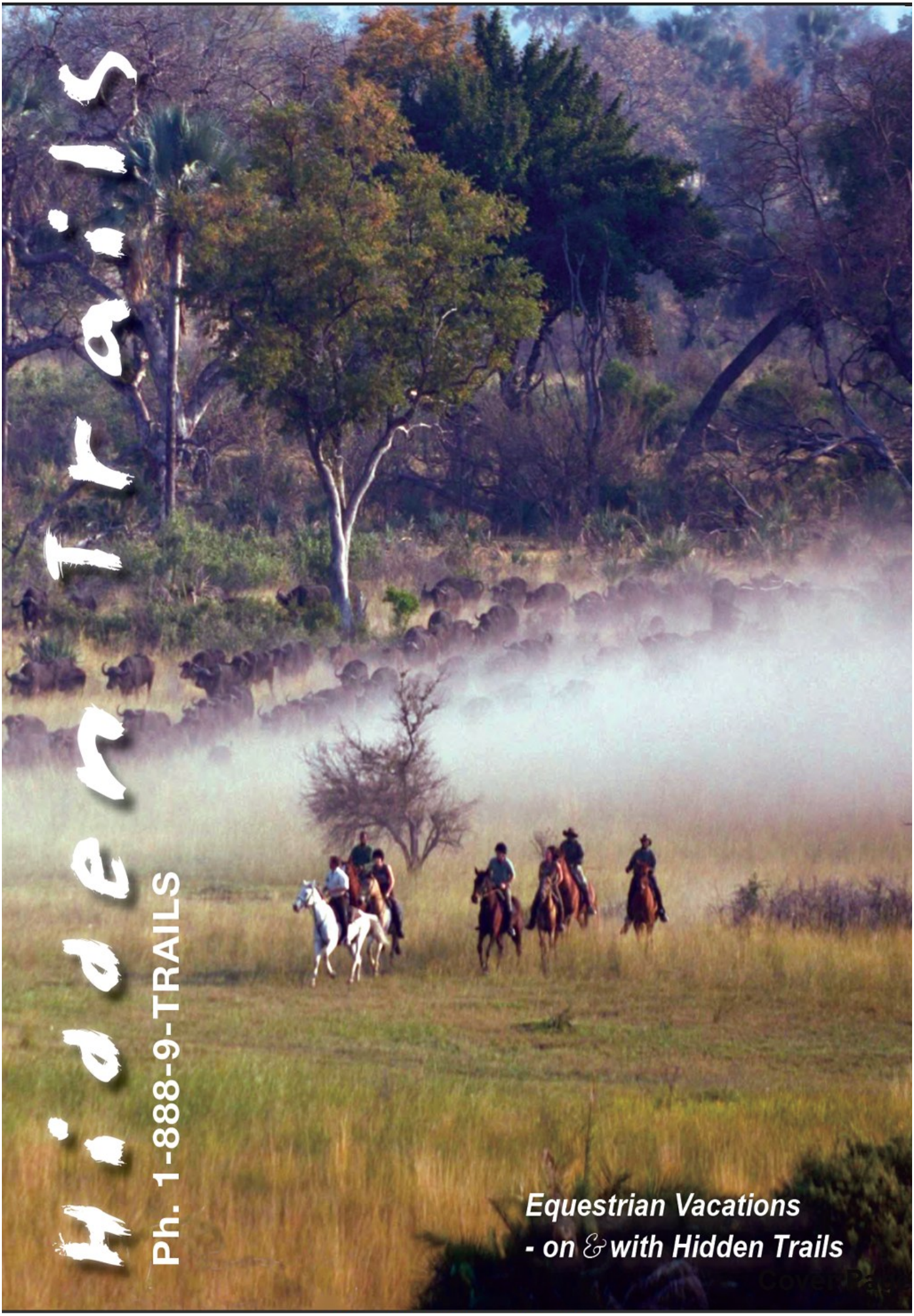

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About Hidden Trails



Hidden Trails is owned and operated by nature enthusiasts who love horses and adventure activities. We have been involved with riding and other outdoor vacations for over 20 years.
With our partners Voyage du Cheval (France), Pegasus (Germany) as well as Equitour (Switzerland and France) we have collected the best riding destinations all over the world in some hidden places we would like to share with you.

