

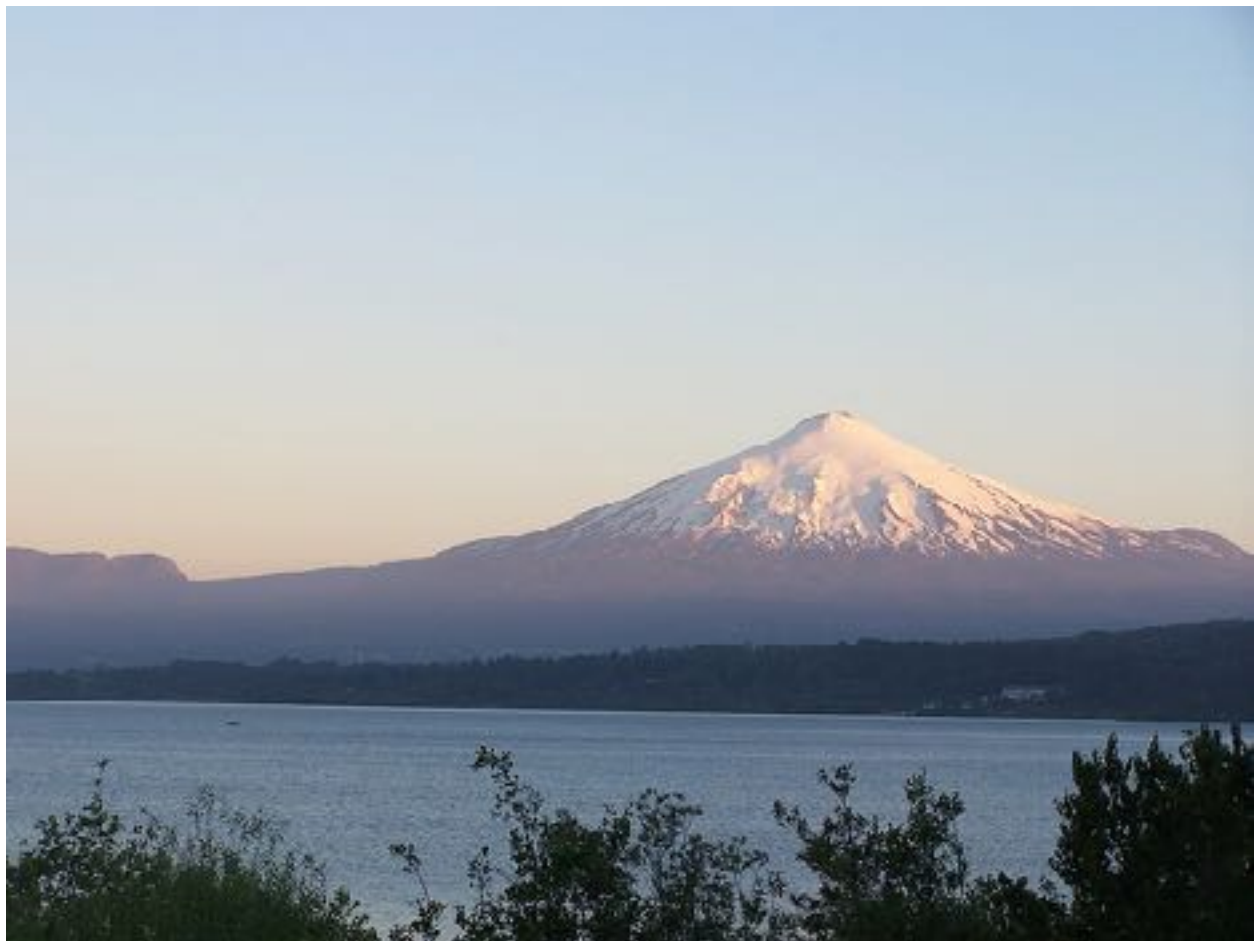


Sacred Earth Travel

Sustainable Nature and Adventure Travel

Itinerary: Chile's Lake District (Self-Drive)

This 6-day itinerary explores some of the most beautiful parks and regions of the Chilean Lake District.



