Discovering Our Planet Together



Canada's Premier Polar Bear Adventure

The World's Most Coveted Small-Group Polar Bear Expedition!

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Trip Details:

Days
7 Days / Sep–Nov

Price
From $8495 (+Air)

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When you're standing on the outdoor platform of our Polar Rover, the chill Arctic air feels invigorating. But not as much as the sight of the huge polar bear ambling toward us. Sometimes they are silhouetted against the horizon, slowly moving shadows on the vast expanse of tundra. Other times, we'll see a mother with cubs up close, or young males play-fighting. Occasionally, one may wander up directly below us. Safely elevated, you're nonetheless just feet away as you look down on his shaggy, cream-colored bulk. Noticing us, he stops, sniffs and turns his face our way, curious. We grin with delight. The big bear rises on his haunches to peer at us more deliberately. We watch in wonder. Minutes go by, perhaps an hour, who knows? Out here among the bears, time stands still. Join us for one of nature's most wondrous wildlife encounters—no one does it better than Nat Hab!

Trip Highlights

The Most Intimate Polar Bear Encounters

In the smallest groups available—capped at just 16—meet the world's greatest concentration of polar bears, as they gather to wait for freeze-up on Hudson Bay

Churchill's Best Tundra Vehicles Get You Closer

The newest fleet of technologically advanced Polar Rovers, with huge windows and a see-through steel outdoor viewing deck, get you closest to the bears

Search for the Aurora on the Tundra at Night

An exclusive tundra excursion after dark provides a unique perspective, including the chance on a clear night to view northern lights away from town



Canada's Premier Polar Bear Adventure Itinerary

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Itinerary at a Glance

Day 1	Winnipeg
Day 2	Winnipeg / Churchill
Days 3–4	Churchill Tundra
Day 5	Churchill / Tundra
Day 6	Churchill / Winnipeg
Day 7	Winnipeg



Day 1

Winnipeg

Arrive in Manitoba's capital and gear up for the tundra

- Settle into the Fort Garry Hotel, a 1913 railway-era landmark in downtown Winnipeg
- Join your Expedition Leader and fellow travelers for a welcome dinner at the hotel

Our Churchill polar bear tour begins in the vibrant city of Winnipeg. Once an important Hudson's Bay Company fur-trading post and later a boomtown for the Canadian Pacific Railway on the eastern edge of the vast Canadian prairie, today Winnipeg is Manitoba's cultural, commercial and provincial capital. Transfer on arrival to the historic Fort Garry Hotel, grande dame of Winnipeg hospitality and one of the city's most prestigious landmarks. The hotel was built in 1913 by the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway to provide luxury accommodations for upper-class train travelers as part of an effort to lure them to Canada's West. Meet your Expedition Leader at a welcome dinner at our hotel this evening. You'll also have a chance to visit our gear room to borrow a heavy parka and winter boots to use during your time on the tundra in Churchill.

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Day 2

Winnipeg / Churchill

Fly north to the Polar Bear Capital of the World

- Fly by private chartered plane to Churchill, reaching a remote region accessible only by air or rail
- Explore the historic frontier outpost town of Churchill with your Expedition Leader

Transfer to the airport this morning for our chartered flight to Churchill. This remote frontier town, originally the site of a Hudson's Bay Company fort and fur trading post established in 1717, is accessible only by air or rail. The hospitable hamlet of fewer than a thousand residents is known as the Polar Bear Capital of the World, and we occasionally spy our first bear on the drive into town from the airport. On the 6-day itinerary, we board a custom Polar Rover vehicle and head to the tundra this evening for our first polar bear quest. The 7-day trip begins with an evening presentation on polar bears and northern ecology by our professional naturalist guide.

Days 3–4

Churchill Tundra

Encounter the King of the Arctic on the open tundra

- Look for polar bears gathered along Hudson Bay as they await the autumn freeze
- Ride a custom Polar Rover capped at 16 guests, with a window seat for everyone
- Gain insight into polar bear behavior and adaptations to the Arctic environment from your Expedition Leader

Polar bear viewing begins in earnest as we spend invigorating days on the tundra in search of the King of the Arctic. Custom-built Polar Rovers are our mobile means for spending time among the bears. Though these giant vehicles with oversized tundra tires can accommodate more than 30 passengers, we take a maximum of 16, ensuring that everyone has a window seat and plenty of space to move about and angle for photos. Our Expedition Leader knows the best places to observe polar bears, which congregate here each fall as they wait for Hudson Bay to freeze, signaling the start of the winter seal-hunting season. As we watch them interact, we're delighted by their antics and rugged beauty. We may see mothers with cubs, young males play-fighting, or a lone bear ambling over the silent tundra. Our Expedition Leader interprets all we observe, explaining the bears' behavior and how they thrive in such a harsh environment. In the evenings, gather for dinner and presentations on wildlife and local cultures.

