

# Rocky Mountaineer with WITF - Vancouver to Calgary

August 26 – September 4, 2022



ROCKY MOUNTAINEER



## INCLUDED FEATURES

- Free parking with roundtrip transfers to a local international airport
- Roundtrip airfare between local international airport and Canada
- Roundtrip transfers – airport/hotel
- Nine night hotel accommodations
- Sightseeing and admissions as stated in the itinerary
- 2 days aboard Rocky Mountaineer with GoldLeaf Service
- Complimentary hot gourmet three-course breakfast and lunch, snacks and drinks (alcoholic and non-alcoholic) included on train
- \$100 (CAD) per person Rocky Mountaineer Onboard Merchandise Credit on train
- Gratuities for included meals and the Tour Director/Driver and Onboard Host
- Group lunch at Emerald Lake Lodge
- Meals: 9 Breakfasts, 4 Lunches, and 1 Dinner
- All local taxes, hotel service charges & portorage for one suitcase per person
- Services of a Discoveries Journey Manager

## PRICING

Occupancy	Rates Per Person
Double	\$7,539
Single	\$9,979

**All non-members must add \$60 to the above rates.**

Rates are subject to availability at time of booking and include taxes, fees and fuel surcharges which are subject to change. All pricing and included features are based on a minimum of 22 passengers.

*Lake Louise*



## HIGHLIGHTS

- Vancouver, British Columbia
- Victoria, British Columbia
- Butchart Gardens
- GoldLeaf Service aboard Rocky Mountaineer
- Banff, Alberta
- Lunch at Emerald Lake Lodge
- Columbia Icefields
- Banff National Park
- Yoho National Park
- Dinner and overnight stay at the Fairmont Chateau Lake Louise
- Calgary, Alberta

# ITINERARY

## Friday, August 26: Depart for Vancouver

Depart Central PA for a flight to Vancouver, British Columbia. Transfer from the airport to your hotel in the downtown area. Check in and spend the rest of the evening on your own. Hotel: *Sutton Place Hotel*, Vancouver, British Columbia

## Saturday, August 27: Sightseeing Tour of Vancouver

After breakfast, depart on a full day motorcoach sightseeing tour of Vancouver. Hotel: *Sutton Place Hotel*, Vancouver, British Columbia (Breakfast)

## Sunday, August 28: Round Trip Vancouver to Victoria

After breakfast, depart for a full day excursion to Victoria. Your tour includes round trip passage on BC Ferry. Visit world-renowned Butchart Gardens and explore Victoria's city center including free time in downtown Victoria to explore the Inner Harbor, the Empress Hotel, the Royal BC Museum, and the BC Legislature Hotel: *Sutton Place Hotel*, Vancouver, British Columbia (Breakfast)

## Monday, August 29: Vancouver to Kamloops by Train

Transfer by motorcoach to the Rocky Mountaineer Train Station. Board the Rocky Mountaineer with GoldLeaf seats for your journey from the coastal city of Vancouver to Kamloops, in the heart of British Columbia's interior. You'll see dramatic changes in scenery, from the lush fields of the Fraser Valley, through forests and winding river canyons surrounded by the peaks of the Coast and Cascade Mountains, to the desert-like environment of the BC Interior. Highlights include the rushing waters of Hell's Gate in the Fraser Canyon and the steep slopes and rock sheds along the Thompson River. Your day will conclude on arrival into Kamloops. Transfer to your hotel and enjoy the rest of the evening at your leisure. Hotel: *To be Announced*, Kamloops, British Columbia (Breakfast, snacks, unlimited drinks, 3 course lunch aboard train)

## Tuesday, August 30: Kamloops to Banff by Train

Transfer to Kamloops Station and board the Rocky Mountaineer for a second day where you will continue your journey east to the mighty Canadian Rockies and the province of Alberta. Travel across ranchlands, along rocky lakeshores, over high mountain passes, and through the remarkable tunnels that form part of the rich rail history of the Canadian Rockies. Highlights include Craigellachie, where the last spike was driven on the Canadian Pacific Railway line, the climb over Rogers Pass, the Kicking Horse Canyon, the Spiral Tunnels, and the glaciers and snow-capped peaks of the Canadian Rockies. Your day will conclude on arrival into Banff. Transfer to your hotel and enjoy the rest of the evening at your leisure. Hotel: *The Moose Hotel & Suites*, Banff, Alberta (Breakfast, snacks, unlimited drinks, 3 course lunch aboard train)

