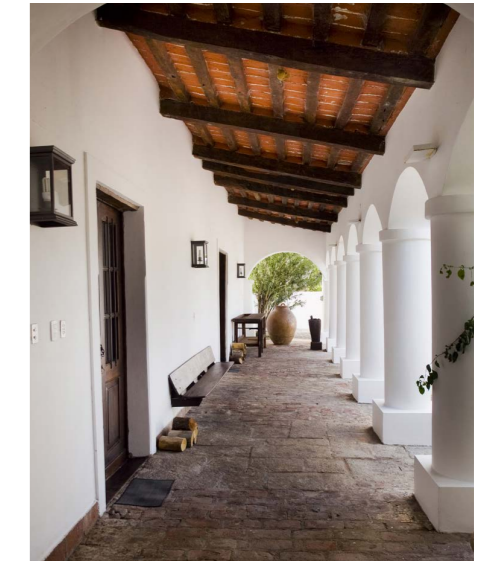
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**M**ontaraz Lodge is the most exclusive pigeon shooting lodge in Córdoba. This historical setting is an architectural treasure characterized by an exquisite colonial style. Built in the second half of the 17th century and completely renovated in 2007, Montaraz lodge provides style and comfort from which to enjoy the best pigeon shooting experience ever.

At Montaraz, pigeon hunting takes place the way it's supposed to, with blinds and decoys and skilled scouting endeavors to ensure success. This is hot-barrel pigeon shooting—and you'd better be ready for it. The world's most experienced guns rank wild pigeons among wingshooting's greatest challenges. These pigeons are sly, strong, and fast. And when you've shot them well over decoys, you've done everything right.

Back at the lodge, the chef creates an array of delicious traditional specialties and international dishes. The wine is produced with carefully selected grapes from our own vineyards.

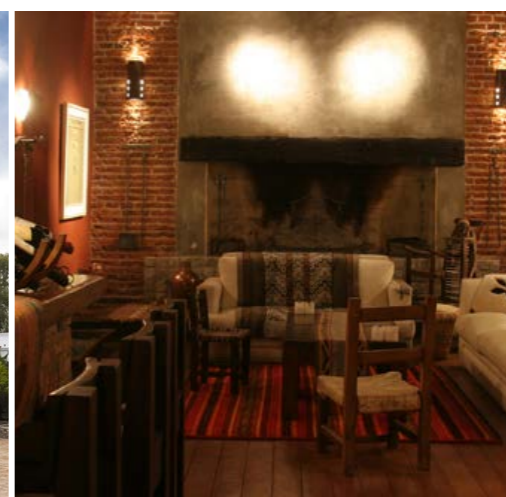
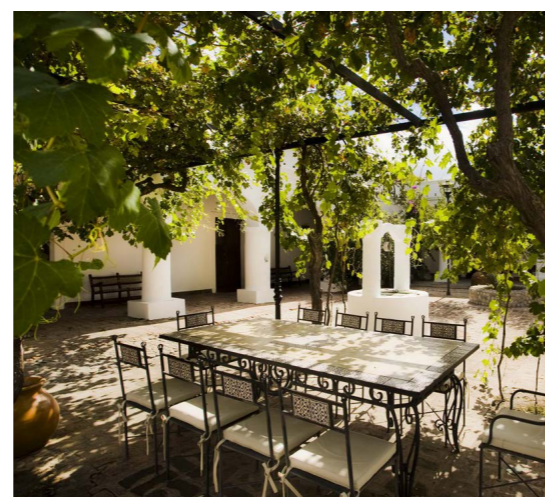
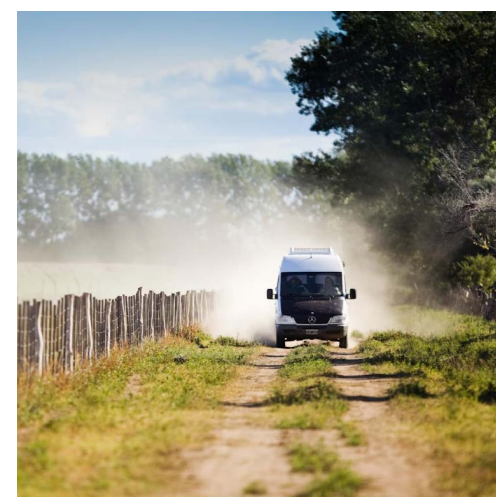
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## WHY CHOOSE MONTARAZ LODGE?

- A 17th-century Jesuit estancia with its own olive oil factory and winery, and where 7,000 head of cattle graze freely alongside Peruvian horses. This majestic private ranch is a true jewel located only 1 hour and 45 minutes from the Cordoba airport.
- The only dedicated decoyed pigeon lodge in Argentina, complete with modern equipment and guides trained in all the nuances of pigeon shooting.
- 10 rooms, so single stays are the norm.
- Convenient access and short drives to the action, some of which take place in our own olive groves—a most memorable experience!
- À la carte menu, open bar, and plenty of public areas to relax.
- Spectacular Argentine barbecues make lunches a highlight.
- Two species of fast-flying wild pigeons: white spotted-wing and pica zero pigeons.
- Montaraz hunts can easily be combined with additional shooting at any one of our nearby dove retreats.



