



Good Times Travel

NEW!

Canadian Rockies & Rocky Mountaineer

Featuring *Rocky Mountaineer* Train from Banff to Vancouver, Banff & Yoho National Parks, Lake Louise, Kamloops

August 16-22, 2026 – 7 Day Tour

Tour Highlights

- ◆ Enjoy a three-night stay at an upscale Banff hotel and join a local guide for extensive sightseeing in Banff National Park including Lake Minnewanka Scenic Drive, Cave and Basin National Historic Site and an optional ride aboard the Banff Gondola to the summit of Sulphur Mountain
- ◆ Travel the Icefields Parkway to Yoho National Park with sightseeing to include Emerald Lake, Natural Bridge and the Spiral Tunnels
- ◆ Enjoy an included three-course lunch at the iconic *Fairmont Château Lake Louise*
- ◆ Admire the spectacular scenery while riding the rails for two days from Banff to Vancouver (with an overnight in Kamloops) while aboard the luxurious *Rocky Mountaineer*
- ◆ Stay two nights at an upscale Vancouver hotel with a visit to Grouse Mountain and a city tour provided by a local guide



Tour Inclusions

- ◆ 6 Nights deluxe hotel accommodations
- ◆ 11 Meals – 2 dinners, 3 lunches, 6 breakfasts
- ◆ Services of a professional GTT tour director
- ◆ Comprehensive sightseeing with local guides
- ◆ Transportation aboard a deluxe motorcoach and the *Rocky Mountaineer* train (with onboard meals and host gratuity included)
- ◆ Airport-hotel transfers (with purchase of group air)
- ◆ Luggage handling throughout the tour

Tour Prices

Double Occupancy: \$4,999 per person
 Single Occupancy (no roommate): Add \$1,500
 Roundtrip group airfare from \$495 per person
 Deposit: \$1,000 p.p.

Itinerary

Embark on an unforgettable 7-day journey filled with awe-inspiring landscapes and countless photo-worthy moments. While this meticulously crafted new itinerary features the tapestry of scenic wonders in the Canadian Rockies and Vancouver, the true jewel is a two-day train journey aboard Rocky Mountaineer's most popular route, "First Passage to the West." We'll retrace the original 19th century path of the Canadian Pacific Railway while traveling aboard this luxury train with an overnight stay in a Kamloops hotel. From soaring mountain peaks piercing the azure sky, tranquil turquoise lakes mirroring the grandeur of their surroundings, and spectacular scenic routes winding past ancient glaciers...prepare for a true feast for the senses on this "bucket list" itinerary that features a treasure chest of scenic wonders and incredible landscapes!

Day 1 – Welcome to Banff! (Sunday, August 16)

Optional transfers from our departure points will have us at LAX this morning for a scheduled nonstop flight arriving in **Calgary, Alberta** this afternoon. *Those guests making their own flight arrangements can request the group's flight schedule (subject to change) to coordinate a flight arrival time that would allow them to be included on the complimentary transfer to the hotel.* Upon arrival, we'll board a deluxe motorcoach and stop for lunch before we continue west into the Canadian Rockies and arrive in **Banff** (elevation 4,537'), the idyllic mountain town nestled in **Banff National Park**. We'll enjoy an included dinner at a locals' favorite and begin a three-night stay at an upscale hotel. (Dinner)

Day 2 – Banff (Monday, August 17)

This morning we'll join a local guide and visit **Bow Falls, Hoodoos Viewpoint** and **Surprise Corner**, offering an unparalleled vantage point of the historic *Banff Springs Hotel*. We'll visit **Cave & Basin**

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Accommodations

- ♦ Nights 1-3 **Hotel Canoe**
Banff, AB
- ♦ Night 4 **Assigned by Rocky Mountaineer**
Kamloops, BC
- ♦ Nights 5-6 **Blue Horizon Hotel**
Vancouver, BC

Optional Roundtrip Airfare

Airfare is available as an optional add-on as advertised on the front of this brochure. Because airfare generally increases closer to departure, it's best to purchase airfare as soon as possible to lock in the lowest price and best schedule.

Optional Airport Transfers

Roundtrip airport transfers are available from our departure points in these cities for \$149 p.p.

- ♦Fountain Valley ♦Laguna Hills
- ♦Long Beach ♦Seal Beach

Payment Information

- ♦ \$1,000 p.p. deposit due at time of booking; balance payment due 120 days prior
- ♦ Payment may be made by mailing a check to the above address or by making a credit card payment at www.goodtimestravel.com

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Tour Pace & Activity Level



Visit our website for further explanation of what each of these designations means to assist you in determining which tour is right for you based on your physical abilities and the pacing you prefer.