Start your adventure in Pucon, the 'outdoor adventure' hub of the region. Beautifully situated on the shores of Lago Villarica this small but bustling town is brimming with outdoor adventure opportunities: hiking, canyoning, zip-lining, horseback riding, or visiting hot springs and watching nature – among others

The second part of the trip is spent at the amazing Huilo-Huilo nature reserve, near the Argentinian border. This place is a real gem. Whatever your outdoor kick, you can have it at Huilo-Huilo. But what's more, the hotels are built in the most architectural style. It is a real gem!

The final leg of the trip takes you south to Chile's oldest National Park, to a tranquil spot on the shores of Lago Todos Los Santos. This is a one-way journey that finishes in Puerto Montt. Or, you can easily extend it and spend a few extra days in Puerto Varas.



DAY 1: TEMUCO – PUCÓN (112 km / 70 mi)

After picking up your rental car at Temuco airport, your adventure can begin! Head down south to Pucón, about an hour's drive from the airport. Perched at the eastern end of Lake Villarrica Pucón is surrounded by forest-covered mountain slopes and impressive volcanoes. This is a verdant wonderland.

DAY 2: PUCÓN – HUILO HUILO RESERVE (155 km / 91 mi)

Pucón is a marvelous place, but even more amazing is your next destination – the private nature reserve of Huilo-Huilo.



As you cross the northern part of the Lake District you have time to explore some side excursions, visiting a national park (4x4 only) or visiting natural hot springs.

You will reach the private, 60.000 hectares / 148.260 acres reserve of Huilo Huilo, in the afternoon. You have two days to discover its natural treasures.

There are lots of trails for hiking, mountain biking or horseback riding – or, you can even go skiing. there are also a few water adventures like rafting and floating the Fuy River. (B)

DAY 3: HUILO HUILO RESERVE

Explore the various nature thrills of the reserve; you will be able to walk the trails through the forest and up the Choshuenco Volcano, visit the falls of Huilo Huilo, enjoy a canopy excursion through the native forest or just relax on the beach of Puerto Fuy, or at the Spa and Wellness center. (B)

DAY 4: HUILO HUILO – PETROHUE (240 km / 149 mi)

Your driving adventure continues down south, to the outer reaches of northern Patagonia. After breakfast, say good-bye to Huilo Huilo and head for the oldest national park in Chile, the Vicente Pérez Rosales National Park. Soon after you enter the park, stop to admire the Petrohué waterfalls. Your destination for the



day is the beautiful, emerald-green waters of the 'Todos Los Santos' Lake. Overnight in the National Park at hotel Petrohué. (B)



DAY 5: PETROHUÉ

The serenely beautiful Vicente Pérez Rosales National Park offers many attractive hiking trails, whitewater rafting, and canoeing. It is a place where you can feel the power of water.

A great way to experience the whole park is to take a boat excursion all the way to the other side of the lake, to Peulla, by catamaran. Overnight in a selected hotel. (B)

DAY 6: PETROHUÉ – PUERTO MONTT (90 km / 56 mi)

Sadly, it is time to leave this beautiful region (unless you wish to extend the journey.)

After breakfast, head west to reach Puerto Montt, if you are dropping off the car at the downtown location. If you are heading for the airport, please note that the airport is located 20km outside of Puerto Montt, almost on the way to Puerto Varas. (B)

Notes

Based on double occupancy. Single supplement applies.

Hotels we use in this program:

Standard	Superior
Landhaus San Sebastian (superior room)	Hotel Monte Verde (standard room),
Hotel Nothofagus (standard room)	Hotel Nothofagus (superior room) ,
Hotel Petrohue (superior room)	Hotel Petrohué (superior room).

Included:

- 5 nights including breakfast.
- 6 days car rental including unlimited free mileage.
- Local tax.
- Full CDW coverage with deductible (for details see rental contract).
- Drop off charge.
- Roadmap and descriptions.

Not included:

Chile car rental companies charge an additional airport service fee when vehicle will be picked up from airport. This service charge is not included in the published rates. This extra fee has to be paid upon returning the car.