CANADA & ALASKA YOUR WAY

For an unforgettable adventure Canada ticks all the boxes. Big and beautiful, the world’s second-largest country encompasses snow-capped mountains, shimmering lakes, evergreen forests and seemingly endless prairies. At its edges are miles of unsullied coastline, wild islands and charming, cosmopolitan cities such as Vancouver and Montreal. In summer or autumn you can view polar bears hunting on the tundra or grizzlies gorging on berries and salmon. Winter and spring are ideal for snow sports, picture-perfect white landscapes and the ethereal Northern Lights.

Alaska is another epic destination of geographical superlatives. The United States’ largest state by land area contains the country’s highest peak, two of its biggest national parks and almost all of the nation’s brown bears. Cozy backcountry lodges hidden deep in the wilderness offer views of soaring mountains and encounters with iconic wildlife like moose, caribou and grizzly bears. Small ships cruises through the fjords of the famous Inside Passage take you close to tidewater glaciers, waterfalls, playful seals, hummocks and orcas.

Within these pages you’ll find life-changing rail journeys, immersive small ship cruises, exclusive bear-viewing lodges and incredible land-based Arctic explorations. Planning a visit to Canada and Alaska might seem daunting, but the team at Natural Focus have experienced first-hand all of the places and activities featured in our brochure. Our combined knowledge means that we know where to go for the finest Aurora Borealis and grizzly bear viewing. We can also provide you with the best chances of seeing polar bears, beluga whales and all the sights that make this region so special.

Happy travelling,

Stephen & Sara Cameron - Founders

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Let the sights and sounds of Canada & Alaska come to you.

Natural Focus, wilderness your way.

Natural Focus is a specialist tour company focusing on personalised itineraries to iconic wildlife and wilderness destinations. We are one of Australia’s oldest independently owned travel companies, and for over 35 years with our parent company African Wildlife Safaris, have built up an enviable reputation for our in-depth expertise and professionalism. Our dedicated staff are all passionate travellers who between them have travelled to all our destinations, including Canada and Alaska. Covering such a vast region, Canada and Alaska can seem a little daunting and this is where our expert team of travel specialists can help. With their hands-on knowledge, they will custom design the perfect itinerary, cruise or wilderness adventure that fulfils the Canada and Alaska experience you’re dreaming of.

Our brochure is designed to be a starting point from which we can begin building your perfect journey. It features a selection of suggested itineraries and a wide range of carefully chosen accommodations. We can customise, combine, extend and upgrade to suit your budget and travel style – use our expertise to build your unique collection of lifelong memories.

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When you return home, don’t forget to tell us about your experience. Our staff love hearing about their clients’ experiences, or seeing photos and videos. And don’t forget to share your memories with us on social media.

INDEPENDENT EXPERIENCES FOR THE DISCERNING TRAVELLER.
We believe that to fully experience a destination, its wildlife, its culture and its natural beauty, you need to take your time and travel on your own terms. So rather than selecting a pre-packaged tour which may be rushed, inflexible and potentially full of incompatible personalities, we work with you to create a bespoke experience incorporating places you’d love to see, things you’re keen to do and accommodation that suits your style and budget.

We pride ourselves on our ability to tailor a truly unique journey that immerses you in some of the planet’s most spectacular places. Our philosophy is not just about putting together “a trip” – it’s about creating your ultimate travel experience. Expect expert guides, small groups, personalised itineraries and all the security that booking with a reputable, accredited travel company entails.

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**Dan Maher**
Founder and CEO of Natural Focus, Steve is a keen photographer and wildlife enthusiast who has returned to Canada and Alaska half a dozen times. He has come face to face with polar bears in Churchill, seen grizzlies up close in Katmai and Khutzeymateen, and witnessed the awesome sight of glaciers calving in Glacier Bay National Park.

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**Sara Cameron**
Company co-founder Sara has visited Canada a number of times and has travelled from Quebec to Vancouver by road and rail. Her favourite place in the region so far is Knight Inlet Lodge, where she had 35 grizzly bear sightings in 5 days, as well as countless encounters with black bears and orcas.

**Anne-Marie Zambelli**
Our General Manager Annie has a travel diary that reads like a year’s subscription to the National Geographic magazine. She has led our Grizzlies & Pole Bears tour, travelled aboard the Rocky Mountaineer, enjoyed whale-watching in historic Victoria and braved a blizzard in Churchill to see its famous polar bears.

**Rolf Huber**
Our Marketing Manager, Rolf experienced Canada’s Wild West, travelling in a motor home from Calgary to Vancouver, where he skied in the morning then swam in the ocean that same afternoon. He drove a white Cadillac with red leather seats from Niagara Falls to Toronto and had a flight delay in Alaska due to grizzlies on the Anchorage airstrip!

**Natasha Redondo**
Natasha has covered a lot of terrain across Canada and Alaska, including visiting Vancouver and living and working in Toronto. Her most thrilling experiences to date include heli-hiking on the Mendenhall Glacier, exploring the Maritime Provinces and driving a little-known route from Whitehorse to Fairbanks. She loved the music scene in Toronto and says her best memories are of the incredibly friendly and generous people she met along the way. Tash is one of our senior destination specialists and her most recent adventure was an Arctic cruise.

**Michael Fitzgerald**
Michael has returned many times to Canada and Alaska where he cruised the awe-inspiring Inside Passage, and traversed the vast Alaskan interior by road. Always keen to immerse himself in the natural wonders of the great North American landscape, he has trekked across glaciers, got up close to grizzly bears at the Great Bear Nature Lodge and visited charming small towns such as Ketchikan, Wrangell, Petersburg and Prince Rupert. Michael is one of our senior destination specialists and enjoys designing unique itineraries.

**CONSERVATION**
As a specialist tour company tailor-making journeys to Canada, Alaska, South America & Central America, Antarctica, the Arctic, Africa, Sri Lanka & India and Bhutan, Natural Focus and our parent company African Wildlife Safaris are committed to preserving the world’s wilderness. Over the years we have made significant contributions to conservation societies and research projects in the destinations we visit through our policy of giving clients the opportunity to contribute $10 (or more) per person, which we then match dollar for dollar. We don’t charge an administration fee, so 100% of client contributions go to the nominated conservation society or research organisation.

**RAINCOAST CONSERVATION FOUNDATION**
Raincoast is a not for profit research and public education organisation made up of conservationists and scientists. They use rigorous, peer-reviewed science to further their conservation objectives. Their flagship projects focus on habitat and food supply needs of wolves, bears, marine mammals and marine birds in coastal BC. Salmon allocations for grizzlies and wildlife is central in their work.

To accomplish their goals, Raincoast works in partnership with First Nations, local communities, other scientists and NGOs. Together with their partners, they also purchase commercial hunting rights to end the trophy hunting of bears and wolves. Raincoast operates a research station near Bella Bella, BC and a 68 foot Coastguard-certified research vessel to facilitate their science and conservation work. For more information go to: www.raincoast.org

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**STYLE OF TRIP**

**GRIZZLY BEAR TOURS**

**POLAR BEAR TOURS**

**CRUISES**

**RAIL TOURS**

**HOTELS**

**DOGSLEDDING**

**WILDERNESS LODGES**

**UNIQUE CAMPING TOURS**

**COACH TOURS**

**NORTHERN LIGHTS RESORTS**
**THE UNCRUISE EXPERIENCE**

UnCruise Adventures’ small group experiences are an unbeatable combination of activity, discovery, impeccable service, expertise and awe-inspiring encounters. UnCruise offers exclusive small group experiences, flexibility to adapt a program to make the most of prevailing conditions and highlights, plus a dedicated, passionate crew to bring your journey to life.

Rainforests, glaciers and Glacier Bay National Park. Brown bears, black bears, and “polar bear plunges.” Hummocking whales, orcas and bald eagles. Hiking, kayaking, but toasting under the stars, even playing in the mud. Whether liquid sunshine or cloud failure, your expert expedition team will ensure you have an unforgettable journey. The UnCruise fleet comprises of small yachts and expedition boats accommodating between 22-84 guests. Their size gives them the advantage of small yachts and expedition boats.

**ADVENTURE VESSELS**

These small expedition-style ships are capable of nimble exploration throughout Southeast Alaska’s wildlife-rich shores and inlets. They also serve as ideal “launching pads” for an exciting array of guided adventures such as kayaking, stand-up paddleboarding, whale watching, glacier viewing and hiking. They have a 3:1 guest to crew ratio, accommodating just 60, 74 and 76 guests.

The interior spaces offer contemporary colours that complement the wilderness outside. The spacious dining, lounge and bar areas are perfect for relaxing in and mingling with fellow guests after a days exploration. Children 8+ welcome.

**SAFARI VESSELS**

Elegant and manoeuvrable, the Safari yachts and yacht-style ships accommodate just 22, 36 or 88 guests. An expert and extremely personable crew at a ratio of 2.1 or 2.5:1 supports upscale accommodations and amenities. Every convenience is included: shore excursions, transfers, premium spirits, exquisite meals, naturalist-guided hikes and complimentary massage (except on Safari Quest) and kayaking (crew gratuities excluded). Cabin features include full bathrooms with heated tile floors, Tempur-Pedic memory-foam mattresses and TVs withDVD players in each stateroom. Children 8+ welcome (except Safari Quest 14+).

**NORTHERN PASSAGES & GLACIER BAY**

8 days/7 nights
Juneau to Sitka or reverse*

**Wilderness Explorer**

**NAVIGATOR**

**EXPLORER**

Day 1 Depart Juneau - Embarkation
Welcome aboard! Meet the crew, settle in and relax with your shipmates. Within minutes you'll be cruising the scenic channels of the Inside Passage. Day 2 Captain's Choice
Paying the remote waterways of Lynn Canal or Chatham Strait, your captain sets the course for adventure today! Enjoy explorations by kayak or go paddle boarding, gliding along rocky outcrops with your guides. Keep watch for seals who frequently play in these protected waters and for Bald Eagles circling overhead. BLD

Day 3 Glacier Bay National Park
Hike along the stunning tidewater glaciers, which flow from icefields in behind the glaciers. Admire the grand scenery as you cruise past Taku, Bear, South Sawyer and Dawes glaciers in the area home. Keep your eyes peeled for whales. BLD

Day 4 Icy Strait
Navigate what are arguably the richest whale waters in southeast Alaska. Be prepared for onshore explorations, as well as watching from the boat for bears, otters and whales. The passage moves to just 90 meters in one spot! BLD

Day 5 Chichagof Island
Marvel at the grand scenery as you are expertly guided through芳香, glacier-carved fjords. Drop anchor in remote waters for an opportunity to lower the kayaks and skiffs. Explore the shoreline on an inter tidal walk or forest exploration with your guides. BLD

Day 6 Sergius Narrows/Neva Strait
Access to seldom visited areas. Hike through wildlife-rich forests and ride skiffs or kayaks along dramatic fjords as you look for whales. Onboard naturalists accompany all activities.

Day 7 Krestof & Nakwasina Sounds
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After breakfast disembark for a transfer to Sitka Airport or hotel. Tour ends. BLD

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**INCLUSIONS**

- Transfers and luggage handling between airport/vessel on embarkation/disembarkation day, cruising, sightseeing and shore excursions in per itinerary, onboard meals, spirits, wine, beer, non-alcoholic beverages, all activities and equipment (except snorkeling), onboard professional naturalist or escort, hot tub, yoga.
- A compulsory prepaid fee of USD$75 per person is included in the tour costs shown above. This covers taxes/ports charges.

