# NATIONAL GARDEN CLUBS BEST OF THE CANADIAN ROCKIES



# August 18-25, 2019

Price per person based on two sharing a room

\$5,200\*

Single Supplement - \$1,800

\*Includes a \$100 Donation to NGC

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By geological standards, the Canadian Rockies are a relatively young mountain range, and because they are remote, they are essentially unspoiled. Join us for a journey through some of the most untouched, most breathtaking natural beauty on the planet as well as a visit to some of Canada's most charming cities and small towns.

Day-by-Day Itinerary:

Sunday, August 18, 2019

After arriving independently at the Calgary International Airport, make your way by taxi to the Fairmont Palliser Hotel in downtown Calgary. After checking into the hotel, the afternoon is yours to explore the city of Calgary. An admission to the Calgary Tower, just down the street from the hotel, is included in your tour package.

Our group will gather in the evening for a welcome dinner at the Fairmont Palliser Hotel.

Overnight: Fairmont Palliser Hotel

Monday, August 19, 2019

After breakfast at the hotel, we will board our coach for a full day of sightseeing that will include the Heritage Park Historical Village and a ride on the Banff Gondola.

In the afternoon, check into the Rimrock Hotel in Banff where we will enjoy an included dinner in the evening.

Overnight: Rimrock Resort Hotel

Tuesday, August 20, 2019

After breakfast at the hotel, we will board our coach for an exciting day of touring the Yoho National Park and Lake Louise.

Yoho National Park is a gorgeous area where you will enjoy mountain scenery, waterfalls, Emerald Lake, a natural rock bridge, and watching trains entering the Spiral Tunnels on Kicking Horse Pass.

There will be time to enjoy the trails around Lake Louise and the facilities of the historic Chateau Lake Louise Hotel on your own.

After returning to Banff, spend the remainder of your evening enjoying the hotel's pool and spa or exploring the many shops in Banff. Enjoy dinner on your own in one of the many restaurants in Banff.

Overnight: Rimrock Resort Hotel

#### Wednesday, August 21, 2019

After breakfast at the hotel, we depart for another exciting day of magnificent scenery as we make our way to Jasper. We will be traveling along the Icefields Parkway with stops for pictures of beautiful lakes, waterfalls, and mountainscapes. A highlight of our day is a stop at the Columbia Icefield where we will ride onto the Athabasca Glacier in an Ice Explorer.

We arrive at the Jasper Park Lodge in time to enjoy the amenities of this iconic hotel. Be sure to visit the patio for your favorite beverage while enjoying the fantastic vistas of Lac Beauvert, The Whistler's Range, and the glowing east face of Mount Edith Cavell at sunset.

Dinner at the Jasper Park Lodge is included.

Overnight: Jasper Park Lodge

#### Thursday, August 22, 2019

This morning, we will board the bi-level coach where we will be greeted by one of the three or four Hosts who will serve you in the Rocky Mountaineer's Goldleaf Service. Prepare to enjoy a luxurious day where you will be treated with panoramic views of the changing landscape from your reclining seat, enjoy a gourmet breakfast and lunch ordered from an a' la carte menu in the private dining car, and have opportunities to visit the exclusive viewing platform for fresh air and photography.

As you soak in the views of Mount Robson, the tallest peak in the Canadian Rockies, teal-green lakes, Yellowhead Pass, and Pyramid Falls (a 300-foot cascade of whitewater), you will be offered complimentary drinks and gourmet snacks, and your storytelling host will recount historic tales as the train ascends to the breathtaking heights of the Canadian Rocky Mountains.

At the end of the day, you will be transferred to your Kamloops Hotel where you will find your luggage waiting for you. Dinner is on your own.

#### Friday, August 23, 2019

This morning, we will again board the Rocky Mountaineer for another day of luxury in Goldleaf service. The magnificent scenery we will enjoy today includes Hell's Gate, a narrow canyon where the volume of water rushing through is about three times greater than Niagara Falls, and views of the Fraser River. As we descend the higher altitudes, we move gently through the rolling hills of the Coast Mountains and fertile farmland of the Fraser Valley before arriving in Vancouver.

Our hotel in Vancouver is the conveniently located Sheraton Wall Center.

Dinner tonight is on your own.

Overnight: Sheraton Wall Centre

#### Saturday, August 24, 2019

After breakfast at the hotel, we will enjoy a tour of Vancouver and several of its best gardens.