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National Historic Site and see Banff's largest lake from a variety of angles via the **Lake Minnewanka Scenic Drive**. Enjoy time at leisure to visit the *Banff Springs Hotel* and explore Banff's charming townscape featuring incredible restaurants, art galleries and charming boutiques. This afternoon, take advantage of an optional **Banff Gondola Excursion** for an additional \$65 per person including transportation, admission, taxes and fees (payable with your tour payment; minimum of 10 guests required). Ride the gondola to the summit of Sulphur Mountain (elevation 8,000 feet) for unparalleled, panoramic views of the Bow Valley and six mountain ranges! (Breakfast)

Day 3 – Yoho National Park, Lake Louise (Tuesday, August 18)

Following an included breakfast at the hotel, we'll be joined by a local guide and travel north along the legendary **Icefields Parkway**, widely celebrated as the most spectacular mountain highway in North America. Paralleling the Continental Divide, this roadway traverses an unspoiled wilderness of ancient glaciers, pristine lakes, rushing streams, and towering peaks that define the rugged beauty of the Canadian Rockies. We'll explore **Yoho National Park**, offering a perfect blend of nature's artistry and raw energy. Visit **Emerald Lake** and see first-hand how this stunning alpine lake got its name. At **Natural Bridge** we'll admire this stunning rock formation carved by the roaring turquoise waters of the Kicking Horse River. See the stunning **Spiral Tunnels** of the Canadian Pacific Railway, a marvel of railway engineering. This afternoon we'll arrive at the breathtaking **Lake Louise**, where majestic mountains soaring skyward are reflected in the vibrant blue of the glacier-fed lake known as the "Diamond in the Wilderness." Enjoy an included three-course lunch at the world-renowned **Fairmont Château Lake Louise**, the chateau-style, grande dame hotel considered by some to be a "Wonder of the World." We return to Banff with the balance of the evening at leisure. (Breakfast, Lunch)

Day 4 – Rocky Mountaineer Train, Kamloops (Wednesday, August 19)

Early this morning we'll board the famed **Rocky Mountaineer** and travel west from Banff through the heart of the British Columbia Interior. We'll enjoy *Silver Leaf Class* seating featuring spacious, reclining seats and oversized, glass-domed windows! Your host will serve your gourmet meals, provide narration, and even call out wildlife sightings – providing a truly immersive experience. Of course, the highlight of your two days onboard will be the jaw-dropping, photo-worthy scenery, some of which can't be easily accessed other than onboard this train. Our journey today takes us past the iconic glacier and snow-capped peaks of the Canadian Rockies, over mountain passes, through remarkable tunnels, along rocky lakeshores, and across the ranchlands of the Interior. We'll traverse the Continental Divide, travel through the iconic Spiral Tunnels, and be inspired as we wind through dramatic canyons before arriving in **Kamloops** for an overnight stay at an upscale hotel. (Breakfast, Lunch)

Day 5 – Rocky Mountaineer Train, Vancouver (Thursday, August 20)

Early this morning, we'll reboard the **Rocky Mountaineer** in Kamloops and continue west towards the Pacific Ocean. On today's journey, we'll again see dramatic changes in scenery, from the desert-like environment of the B.C. Interior, through winding river canyons and pristine forests, to the Cascade and Coast Mountains and the lush green fields of the Fraser Valley. Highlights include the steep slopes and rock sheds along the Thompson River and the rushing waters of Hell's Gate in the Fraser Canyon. This evening we'll arrive in **Vancouver** and begin a two-night stay at an upscale hotel located in the heart of Robson Street in downtown Vancouver's West End neighborhood. (Breakfast, Lunch)

Day 6 – Vancouver (Friday, August 21)

This morning we'll be joined by a local guide for a comprehensive driving tour of Vancouver – known as the crown jewel of Western Canada, Vancouver is a cosmopolitan city with a spectacular view in all directions! We'll see Canada Place and Jack Poole Plaza where the Olympic Cauldron was lit for the 2010 Winter Games. Travel through English Bay, False Creek and Gastown, Vancouver's original settlement and its oldest commercial district, featuring the world-famous steam-powered clock and cobblestone streets. We'll stop at **Prospect Point** to admire the spectacular Lion's Gate Bridge and Vancouver's scenic Waterfront. We'll visit the **First Nations Totem Poles at Stanley Park**, Vancouver's "evergreen heart." Enjoy time at leisure for lunch on your own and browsing at **Granville Island Public Market**. We'll return to the hotel with the afternoon at leisure followed by an included dinner at a locals' favorite this evening. (Breakfast, Dinner)

Day 7 – Vancouver, Journey Home (Saturday, August 22)

This morning we'll visit **Grouse Mountain** and ride the gondola to the "Peak of Vancouver." Enjoy access to the Wildlife Refuge, Owl Talks, the World Famous Lumberjack Show, The Theatre in the Sky and several eateries to enjoy lunch on your own. This afternoon we'll board a scheduled, nonstop flight arriving in Los Angeles this evening. *Those guests making their own flight arrangements can request the group's flight schedule (subject to change) to coordinate a similar flight departure time that would allow them to be included on the complimentary transfer to the airport.* Back in Los Angeles, those guests with pre-arranged transfers will be returned to their respective drop-offs. (Breakfast)