

Includes flights

Breathtaking Canada & Alaska

28 Days / Departing 19 June 2013

Featuring the small Canadian Rockies mountain towns of Banff and Lake Louise. Included is the world famous 'Calgary Stampede' – the Greatest Outdoor Show on Earth' and the Rocky Mountaineer train from Vancouver to Banff. Cruise the Inside Passage of Alaska and travel by rail from Fairbanks to Denali National Park and drive to Anchorage. Enjoy some of the most breathtaking scenery found anywhere in the world!

Itinerary

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Wed 19 Jun / Auckland – Vancouver

We fly to Vancouver and overnight in this beautiful city.

Thu 20 Jun / Vancouver

Sightseeing tour including Stanley Park, Capilano Suspension Bridge, Yaletown, Chinatown and Granville Island Market for leisure time to explore the Market on your own. Welcome dinner this evening. ⓑⓁⓓ

Fri 21 Jun / Vancouver

Day at leisure. ⓑ

Sat 22 Jun / Vancouver – Victoria

Travel by coach and ferry to Vancouver Island. Visit famous Butchart Gardens and continue to the English city of Victoria for a sightseeing tour. ⓑ

Sun 23 Jun / Victoria

Day at leisure to wander around this quaint city. You may wish to partake in 'High Tea' (optional) at the Fairmont Empress Hotel. ⓑ

Mon 24 Jun / Victoria – Whistler

Travel on the ferry and continue by coach to the resort village of Whistler. ⓑ

Tue 25 Jun / Whistler – Vancouver – Fairbanks

Morning at leisure in Whistler before driving to Vancouver Airport for your flight to Fairbanks. ⓑ

Wed 26 Jun / Fairbanks

Fairbanks sightseeing including the Sternwheeler Cruise on the Chena River. ⓑ

Thu 27 Jun / Fairbanks – Denali National Park

Morning departure aboard the McKinley Explorer in domed railcar. Arrive in the afternoon. ⓑ

Fri 28 Jun / Denali National Park

Tundra Wilderness tour of Denali National Park to spot wildlife. ⓑ

Sat 29 Jun / Denali National Park – Anchorage

Drive to Anchorage stopping to see the 'huskies' on the way. City tour of Anchorage. ⓑ

Sun 30 Jun / Anchorage - Seward

Morning at leisure before driving to Seward to board your Holland America Line Cruise ship - the ms Zaandam for your Glacier Discovery Alaska cruise. ⓑⓁⓓ

Mon 01 Jul / Cruising Gulf of Alaska ⓑⓁⓓ

Tue 02 Jul / Glacier Bay National Park

A UNESCO World Heritage site, Glacier Bay has more actively calving tidewater glaciers than any other place in the world. ⓑⓁⓓ

Wed 03 Jul / Haines

Haines nestles on the shore of America's longest fjord, with the horizons bounded by the snowy heights of the Coast Ranges. Outside of town, you're likely to spot bald eagles, moose, bear, wolves, seals, and orcas. Inside of town, stop by the Sheldon Museum and Cultural Centre, the Tsirku Canning Company Museum, or numerous local art galleries. ⓑⓁⓓ

Thu 04 Jul / Juneau

Arrive in Juneau where tourist shops abound. You may like to take an optional excursion to visit Mendenhall Glacier, or enjoy a ride on the Mt Roberts Tramway. ⓑⓁⓓ

Fri 05 Jul / Ketchikan

Built out over the water and climbing weathered stairways, Ketchikan clings to the shores of Tongass Narrows and drapes the mountains. You may like to visit Creek Street or Totem Bight State Park. ⓑⓁⓓ

Sat 06 Jul / Cruising Inside Passage

Sun 07 Jul / Vancouver

Arrive Vancouver early this morning. Remainder of the day at leisure. ⓑ

Mon 08 Jul / Vancouver – Kamloops

Board the world renowned Rocky Mountaineer for your 'First Passage to the West' railtour. Pass through the fertile fields of the Fraser Valley and view the towering peaks of the Coast Mountains before entering the Fraser Canyon. You'll see the thundering waters of Hells' Gate and follow the Thompson River to historic Kamloops. Overnight at a hotel in Kamloops. ⓑⓁ