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Incredible bear encounter

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ALASKA • SMALL SHIP CRUISING

8 days/7 nights ex Juneau to Sitka

**Tour Cost per Person from:**

- US$8791 per person twin share.
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**Day 1 Juneau - Embarcation**

Board your vessel and meet your fellow passengers and crew before a welcome dinner.

**Day 2 Tracy Arm / Stephen’s Passage**

This morning wake up to the beauty of Tracy Arm with its sheer granite walls, cascading waterfalls and drifting icebergs. Take a skiff excursion to get a closer look at the glacier. Your guide will explain how this remarkable landscape was formed. Traverse Stephens Passage keeping an eye out for humpback whales.

**Day 3 Baranof Island / Peril Strait**

Today your Captain steers you through Chatham and Peril Straits. Go hiking through the untouched muskeg and mud in Alaska’s backcountry. This is ideal for kayaking, and a prime area for spotting sea otters. Explore the protected beaches and intertidal zone on foot keeping an eye out for bears. Enjoy a Farewell Dinner with the Captain and toast your voyage.

**Day 4 Sitka - Disembark**

After breakfast, it’s time for goodbyes and a farewell dinner followed by the presentation of a trip “photo journal” by your expedition team.

**Day 5 Chatham Strait**

Cruise through Chatham Strait keeping an eye out for whales and birds from the bow before pulling into Port Frederick on the Tongass National Park. Search for bears along the shoreline or seals loafing on the surface either on foot, kayak or skiff.

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**Day 8 Juneau - Disembark**

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8 days/7 nights ex Juneau to Sitka

**Wilderness Adventure**

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- CRUISE: $7508
- PATHFINDER: $7488

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- CRUISE: $9077
- PATHFINDER: $8533

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**Day 1 Icy Strait / Cross Sound**

Transfer to your vessel to commence cruising. D

**Day 2 Icy Strait / Cross Sound**

If the tides permit, head out in a skiff to scour the rugged shore where seals regularly haul out. Paddling and trekking are definite possibilities in this stunning corner of Alaska.

**Day 3 Glacier Bay National Park**

Most visitors see the same silver of this 3.3 million acre park but not you! You have the chance to explore what 99% of visitors never see. Head out on foot into the Farwellweather Mountains or kayak out into Dundas Bay. If you’re lucky, you might even spot a wolf.

**Day 4 Glacier Bay National Park**

A National Park ranger joins you today, pointing out the many different species of seabird that inhabit South Marble Island. You’ll probably hear and smell the raucous sea lion colony before you see them. Enter enthralling Tidal Inlet en route to visit Margerie and Grand Pacific glaciers, which will hopefully be calving spectacularly.

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**Day 8 Sitka Kake Strait & Whales**

Exhilarating wilderness kayaking and whale watching will be the highlight of today’s excursion. Kayak discovery tours are included in the tour costs shown above. This covers taxe/park charges.

**Day 9 Juneau Roundtrip**

Contact us for further details.
**WHALE'S, WILDLIFE & GLACIERS**
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**EXCLUSIONS**

- Airfares, crew gratuities.

**JOURNEY**

Enjoy a full day in the UNESCO World Heritage-listed Glacier Bay National Park, with plenty of time to comb quiet coves and the majestic Tongass National Forest for iconic Alaskan wildlife from whales, sea lions and black bears to puffins. Visit Haines, the unofficial adventure capital of Alaska before disembarking in Juneau.

**Day 1**

- **S Pitt - Embarkation**
  Climb aboard and meet the friendly crew.

**Day 2**

- **Krestof / Nakwasina Sound**
  These wild sounds are full of forested islands inhabited by sea lions and eagles. You may even observe black bears lounging along the shore. There are options to kayak, ride skiffs or enter Tongass National Forest on foot with your expedition team on this exciting first day of exploration.

**Day 3**

- **Icy Strait**
  Kick start the morning with a few yoga stretches. You may wish to muddy your boots with another forest hike or to search for bears by skiff. BLD

**Day 4**

- **Glacier Bay National Park**
  A park ranger joins you today, to share their well-deserved soak in the onboard hot tub. BLD

**Day 5**

- **Chicagof Island**
  Watch for whales as you enter Port Frederic's or another wild inlet. Take the chance to feel mushing underfoot or to search for bears by skiff. BLD

**Day 6**

- **Lynn Canal / Captain's Choice**
  Venture into North America's deepest fjord – a veritable wildlife superhighway. Go on a paddling excursion or search tide pools for sea stars. BLD

**Day 7**

- **Haines**
  Hit the many trails of Haines in boots or on wheels. Alternatively, you can raft along the Chilkas River. Chilkat Toleh tribal members share their culture and history before you sit down to a final Farewell Dinner and special photo presentation. BLD

**Day 8**

- **Juneau - Disembark**
  After breakfast, disembark and transfer to Juneau Airport or your hotel. Tour ends.

**WILDERNESS DISCOVERER**

**Day 4**

- **Thomas Bay/Wrangell Narrows**
  Explore the natural beauty of glacial landscapes marked by mountains and muskeg with various land and water-based activities on offer again. At night, admire the lights of “Christmas Tree Lane.” BLD

**Day 5**

- **Wrangell/Bahn Canal**
  Visit the old town of Wrangell governed by four nations. Experience Tlingit culture and visit the famous Chief Shakes Tribal House and visit the Kiks:aa Toteem Park. On Day 6 look out for wildlife along Behm Canal and Tongass National Forest. Take a guided paddle for a chance to see whales, seals, bears, eagles and otters, or enjoy a scenic hike. BLD

**Day 7**

- **Misty Fjords N’lnd Monument**
  Visit Misty Fjords, with its glacial valleys and sheer cliffs. Skiff or kayak through Walker Cove or Rusty Bear. Farewell dinner with the Captain. BLD

**Day 8**

- **Ketchikan - Disembark**
  After breakfast, disembark to Ketchikan Airport. Tour ends.

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**ALASKA FJORDS & GLACIERS**

8 days/7 nights
Juneau to Ketchikan or reverse*

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**EXCLUSIONS**

- Airfares, crew gratuities.

**JOURNEY**

Experience remote sections of Alaska’s Inside Passage on these active eye-opening adventures with UnCruise. You’ll also gain an insight into Tlingit culture with a visit to a totem park and tribal house.

**Day 1**

- **Juneau - Embarkation**
  Board the ship and meet the crew before enjoying champagne and dinner onboard. D

**Day 2**

- **Endicott Arm/Fords Terror**
  Discover snow covered mountains and calving ice at the face of Dawes Glacier before gliding through Endicott Arm where you’ll likely see harbor seals and their pups. Tides permitting, explore the narrow passageway of Fords Terror with its towering walls, many waterfalls and the high Coastal Mountains that frame the skyline. BLD

**Day 3**

- **Stephens Passage**
  The waters of Stephens Passage are home to abundant wildlife including humpback whales and orcas so you’re in for some adventure. Hike through an otherworldly forest or kayak and paddleboard on a tidal saltwater lake keeping a lookout for bears, hares, moose and harbor seals. BLD

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**FJORDS OF ALASKA - ULTIMATE EXPEDITION**

**WILDERNESS DISCOVERER & WILDERNESS EXPLORER**

15 days/14 nights
Sitka to Ketchikan (or rev) Apr-Aug

This comprehensive voyage combines two of the most popular UnCruise itineraries featured on these pages. Expect all the treasures of Glacier Bay National Park, from its most famous glaciers and wildlife to arribalades of Tlingit culture. Of course, you’ll enjoy many memorable hours of hiking, paddling and beachcombing in Alaska’s most pristine wildernesses.

Tour cost per person from: $11682 per person twin share. Contact us for further details.

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**WHALES, WILDLIFE & GLACIERS**
**ALASKA’S INSIDE PASSAGE SOJOURN**

10 days/9 nights
Sikta to Ketchikan or reverse*

**INCLUSIONS**
Transfer to and from the airport is at hotel (downtown hotel) or ship in Sikta/Ketchikan day prior, day of sailing and the day of departure from the ship. Onboard meals, complimentary glass of wine or beer with dinner. Deluxe & Deluxe Suite include all alcoholic beverages, sightseeing and shore excursions as per the itinerary, compulsory taxes/park charges (subject to confirmation at time of booking).

**EXCLUSIONS**
Airfares, pre-and post accommodation, gratuities.

Air from gorgeus southeast Alaska from top to bottom, scoring its most abundant wildlife areas, soaking up three traditional native cultures and seeing its most captivating glacial fjords. Kayak, skiff and hiking excursions allow close-up inspection of the region's rugged beauty.

**Day 1 Sikta - Embarkation**
Get an introduction to Alaska's native and Russian history in Sikta, the only settlement in the entire state to face the Gulf of Alaska.

**Day 2 Cruising**
There is no set program today; the day and conditions dictate what you may see and do. Go kayaking, enjoy whale-watching or maybe even take a walk through primeval forest.

**Day 3 Glacier Bay National Park**
Follow a national Huna Tlingit naturalist and park ranger into this remarkable reserve, renowned for wolves, bears, sea lions and humpbacks as well as the dramatic Margerie Glacier, which is very prone to calving.

**Day 4 Juneau and Orca Point Lodge**
Tour Juneau best known attractions, from the newly renovated State Museum to the Mendenhall Glacier. Tonight, feast on ocean fresh seafood at the exclusive Orca Point Lodge.

**Day 56 Tracy Arm and Frederick Sound**
Sail the scenic, narrow waters of Tracy Arm renowned for its 4,000 feet granite cliffs, pristine waterfalls and towering icebergs. On day 6 cruise for marine life in the nutrient-rich waters of Frederick Sound.

**ALASKAN DREAM CRUISES**
Alaskan Dream Cruises have 50 years' experience in Alaska’s pristine southeastern waters. Their itineraries offer countless opportunities to go ashore into pristine, old-growth forests, remote towns and interact with indigenous communities. Activities on all their small ships ensure an authentic, sustainable experience of this wild state, with every passenger given the chance to see Alaska through the eyes of a resident.

The Alaskan Dream Cruises fleet comprises of six vessels which carry 10-76 passengers. Their shallow drafts permit navigation of narrow channels, whilst all are designed for optimum viewing of Alaska’s wilderness and wildlife.

**CULTURE AND WILDLIFE**
Enjoy award-winning cultural experiences, and be welcomed into traditional villages as friends with opportunities to witness dances, carving or even a ceremonial feast. Access some of Alaska’s best natural sites and premier wildlife areas, as naturalist and cultural heritage guides share local lore.

**FAMILY DEPARTURES**
Some departures are geared towards instilling a sense of adventure in children and adults alike, strengthening family bonds through shared discovery. A specialist Youth Expedition Leader leads activities designed for multi-generational groups on these voyages, suitable for kids aged 7+.

**CHICAGOF DREAM**
The largest ship in the fleet, the 63m-long Chicagof Dream accommodates approximately 76 passengers in 38 sleek, comfortable staterooms with private ensuite facilities spread across three decks. Guests onboard have access to generous dining, lounge and viewing areas - all with an informal atmosphere - as well as an impressive Himalayan salt room.

**ALASKAN DREAM**
This streamlined four-level catamaran carries around 40 passengers in 20 inviting, light-filled staterooms with private ensuite bathrooms and extra-large picture windows. The observation deck spans the entire top level, with additional viewing areas on the bridge and main deck. Selected cabins can sleep a 3rd or 4th guest.

**MISTY FJORD**
The 10-passenger Misty Fjord is the most intimate of the Alaskan Dream Cruises fleet, with just five cabins and a design based on Alaskan commercial fishing boats for supreme comfort and stability whilst gliding through the waters of the Inside Passage. Interiors are finished in glossy teak while exteriors are engineered for wildlife viewing.