Day 5

Churchill / Tundra

Polar bears by day and a chance for the northern lights after dark

- Follow the coastal road to Cape Merry, watching for Arctic foxes, Arctic hares and ptarmigans
- Dine aboard the Polar Rover during an evening search for polar bears
- Look for the northern lights shimmering above the tundra when skies are clear

On the 7-day itinerary, we tour historic Churchill today, then head out to the tundra for evening bear viewing and dinner aboard the Polar Rover. During the day we follow the coastal road on a drive to Cape Merry, often spotting Arctic fox, Arctic hare and ptarmigan along the way. Look closely for them, as their winter-white coats offer excellent camouflage later in the season when the ground is covered with snow. If the skies are clear, our nighttime tundra excursion might reveal one of nature's most exhilarating experiences—a chance to view the northern lights away from town. Though never predictable, the auroral display typically starts as a pale glow in the northern sky. The lights often begin to undulate in shimmering curtains of color, most typically green but occasionally red or violet. On the 6-day itinerary (during which your nighttime tundra outing takes place on Day 2), enjoy free time in Churchill to wander the town and browse the local shops for northern souvenirs, or choose an optional helicopter excursion to look for polar bears roaming the vast tundra expanse before boarding our flight back to Winnipeg.

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Day 6

Churchill / Winnipeg

An exhilarating dog sled run through the boreal forest

- Ride behind a local musher's dog team through the boreal forest outside Churchill
- Opt for a helicopter flight over the tundra, scanning for polar bears from above
- Fly from Churchill to Winnipeg by private charter before a farewell dinner

Our return flight to Winnipeg is scheduled to depart mid- to late afternoon, offering as much time as possible for activities in Churchill today. A highlight this morning is a traditional dog sled ride. We meet a local musher and his team, learning about the history of this classic northern mode of transportation and spending time with the lively dogs before taking turns riding behind them on an exhilarating trot through the boreal forest. On earlier departures, we may ride in a wheeled cart if snow cover is insufficient for sledding. Later, if time permits, you may be able to pick up some locally made handicrafts or take an optional helicopter tour over the tundra before we depart. We'll have a final lunch together before flying back to Winnipeg, where a farewell dinner concludes our adventure together.

Day 7

Winnipeg

Depart Winnipeg after your northern adventure

- Enjoy a final breakfast before your airport transfer
- Connect with homeward flights from Winnipeg

Enjoy breakfast at the Fort Garry Hotel in Winnipeg. Then, transfer to the airport for flights home.

Please note: *Itineraries may vary slightly and activities may happen at times that are different from what is listed, but all inclusions are the same. On the 6-day trip, our sled dog excursion takes place on Day 5 with a return to Winnipeg that afternoon, and flights home are scheduled for Day 6. On the 7-day trip, the nighttime tundra trip occasionally alternates between Day 4 and Day 5.*

An important note on polar bear viewing: *Since 1989, we have operated more than 2,000 departures to Churchill to view polar bears, and we've missed seeing them on only a handful of occasions. Some of our sightings are up close while others are from afar, or even from a helicopter. It's important to remember that while there is no better opportunity to see polar bears in the wild than our Churchill trips offer, the experience is weather-dependent. That means viewing polar bears—and the distance at which we may see them—is unpredictable and not guaranteed.*

Check out more details on the ***ebbs and flows of the Churchill polar bear viewing season****.*

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Fort Garry Hotel

The grande dame of Winnipeg hospitality and one of the city's most prestigious landmarks, this historic downtown hotel provides a genteel welcome before and after our northern adventures in Churchill.



Churchill Hotels

In remote Churchill, our simple hotels are clean, comfortable and centrally located, offering a convenient base for exploring this subarctic frontier town.

For detailed descriptions, visit nathab.com/polar-bear-tours/classic-polar-bear-expedition/accommodations.

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There is a Difference in Polar Bear Tours—Choose Wisely!

