



Classic Jasper winter scenery © Destination Canada



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WINTER WONDERLAND

9 days/8 nights

From \$2447 per person twin share*

Departs Vancouver to Calgary or v.v

Departs: Thur & Sun from 28 Nov 2019-05 Apr 2020

Price per person from:* Standard \$2447 Superior \$2711 Deluxe \$3396

*Based on two people sharing, singles on request.

INCLUSIONS

Overnight VIA Rail The Canadian Sleeper Touring Class (cabin for 1 or 2) Vancouver to Jasper; 1 dinner & 1 breakfast onboard Via Rail; 7 nights hotel/lodge accommodation, sightseeing tours and transfers as per itinerary.

Experience the magic of the Rocky Mountains in winter, from picturesque white mountaintops and frozen lakes to the soft quiet of snow-covered hills and evergreen forests. Journey on VIA Rail's "The Canadian", and explore the alpine towns of Banff, Jasper and Lake Louise. Ride the Banff Gondola, look for wildlife and tour the spectacular Icefields Parkway. At the end of each day relax by a blazing log fire in your cosy lodge or hotel.

Day 1 Vancouver

Make your own way to your Vancouver hotel. Afternoon at leisure.

Day 2 On board VIA Rail

At Vancouver Pacific Central Station board VIA Rail's "The Canadian" for the journey to Jasper. Indulge in the luxuries of Canadian rail travel, dine and relax as you glide through the picturesque landscape all from the comfort of your seat. Overnight onboard. D

Days 3/4 Jasper

Full breakfast and lunch onboard before arriving Jasper station. Transfer to your hotel (transfer provided for standard and deluxe categories only). On Day 4 enjoy a morning small group tour in search of wildlife like bear, moose, elk and goats. Remainder of day at leisure. Overnight Jasper. B (day 3 only)

Day 5 Lake Louise

Drive the stunning Icefields Parkway to Lake Louise, the "Jewel of the Rockies" set against a mountainous backdrop. Overnight in Lake Louise.

Days 6/7 Banff

Morning departure on scheduled service to Banff where you will be dropped off at your hotel.

Explore Banff at leisure. On Day 7 enjoy a Banff sightseeing tour, the Bow Valley, and a visit to the Banff Gondola for a 360° view of the surrounding lakes, valleys and mountains. Overnight Banff.

Day 8 Calgary

Day at leisure to enjoy winter outdoor activities or shopping before your scheduled service to Calgary and transfer to your hotel. Admission included for Calgary Tower. Overnight at your hotel.

Day 9 Tour ends Calgary

Day at leisure until your transfer (not included) to Calgary Airport. Tour ends.

This tour also operates in reverse order.



An elk resting in a snowy field near Jasper © Alberta Tourism



Journey aboard VIA Rail's "The Canadian" © VIA Rail

HUSKY ADVENTURE TRAIL

8 days/7 nights

From \$2867 per person twin share*

Departs Wed & Sat ex Whitehorse

Departs: Wed & Sat from 04 Dec 2019-28 Mar 2020

Tour cost per person twin share*: \$2867
Extra night in Whitehorse \$100

*Based on two people sharing, singles on request.

INCLUSIONS

Transfer from and to Whitehorse, 1 night accommodation in Whitehorse on the last night (room only), accommodation in cabins (shower in main lodge) or heated outpost camp (no showers) on a full board basis including non-alcoholic beverages, meals as specified in itinerary, use of personal sled and 3 to 6 Huskies, winter boots. Other equipment see below. Maximum 6 participants per musher guide. Children 12+

Equipment Hire: \$135 CAD approx. payable locally. We can arrange the hire of specific winter gear, including jackets, pants and sleeping bag.

On this unique and exhilarating wilderness experience you will drive your own dog team and be taught all aspects of mushing. It is a challenging but fun adventure! You will need to be physically active, enjoy working with dogs and have good team spirit.

Day 1 Sky High Wilderness Ranch

Transfer from Whitehorse to the ranch. Meet your dogs and learn the basics of dogsledding. Dinner and overnight in log cabins or room in lodge. LD

Days 2-4 Sky High Wilderness Ranch

Spend the next few days mushing on trails through some of the most spectacular wilderness in the Yukon. Return to the ranch for overnight. BLD

Days 5/6 Wilderness Camp

Head out into the real wilderness for 2 days of unforgettable adventure. The trail heads into the Coastal Ranges, before arriving at a trapper's wall tent camp at Dry Creek where you will spend the next 2 nights. On Day 6, travel to Ptarmigan Flats for a chance to see large flocks of these protected birds, before returning to camp. BLD

Day 7 Whitehorse

Final day of mushing to return to Sky High Wilderness Ranch. Afternoon transfer to hotel in Whitehorse. BL

Day 8 Tour ends Whitehorse

Transfer to the airport where your tour ends.

Please Note: The itinerary may change due to weather conditions, extreme temperatures or condition of the dogs.