These rides are about galloping on endless beaches, forging rivers, cantering through forests, trotting along age-old trails, gazing at beautiful vistas and encountering foreign cultures. But most of all, these trips are about getting away from the cycle of too much work and never enough free time.

Escape from the rituals, which long ago froze our nights and days into little more than routine and away from the worries of our new tense times. It is so satisfying when we take the plunge of adventure - it's unfortunate that we invent so many reasons to put aside living our dreams of adventure. It is sometimes a tangled web that we weave through life. Some of the threads reveal a work-a-day world of commitments, duties and obligations. Other threads are of a quiet fabric of hope, responsibility and refreshment.

On our adventures you see the real country, its back country and meet the locals. The love for horses has no boundaries but possesses a common language we all speak and understand. The majority of the overseas rides are from inn to inn, some from castle to castle and a few are camping rides.
You will experience new countries and their customs and make new friends. The Hidden Trails trips are the best you can find.

They have been tested by our staff or associates and received our stamp of approval. If you are considering a special riding vacation anywhere in the world, call us first and let our experienced consultants match the perfect trip with your dream.
We will listen to you and give you objective advice to help you choose the best destination and adventure.

Your vacation is the most precious time of the year and we are committed to making it the most memorable time of your life. Wherever you go, have a great time and bring back some peace of mind.

Thank you for your continued support.

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Torres del Paine Expedition - Chile, South America

Tour Code: IT-CHRT10
7 days / 6 nights ~$6,990.00
Dates: Jan-Apr & Oct-Dec

Trip Rating :
Difficulty :
Lodging:

Tack: Chilean saddle
Horses: Criollo crosses
Pace: 5-9 hours in the saddle per day (about...
Walk,Trot,Canter,

Airport: Puerto Natales










Introduction

Patagonia / Torres del Paine, Chile
We offer you the unique opportunity to explore Patagonia, where authenticity, adventure, and comfort come together to create an extraordinary experience.

Over the years, Torres del Paine has become a popular destination for nature enthusiasts. Its stunning landscapes, including the iconic granite peaks known as the "Torres," pristine lakes, glaciers, and diverse wildlife, make it a must-visit location for adventurers.

Accomodation

Accommodations
This is a progressive ride, so nights will be spent in different locations.

Description
Accommodations include a mix of authentic estancias as well as comfortable and modern hotels.

7-day Accommodation Itinerary - *subject to changes based on availability*
Night 1 & 2: Estancia la Cumbre
Night 3: Estancia Las Chinas
Night 4: Camping near Laguna Azul
Night 5-6: Refuge

Estancia la Cumbre
You stay in a dorm room (bunk beds).

Estancia Las Chinas
You spend the night in a cosy guest house recently converted from an old ranch house. The rooms have 2-4 bunk beds and shared bathrooms with hot water. There is also a small fireplace.

Camping near Laguna Azul

Refuge

Single Supplement
Solo travelers must pay a single supplement fee.

Meals
All meals are included from dinner on Day 1 to breakfast on the last day.

A beer or soft drink is included with your lunch.
At dinner, some wine is also included.

Dietary Restrictions
Special diets can be catered for on our trips with prior notice.

Riding

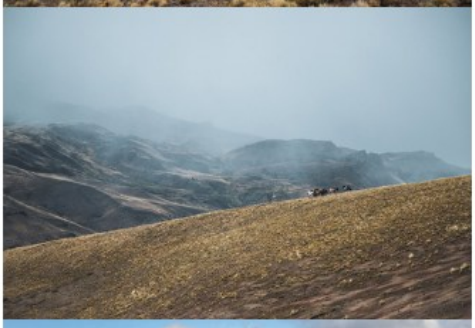
Horses
The horses are all Criollo Crosses, which vary in size with the majority being around 165cm tall. They are strong, fit, and sure-footed.