## LOCATION

- Located in the province of Córdoba, in central Argentina, 75 miles (120 km) northwest of the Córdoba City international airport. Driving time 1:30 hrs.

## Getting There

- To get to Montaraz Lodge there are daily direct flights from many U.S cities to Santiago, Chile with connecting flights to Córdoba city. That will allow you to make the most of your trip as you will be pigeon shooting the day of your arrival.
- Guests may also fly into Buenos Aires (Ezeiza Intl. Airport), transfer to the domestic airport and take a 1 hr flight to Córdoba.

## FACILITIES AND SERVICES

- **CAPACITY:** 10 guns.
- **ACCOMMODATION:** 1 double room and 8 single rooms. Each with private bathroom.
- Dining room, sitting room, bar, gun cleaning table and facilities.
- Swimming pool. Tennis court.
- Stables, saddle room, and horses.
- Internet access.
- Gourmet dining with Argentina's famed beef and the Estancia wine, traditional asados (BBQ) and delicious desserts.
- Masseur.
- Gun rental, semiautomatic 20 gauge.
- First class professional shooting guides and field assistants.
- Comfortable 13 pax capacity Mercedes Benz vans with LCD.
- Historical tours and shopping trips.



## THE SHOOTING

- Cordoba is considered one of the pigeon shooting capitals of the world. The 50 square mile radius (80 km) around the lodge is annually inhabited by over 5 million pigeons. The lodge enjoys 60 shooting fields all within a scenic drive through the region.
- The program generally starts at 8:00 AM with a hearty breakfast and a short drive to the shoot. In the field you will be assigned a field assistant, who will provide you with shot shells and refreshments and direct you to your shooting stand.
- Depending on the time of the year, you will shoot till noon when you will be treated to an incredible traditional barbecue lunch at the lodge, tasting some of Argentina's wonderful beef and the exclusive wine.
- Return to the lodge for cocktails and early dinner.
- Afternoon begins at around 2 or 2.30 hr., and continues until 5 or 6. Return to the lodge for cocktails at the wine cellar and early dinner.
- These birds are large and fast, which make calculating speed a little bit deceptive. They work excellently with decoys.
- We ensure one freshly built blind for each hunter. Decoys are strategically deployed around the blinds, at a suitable distance.

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## COMBINATION TRIPS Interested in variety?

David Denies, Nervous Waters and Red Stag Patagonia are all owned and operated by a single team of dedicated professionals focused on maintaining high standards and heightening your experiences in the outdoors.

We want you to know about all the customizable opportunities we can provide. If it's variety you're seeking—fly-fishing to bird hunting to big-game hunting and more—we have what you need.

**Please ask us for more information!**

## 2019 RATES

- **HUNTER:** \$ 830 per night
- **NON HUNTER:** \$ 450 per night
- **SHELLS:** \$16.50 per box of shells.
- **LICENSES:** \$ 65 per person per day
- **GUN RENTAL:** \$80 per person per day

▪ **INCLUDED:**

Lodging; Meals, all wines beer, and local spirits; Professional guide service and field assistants; horseback riding; Payment to land owners for hunting rights.

▪ **NOT INCLUDED:**

Gratuities for guides and house staff; Airfares; Gun entry permits; Gun Rental; Shells; Masseuse; Transfer to and from the lodge.

▪ **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.

▪ **TRANSFER POLICY:**

One transfer per group per way is included. If additional transfer is needed, \$85 p/person p/way.

\*Prices are in USD

## SEASONS BY SPECIE ARGENTINA, CHILE & URUGUAY

SPECIE	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
Doves	●●	●●	●●	●●	●●	●●	●●	●●	●●	●●	●●	●●
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Ducks					●●	●●	●●					
Pigeon				●●	●●	●●	●●	●●	●●	●●		
Red Stag			●●	●●	●●	●●						
Wild black buck					●●	●●	●●	●●	●●	●●	●●	●●
Axis deer					●●	●●	●●	●●	●●	●●	●●	●●
Fallow Deer			●●	●●	●●	●●						
Wild Boar					●●	●●	●●	●●	●●	●●	●●	●●
Sea-Run Brown Trout	●●	●●	●●	●●	●●							●●
Dorado	●●	●●	●●	●●	●●	●●	●●	●●	●●	●●	●●	●●
Pacú	●●	●●	●●	●●	●●	●●			●●	●●	●●	●●
Pirá Pitá	●●	●●	●●	●●	●●	●●			●●	●●	●●	●●
Brown Trout	●●	●●	●●	●●	●●	●●					●●	●●
Rainbow Trout	●●	●●	●●	●●	●●	●●					●●	●●

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