**ADMIRALTY DREAM**
This spacious vessel sleeps 54 passengers in 27 cabins fitted with oversized windows. With its shallow draft and steady pace of cruising, the Admiralty Dream is perfectly designed to appreciate the wildest areas of Alaska. Enjoy ample space on board for a casual meal, pre-dinner snack or simply soaking up the scenery.

**SMALL SHIP CRUISING • ALASKA**

Day 7 Wrangell
Discover the only town in Alaska to have been ruled by four nations. Enjoy a guided walking tour and visit to the museum offer a comprehensive history lesson.

Day 8 Thorne Bay and Kasaan
Once a massive logging camp, Thorne Bay is suffused in pioneering spirit. In Kasaan, follow an enchanting path lined with totem poles to Chief Son-i-Hat Whale House, the last remaining Haida longhouse in the United States of America.

Day 9 Metlakatla and Misty Fjords
Enter a Tsimshian longhouse, home of a ceremonial dance performance and meet local artists at the Metlakatla Indian Community on Annette Island. Afterwards, feel the spray from waterfalls as your ship passages silently beneath the spectacular cliffs of Misty Fjords.

Day 10 Ketchikan - Disembark
Disembark in Ketchikan for transfer to airport or hotel. Tour ends.
LAST FRONTIER ADVENTURE
8 days/7 nights
Sitka to Juneau or reverse*

Adventurer Dream
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INCLUSIONS
Transfers to and from the airport to hotel (down-town hotel) or ship in Sitka/Juneau one day prior day of sailing and the day of departure from the ship, onboard meals, complimentary glass of wine or beer with dinner (Deluxe, Deluxe Suite & Owner’s Suite include all alcoholic beverages), sightseeing and shore excursions as per the itinerary, compulsory transport charges (subject to confirmation at time of booking).

EXCLUSIONS
Airfare, pre- and post-accommodation, crew gratuities.

This active adventure explores the remote locations of Alaska’s pristine Inside Passage. Daily activities include hiking rainforest trails, kayaking pristine glacial fjords and skiff excursions along rugged coastlines in search of bears, sea lions and whales.

Day 1 Sitka - Embarkation
Gain an insight into Sitka’s native and Russian history before embarkation.

Day 2 Baranof Island
Hike through old-growth forests learning about the indigenous flora and fauna from your expert guide. Kayak along the charming shorelines and protected waters of Baranof Island.

Day 3 Thomas Bay & Baird Glacier
There are several kayaking options available in Thomas Bay to Baird Glacier, waterfalls or through scenic forests.

Day 4 Endicott Arm & Fords Terror
Embrace on an exciting kayak excursion paddling amongst icebergs in the glacial fjord of Endicott Arm. Next, journey into Ford’s Terror and skiff the narrow fjord to view beautiful Dawes Glacier.

Day 5 Orca Point Lodge
Enjoy a day of unscripted adventure as your captain searches for wildlife. Finish the day relaxing at Orca Point Lodge taking around a beachside bonfire.

Day 6 Glacier Bay National Park
Today a national park ranger joins you for a day exploring the wonders of Glacier Bay National Park. Stroll sea lions and humback whales frequent the waterways whilst whales, brown and black bears can be spotted along the coastline.

Day 7 Juneau
Disembark in Juneau. Transfer hotel or airport.

ALASKA GLACIER BAY ISLAND ADVENTURE
8 days/7 nights
Sitka to Juneau or reverse*

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Immerse yourself in the culture of Alaska, visit the impressive Glacier Bay National Park and traverse waters teeming with icebergs, seals and whales.

Day 1 Sitka - Embarkation
Explore beautiful Sitka, full of historic sites such as St Michael’s Cathedral before embarkation.

Day 2 Wilderness Bay and Kake
Today, beachcomb or hike along a secluded coastline, marvel at the world’s tallest totem pole and gain an introduction to Tlingit culture.

Day 3 Wrangell and Petersburg
Explore the town of Wrangell visiting the museum and Petropoly Beach. This afternoon experiences the Norwegian flavour of Petersburg, a tiny fishing town sometimes called “Little Norway”. Enjoy a full dinner show and a narrated bus tour.

Day 4 Thomas Bay & Baird Glacier
Take a scenic morning walk in Thomas Bay to either Scenery Cove, waterfalls to the outwash plain leading to Baird Glacier.

Day 5 Orca Point Lodge
Be awed by the unparallel majesty of Tracy Arm, a steep-sided Slim Jim fjord lined with waterfalls and glaciers. End the day’s adventure with a relaxing evening at Orca Point Lodge and enjoy a Tlingit cultural presentation.

Day 6 Glacier Bay National Park
Containing eight tidewater glaciers, stunning scenery and a dazzling array of wildlife, a national park ranger helps you unlock the park’s secrets today.

Day 7 Lianisini Inlet & Pelican
Navigate Lianisini Inlet, a narrow body of water between Yakobi Island and Chichagof Island home to brown bears. Explore the unique boardwalk “road” of Pelican.

Day 8 Juneau
Disembark in Juneau. Transfer hotel or airport.

ALASKA’S ISLANDS, WHALES & GLACIERS
8 days/7 nights
Sitka to Juneau or reverse*

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EXCLUSIONS
Airfare, pre- and post-accommodation, crew gratuities.

This intimate exploration of Alaska’s Inside Passage takes place aboard the exclusive 10-passenger Misty Fjord. From the inspiring Tracy Arm to humpback-rich Icy Strait and magnificent Margerie Glacier, this voyage can be tailored to suit guests’ specific activity interests.

Day 1 Sitka - Embarkation
Transfer to your vessel and meet your fellow passengers before cast off.

Day 2 Baranof Island
Navigate the remote north eastern coast of Baranof Island. Explore the coves and inlets and take a walk through beautiful rainforest to the Baranof Warm Springs.

Day 3 Frederick Sound
Look out for sunbaking stellar sea lions while scouting for humpback whales by skiff in Frederick Sound. Spend the afternoon exploring a remote wilderness bay such as Hobart Bay.

Day 4 Tracy Arm & Fords Terror
Filled with waterfalls and towering icebergs, Tracy Arm and Fords Terror are lined with sheer granite cliffs rising over 4,000 feet. Naturalist, John Muir, referred to the region as “A wild, unfilmed Yosemite.” Today you will have an opportunity to kayak this stunning Alaskan wilderness.

Day 5 Wilderness Exploration
Today’s adventures are unscripted, and may include a coastal kayak, a hike through beautiful old-growth forest or perhaps an up-close whale encounter.

Days 6/7 Icy Strait & Glacier Bay National Park
Renowned for phenomenal humpback whales viewing the wildlife-rich waters of Icy Strait before sailing into Glacier Bay National Park. Covering 3.3 million acres, this remarkable wilderness is the crown jewel of America’s national parks. Take a beach trek, walk the rainforest trails or visit the new Huna Tribal House. On day 7 spend a full day exploring this UNESCO world heritage site.

Day 8 Juneau
Disembark in Alaska’s capital Juneau, transfer to the airport or your hotel. Tour ends.
DENALI NATIONAL PARK

This hugo national park (24,281 km²) is a scenic wilderness with a vast array of wildlife, such as grizzly bears, caribou, moose, Dall sheep, wolves and many species of raptors. It is also home to Mt. Denali (formerly Mt. McKinley), the highest peak in North America. There is only one public road leading into Denali and access is regulated by the National Park Service. Only a few lodges are located within the park; the majority of accommodation is at the park gate. As private vehicles are not allowed, visitors must either take the park shuttle or one of the trolley buses that travel along the single road, stopping on route for photographs and wildlife, before returning to the park gate the same day.

If you would like a more intimate wilderness experience away from the crowds, then we recommend incorporating a stay at one of the backcountry lodges within Denali into your Alaskan itinerary. Please note: Denali is closed from mid-Sep to mid-May due to weather conditions.

INCLUSIONS
Departs Anchorage on Thursday only. Longer stays are available. Contact us for details.

Seating upgrade available from standard to gold star, Anchorage to Denali from $321 per person, Denali to Anchorage from $274 per person.

A short walk takes you to a communal modern shower facility and dining room. Activities include guided hikes, canoeing, fishing and biking. A short walk takes you to a communal modern shower facility and dining room. Activities include guided hikes, canoeing, fishing and biking.

Day 1: Anchorage
Board the 0815 train to Denali. Courtesy shuttle to the railway station for your return journey to Anchorage departing at 1230 aboard the Alaska Railroad (standard seating). Arrive into Anchorage at 2000. Take the courtesy shuttle to Historic Anchorage Hostel for overnight.

Day 2: Denali
Take the courtesy hotel shuttle to the railway station for your 0815 train journey onboard the Denali Star Train to Denali. Courtesy shuttle to Denali Bluffs Hotel. B

Day 3: Denali early morning
Board the bus early this morning for a full day (12 - 18hrs) narrated tour of Denali National Park. Travel the full extent of the wilderness road and have a 2 hour stop at a lodge in the Kantishna area for lunch and an activity such as gold panning. Overnight Denali Bluffs Hotel. L

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Discover the natural wonders of Denali National Park with a full day bus tour which travels the full extent of the wilderness road and also visits the remote Kantishna backcountry area.

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Katmai National Park is famous for brown (or grizzly) bears, fish, volcanoes and rugged wilderness. Originally created in 1918 to preserve the famed Valley of Ten Thousand Smokes, the area was designated a National Park in 1980. The park covers an area in excess of 16,000 sq km.

Brown bears are very active in Katmai, with numbers increasing to more than 2,200. As they are not hunted, and food during the summer months is plentiful, the bears are extremely tolerant of humans, and extraordinary viewing is possible. Males can grow to an amazing 3 metres in height and to observe their behaviour at close quarters is a privilege few people will ever experience.

Despite the park’s size, there are only a few places where you can view bears in Katmai and we feature Katmai Wilderness Lodge (this page) and Brooks Lodge (p22). For an unrivalled bear viewing experience, we recommend you incorporate one of the tours on these pages into your itinerary.

Katmai Wilderness Lodge claims to offer “the world’s most spectacular bear viewing” and our CEO Steve Cameron was absolutely in agreement when he visited Katmai. On just one afternoon Steve saw 20 bears and was able to approach several individuals quite closely on foot. The scenery is spectacular and unspoiled as the lodge is the only private establishment on the coast of Katmai National Park. The lodge is situated in Kukak Bay against a backdrop of majestic mountains and dramatic glaciers. Comfortable accommodation is provided in modern log cabins whilst the main area has a warm lounge and dining room serving hearty meals.

**ITINERARY**

Day 1 Katmai Wilderness Lodge
Noon transfer by float plane from Kodiak to the lodge, arriving 1330. Afternoon activity.

Days 2/3 Katmai Wilderness Lodge
Each day you will set out by boat with your guide to explore this beautiful wilderness area. Activities include guided bear viewing and photography, guided wilderness hikes, sea kayaking and birding. Apart from bears, there are moose and fox in the area and many marine mammals such as otters and seals.

Day 4 Tour ends Kodiak
Breakfast and morning activity before your flight at 1330 to Kodiak Airport. Tour ends.
**WELCOME**

**Day Tours**

**Argillite Bear Viewing**

> Most Alaskan cruise ships call in at Juneau, the state’s remote capital which is accessible only by air or by sea. Gateway to rugged temperate rainforests, spectacular glaciers and sprawling icefields, it is one of the best places to see grizzlies in their natural habitat and to learn how to dog-sled.

**Admiralty Island Bear Viewing**

> Board’s classic Alaskan float plane and fly to Admiralty Island, a haven for brown bears. Prime bear-viewing generally occurs between July to mid-August when the salmon run is in full swing. The pristine rainforest on this island is also home to Bald Eagles and Sitka black-tailed deer, while whales frequent the surrounding waters. You typically explore Pack Creek Bear Sanctuary - a bear hotspot - for around 3 hours before returning to Juneau in the evening.