Tack
The tack is Chilean and comfortable and comprises metal framed saddles onto which are layered felt, sheepskin and leather. Rope, rawhide and leather form the bridles.

Riding Experience
Riders must be physically fit and capable of enduring long hours in the saddle. You should be comfortable riding at a trot and canter for extended periods of time.

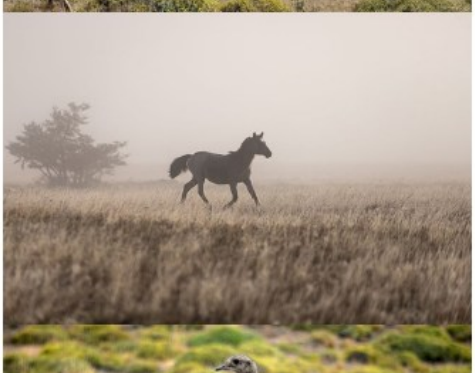
Safety
The guides may give you specific instructions for dealing with horses and the environment and you must always follow their guidance. The guides retain the right to deny you the opportunity to ride or be around the horses if they feel it is unsafe or that you have misrepresented your horse riding ability. The guide does not owe you any compensation in this situation as you are responsible for sharing accurate information about the rider's fitness and ability when booking so that the operator is able to accurately assess that the trip is appropriate for each rider.

Insurance
It is a condition of booking that you have or arrange adequate insurance cover for personal liability, medical and holiday cancellation. When obtaining travel insurance, you must ensure that the insurer is aware of the type and destination of travel and any activities which you plan to undertake. Horse riding holidays can be considered high risk and may not be included in the standard terms of your current travel insurance. Please ensure that you are fully covered, in particular with regard to the maximum cancellation amount, and that you provide details of your







insurer and policy number for our records.
If you do not arrange the aforementioned cover, we may refuse your booking or cancel your holiday. In any event, we will not be held responsible for any expenses, loss or damage you incur as a result of your failure to comply with this clause or the requirements of your travel insurance policy. Please read your policy details carefully and take them with you on holiday. It is your responsibility to ensure that the insurance cover you purchase is suitable and adequate for your particular needs.

Itinerary

Please note that the program can be modified by the lead guide due to force majeure, weather or logistics. This ensures maximum safety and comfort for all clients. The guides always take into account the best interests of the whole group and do everything in their power to ensure that all clients have a unique experience. The guide's decision is final. The success of this tour depends on the collaboration of all riders.

Sample Itinerary: 7-day program - *subject to changes*

Day 1: Arrival
The program starts with a 130-kilometer transfer from Puerto Natales to the starting point: Estancia La Cumbre. This estancia has been extensively renovated and equipped with solar panels.
Once at the estancia, wee prepare our luggage in for the coming expedition.
A warm and gracious welcome awaits, with a dinner prepared by a Chilean chef and complemented by some Chilean wines, all served by the comforting glow of a fireplace.
Meals included: Dinner
Overnight at Estancia La Cumbre

Day 2: Sierra Baguales Ride
Today, we will have our initial encounter with the horses. Your guide and gaucho, will assign a horse to each guest. The primary objective of the first day is to facilitate acclimatization, ensuring a smooth and enjoyable journey.
We will ride through picturesque rolling hills adorned with lush green grass. Our destination will be an old Puesto, where we will stop for lunch. Finally, we will return to the Estancia for dinner and spend the night there.
Riding approx. 6 hours
Meals included: Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner
Overnight at Estancia La Cumbre

