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Lovely early morning. Generators running most of the night. Heavy rain @4:00. Lots of lightning, much of it distant.away to Argentina for the day, 7:00 start so fist breakfasts. Had a picture from Mick the decorator of Robbie the cat.

Early breakfast then. It's tipping down outside and, in places inside too.

Marco greets us with the news that the Argentine side of the falls may be closed today. We probably won't know until we get there.

Apparently it was closed at 3:00 pm yesterday when the flow reached 11.3Mlts/sec.....They normally close the park at 11.0M.

It's currently running at 11.8Ml/S.... We shall see as we're making the attempt anyway.

The Brazilian+Argentine border is an interesting story. The river is the frontier between the two and the bridge across the Iguacu has a demarcation in the centre. Green and Yellow road kerbs on the Brazilian side, Blue and White on the Argentine side.

Currently there's a swathe of land beyond the Brazilian immigration post aabout half a mile before the river that is a sort of no-mans land but it has people living and working there, unclear what nationality these might be.

The weather isn't playing favourites, it's chucking it down on this side of the border too. Never mind the river, I reckon there's 11.8Mlts/Sec falling from the sky right now....

And so.... It's closed. Not a surprise, it is really pouring down.

So instead, Marco is taking us the the three way border between Brazil, Argentina and Paraguay. Just for a five minute stop to say we've been there.

Very wet five minutes. Truly a cloudburst. We visited took a few pictures and got very damp.

Back to Brazil and the hotel, perhaps in time for a second breakfast again..... Coffee at least.

Back at the border, it feels like everyone is leaving Argentina big crowds, lots of cars and busses....
"Forget it guys, it's just as wet on the other side!!!"

Maybe try and get some of the website built today whilst there's a lull in proceedings. Maybe....