**Glacier Landing with Dog Sledding**

> This excitement-packed excursion combines two thrilling activities: helicopter flightseeing and dog-sledding. You'll explore spectacular lush forests and glacier-covered peaks to reach a secluded dog-sledding camp. Learn about the legendary annual islander race, and try your hand at steering your sled and dog pack along the Mendenhall Glacier. Spend around an hour in the snow before boarding your chopper back to Juneau.

**ARCTIC CIRCLE FLY/DRIVE ADVENTURE**

> Cross the legendary Arctic Circle by light aircraft, where you have the opportunity to wander the treeless tundra landscape and appreciate its scale. Return to Fairbanks by road, travelling along the isolated Dalton Highway. Enroute view the Yukon River (Alaska’s longest waterway), the remarkable Trans-Alaska Pipeline and visit the quaint Arctic Circle Trading Post in the rural community of Joy.

**FAIRBANKS DAY TOURS**

> **Artic Circle Fly/Drive Adventure**

> **JUNEAU & FAIRBANKS DAY TOURS • ALASKA**
ANCHORAGE

S
cenic Anchorage nestles between the
Chugach Mountains and Cook Inlet in
southeast Alaska. It was first settled in
1915 at the mouth of Ship Creek to
support the building of the railway. Today
it is the business and cultural centre of
Alaska, offering a range of attractions,
restaurants and shops. Well worth a visit
is the Museum of History and Art and the
Alaska Native Heritage Centre.

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DAY TOURS

Tour cost per person from: Twin $1083 Deluxe $1467

1. **Barrow Discovery**
   - Tour cost per person from: Twin $1083 Deluxe $1467
   - Duration: 2 days
   - Inclusions: Accommodation, ferry transportation, meals, and guided tours.

2. **Chinitna Bay Bear Viewing**
   - Tour cost per person from: Twin $1567 Deluxe $2025
   - Duration: 2 nights
   - Inclusions: Accommodation, bear watching, and optional activities.

3. **Turnagain Turnaround Tour**
   - Tour cost per person from: Twin $1650 Deluxe $2125
   - Duration: 2 days
   - Inclusions: Accommodation, ferry transportation, meals, and guided tours.

GLACIER & WILDLIFE FLIGHTSEEING

Tour cost per person: Twin $295 Deluxe $351

- 6 hour glacier and wildlife flightseeing tour.
- Inclusions: Accommodation, ferry transportation, meals, and guided tours.

INCLUSIONS

- Accommodation
- Meals
- Ferry transportation
- Guided tours

ANCHORAGE TOURS

A
the starting point for almost every visitor to Alaska, Anchorage is a
perfect base from which to discover southern Alaska’s extraordinary
wildlife, epic landscapes and rich indigenous culture. The small group
tours featured below are expertly guided and range from 1.5 hours to
2 days in duration, providing visitors with countless opportunities to admire
the state’s majestic scenery and to look for iconic species such as moose and
bear.

BARROW DISCOVERY

Experience authentic Inupiat Eskimo culture in the United States’ northernmost settlement. Depart Anchorage late afternoon on Alaska Airlines, transferring to the comfortable Top of the World Hotel in downtown Barrow for dinner. Visit the Inupiat Heritage Centre then take part in local musical performances and dine on local foods. Return by charter flight to Anchorage. Please note: this tour may be altered if a community event such as a funeral takes place.

CHINITNA BAY BEAR VIEWING

This fine contemporary hotel is situated close to shops, landmark and restaurants. Its 392
luxurious rooms and suites all offer the highest level of service and comfort. Amenities include a
cafe, room service, gym and indoor pool.

SHERATON ANCHORAGE HOTEL

Located in downtown Anchorage the hotel is
nearby to both the Anchorage Museum and Egan Centre. The property features 370 ensuite rooms
whilst amenities include a restaurant, cozy lounge and bar, health club and fitness centre.

HOTEL CAPTAIN COOK

Located in downtown Anchorage, Hotel Captain
Cook features 546 spacious rooms and suites with stunning views of Cook Inlet and the Chugach
Mountains. It also has four restaurants, retail
stores, indoor pool, fitness centre and free Wi-Fi.

THE HISTORICANCHORAGE

Located in downtown Anchorage this hotel has
just 26 comfortable, non-smoking rooms and suites
with ensuite bathrooms and modern amenities.
There is a fitness centre and the hotel provides
complimentary continental breakfast and Wi-Fi.

3 days/2 nights
From $1083 per person twin share
Departs daily ex Anchorage
15 May–14 Sep

Price per person from:
Seward Windsock Lodge Twin $1367 Single $1835
Creative Inn Twin $1083 Single $1463

INCLUSIONS

Return rail trip Anchorage to Seward (standard seating) 2 nights accommodation, 6 hour glacier and wildlife catamaran cruise with salmon and prime rib meal.*

*Gold tour upgrade available on Alaska Railroad.

Nestled beneath towering mountains and surrounded by sparkling blue waters in Seward, gateway to the beautiful Kenai Fjords National Park. Discover an incredible variety of marine wildlife including sea otters, harbour seals, humpback whales and orcas. Extra nights and optional activities such as marine tours, sea kayaking, hiking and glacier walks can be arranged.

Days 1/2 Seward Board the Alaska Railroad at 0645 for the train excursion. Depart arriving at 1105. Overnight at Seward Windsong Lodge.

Day 2 **Tour ends Anchorage**

Today is at leisure so relax or enjoy an optional excursion. Depart Seward at 1800 on the Alaska Railroad, arriving Anchorage 2215. Tour ends.
**VANCOUVER**

3 days 2 nights
From $434 per person twin share

Widely considered one of the world’s most beautiful cities, Vancouver nests between the Pacific Ocean and the rugged coastal mountains of British Columbia. Many explorations of Canada begin in this multicultural, vibrant metropolis whose many attractions deserve a few days of dedicated discovery. Highlights include Stanley Park with its scenic seawall, trendy Robson Street and historic Gastown. Also well worth a visit is the Capilano Suspension Bridge Park whose treetop walkway has thrilled visitors since 1889. Another option is the exciting Skyride to the summit of Grouse Mountain for spectacular views.

**FAIRMONT PACIFIC RIM HOTEL**
Offering sweeping views of the surrounding mountains and harbour, the prestigious Fairmont Pacific Rim Hotel has prime access to Vancouver’s cruise ship terminal and the city’s best shopping and dining areas. The 367 elegant guest rooms and suites feature Italian tiles and marble bathrooms.

**FAIRMONT WATERFRONT HOTEL**
This modern hotel offers breathtaking views of Vancouver’s Harbour, mountains and city skyline and is situated beside the Canada Place Cruise Ship Terminal. It features 489 contemporary rooms, an outdoor pool overlooking the harbour, a restaurant, cafe, bar, rooftop garden and gym.

**ROSEWOOD HOTEL GEORGIA**
A landmark since the Roaring Twenties, this exquisitely restored downtown property is one of Vancouver’s grandest hotels. Nestled within the heritage exterior are 156 ultra-chic guestrooms with spa-inspired bathrooms, a saltwater lap pool, day spa and fitness centre.

**ROSEDALE ON ROBSON**
Located on trendy Robson Street, this all-suite hotel offers comfortable one and two-bedroom apartments complete with galley kitchens so you can feel right at home. Enjoy the convenience of an onsite restaurant, indoor lap pool, sauna, hot tub and terrace garden.

**VICTORIA & BUTCHART GARDENS**
Visit the famous resort town of Whistler. Perfect for both relaxation and recreation, this town has fantastic golf courses as well as plenty of hiking, biking and riding trails. The village also offers great shopping and dining options.

**INCLUSIONS**
- 2-nights accommodation in Whistler (room only), return coach transfer Vancouver/Whistler/glider flightseeing tour (except May-Sep) and taxes.

**WHISTLER**
3 days 2 nights
From $695 per person twin share
Departs daily ex Vancouver May- Oct

Tour cost per person from: Twin Single
Fairmont Chateau Whistler (Fairmont Rm) $783 $1579
Delta Hotels by Marriott Whistler Village Suites (Guest Room) $675 $1197

**INCLUSIONS**
- 2-nights accommodation in Whistler (room only), return coach transfer Vancouver/Whistler/glider flightseeing tour (except May-Sep) and taxes.

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**VICTORIA**
One of Canada’s most beautiful cities, the charming colonial capital of British Columbia is known for its handsome public buildings overlooking the scenic Inner Harbour. Sitting on the south-eastern tip of Vancouver Island, there is plenty to do in this wonderful city. We offer a range of tours including a whale watching tour to see orcas, dolphins and other marine wildlife, or a visit to the perfectly manicured, world-famous Butchart Gardens.

**ACCOMMODATION**
Price per person per night from: Twin Single
Fairmont Empress Hotel (Fairmont Rm) $267 $532
Magnolia Hotel & Spa (Superior Rm) $140 $287
DoubleTree by Hilton Hotel (City View) $127 $252
Inn at Laurel Point (Laurel Wing) $109 $217

**INCLUSIONS**
- Accommodation (room only) with private facilities.
- Additional hotels are available on request.

**OPTIONAL TOURS & TRANSFERS**
**Whale Watching by Zodiac** - 3hrs Apr-Oct $150
**Whale Watching on the “Oso Spirit”** - 3hrs Apr-Oct $150
**The Butchart Gardens Experience** - 3hrs $102

**DOUBLETREE BY HILTON HOTEL & SUITES**
Overlooking the Inner Harbour close to many shops, this central DoubleTree hotel has 181 rooms and suites, restaurants and a 24-hour gym.

**MAGNOLIA HOTEL & SPA**
Idyllically located moments from the Inner Harbour, the 44 rooms of this boutique hotel oozes old world charm. Indulge with a meal in The Courtyard Room or a treatment at the day spa.

**HIGH FEES**

**INN AT LAUREL POINT**
This waterfront hotel is located on a scenic peninsular just outside the city centre. It has 300 rooms across two wings, a restaurant, indoor pool, gym and Japanese-style gardens.

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**WHOLESALE RATES**

**FAIRMONT EMPRESS HOTEL**
Featuring on the Conde Nast Gold list, this historic hotel is a landmark on Victoria’s Inner Harbour. There are 464 elegant guestrooms, a selection of restaurants and bars, indoor pool, saunas, health club and award-winning spa.
**CANADIAN ROCKIES • RAIL JOURNEYS**

**TWO-DAYS ROCKIES**

2 days/1 night
From $1935 per person twin share
Vancouver to Banff or Lake Louise
(Journey through the Clouds)

Starts on selected departure days.
One way tour cost per person from:

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**INCLUSIONS**

- 2 days onboard Rocky Mountaineer
- Accommodation in Banff or Lake Louise
- Meals as per itinerary

**JOURNEY THROUGH THE CLOUDS EXPLORER**

8 days/7 nights
From $4597 per person twin share
Vancouver to Calgary

Starts Vancouver (Eastbound) selected Mondays, Thursdays & Fridays 13 Apr – 08 Oct:
Tour cost per person from:

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- Baggage delivery to hotel in Quesnel
- Transfers to/from train stations
- Meals not specified in itinerary

**Rail Journeys • Canadian Rockies**

Day 5 Banff
Travel to Banff via one of the most scenic highways in the world, the Icefields Parkway stopping at the Columbia Icefield and Athabasca Falls. This route offers some of the most incredible scenery on Earth. Ride the Ice Explorer to the middle of the Athabasca Glacier. Overnight in Banf.

