

MW103 WILDLIFE MINIATURE FOREST OF THE TIERRA DEL FUEGO NATIONAL PARK

Early in the morning, transfer from the hotel to Tierra del Fuego National Park.

The Tierra del Fuego National Park offers us a unique option to observe in its various ecosystems, the Patagonian Fuegian Andean Forest, the coast of the Beagle Channel or the different peat bog or lichens phenotypes: Crustose, foliose, fruticose or dymorphic and or mosses

DURATION: 8 hours. The box-lunch is included.



We will visit a different ecosystem in the National Park:



Ensenada Bay or Zaratiegui Bay located on the coast of the National Park, will be the first contact with lichens. although at first glance the yellow coloration does not indicate the presence of a

crustacean lichen, but when we come closer and look carefully and with the magnifying glass beginning to glimpse a new world. We will not only look at the coast, we will be able to observe the diversity of Crustose, foliose, fruticose or dymorphic. that inhabit the evergreen forest (Evergreen beech, Winter bark, Fire bush, etc.).



In the first encounter with lichens we have understood what their structure, shapes or phenotypes are like (The guide has material, photographs of the observation of cuts of lichens (with laboratory magnifying glasses), where the symbiosis can be seen.

From the Zaratiegui Bay we head towards the Roca Lake after stopping at a peat bog to see the diversity on its edges or in the transition with the Low deciduous beech forest.



In some cases we can see with the magnifying glass, the reproductive system of lichens, that many times to try to know the species special magnifying glasses, microscopes and cuts of the parts of the lichen were used to immerse themselves in the complicated subject of different or classify species.

When we arrive at Roca Lake an expedition to the great diversity that the mature forest of High or tall deciduous beech forest offers us will begin.

The focus of the tour is ecosystem, trying to discover the miniature forest with lichens, mosses, liverworts, etc.

Crustoses.



Foliose



Fruticose



Dymorphic



Mosses



Return to the assigned hotel. End of our services.

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