### CROWN OF AMERICA

#### **ACONCAGUA & OJOS**

## LAND OF VOLCANOES!

The "**Crown of America**" project is an **expedition** that involves ascending the **two highest mountains** in the Americas. An **incredible experience**, as the diversity of **landscapes** ranges from the **Atacama deserts** with their towering volcanoes to the **glaciers** of the central **Andes**.

**Rugged and stunning 4x4 trails** lead to the base camps, where we encounter abundant **local wildlife** such as guanacos, suris, flamingos, and more.

We will **climb** the **highest volcanoes** in the world, **Ojos del Salado** at 6893 meters above sea level. Afterward, we will set out to conquer the **summit** of **Aconcagua** at 6962 meters, leveraging our excellent acclimatization and performance.





## ITINERARY

Day 1: La Rioja Airport - Tinogasta. Night at a hotel. Day 2: Tinogasta (finalize purchases) - Cortaderas Hotel at 3300m. Day 3: Trek to Cerro Mirador de las Lozas at 3800m. Night at Cortaderas Hotel. Day 4: Trek to Cerro Mirador de las Peladas at 4400m. Night at Cortaderas Hotel. Day 5: Ascent to Volcán Bertrand at 5400m. Night at Las Grutas (Tent). Day 6: Rest day in **shelter** at 4750m. Day 7: Acclimatization trekking to 5700msnm. Night at Cortaderas Hotel. Day 8: Transfer to the Arenal of Ojos del Salado Volcano at 5400m. Night in a tent. Day 9: High Camp of Ojos del Salado Volcano at 5750m. Night in a tent. Day 10: Summit Ojos del Salado Volcano at 6893m. Return to High Camp. Night in a tent. Day 11: Return to the Arenal. Transfer to Tinogasta. Day 12: Transfer to Mendoza. Night at a hotel in Mendoza. Day 13: Rest day. Finalize procedures. Night in Mendoza Day 14: Trek to Confluencias at 3400m. Night in a dome. Day 15: Trek to Plaza de Mulas Base Camp at 4400m. Night in a tent or dome. Day 16: Ascent to Nido de Cóndores at 5400m. Night in a tent. Day 17: Ascent to Colera at 6000m. Nigth in tent Day 18: Summit Aconcagua at 6962m. Night at Colera. Day 19: Return to Base Camp / Plaza de Mulas. Night in tent or dome Day 20: Trek to the park exit. Night in Mendoza. Day 21: Backup day. Day 22: Backup day. End of the journey.

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# WHAT'S INCLUDED?

- Guidance and support in all aspects of the expedition.
- All transfers from arrival at La Rioja airport to the return to Mendoza after Aconcagua.
- 4x4 approach to the base camps at Ojos and Pissis.
- Meals: All meals (breakfast, lunch (boxed lunch when on the move), and dinner) during the expedition, from arrival in La Rioja to the return to Mendoza after Aconcagua. Abundant and diverse meals. Vegetarian options if needed.
- Assistance in obtaining the Aconcagua Provincial Park permit.
- General expedition equipment: tents, cooking gear, first aid kit, communication equipment (VHF radios).
- Base Camp service: domes and tents for eating and sleeping. Bathrooms.
- Mules: to and from base camp.
- Professional Guides: ratio of 1 guide per 3 participants.
- Extra days.
- Portage of general equipment exclusively on Aconcagua: tents, cooking gear, and most importantly expedition food and water. On Ojos del Salado and Pissis, we will all carry the weight collectively, with lightweight food and tent distribution.

## NOT INCLUDED



- **Post-expedition hotel** in Mendoza Capital (there's a wide variety and range of hotel quality; we let you choose according to personal preference, and we have some recommendations).
- Aconcagua Park entry permit (personal procedure).
- Expedition abandonment expenses (see refund policy).
- Personal portages.
- Personal equipment.
- Extra expenses: meals and beverages not included in the package and other services not specified as included.

## PRICE: from \$6.500usd

Welcome all, and we hope we have many mountains and great moments together!

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