## Wednesday, August 31: Banff

After breakfast, board your motorcoach for a half-day sightseeing tour of Banff, Alberta. Return to your hotel in Banff where the rest of the day is yours to enjoy and relax on your own. Hotel: *The Moose Hotel & Suites*, Banff, Alberta (Breakfast)

## Thursday, September 1: Banff and Yoho National Parks

After breakfast, board your motorcoach for a full-day sightseeing tour of Banff and Yoho National Parks. Yoho National Park offers natural wonders like the Spiral tunnels, the turquoise waters of Emerald Lake and a natural rock bridge over the Kicking Horse River. A stop will be made at the Fairmont Chateau Lake Louise to allow you to revel in the surroundings of Lake Louise. Lunch has been included at the Emerald Lake Lodge. Return to your hotel in Banff where the evening is yours to enjoy and relax on your own. Hotel: *The Moose Hotel & Suites*, Banff, Alberta (Breakfast, Lunch)

## Friday, September 2: Banff to Lake Louise

After breakfast, board your motorcoach for a full-day sightseeing tour along the magnificent Icefields Parkway. Among the highlights are Bow Lake, Athabasca Falls and the Columbia Icefields. This icefield is one of the largest accumulations of ice south of the Arctic Circle as well as being one of the most accessible in North America. It is here you will ride a unique Ice Explorer onto the Athabasca Glacier and learn more about its geological features. Return tonight to the Fairmont Chateau Lake Louise for a group dinner and overnight stay. Hotel: *Fairmont Chateau Lake Louise*, Lake Louise, Alberta (Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner)

## Saturday, September 3: Lake Louise to Calgary

After breakfast, take a moment for a group photo in front of the lake before traveling by motorcoach to Calgary, Alberta. Check in and spend the rest of the day at leisure. Hotel: *Delta Calgary Downtown*, Calgary, Alberta (Breakfast)

## Sunday, September 4: Depart for USA

After breakfast, transfer to the Calgary Airport for your flight home and transportation back to Central PA. (Breakfast)

*Hotels and itinerary are subject to change at any time without advanced notice and or compensation.*

## Tour Activity Level: 3

*This tour includes moderate physical activity. The itinerary blends some longer days with shorter days and more leisure time. Walking tours, as well as walking slightly longer distances, up stairs, or on uneven walking surfaces, should be expected.*



## GENERAL INFORMATION

### Travel Documents

Original, signed passport valid for 6 months beyond stay, and with at least one blank visa page for visa stamp(s) is required for this tour. Requirements for entry into Canada due to Covid-19 are changing rapidly. Please see your travel advisor for the most update travel requirements.

*\*Canada reserves the right to deny entry to anyone with a felony conviction, including a DUI record. AAA is not responsible if you are denied entry to Canada and no refund will be provided.*

### Payment

Deposit of \$750 per person will confirm your reservation. Final Payment is due to AAA by **June 13, 2022**.

### Cancellation/Penalties

Deposit date to day of departure \$25 per person, plus...

**From February 15-June 26, 2022-** Loss of \$750 deposit per person  
**From June 27-July 10, 2022 -** 50% per person, plus additional suppliers' fees  
**After July 10, 2022** 100% - NON-REFUNDABLE

Airfare may have a different payment and cancellation schedule from the land portion

### Flight

Air arrangements are handled by the tour operator. Seat assignments cannot be confirmed until the tour operator releases names to the airlines(s) 30 days prior to departure. Specific seat requests cannot be guaranteed. Some flights may contain code share agreements.

### Insurance

For your protection AAA recommends travel insurance. Pre-existing medical conditions may be waived with proper coverage if travel insurance is purchased within 14 days of initial deposit only. Other conditions may apply; ask your travel advisor. AAA recommends Allianz.

### Clothing/Climate

Temperatures for this region in August and September average between the 50s and 60s with cooler mornings and evenings. Pack for a variety of temperatures. Casual clothes that can be layered work best and comfortable walking shoes.

### Baggage

One suitcase per person with a maximum weight of 50 pounds is allowed for this tour. You may also bring a carry-on bag small enough to fit under your seat. Baggage fees and other charges may be directly assessed by airlines or airport.

### Travel Assistance

For personal comfort, group participants who need assistance are required to have a traveling companion who is capable of and totally responsible for providing the needed assistance.

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### Consumer Disclosure Notice - Part of Contract of Service.

**Please read this notice, it constitutes part of your contract for travel-related services.**

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