Day 3: Ride to Estancia Las Chinas
Once we've fueled up with a hearty breakfast, we'll embark on an epic journey to the awe-inspiring Las Chinas. As we venture forth, the signs of civilization will fade away, and the untamed essence of Sierra Baguales and Patagonia will reveal itself in all its glory.
Get ready to encounter some fascinating fauna, from curious foxes to graceful guanacos, bustling beavers, and a delightful array of bird species. And who knows, if the stars align, we might even catch a glimpse of those elusive pumas later in our expedition!
The trail will lead us downhill, offering mesmerizing views of the renowned Torres del Paine on the horizon. The excitement won't end there, as we'll eventually arrive at our cozy Estancia, where we'll spend the night, sharing stories of our thrilling day amidst the breathtaking landscapes of Patagonia.
Riding approx. 7 hours
Meals included: Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner
Overnight at Estancia Las Chinas

Day 4: Laguna Azul Ride
Get ready for an exhilarating full-day horseback ride to Laguna Azul, with a delightful lunchbox to keep us energized along the way. On the way, we might even catch a glimpse of some untamed wild horses!
As the sun sets, we'll treat ourselves to a true Patagonian delight: a mouth-watering asado decordero, where succulent lamb will be barbecued to perfection over the fire. Your taste buds are in for a treat! We'll also get to savor the famous Patagonian drink called "pisco sour" – it's an absolute must-try!
When it's time to call it a night, we'll have cozy tents all set up for us in the camping area. Get ready for an unforgettable experience, surrounded by the beauty of nature under a starry Patagonian sky!
Riding approx. 6 hours
Meals included: Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner
Overnight Camping near Laguna Azul

Day 5: Riding from Laguna Azul to Rio Serrano
Today's the day we conquer the magnificent Torres del Paine National Park! Get ready for a thrilling 9-hour horse riding, covering about 50 kilometers of pure adventure.
Ride from Laguna Azul to Rio Serrano, soaking in the breathtaking sights along the way – think crystal-clear lagoons nestled amidst lush forests and majestic mountains, all topped off with views of glaciers!
We'll continue to revel in the natural splendor of one of the most beautiful national parks in Patagonia! Once we bid farewell to our trusty steeds in a cozy paddock, we'll catch a ride to a refuge where we'll spend the next two nights.
Tonight, we go on a 15-minute walk to reach a delightful dining spot.
Riding approx. 9 hours
Meals included: Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner
Overnight at Refuge

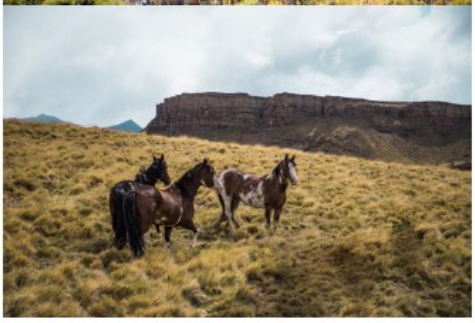
Day 6: Ride to Lago Grey & Boat Ride
After riding from Rio Serrano to Lago Grey (4 hours) we untack the horse and say a final goodbye to our beautiful and brave horses. Then, we'll have the opportunity to embark on a boat to Grey Glacier (3 hours) to admire the Glacier from the Southern Patagonia ice field and taste some calafate/pisco sour.
Our picnic location will depend on our arrival time. We will enjoy a scenic 45 minutes hike to get to the boat. Then, transfer back to the refuge for the last night of the trip.
Riding approx. 4 hours
Meals included: Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner
Overnight at Refuge

Day 7: Departure
After breakfast, transfer to the Airport.
Breakfast included

Sample Itinerary: 3-day program - *subject to changes*

Day 1: Arrival
The program commences around 10 am with a 130-kilometer transfer from Puerto Natales to the starting point: Estancia La Cumbre. Here, you will be introduced to your horses that you will be riding for the next days. Then, we go on a test ride in the beautiful Sierra Baguales.
This evening, a warm and gracious welcome awaits, with a dinner prepared by a Chilean chef and complemented by some Chilean wines.
Riding approx. 4 hours





Riding approx. 4 hours
Meals included: Dinner
Overnight at Estancia La Cumbre

Day 2: Sierra Baguales Ride
After breakfast, we ride through picturesque rolling hills adorned with lush green grass. We will stop for lunch in an old Puesto, a place where the gauchos (Patagonian cowboys) live. We will then ride back to the estancia for the night.
Riding approx. 6 hours
Meals included: Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner
Overnight at Estancia La Cumbre