After the tour, there is time to explore Vancouver on your own and to independently visit the Vancouver Lookout which is included in your tour package.

In the evening we will enjoy a farewell dinner at the Sheraton Wall Centre.

Overnight: Sheraton Wall Centre

#### Sunday, August 25, 2019

Breakfast at the Sheraton Wall Centre is included.

#### **Itinerary includes:**

- 7 nights hotel accommodations
- 7 Breakfasts, 2 Lunches, and 4 Dinners
- Sightseeing per the Itinerary
- 2 Days Aboard the Rocky Mountaineer in Gold Leaf Service
- Admissions to the national parks
- Admissions to the Calgary Tower and Vancouver Lookout
- Vancouver Gardens Tour

Airfare: Airfare is not included.

#### PAYMENT AND CANCELLATION POLICY

- Nonrefundable Deposit of \$600 required at time of registration.
- Optional Trip Insurance can be purchased at any time; however, if insurance is purchased at or before final payment due date and the insured is not disabled from travel at the time payment for the Plan is made, the pre-existing condition exclusions will be waived.
- Final payment is due June 1, 2019
- For cancellation between deposit date and June 1, cancellation charge is \$600.
- For cancellation after June 1, 2019, cancellation penalty is 100% of trip cost.

Reservations will be accepted until December 1, 2018. Due to the popularity of the Canadian Rockies, hotels will not hold space for the group after that date.

#### **Tour Conditions:**

Not included in the price are airfares, single room supplement, individual transfers, passports, laundry, excess baggage, items of a personal nature, and optional travel insurance.

ACCOMODATIONS: The per-person tour price is based on double occupancy. Single room supplement is \$1,800. Roommates are not guaranteed. When available, single rooms are often smaller than doubles. You will be charged the single supplement if you do not have a roommate and none can be found.

RESPONSIBILITY: Boutique Tours, Inc. and/or supplier of services pursuant to or in connection with this itinerary shall not be responsible or become liable for any delay incurred by any person in connection with any means of transportation; for loss, damage or injury to person or property by reason of any event beyond the control of Boutique Tours, Inc. or supplier, or occurring without the fault or negligence of Boutique Tours, Inc. or supplier. This right is reserved to substitute dates of departure, alternative routing or cancellation of the trip if the minimum number of bookings is not reached. The schedules contained herein are subject to change without notice.

#### **OPTIONAL TRAVEL INSURANCE:**

• Trip insurance is highly recommended. The optional policy includes the following coverage: (Full details are available from Boutique Tours, Inc.)

GroupAdvantage Protection Plan Benefits	Maximum Benefit	
Trip Cancellation Occupancy Upgrade	Trip Cost* Included	
Trip Interruption	150% Of Trip Cost*	
Missed Connection	\$1,000	
Travel Delay (6 Hours or More)	\$150 Per Day / \$750 Maximum	
Medical Expense/Emergency Assistance		
Accident and Sickness Medical Expenses	\$50,000	
Emergency Medical Evacuation and Repatriation	\$250,000	
Political or Security Evacuation	\$25,000	
Baggage and Personal Effects	\$2,500	
Baggage Delay (More Than 12 Hours)	\$250	
Accidental Death & Dismemberment	\$25,000	

If insurance is purchased at or before final payment due date and the insured is not disabled from travel at the time payment for the Plan is made, the pre-existing condition exclusions will be waived.

#### PREMIUM FOR UP TO \$6,000 IN COVERAGE:

Age 65 and under - \$450 Age 66 to 75 - \$675 Age 76 and over - \$825

#### PREMIUM FOR UP TO \$8,000 IN COVERAGE:

Age 65 and under - \$625 Age 66 to 75 - \$1,000 Age 76 and over - \$1225

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## **Registration Form**

Name:	e:Spouse/Roommate:			
Address:				
(Street)	(city/state)	(zip)		
Phone numbers: ()	()	()		
(Home)	(cell)	Business or D	ay)	
E-mail:	Pass	sport No		
Special Dietary Requirements:				
Hotel Accommodations Preference:	One King/Queen Bed	Two BedsSingle Roc	om	
Emergency Contact: Name		Phone:		
			Total	
	Item	Deposit	Amount	
Land Package with 2 Days Total Cost \$5,200 per person	Aboard the Rocky Mountai			
Optional Travel Protection Plan		•		
Total Payment Fre	closed With Registration			

Please send registration form and check payable to Boutique Tours, Inc. to
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