Day 6 Lake Louise
This morning explore beautiful Lake Louise. In the afternoon enjoy a half-day tour of Yoho National Park, home to wonders such as Emerald Lake. Continue on to Lake Louise with the remainder of the day free to explore. Overnight in Lake Louise.

**Rainforest to Gold Rush**

3 days/2 nights
From $2658 per person twin share
Vancouver to Jasper or v/v

**Goldleaf Service**
- Glass-dome windows that give you unparalleled panoramic views from your seat in the upper-level of the bi-level coach
- Hot gourmet a la carte breakfasts and lunches, served in the lower-level dining room
- An exclusive outdoor viewing platform

**Silverleaf Service**
- A single-level dome coach with panoramic views through oversized windows
- Hot gourmet breakfasts and lunches served at your seat
- Complimentary beverages (alcoholic and non-alcoholic) and snacks served throughout your journey

**Travels**

Day 1 Whistler
Travel aboard Rocky Mountaineer from Vancouver to Whistler through the stunning scenery of the Sea to Sky Corridor. Arrive in Whistler for your Rocky Mountaineer Hosts
- Baggage delivery to your hotel in Whistler, Kamloops or Whistler

Day 2 Quesnel
Travel on board Rocky Mountaineer from coastal Vancouver to Kamloops, the heart of British Columbia's interior. Highlights include the rushing waters of Hell's Gate in the Fraser Canyon and the steep slopes along the Thompson River. Skirt the scenic shores of Kamloops Lake on entry to Kamloops where you stay overnight.
- One way tour cost per person from:
  - Twin Single GoldLeaf Service $3604 $3831
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Day 3 Jasper
Your journey continues to the province of Alberta (Journey through the Clouds). Once again you will be surrounded by jaw-dropping scenery as you follow the North Thompson River through the Monashee and Cariboo mountains. Arrive in Jasper where your tour ends.
- These tours also operate in reverse order.

**Incredible Scenery**

- Picton is a world-famous wine village with award-winning wineries
- Traverse the majestic Canadian Rockies and Jasper National Park
- Visit the Columbia Icefield and Athabasca Falls
- Enjoy breathtaking scenery, from the fertile farmlands of Pemberton Valley, to the dramatic Fraser Canyon and the rolling hills of the Cariboo Plateau
- Visit the Athabasca Glacier, Yoho National Park, Emerald Lake and Banff

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**JOURNEY THROUGH THE CLOUDS AT LEISURE**

10 days/7 nights

From $5056 per person twin share

Vancouver to Calgary or v.v

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- 2 days onboard Rocky Mountaineer
- 2 breakfasts and 3 lunches
- Vancouver Lookout, Jasper National Park, Icefields Parkway
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Day 1 Vancouver

Arrive in Vancouver and check into your hotel. The rest of the day is at leisure.

Day 2 Kamloops

Transfer to Rocky Mountaineer Station and journey to Kamloops. Overnight at your hotel. BL

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Ride the Rocky Mountaineer to Banff. On day 4 experience the highlights of Banff including the Banff Gondola and Bow Falls. Day 5 is at leisure. Overnight at your hotel. BL (day 3 only).

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Day 12 Vancouver

Explore Whistler at your leisure. Overnight return to Vancouver. BL

Day 13 Tour ends Vancouver

Morning check out from your hotel. Tour ends.

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**RAINFALL TO GOLD RUSH EXPLORER**

9 days/8 nights

From $5299 per person twin share

Vancouver to Calgary or v.v

Starts Vancouver (Eastbound) Fridays: 24 Apr-01 Oct, 08, 15, 22 & 29 May, 05, 12, 19 & 26 Jun, 03, 10, 17, 24 & 31 Jul, 07, 14, 21 & 28 Aug, 04, 11, 18 & 25 Sep, 01 Oct

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**INCLUSIONS**

- 3 days onboard Rocky Mountaineer
- 3 nights hotel accommodation
- 2 breakfasts and 4 lunches (Calgary-Vancouver)
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**EXCLUSIONS**

- Gratuities and airport transfers.

This trip blends a rail adventure with plenty of time to relax amid the beauty of the Canadian Rockies.

Day 1/2/3 Vancouver/Kamloops

As per days 1-2 Grand Rail Circle. BL (day 2 only)

Day 3/4 Jasper

Board Rocky Mountaineer to Jasper. Enroute see Mt. Robson and Yellowhead Pass. On day 4 enjoy a scenic half-day tour of Jasper National Park. Rest of day is at leisure. Overnight at your hotel. BL & B

Days 5/6 Lake Louise

Travel by motorcoach along the Icefields Parkway, stopping at Columbia Icefield and the Athabasca Glacier. Continue on to The Fairmont Chateau Lake Louise via Bow Lake. Day 6 is free to enjoy activities. Visit Lake Louise such as canoeing or hiking. L (day 5 only)

Days 7/8 Banff


Day 9 Calgary

Depart Banff including the Banff Gondola and a 12-minute summer helicopter flight over the Rockies. Transfer to Calgary for overnight.

Day 10 Tour ends Calgary

Check out from your hotel this morning. Tour ends.

This tour also operates in reverse order.
THE CANADIAN
5 days/6 nights
From $1734 per person twin share
To Toronto or Vancouver r/v
Departs 2 times weekly
Make tracks across Canada aboard Via Rail’s elegant flagship train, which glides between Toronto and Vancouver. Skirt the great lakes of Ontario and traverse the wide prairies of Manitoba and Alberta to reach the stupendous Canadian Rockies. Arrival is scheduled during daylight hours so you can make the most of the Rocky Mountain vistas that only train passengers have the privilege of seeing. Travel Sleeper Plus Class for a choice of cozy berth or cabin accommodation, use of a shower located in each sleeping car and access to the Skyline and Park cars’ lounges and domes. Upgrade to Prestige Class for an upscale ensuite cabin and onboard concierge service. Departs Toronto 0945 Wed & Sun Departs Vancouver 1500 Mon & Fri Cost per person from: Upper Bedroom: $1714 Lower Bedroom $2018 En-suite $2900 *Prices for Vancouver to Toronto on application. Surcharges require 10% off listed prices.

INCLUSIONS
All meals onboard.

VIA RAIL
Departs on selected departure days
One of the most relaxed ways to explore Canada is by rail. VIA Rail boasts an extensive network, spanning the country’s east and west coasts as well as a comprehensive timetable with great fares. Travel between vibrant destinations like Montreal and Quebec City or Toronto and Ottawa on comfortable day trains, conveniently avoiding traffic and arriving right in the heart of downtown. For a classic overnight rail adventure, board one of VIA Rail’s long-distance services connecting exciting destinations like Vancouver to picturesque Rockies towns such as Kamloops and Jasper.

For extended journeys, take advantage of VIA Rail’s 2 day CANRAIL pass for great value travel on their entire Canadian network.

1) THE CANADIAN
This exceptional route covers 4,666 scenic kilometres – including the magnificent Canadian Rockies – between Vancouver on the Pacific coast and Toronto by Lake Ontario (see The Rockies - between Vancouver on the Pacific and Jasper.

2) CORRIDOR
Follow the St Lawrence River from Quebec City to Montreal, Lake Ontario, Toronto and Niagara Falls before terminating in Windsor. The train offers two comfortable classes of travel. Ontario and Quebec city tours are featured on p48-49.

3) THE OCEAN
Explore the historic Canadian Maritimes (tours on p50) and its lovely small towns on The Ocean route, which spans 1,346km between Montreal and Halifax. Enjoy fascinating historical and cultural presentations onboard.

4) JASPER > PRINCE RUPERT
Gorgeous mountain scenery and rushing rivers are guaranteed on this spectacular 1,160km track which runs between Jasper in the Canadian Rockies and Prince Rupert on BC’s rugged north coast.

5) MONTREAL > SENNETTERE/RJONQUERE
One of Via Rail’s most picturesque routes whisk adventure seekers into the pristine wilds of northern Quebec, a mosaic of forests, waterfalls and lakes. When you travel with VIA Rail, you can be sure of excellent quality at an affordable price. For further information, please contact us on (03) 9249 3777 or 1300 363 102.

KHUTZYMATEEN WILDERNESS LODGE
4 days/3 nights from $3348 per person twin share*
Departs daily ex Seal Cove, Prince Rupert
Fly by seaplane to the pristine Khutzeymateen, Canada’s only grizzly bear sanctuary. Landing at your floating eco lodge you will head straight out on the boat with your guide in search of grizzly bears. The lodge is the only one in the Khutzeymateen and has 6 guest bedrooms (one queen bed in each), 3 shared bathrooms and a sauna. Seals and river otters swim beneath the living room and fresh, healthy meals are served at the red cedar dining table. There is an outdoor fire pit, sea kayaks, and stand up paddle boards. Days are filled with grizzly bears, bald eagles, seabirds, seals, waterfalls and mountains, and you will be out bear viewing and exploring for an average of 5-6 hours every day.

INCLUSIONS
Return float plane transportation from Seal Cove (Prince Rupert), 3 nights accommodation on full board basis, soft drinks, wine/beer with dinner, twice daily boat trips. Return water taxi transfers from Campbell River, 3 nights full board accommodation, all drinks (including wine, beer and spirits), 1 day guided Grizzly Bear Tour (01 Sep-15 Oct) or half day Philips River Cultural Tour (01 May-31 Aug), helicopter glacier tours, fishing and more. Sonora is easily accessed by water taxi from Campbell River or helicopter from Vancouver.

SONORA RESORT
4 days/3 nights from $3645 per person twin share*
Departs daily ex Campbell River
Experience eco adventures in the heart of the wilderness whilst enjoying all the comforts of this Relais & Châteaux property. The resort offers 88 deluxe suites, gourmet meals, spa, outdoor heated pool, golf, gym, sauna and more. Outdoor adventures include grizzly viewing (late Aug-Oct), kayaking, helicopter glacier tours, fishing and more. Sonora is easily accessed by water taxi from Campbell River or helicopter from Vancouver.

INCLUSIONS
Return water taxi transfers from Campbell River. 3 nights full board accommodation, all drinks (including wine, beer and spirits), 1 day guided Grizzly Bear Tour (01 Sep-15 Oct) or half day Philips River Cultural Tour (01 May-31 Aug), 3 hour Blind Channel Eco Tour with birds and plants, full use of all resort amenities and conservation fee.

*Based on two people sharing, singles on request.

TWEEDSMUIR PARK LODGE
4 days/3 nights from $4722 per person twin share*
Departs daily ex Bells Coola
Surrounded by mountains this award-winning lodge offers grizzly bear safaris that are recognised as one of Canada’s “signature experiences”. In September/October the bears are drawn to rivers teeming with returning salmon. The lodge offers 9 ensuite timber guest chalets and a main lodge with dining area, lounge and wraparound balcony. The extensive grounds have a bear viewing platform above the river. Activities include nature walks, mountain biking and tube floating on the river.

INCLUSIONS
Ground transportation including round-trip water taxi from Bells Coola Airport; 3 nights full board accommodation, unlimited spa, coffee and tea guided activities on each full day such as nature walks, river drifts, Fiery Notches culture & valley tour use of sporting equipment.

*Based on two people sharing, singles on request. Larger packages available on request. Private package must be booked for children under 12.

KRUSKOEYSENEN WILDERNESS LODGE 4 days/3 nights from $3348 per person twin share*
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KNIGHT INLET LODGE

From 3 days/2 nights
From $1865 per person twin share*
Departs daily ex Campbell River from 21 May-15 Oct
Tour cost per person from:
3D/2N $1865
4D/3N $3206
5D/4N $4540
6D/5N $5884
7D/6N $7221
*Based on two people sharing, singles on request. Children 6+ from May-mid Aug and 8+ from mid Aug-Oct.

