



## 2017 - INDEPENDENT VACATION

### WESTERN VISTAS – ROCKY MOUNTAINEER

7 NIGHTS & 8 DAYS

**Highlights:** Daily Breakfast, Explore Banff Tour with Sulphur Mountain Gondola, Lake Louise, Ice Explorer Ride and Glacier Skywalk at Columbia Icefields, Explore Jasper Tour, Two Day Rocky Mountaineer Rail Tour, Grouse Mountain & Capilano Suspension Bridge Tour, FlyOver Canada, Vancouver City Tour and Lookout.

#### Day 01 – Calgary Airport to Banff

On arrival, transfer from Calgary International Airport to Banff hotel. Check-in at the hotel and rest of the day is at leisure to explore famous Banff Avenue. Overnight in Banff hotel.

#### Day 02 – Banff to Lake Louise

After breakfast, check-out and keep luggage in the lobby. Proceed on **Explore Banff Tour** where the resort town of Banff is set amongst the towering mountains of Rundle, Tunnel, Cascade and Norquay. Highlights include Bow Falls, Tunnel Mountain Drive, Surprise Corner, Hoodoos, Two Jack Viewpoint and Lake Minnewanka, where you can take an optional boat cruise for one hour which portrays the wildlife and vegetation including the Devil's gap at foothills of the Rockies. A gentle ride on the **Banff Gondola** takes you to the summit of Sulphur Mountain for a 360 degree panorama of the Bow Valley. Later afternoon, transfer from Banff to Lake Louise. Lake Louise, known for its turquoise, glacier-fed lake ringed by high peaks and overlooked by a stately chateau. Overnight in Lake Louise hotel.

#### Day 03 – Lake Louise to Jasper via Columbia Icefields

After breakfast, check-out and travel through the **Icefields Parkway - Canada's most scenic mountain roadway**, a route to glaciers, lakes and waterfalls. Arrive at the Columbia Icefields Discovery Center, take the **Ice Explorer Ride** which takes you up the Athabasca Glacier. Later take a coach from the Discovery Center to the **Glacier Skywalk**, a glass-floored observation platform over the Sunwapta Valley for an unobstructed view of the surrounding glaciers. Continue along the Parkway to the Crowfoot Glacier, Peyto Lake and Bow Lake. Continue alongside the Sunwapta River and take a stroll at Athabasca Falls before a late afternoon arrival at Jasper. Overnight in Jasper hotel.

#### Day 04 – Jasper

After breakfast, proceed on **Explore Jasper Tour**. Jasper's beauty and history is set amid some of the most rugged peaks in the Rockies. Highlights include Jasper town-site, Athabasca Viewpoint, Maligne Canyon and Maligne Lake. At Maligne Canyon, stroll along 50 meter walls and learn about its unique underground water system. Afternoon, free time

to explore optional activities like White Water Rafting, Jasper Skytram, Cruise on Maligne Lake, Sky Gazing and much more. Overnight in Jasper hotel.

#### Day 05 – Jasper to Kamloops

Early morning, check-out and transfer to station to travel on-board the **Rocky Mountaineer Rail** to enjoy world class hospitality, from Jasper to Kamloops. Highlights include Mount Robson, the highest peak in the Canadian Rockies, Pyramid Falls, the climb over the Yellowhead Pass and the journey along the North Thompson River. Overnight in Kamloops hotel.

#### Day 06 – Kamloops to Vancouver

Early morning your **Rocky Mountaineer Rail** adventure continues west towards the coastal city of Vancouver passing through the rushing waters of Hell's Gate in the Fraser Canyon, the steep slopes and rock sheds along the Thompson River. On arrival in Vancouver, transfer to hotel. Overnight in Vancouver hotel.

#### Day 07 – Vancouver

After breakfast, proceed on **Grouse Mountain and Capilano Suspension Bridge Tour**. Crossing Lions Gate Bridge, look-out for British Property's exclusive homes, visit Capilano Salmon Hatchery and continue to the Capilano Suspension bridge, a suspension bridge crossing the Capilano River. Other attractions at Capilano include a heart-stopping Cliffwalk and Treetops Adventure. At Grouse Mountain - ride the famous Skyride to mountaintop playground. Stroll at Grouse Mountain to explore actives like Guided bird watching tours, Theatre in the Sky's "Born to Fly", seasonal logging shows, Peak Chairlift, Lumberjack Show, the Eye of the Wind and much more. Later in the afternoon visit **FlyOver Canada**, a 4D show experiencing a gentle ride. Chairlift-style seats are elevated before a large spherical screen creating an illusion of flying over the landscapes. Overnight in Vancouver hotel.