Day 3: Ride to Las Chinas
Today, we'll embark on an epic journey up to the awe-inspiring Tetas Las Chinas. As we venture forth, the signs of civilization will fade away, and the untamed essence of Sierra Baguales and Patagonia will reveal itself in all its glory.
Maybe you'll get the chance to see some wild horses as well!
Once back at the estancia, we'll pack our luggage and head back to Puerto Natales. We will drop you at your hotel.
Riding approx. 6 hours
Meals included: Breakfast & Lunch

Other Info

Meeting: Sierra Baguales
Airport: Puerto Natales
Train station: --
Transfer: Puerto Natales Airport
Tack: Chilean saddle
Horses: Criollo crosses
Pace: 5-9 hours in the saddle per day (about 30-40 km covered per riding day)
Walk | Trot | Canter |
Level: (3 to 4 out of 5) Strong Intermediate
Weight: 198 lbs / 90 kg
Riders: Min 2 riders Max 8 riders

Rates and Dates 2026 - IT-CHRT10

Rates include: Accommodations, All meals, Torres del Paine National Park entrance fee, Airport transfers, Boat Trip to Grey Glaciar (only for 7-day option) & Riding according to program

Packages and Options

Season	Description	~US$
A 2026	7-day tour	$6990
B 2026	3-day tour	$3940

Transfer Option

Description

2026	Transfers included from/to Puerto Natales Airport

Tour Dates

Season	Tour Dates

These tours need to be booked at least 3 months in advance.
Custom departures can be arranged in February and April

Rates do not include:Drinks, Gratuities & medical and travel insurance (mandatory)

Reservation Form

Tour : _____ **Code #:** _____ **from:** _____ **to :** _____

The Travelers (Last Name, First Name)	Male Female	Single room / or tent	Birth Date MM/DD/YY	Height	Weight	Special diets	Beginner	Novice	Intermediate	Strong Interm.	Advanced	ride English	ride Western	mostly arena	mostly hacking
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Special Diets: _____

Your fitness level: Excellent ☐ Moderate ☐ Poor ☐ How long have you been riding? _____

How often do you ride? _____ Have you been on other riding tours? No ☐ Yes ☐ last trip when? _____

If Hidden Trails offers a transfer from the local airport/station: I would like the transfer to be included: YES ◯ NO ◯

In an emergency, name and phone number of contact: _____

Attention: Please, if there is more than one participant, all have to sign the reservation form - make copies if needed

With my signature I confirm my reservation of the listed program(s) under the Hidden Trails Booking Conditions. I'm aware, and I made all participants aware of the risk involved with these outdoor adventure activities. All participants have read and agree with the Hidden Trails *Booking Conditions* and the Hidden Trails *Recreational Activity Release and Indemnity Agreement* in this brochure or as listed on the Internet.
I (we) will sign and forward the *Recreational Activity Release and* Indemnity Agreement at least 10 weeks before trip starting date.

Last Name and First Name (The Traveler) _____

Street _____ ***e-mail*** _____

City _____ ***State*** _____ ***Postal/Zip Code*** _____

Phone (wk) _____ ***(hm)*** _____ ***Cell*** _____ ***Fax*** _____

Date _____ ***Signature (mandatory)*** 1. _____

Please, charge a 25% deposit (minimum $ 350 per person) now and full payment 10 weeks before the travel date to my credit card.