KNIGHT INLET LODGE has achieved a well-deserved reputation over the years for being one of the best places on the planet to view grizzly (brown) bears in the wild thanks to its unspoilt location. Nestled in the only protected cove on a 160km long inlet for which the property is named, the lodge’s only neighbours are bears, mountain goats, otters, seals and eagles!

Each day here can be filled with interesting activities and tours accompanied by trained naturalists. Grizzlies can be viewed from specially built tree platforms overlooking salmon spawning channels or from boats, depending on the season. There are also marine tours to the magnificent Johnstone Strait to see orcas, minke whales, sea lions, seals, dolphins and porpoises. Wilderness walks and jetboat tours down the Inlet are also included. All tours include a first night in Campbell River. A sample 5 day/4 night itinerary is shown below.

SAMPLE ITINERARY

Day 1 Campbell River Transfer from Campbell River Airport on Vancouver Island to Comfort Inn & Suites for overnight.

Days 2-4 Knight Inlet Lodge Transfer by float plane flight (30 mins) to Knight Inlet Lodge. With its 18 warm, cedar-panelled ensuite rooms and cosy wood burning stoves, the lodge accommodates guests in complete comfort. Choose from a range of activities, including grizzly bear viewing by boat or from the tree platforms and boat trips to Johnstone Strait to see marine wildlife (weather permitting). There is also great bird-watching to be had here with species including Bald Eagle. The more adventurous may wish to explore the surrounding old-growth rainforests on foot or maybe even paddle a sea kayak. In the evening, enjoy delicious meals of fresh Pacific salmon and crab served in the dining room.

Day 5 Tour ends Campbell River Transfer by float plane to Campbell River. Tour ends.

GREAT WILDLIFE VIEWING

“Thirty-five bear sightings in 5 days, seals and otters outside our room and orcas just minutes from the lodge - I didn’t want to leave!” Sara Cameron.

GRIZZLY BEAR VIEWING SEASONS:
21 May-23 Aug  From boats along shoreline
24 Aug-15 Oct   Platforms in the spawning channel, as well as tree and river stands.

INCLUSIONS
Transfers in Campbell River to/from float plane dock, hotel and airport, one nights accommodation with breakfast at Comfort Inn & Suites, light aircraft flight from/to lodge, full board (house wine with dinner) and activities at Knight Inlet Lodge, protective rainwear if required. Rate includes environmental levy & gratuity. Luggage limit: 14 kg.

BRITISH COLUMBIA • GRIZZLY BEARS

GRIZZLY BEARS • BRITISH COLUMBIA
FAREWELL HARBOUR LODGE
From 4 days/3 nights
From $4479 per person twin share*
Departs ex Alder Bay from 01 Jun-09 Oct
Tour cost per person from*: Twin $4479
$5569
$6589
$8531
*Based on two people sharing, singles on request.

SAMPLE ITINERARY
Day 1 Farewell Harbour Lodge
Transfer by water taxi from Alder Bay directly to the lodge (25 min). This afternoon enjoy an activity such as wildfowl viewing or sea kayaking. Overnight at Farewell Harbour Lodge.

Days 2-4 Farewell Harbour Lodge
There are just 12 stylish suites at this lodge, with access to a lounge, dining room, bar and sundock. Explore the wilderness on daily excursions by Zodiac, kayak or on foot in search of bears, orcas, dolphins, porpoises and sea lions.

Day 5 Tour ends Alder Bay
Enjoy a final morning activity before returning by water taxi to Alder Bay. Tour ends.

INCLUSIONS
Complimentary round trip ground shuttle from Port Hardy Airport or local hotels to Alder Bay if required. Round trip water taxi Alder Bay to FAREWELL HARBOUR LODGE, full board, house wine with dinner, soft drinks/juices throughout the day. Luggage limit: 14 kg. No children under 10.

GREAT BEAR NATURE TOURS
4 days/3 nights or 7 days/6 nights
From $3133 per person twin share*
Departs ex Port Hardy from 07 May-19 Oct
Tour cost per person from*: Twin $3133
$3553
$5553
$6589
$7589
2020 departure dates: 07, 10, 13, 16, 19 & 22 May, 03, 06, 09, 12, 15, 18, 21, 24, 27 & 30 Jun, 03, 06, 09, 12, 15, 18, 21, 24, 27 & 30 Jul, 02, 05, 08, 11, 14 & 17 Aug, 01, 04, 07, 10, 13 & 16 Oct.
Luggage limit: 14 kg. No children under 15.

SAMPLE ITINERARY
Days 1-3 Great Bear Lodge
Make your way to the Seaplane Base in Port Hardy for your 1500 transfer by float plane to Great Bear Lodge. This charming two-storey floating lodge has 8 bedrooms with private facilities. Enjoy gourmet meals and activities including morning and afternoon bear viewing expeditions guided by a wildlife biologist.

Day 4 Tour ends Port Hardy
Transfer by float plane to Port Hardy. Tour ends.

INCLUSIONS
Ground transportation from Port Hardy Airport or hotel to seaplane base on arrival & departure day. seaplane flight to/from lodge, full board; complimentary wine & beer; activities including morning and afternoon bear viewing; research contribution & staff gratuity.

SPIRIT BEAR LODGE
From 4 days/3 nights
From $5553 per person twin share
Departs Mon & Fri ex Vancouver from 01 Jun-10 Oct
Tour cost per person from*: Twin $5553
$5990
$6859
$7535
$8032
5D/4N $4737
$5553
$6589
$8531
*Based on two people sharing, singles on request.

SAMPLE ITINERARY
Day 1 Spirit Bear Lodge
Fly from Vancouver to Bella Bella then transfer to the dock for water taxi to Spirit Bear Lodge.

Days 2-4 Spirit Bear Lodge
Built in the style of a traditional long house, the modern interior features 12 comfortable ensuite rooms. Activities include daily excursions in search of spirit bears, grizzlies, eagles and a host of other wildlife accompanied by a professional guide.

Day 5 Tour ends Vancouver
Enjoy a morning tour before transferring back to Bella Bella to catch the afternoon flight to Vancouver. Tour ends.

INCLUSIONS
Return airfare from Vancouver to Bella Bella, ground transfer from Bella Bella airport to dock, rounding water taxi from Bella Bella to SPIRIT BEAR LODGE, full board at SPIRIT BEAR LODGE with daily activities; house wine with dinner and services of a professional local guide.

TRAVEL DEEP INTO THE HEART OF THE GREAT BEAR RAINFOREST TO THE REMOTE COASTAL VILLAGE OF KLEMTU WHERE YOU WILL FIND SPIRIT BEAR LODGE. EXPLORE PRISTINE RIVER VALLEYS WITH A FIRST NATIONS GUIDE AND ENJOY EXCLUSIVE ACCESS TO SOME OF THE BEST GRIZZLY AND SPIRIT BEAR VIEWING IN THE RAINFOREST. SIGNIFICANT TO LOCAL COMMUNITIES IN THE AREA, SPIRIT BEARS ARE A RARE SUBSPECIES OF BLACK BEAR SPORTING UNIQUE WHITE OR CREAM-COLOURED COATS.
JASPER

The scenic town of Jasper is surrounded by mountains and spectacular emerald lakes. It is a perfect base for outdoor adventures such as hiking, canoeing, golf and other sports.

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INCLUSIONS

Accommodation with private facilities (room only).

FAIRMONT JASPER PARK LODGE

This luxury lakeside resort is set on magnificently wooded grounds on the shores of Lac Beauvert, 7km from jasper town. On this iconic property are 442 contemporary rooms set in rustic cedar chalets and heritage log cabins. There are also multiple restaurants, lounges, a spa, pool, saunas, gym, games room and golf course.

THE CRIMSON HOTEL

This 99-room hotel offers contemporary European-style suites, free Wi-Fi, an onsite restaurant, an indoor pool and fitness room. The many attractions of downtown Jasper are conveniently just minutes away.

WHISTER’S INN

This simple, classic alpine inn has the snow-capped Rockies at its doorstep. In addition to comfortable ensuite guestrooms, the property is home to a popular pub, two onsite restaurants, twin rooftop hot tubs and a steam room.

LAKE LOUISE

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POST HOTEL & SPA

Nestled in the Bow River Valley this Relais & Chateaux mountain resort boasts sensational views of the Canadian Rockies. The hotel has an array of premium accommodation options from comfortable rooms and spacious suites to family cabins. The Outpost Pub and hotel dining room both offer a superb dining experience, whilst the callar boasts over 2,300 wines to choose from.

LAKE LOUISE INN

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ACCESS TO BANFF & JASPER

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TRAVEL IN WINTER

Banff, Jasper and Lake Louise are all located high up in the majestic Canadian Rockies. During the winter months (Dec-Feb), this region is a wonderland for snowsports enthusiasts, with skiers and snowboarders worldwide chasing the powder-like snow. Other sought after activities include snowshoeing through fragrant forests and dog sledding across dreamy white landscapes. Most of the accommodation options we offer in this region are perfect during these picturesque months, with cozy rooms and amenities such as fireplaces and hot tubs. See p40 for a simple itinerary encompassing all three of these postcard-worthy alpine towns or contact our Canada experts to have a program tailor-made for you.

FAIRMONT BANFF SPRINGS HOTEL

This chateau-style resort is a mere 1km from the town centre. Inspired by a Scottish baronial castle, this landmark property offers 764 guest rooms, multiple restaurants and bars, outdoor and indoor pools, a health club, a world-class European-style spa, tennis courts, shops and two golf courses.

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INCLUSIONS

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RIMROCK RESORT

Situated on forested mountain slopes outside Banff with incredible views, this CAA Four Diamond Hotel features 343 well-appointed guestrooms. The resort also has a range of onsite restaurants and bars, an indoor pool, squash court and gym.

ELK & AVENUE HOTEL

Steps from the quaint streets and nightlife of downtown Banff, the hotel brings an upscale twist to the classic mountain escape. The 142 contemporary rooms contain modern amenities whilst facilities include a restaurant, cocktail lounge and hot tub.

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LAKE LOUISE & CAR HIRE • CANADA

BANFF

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his famous all-season resort town is situated in the heart of the Rocky Mountains 130km west of Calgary. From peaceful meadows to imposing mountain peaks, there is plenty to see and do, including hiking, horseback riding, rafting, canoeing and flightseeing. Of course, you can also simply relax amongst the breathtaking alpine scenery. Highlights include the local hot springs and the Banff Gondola which carries visitors 700m up to the summit of Sulphur Mountain to enjoy panoramic views of the landscape.

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4 days/3 nights
From $1395 per person twin share
Departs Whitehorse or Yellowknife

Tour cost per person:
- Twin Single

Blachford Lake Lodge (Lodge Room)
$3646 $4546
Southern Lakes Resort
$2395 $2753
Inn on the Lake (Classic Room)
$2046 $2561
Northern Lights Resort & SPA
$1795 $1997

INCLUSIONS
(Northern Lights Resort & SPA, Southern Lakes Resort and Inn on the Lake) Transfer from Whitehorse Airport. 3 nights accommodation on a half board basis (on your own at the Lake front hotel), 3 half day dog sledding and one full day photographing activity (dependant on snow conditions), use of lodge facilities, winter clothing rental for duration of stay.

*In an on the Lake includes one half day guided snowmobiling and one fishing (activities dependant on snow conditions).
*Winter clothing rental not included at Northern Lights Resort & SPA (please ask for a quote).