**Day 08 – Vancouver**

After breakfast, check-out and keep the luggage in the lobby. Then proceed on **Vancouver City Tour** to explore the spectacular waterfront landmarks including Canada Place, Robson Street for shopping, English Bay, Stanley Park, Granville Island, Chinatown and Gastown. Taking sightseeing to the next level, enjoy the incredible views from the top of the Harbour Centre Tower where you board a glass elevator

for a 360-degree view at **Vancouver Lookout** observation deck for guided tour of Vancouver’s landmarks, attractions, history, and fascinating facts. On arrival to hotel, transfer to Vancouver Airport to connect to onward destination.

**INCLUSIONS & PRICING:**

**Inclusions:**

- ✓ 07 Night accommodation in the hotel
- ✓ 05 Breakfast at restaurant in the hotel
- ✓ 02 Breakfast, 02 Lunch on-board Rocky Mountaineer Rail
- ✓ Inter-city transfers Calgary-Banff-Lake Louise-Jasper on seat-in-coach basis
- ✓ 02 Day travel on Rocky Mountaineer Rail Jasper-Kamloops-Vancouver on Silver Leaf service
- ✓ Train station transfers
- ✓ Sightseeing tours on seat-in-coach basis with local English speaking driver/guide
- ✓ Entrance fees to visit attractions as per itinerary
- ✓ Departure transfer on private basis
- ✓ All taxes

**Tour Price: May 01 – May 31, 2017**

Hotel Type	Single	Twin	Triple	Child 0-11 Years
Value	4815	3835	3640	2455
Moderate	5495	4231	3990	2555
Deluxe	7175	5120	4755	2560

**Tour Price: June 01 – October 31, 2017**

Hotel Type	Single	Twin	Triple	Child 0-11 Years
Value	5280	4070	3790	2455
Moderate	6020	4495	4165	2555
Deluxe	8040	5555	5050	2560

**Supplement:**

To upgrade the class Rocky Mountaineer to GoldLeaf Service: Adult / Child: 550

Rates are per person in Canadian Dollars.

**Hotels:**

City	Value / 3 Star	Moderate / 4 Star	Deluxe / 5 Star
Banff	Elk & Avenue Hotel	Rimrock Resort	Fairmont Banff Springs
Lake Louise	Deer Lodge	Fairmont Chateau Lake Louise	Fairmont Chateau Lake Louise
Jasper	Lobstick Lodge	Chateau Jasper	Fairmont Jasper Park Lodge
Kamloops	TBA	TBA	TBA
Vancouver	Holiday Inn & Suites	Sheraton Wall Centre	Fairmont Waterfront

**Recommended Optional Tours:**

City	Tour	Duration
Banff	Minnewanka Boat Ride	1.5 Hours
Lake Louise	Lake Louise Gondola	At Leisure
Jasper	Maligne Lake Cruise	1.5 Hours
Jasper	Whitewater Rafting Tour	2.5 Hours
Jasper	Athabasca River Raft Float Tour	2.5 Hours

**Departure:**

<b>Month</b>	<b>Dates</b>
April	: 16, 23, 26, 30
May	: 3, 7, 10, 14, 17, 21, 24, 28, 31
June	: 4, 7, 11, 14, 18, 21, 25, 28
July	: 2, 5, 9, 12, 16, 19, 23, 26, 30
August	: 2, 6, 9, 13, 16, 20, 23, 27, 30
September	: 3, 6, 10, 13, 17, 20, 24, 27
October	: 1, 4, 8, 11

**Note:**

- ✓ Seat-in-coach sightseeing do not necessarily offer complimentary pick-up and drop-off from hotels. However most of the downtown hotels has complementary pick-up.
- ✓ Any type of mandatory fee like a resort fee / city tax etc. has to be paid at the hotel directly, the same is not a part of the package and cannot be pre-paid.
- ✓ Transfers to & from "FlyOver Canada, Vancouver" attraction, on own arrangement.
- ✓ FlyOver Canada – operates from 1000 Hours to 2100 Hours
- ✓ Please book your departure flights from Vancouver airport post 2100 Hours.
- ✓ Attractions are subject to weather conditions.
- ✓ Rates are subject to availability at the time of booking.