For payments by VISA ◯ ***or Mastercard*** ◯ (no debit cards)

Cardholder: _____

Card # _____ 3 digit Security # _____

Exp.Date: _____ Signature _____

Billing Address for Credit Card (if different than maling address): _____

I have enclosed a check for the deposit ◯

Additional Signatures:

2. _____

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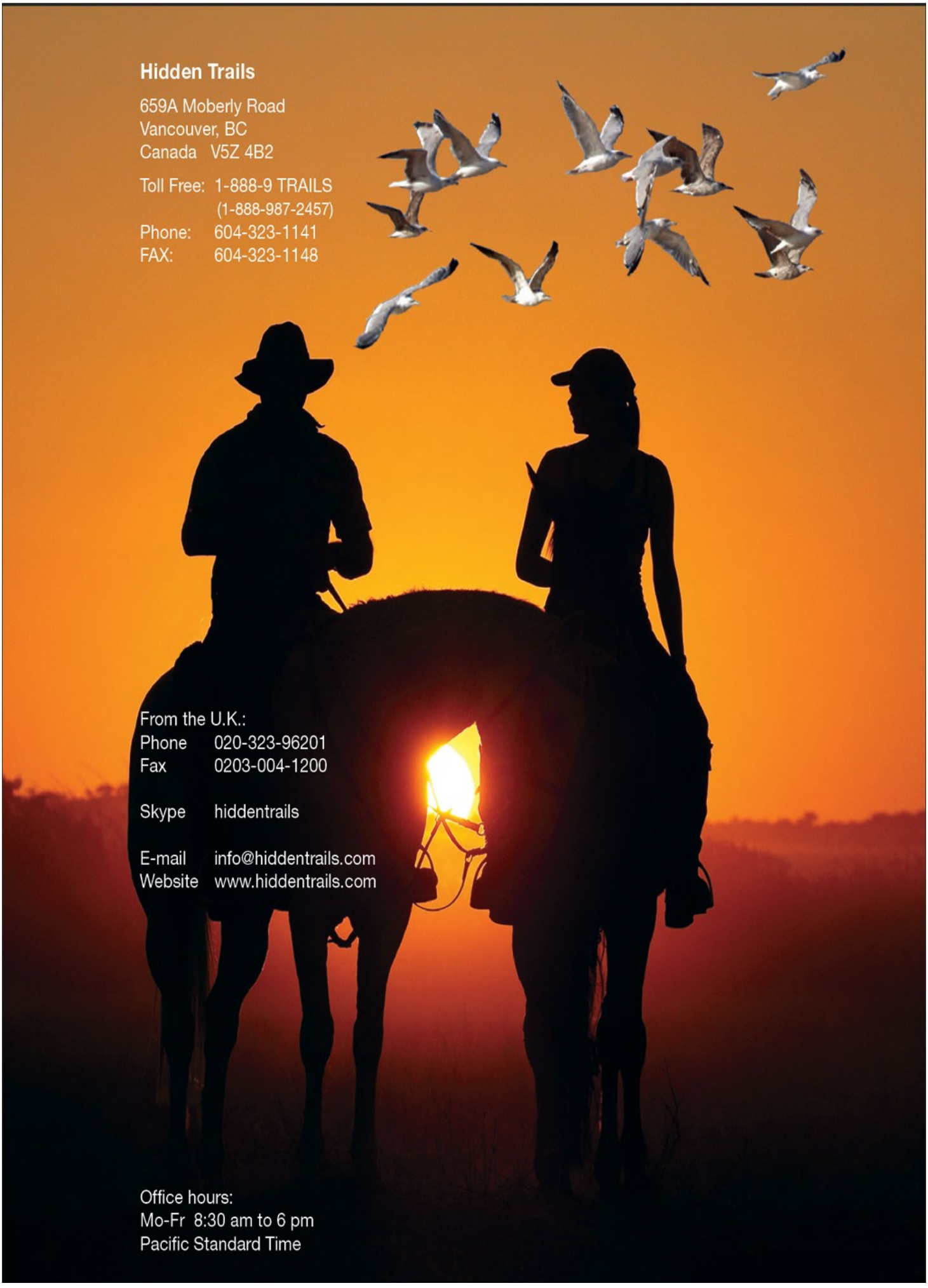
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Travel Cancellation Insurance Credit Card required

Sign me (us) up ◯ initial _____

No, we will provide our own ◯ initial _____

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