EXCLUSIONS
Swimwear and private

INCLUSIONS
(Blachford Lake Lodge): Scenic bush plane ride from Yellowknife to Blachford resort, all meals at the lodge, daily snacks, coffee, tea, juice, Aurora photography tips and tours, use of Aurora lodge’s spa, northern lights hot tub, sauna, Aurora viewing decks, high speed wireless internet, daily two hour guided interpretative experience, use of seasonal equipment with basic instruction.

EXCLUSIONS
Absolute minimum age (12 y/o), snowmobile rental (please ask for a quote).
Polar bear up-close to the Tundra Buggy!

Small-sized groups
- Guided by a Photo Specialist
- History, culture and bear viewing.

Larger-sized groups
- Shorter programs with minimal matches your interests:
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  - Manitoba and are unlike anything you'll watch and photograph the polar bears Tundra Buggies designed all-terrain vehicles called The bears are viewed from specially designed all-terrain vehicles called Tundra Buggies® which allow you to watch and photograph the polar bears safely at close quarters. The buggies are heated, have washrooms and opening windows. They guarantee an exceptional view of wildlife in northern Manitoba and are unlike anything you’ll find anywhere else.

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ENTHUSIAST
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- History, culture and bear viewing. Activities include dog-sledding, museum visits and slide presentations
- Medium-sized groups

SPECIALIST
- Guided by a Photo Specialist
- Most amount of time on the tundra with polar bears
- Small-sized groups

Incredible polar bear experiences with polar bears
Activities include dogsledding, wildlife adventures on the shores of the Arctic Circle, Itsanitaq Museum, Parks Canada Visitor Centre, Area Tours, Churchill Tundra Lodge, and stand up to 3 metres tall.

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Hudson Bay Odyssey
7 days/6 nights
From $16443 per person twin share*
Departs ex Winnipeg
2020 departure dates: 11, 15 & 31 Aug, 04 & 08 Sep
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INCLUSIONS
Returns airfare between Winnipeg, Churchill and the lodge, 2 nights in Winnipeg, 4 nights Nanuk Polar Bear Lodge, meals as per itinerary, daily activities at the lodge, visit to Churchill (self-guided).

EXCLUSIONS
Arrival and departure transfers in Winnipeg.

Day 1 Winnipeg
Arrive in Winnipeg for an overnight stay at The Grand Winnipeg Airport Hotel. Evening orientation to meet fellow group members and your hosts. D

Day 2 Dymond Lake Lodge
Fly to Churchill this morning. Change planes and enjoy a short 15 minute flight to Dymond Lake Lodge. Settle into your room then enjoy a guided hike along the hauntingly beautiful coastline and an afternoon presentation featuring the wildlife of Hudson Bay. BLD

Days 3-4 Dymond Lake Lodge
After a hearty hot breakfast, rug up and set off on a morning walk with a good chance of seeing polar bears. Lunch is served back at the lodge, while evening meals encourage chatting with your fellow guests. You'll also enjoy regular presentations or informative talks about native wildlife. Ask to be woken at night for bear or Aurora Borealis viewing. BLD

Day 5 Churchill
After breakfast, fly back to Churchill. Rest of the day free to explore Churchill or take additional optional excursions such as dog sledding or a heli-tour. Overnight in Churchill. BLD

Day 6 Winnipeg
Morning excursion in a “truck vehicle” for more polar bear viewing. Lunch “with the bears” - your meal will be prepared and served to you on the tour. Evening flight to Winnipeg and a night at The Grand Winnipeg Airport Hotel. BLD

Day 7 Tour ends
Transfer to the airport for your onward flight. Tour ends.

INCLUSIONS
Return airfare between Winnipeg, Churchill and the lodge, 2 nights in Winnipeg, 3 nights Nanuk Polar Bear Lodge, meals as per itinerary, daily activities at the lodge, visit to Churchill (self-guided).

EXCLUSIONS
Arrival and departure transfers in Winnipeg.

Nanuk Polar Bear Lodge’s remoteness provides you with exclusive access to one of the most pristine wilderness areas in the world. It is also strategically located in very close proximity to significant polar bear denning activity.

BIRDS, BEARS AND BELUGAS
8 days/7 nights
From $15658 per person twin share*
Departs ex Winnipeg
2020 departure dates: 11, 14, 21, 26 & 31 Jul, 05 & 10 Aug
*Based on two people sharing, singles on request.

INCLUSIONS
Return airfare between Winnipeg, Churchill and the lodge, 2 nights in Winnipeg, 3 nights Seal River Heritage Lodge, meals as per itinerary, activities at the lodge, daily polar bear viewing, 1 day trip along Hudson Bay coast on the Tundra Tracker. Zodiac expeditions.

EXCLUSIONS
Arrival and departure transfers in Winnipeg.

The Birds, Bears, and Belugas safari in July and August combines the thrill of whale watching with classic land-based summer polar bear viewing. This unique program also provides guests with opportunities to admire tundra abodes with brilliant wildflowers.

Day 1 Winnipeg
Arrive Winnipeg and make your own way to your overnight accommodation - The Grand Winnipeg Airport Hotel. Meet your fellow travellers and guide for dinner at the hotel. D

Day 2 Seal River Heritage Lodge
Fly from Winnipeg to Churchill. You are met on arrival and transferred by air to Seal River Heritage Lodge. Enjoy the amazing views of Hudson Bay as you wing your way to your remote wilderness destination. On arrival enjoy a tour of the lodge and a thorough orientation on travel in polar bear country. After lunch, head to the coast for sightseeing and afterwards, enjoy dinner back at the lodge. BLD

Day 3-6 Seal River Heritage Lodge
Depending on both the weather and the group’s interests, you will spend the next 4 days enjoying a wide range of activities. Things you may do include marine excursions by boat, walking/trekking tours, a full day Tundra Tracker vehicle safety photography trip, Aurora Borealis viewing (best later in the season) and bird watching. Of course, you’ll also enjoy some well-deserved downtime at the lodge. BLD

Day 7 Winnipeg
After another hearty lunch breakfast, begin the journey back to Churchill by air and spend the rest of the day exploring this remote town. Evening flight back to Winnipeg for one more night at The Grand Winnipeg Airport Hotel. BLD

Day 8 Tour Ends
Your tour ends in the morning.
ARCTIC KINGDOM

Embark on an extraordinary expedition to discover the nature of the true Arctic - from pods of whales to polar bears, blooming flora to stunning vistas of icebergs and a vast blue skyline. Immerse yourself in the rich, ancient culture of the Inuit, with visits to traditional communities and excursions led by local Inuit guides.

Arctic Kingdom specialises in highly personalised explorations for small groups generally between 8 and 16 participants. Daily itineraries are flexible to make the most of local weather conditions and wildlife viewing opportunities.

NARWHAL & POLAR BEAR SAFARI

8 days/7 nights
From $23,381 per person twin share*
Tented Safari Camp/Hotel
Departs ex Ottawa, Canada

*Based on two people sharing, singles on request.

2020 Departure dates:
14, 21 & 28 May 04 & 11 Jun

INCLUSIONS
Services of expedition leader and Inuit guides, round-trip flights Ottawa to Pond Inlet, all transportation for duration of trip, accommodation (2 nights’ in Pond Inlet and 5 nights’ in Tented Safari Camp), meals as per program, use of kayaks/kayak/nautical and photography equipment.

EXCLUSIONS
Accommodation, meals and transfers in Ottawa, medical evacuation and baggage insurance, tips and gratuities.

Observe pods of the rare and elusive narwhal beneath the Midnight Sun on this exclusive fly-in safari. At the ice flow edge in the northern reaches of Baffin Island are a wealth of other amazing Arctic species, including polar bears, seals, belugas and bowhead whales.

Day 1 Pond Inlet
Morning flight from Ottawa to Pond Inlet via Igloolik. You will be met and transfered to your hotel. Meet your expedition leader for briefing and hot dinner. Overnight in hotel. D

Day 2 Base Camp
After breakfast and an orientation by Parks Canada, travel to your camp on the ice flow edge by qamutik (traditional sled) and experience gliding across the ice. BLD

Days 3-6 Base Camp
Over the next few days enjoy a variety of exciting activities. Enjoy trips to the flow edge in search of wildlife by snowmobile or qamutik. Hike stunning Arctic landscapes, kayak among sea ice, smoked in whale-rich waters and tour evocative ancient Thule sites. Arctic wildlife sightings may include narwhal, seals and polar bears. BLD

Day 7 Pond Inlet
After breakfast return to Pond Inlet via qamutik and snowmobile. Enjoy a special Inuit cultural presentation. Overnight Pond Inlet. BLD

Day 8 Tour ends Ottawa
Transfer to the airport for your flight to Ottawa. Tour ends. B

Polar Bear Migration

FLY-IN SAFARI

8 days/7 nights
From $16,724 per person twin share*
Premium Safari Camp
Departs ex Winnipep, Canada

*Based on two people sharing, singles on request.

2020 Departure dates:
12, 17, 22 & 27 Oct, 06 & 11 Nov

INCLUSIONS
Round-trip flights Winnipeg to Churchill, charter flight from Churchill to the Polar Bear Cabins, services of expedition leader & Inuit guides, all transportation for duration of trip, accommodation (5 nights in Polar Bear Cabins and 2 nights in Winnipeg Airport hotel), all meals while at camp.

EXCLUSIONS
Accommodation, meals and transfers in Winnipeg, medical evacuation and baggage insurance, tips and gratuities.

Designed for photographers of any level this Arctic adventure offers a rare opportunity to photograph polar bears in their natural habitat. The remote, spectacular shore of Hudson Bay is sure to leave an unforgettable impression and memories to last a lifetime.

Day 1 Winnipeg
Arrive in Winnipeg and transfer to your hotel. D

Day 2 Polar Bear Cabins
Fly to Churchill and the polar bear capital of the world. Transfer by private charter to the camp in Nunavut. Enjoy the scenic flight across Hudson Bay LD

Days 3-7 Polar Bear Cabins
Photograph polar bears and other arctic wildlife on the ground from the safety of the Polar Bear Cabins complex. Enjoy hikes across the tundra in search of wildlife with Inuit guides. On day 7 fly back to Winnipeg via Churchill. Overnight Winnipeg (BLDBL on day 7).

Day 8 Tour ends Winnipeg
Check out from your hotel. Tour ends. B

POLAR BEAR & GLACIERS OF BAFFIN ISLAND

7 days/6 nights
From $16,698 per person twin share*
Tented Safari Camp/Hotel
Departs ex Ottawa, Canada

*Based on two people sharing, singles on request.

2020 Departure dates:
12, 17, 22 & 27 Oct, 06 & 11 Nov

INCLUSIONS
Round-trip flights Ottawa to Churchill, charter flight from Churchill to the Polar Bear Cabins, services of expedition leader & Inuit guides, all transportation for duration of trip, accommodation (5 nights in Polar Bear Cabins and 3 nights in Winnipeg Airport hotel), all meals while at camp.

EXCLUSIONS
Accommodation, meals and transfers in Winnipeg, medical evacuation and baggage insurance, tips and gratuities.

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Day 8 Tour ends Winnipeg
Check out from your hotel. Tour ends. B

“...Our amazing trip was based on Foxe Basin outside the small Inuit village of Igloolik, Nunavut. Group was small and covered several nationalities and age groups. Our head guide/leader was very competent and his knowledge of this part of the world was terrific, nothing was too much trouble for him. Daily boat trips in search of wildlife were long but worth the effort when you see walrus and whales in their natural environment. Many birds and seals were great photographic subjects. Food and accommodation (tents) were of first class standard and we would happily recommend Arctic Kingdom to anyone looking for some adventure and an insight to the Inuit culture and Arctic animals." - Julie Barnett & John Nixon, Melbourne
ONTARIO, CANADA • TORONTO & NIAGARA FALLS

TORONTO EXPERIENCE

4 days/3 nights
From $607 per person twin share
Departs daily ex Toronto

Tour cost per person from: Twin Single
Fairmont Royal York (Penthouse Suite) $1169 $1630
Holiday Inn Toronto Downtown (Deluxe Room) $742 $1205
Courtyard by Marriott (Penthouse Suite) $726 $1200
Pantages Hotel (Deluxe Suite) $807 $1321

INCLUSIONS
3 nights accommodation (room only), full day excursion to Niagara Falls including lunch and Niagara-on-the-Lake, including lunch and dinner. Return to Toronto for overnight. Departs daily ex Toronto.