Tue 09 Jul / Kamloops – Banff

Continue east through the vast ranchlands along the South Thompson River, past Craigellachie, and enter Rogers Pass, with its tunnels, snowsheds and glistening glaciers. Climb the spiral tunnels and over the Continental Divide to Banff. ⓑⓁ

Wed 10 Jul / Banff - Lake Louise

Morning sightseeing tour of Banff including: Cave and Basin, Bow Valley and the Falls, Surprise Corner, the Hoodoos and Gondola ride up Sulphur Mountain for a breathtaking view. Late afternoon a short drive through the Valley of Ten Peaks and turquoise shimmering Moraine Lake before arriving at the Fairmont Chateau Lake Louise. ⓑⓁ

Thu 11 Jul / Lake Louise - Calgary

Morning at leisure before an afternoon drive to Calgary. ⓑ

Fri 12 Jul / Sat 13 Jul Calgary Stampede

Two days to enjoy the world famous 'Calgary Stampede'. Included are Afternoon Rodeo tickets, Evening Chuckwagon Races and Stage Show, entry to Stampede Park both days, two skyrides across the park, Stampede tote bag, souvenir programme and golf shirt. ⓑ

Sun 14 Jul / Depart Calgary

Fly to Auckland via Vancouver. ⓑ

Mon 15 Jul / In Flight

Tue 16 Jul / Arrive Auckland



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Journey Details

World Journeys Inclusions

- Economy class airfare from Auckland
- Transfers in air conditioned vehicles
- Sightseeing as mentioned
- Calgary Stampede inclusions: Afternoon Rodeo, Evening Chuckwagon Races and Stage show tickets, entry to Stampede Park for two days, two skyrides across the park, tote bag, souvenir programmes and golf shirt
- Rocky Mountaineer 2 Day/1 Night 'First Passage to the West' train in RedLeaf Service from Vancouver to Banff (please see upgrade prices)
- Cruise accommodation in the cabin category of your choice aboard Holland America Line's ms Zaandam
- Port Charges/Taxes for cruise
- Mckinley Explorer Domed Railcar train Fairbanks/Denali
- Accommodation in 4 star hotels
- Meals as indicated
- Tips/Gratuities*
- Services of a World Journeys host**

**subject to minimum 15 passengers travelling

Departures Ex Christchurch Add \$100pp

Tipping Included*

We make it simple – Tips included! Your Tour Host** handles all group gratuities/tips.

*Tipping is not included where there is no Tour Host or you have individual arrangements.

Booking Conditions

A non-refundable deposit of \$2000 per person is required with the balance due 19 March, 2013. As cancellation fees apply, travel insurance is mandatory. Please refer to Terms & Conditions on pg 61.

Not Included

Airline taxes and fuel surcharges (subject to change), cruise shore excursions, drinks, items of a personal nature, travel insurance. Should you wish to extend your stay in Canada/Alaska or stop in the USA, and return later this is possible subject to flight availability, airline schedules, and an airfare surcharge plus any applicable additional airport taxes.

Our Ship

ms Zaandam

Designed to carry fewer guests while providing more space for maximum comfort, the ms Zaandam is a prize in the mid-size ship category. Offering spacious public areas and plush accommodations. The ms Zaandam can take up to 1,432 passengers and 615 crew members. The musically themed ms Zaandam offers a unique shipboard atmosphere. Inspired by the world's great music, artifacts and memorabilia.

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Price \$ (per person)	Twin	Single
Inside Cabin	15,999	20,670
Outside Cabin 	16,845	22,065
Airline Taxes <small>(subject to change)</small>	298	298
Premium Econ. Upgrade*	2,555	2,555
Business Class Upgrade*	4,240	4,240

Rocky Mountaineer train upgrades

SilverLeaf	715	715
GoldLeaf	1,286	1,286

*Air New Zealand Premium Economy Class & Business Class upgrades available on the Auckland/Vancouver & Los Angeles or San Francisco/Auckland sectors

Travelling solo?

Book and pay your deposit at least 6 months before departure and we will match you up with another same-gender solo traveller to share at the share twin price. If we are unable to provide a share, accommodation will be provided on a single basis at no additional cost.

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