Day 1 Toronto
You will be collected from your hotel for the drive through picturesque fruit orchards and vineyards to the town of Niagara. There will be plenty of time to view and photograph the falls as well as an exciting boat ride on the Hornblower for a unique view of the spectacular HorseShoe Falls. After lunch, drive along the beautiful Niagara Parkway as it winds along Niagara Gorge and past the historic community of Niagara-on-the-Lake. Return to Toronto for overnight.

Day 2 Niagara
Enjoy a 6 hour sightseeing tour of Niagara Falls including lunch and Niagara-on-the-Lake, including lunch and dinner. Return to Toronto for overnight.

Day 3 Toronto
Morning check out from your hotel. Tour ends.

Day 4 Tour ends Toronto

INCLUSIONS
3 nights accommodation in Toronto and 2 nights in Niagara Falls (room only), full day tour of Niagara Falls including lunch and Niagara-on-the-Lake, including lunch and dinner. Return transfers Toronto/Niagara Falls.

Quebec City Stay

4 days/3 nights
From $479 per person twin share
Departs daily ex Quebec

Tour cost per person from: Twin Single
Fairmount Le Château Frontenac $870 $1435
Hotel Pomeroy (Fairmont Room) $790 $1435
Hotel Clarion (Run of the House) $479 $873

INCLUSIONS
3 nights accommodation (room only), 2hr Walking Tour (operates Apr-Oct) and 1hr Gourmet Stop Tour (operates May-Oct).

QUEBEC CITY STAY

4 days/3 nights
From $479 per person twin share
Departs daily ex Quebec

Tour cost per person from: Twin Single
Fairmont Le Château Frontenac $870 $1435
Hotel Pomeroy Courtyard (Fairmont Room) $790 $1435
Hotel Clarion (Run of the House) $479 $873

INCLUSIONS
3 nights accommodation (room only), 2hr Walking Tour (operates Apr-Oct) and 1hr Gourmet Stop Tour (operates May-Oct).

Toronto/ Niagara Falls Experience

5 days/4 nights
From $791 per person twin share
Departs daily ex Toronto

Tour cost per person from: Cat A Cat B Cat C
A Fairmont Royal York (Penthouse Suite) $1033 $791 $557
B Pantages Hotel (Deluxe Suite) / DoubleTree Fallsview Resort & Spa by Hilton (Superior Room)* $1033 $791 $557
C Holiday Inn Toronto Downtown (Standard Room) / Crowne Plaza Fallsview (Traditional Room)
*Based on two people sharing single on request.

INCLUSIONS
3 nights accommodation in Toronto and 2 nights in Niagara Falls (room only), 6 hour tour of Niagara Falls, 6 hour tour of Niagara Falls, and a visit to the top of the impressive CN Tower, the 9th tallest freestanding structure in the world at 553.33m. Catch a baseball game at the Skydome or visit historic Fort York, built in 1793. This tour provides you with the opportunity to explore Toronto and includes a full day trip to magnificent Niagara Falls.

Days 1/2 Toronto
Arrive Toronto for a three night stay. Explore this beautiful city at your leisure.

Day 3 Toronto
You will be collected from your hotel for the drive through picturesque fruit orchards and vineyards to the town of Niagara. There will be plenty of time to view and photograph the falls as well as an exciting boat ride on the Hornblower for a unique view of the spectacular HorseShoe Falls. After lunch, drive along the beautiful Niagara Parkway as it winds along Niagara Gorge and past the historic community of Niagara-on-the-Lake. Return to Toronto for overnight.

Day 4 Tour ends Toronto
Morning check out from your hotel. Tour ends.

Quebec City Experience

4 days/3 nights
From $866 per person twin share
Departs daily ex Montreal

Tour cost per person from: Twin Single
Fairmont The Queen Elizabeth $962 $1796
Le Place D’Armes Hotel & Suites* (Deluxe Room) $872 $1613
Delta Hotels by Marriott Montreal (Guest Room) $866 $1607

INCLUSIONS
3 nights accommodation (room only), 1hr Cruise (operates 02 May-18 Oct) and 3.5hr Motorcoach City Tour.

Montreal & Quebec City • Quebec, Canada

4 days/3 nights
From $866 per person twin share
Departs daily ex Montreal

Tour cost per person from: Twin Single
Fairmont The Queen Elizabeth $962 $1796
Le Place D’Armes Hotel & Suites* (Deluxe Room) $872 $1613
Delta Hotels by Marriott Montreal (Guest Room) $866 $1607

INCLUSIONS
3 nights accommodation (room only), 1hr Cruise (operates 02 May-18 Oct) and 3.5hr Motorcoach City Tour.

Days 1/2 Montreal
Arrive Montreal. On day 2, a 3.5 hour narrated coach tour takes you past over 300 points of interest from capturing Old Montreal and the handsome Notre Dame Basilica to the top of Mount Royal. Afternoon free to explore.

Day 3 Montreal
Today, board the Cavalier Maxim at Old Port and see the city from a different perspective. Dressed as Montreal founder Paul Chomedey de Maisonneuve, your host takes you back in time, sharing interesting facts and anecdotes, as you cruise along the picturesque St Lawrence River.

Day 4 Tour ends Montreal
The tour concludes on check out this morning. Note: This tour can be easily extended or modified.

Quebec City

Discover 400 years of history in UNESCO World Heritage-listed Old Quebec, the only walled city north of Mexico. Then ride a rickshaw to Old Harbour Market, where you can try or buy local specialties.

Days 1/2 Quebec City
Arrive Quebec City. On day 2, take a two-hour introductory walking tour of Old Quebec. Rest of the day at leisure.

Day 3 Quebec City
Ride quaint Old Harbour by cycle-rickshaw, stopping to sample French-Canadian fare.

Day 4 Tour ends Quebec City
End of tour. Transfer back to Toronto where the tour ends.

INCLUSIONS
Fluent guides who are knowledgeable about the city.

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Quebec City

O n the banks of the Saint Lawrence River, Old Montreal’s Parisian-style streets brim with cobbled boulevards, stone-walled taverns, trendy patisseries and traditional bistros. In addition to this timeless elegance, you’ll also discover a vibrant dining and nightlife scene that reflects Montreal’s diversity.

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Day 1 Halifax
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Day 2 Halifax to Moncton
Visit the Fisheries Museum of the Atlantic for an its lighthouse - before a walking tour of Lunenburg.

Day 3 Moncton to Saint John
Ferry to Cape Breton Island via the Confederation Bridge, leaving about the MV bigleaf at the Millbrook Cultural & Heritage Centre en route. This evening, enjoy a theatre performance by local entertainers at the Confederation Centre of Arts. B

Day 4 Saint John to Digby
Visit the Hopewell Rocks and Fundy National Park, including the Maritime Archea, Visions and Basques, and enjoy boat tours to view whales, seabirds, and - depending on the time of the year - icebergs.

Day 5 Digby to Halifax
Travel from the northernmost tip of the island to the most easterly point in North America through national parks - including Gros Morne, a UNESCO World Heritage Site. Learn about ancient peoples including the Maritime Archea, Visions and Basques, and be sure to take a tour to view whales, seabirds, and - depending on the time of the year - icebergs.

Day 6 Halifax
Visit the Fisheries Museum of the Atlantic for an its lighthouse - before a walking tour of Lunenburg.

Day 7 Halifax
Day trip to St. Andrews by-the-Sea with whale watching tour. B

Day 8 Halifax to Charlottetown
Transfer to the Fairmont Waterfront Hotel or a similar hotel, and enjoy an orientation walk in Charlottetown.

Day 9 Prince Edward Island Touring
Free morning in Charlottetown or join an optional walking tour. Afternoon, visit the Prince Edward Island National Park including the Green Gables Heritage Place. In the evening, enjoy a traditional hall-style lobster supper. BD

Day 10 Charlottetown to Baddeck
Free morning in Charlottetown or join an optional walking tour. Afternoon, visit the Prince Edward Island National Park including the Green Gables Heritage Place. In the evening, enjoy a traditional hall-style lobster supper. BD

Day 11 Cabot Trail Touring
Follow the picturesque Cabot Trail, ascending to the highlands where sweeping vistas are enhanced by the views of the rugged Atlantic coast. Embark on a whale-watching boat tour. B

Day 12 Baddeck to Halifax
Arrive in Baddeck and we recommend a visit to the National Historic Site with authentically costumed guides before continuing along the shores of Bras d’Or Lake to the mainland. Overnight, Halifax. B

Day 13 Tour ends Halifax
Check out from your hotel. Tour ends. B

GENERAL CONDITIONS
Trading Names
Natural Focus is a trading name of African Wildlife Safaris (pty) Ltd (the company). Before you book This price protection presented in this brochure was correct to the best of our knowledge at the time of publication. Other charges beyond those included in the tour price occurred since then with respect to pricing, itineraries, duration of holidays, standards of accommodation, food and beverage qualities and airline services and airline schedules. Please check with your travel agent or the company to ascertain if there are any alterations to the tour you select before you book. Booking Procedure/Security Deposit
To reserve a reservation a non-refundable security deposit of 10% of the total tour cost (Canals: 20% for Rocky Mountain; or 20% for Alaska tours except for 20-20% for Arctic; 20-40% for the Arctic; 20-40% for the Arctic; 25% for Brooks Lodge, Sky High, Spirit Bear Lodge and Northern Lights Resort; 25% for Alaska Diamond Cruises, Frontiers North, North Face Lodge, Camp Denali; 35% for White Pass, Lodge, Soroka Raven and Bluffhead Lodge; 35% for Churchill Waltz; 35% for Kaniksu Lodge, Denali Badger Lodge, Redoubt Bay Lodge, Great Bear Nature Tours, South Sanders Lodge and Lake Louise; 50% with a completed Reservation Form (available from www.naturalfocus.com.au)).

Final Payment
Final payment is due 60 days prior to departure or more for some tours. All Alaska Diamond Cruises, Churchill Waltz, Frontiers North, Brooks Lodge tours are 90 days prior to departure and all Arctic Cosmos tours 120 days prior to departure. If payment has not been received by the due date we reserve the right to cancel a booking as a cancellation.

Client Names - Exactly as Passport
For security reasons, airlines and the majority of our suppliers require your name exactly as it appears in your passport. It is your responsibility to advise these changes (if any) prior to travel. Please provide your full and correct contact information and we have to re-issue air tickets, any further documentation and other costs for all such issues incurred, such as airline cancellation charges and any fees charged by credit card and insurance companies for all such issues incurred, such as airline cancellation charges and any fees charged by credit card and insurance companies for all such issues incurred, such as airline cancellation charges and any fees charged by credit card and insurance companies for all such issues incurred, such as airline cancellation charges and any fees charged by credit card and insurance companies for all such issues incurred, such as airline cancellation charges and any fees charged by credit card and insurance companies for all such issues incurred, such as airline cancellation charges and any fees charged by credit card and insurance companies for all such issues incurred, such as airline cancellation charges and any fees charged by credit card 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