Canada's Premier Polar Bear Adventure

We know most travelers who come to see the polar bears of Churchill will do so just once in their lives. For that reason, we promise you will enjoy the highest-quality polar bear trip available! Here's why our polar bear adventures stand apart from the rest:

1 **We Hold Exclusive Permits for the Best Bear Viewing Area**

Not every polar bear tour operator in Churchill holds permits to access the full range of the Churchill Wildlife Management Area where the best—and often only—polar bear viewing occurs. Naturally, the Nat Hab/Great White Bear team possesses one of these permits. Those who don't can only offer trips along the road to Halfway Point, which is, as the name implies, only halfway to the **prime polar bear-viewing area**. If you're going to Churchill just once in your life, make it a complete experience!

2 **Our Polar Rovers are the Most Impressive Vehicles in the North**

The original tundra buggy designed for polar bear viewing was invented in the 1980s, an innovative concept that has since been substantially improved upon. Our partner in Manitoba, a world-renowned specialty vehicle designer, has created the world's premier tundra vehicle—the Polar Rover—which we operate exclusively in Churchill. Its innovative drive train allows us to traverse the tundra with virtually no chance of breakdowns. With the advanced elite suspension system that smooths the ride, plus on-board flush toilet facilities, our guests enjoy a superior level of comfort and safety.

3 **Steel Mesh Flooring Offers Close-Up Bear Observation**

Built into the rear viewing platform of every Polar Rover is an innovative and exclusive feature we've pioneered for optimal polar bear viewing—corrugated steel-mesh floors that facilitate remarkably close encounters with curious bears that sometimes wander beneath our vehicles!

4 **The Smallest Groups Ensure the Best Nature Adventures**

A fundamental element of the best polar bear expedition is a small group. It may cost a little more, but considering the hugely superior experience, we know it's well worth it. By limiting our groups to approximately 16 guests (even though our Polar Rovers hold more than 30 passengers), we ensure plenty of space aboard our vehicles, room to angle for the best photos, and a window seat for all.

5 **Private Chartered Planes Maximize Time with the Bears**

So we don't waste time dealing with airline schedules and airport security screenings, we charter our own aircraft to fly directly between Winnipeg to Churchill at a time that's most convenient for us. We know you'd rather spend your time watching polar bears rather than sitting around airports.

6 **Sled Dog Experience Included on Every Departure**

Every one of our Churchill tours includes a personal visit with a local dog musher and his team, and a ride through the boreal forest behind a team of sled dogs. Earlier in the season, if there isn't sufficient snow cover, the dogs pull us in a wheeled cart. But whenever you come to Churchill, this authentic northern adventure is part of your experience.

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7 **We Provide Heavy Parkas & Winter Boots for Your Use**

No need to go spend a lot of money buying heavy outdoor gear you may use just once—we provide Arctic-style parkas and heavy-duty winter boots for your use in Churchill, at no cost.

8 **The Finest Naturalist Guides on the Planet**

Natural Habitat Adventures is known for employing the highest-quality guides in the industry. Our Polar Bear Expedition Leaders—who have been guiding bear tours for an average of more than 10 years each—receive additional training and resources from WWF's top scientists, ensuring a superlative interpretive experience. Expedition Leaders meet you in Winnipeg and travel with the group the entire way, sharing their wealth of knowledge and insight at every turn. Our philosophy is pretty simple: a nature adventure is only as good as the guide, so we simply must provide the best! **See Expedition Leader bios** with traveler comments regarding the quality of our leaders.

9 **Local Cultural Interactions Enhance Our Adventures**

Through years of developing close relationships with local people, we are able to offer our guests exclusive opportunities to meet revered elders of First Nations, Inuit and Metis cultural groups in Churchill. These storytellers are some of the most senior in their communities, passing on their knowledge of the past to younger generations and also to our travelers.

10 **Our Quality-Value Guarantee Ensures Your Special Polar Bear Experience**

Natural Habitat Adventures offers an exclusive guarantee, clearly stating that we will meet the lofty expectations we set in our promotional materials. To our knowledge, this is the most ambitious guarantee made by any adventure travel company. **Read our important promise.**

11 **Feel Good About Your Carbon-Neutral Journey**

We care deeply about our planet, as we know you do. When you travel with us, the carbon emissions from your trip are 100% offset—including your round-trip flights from home. Natural Habitat Adventures has been the world's first carbon-neutral travel company since 2007.

12 **Natural Habitat Adventures is WWF's Travel Partner**

Because of our commitment to environmentally friendly travel, as well as the exceptional quality of our adventures, World Wildlife Fund, the world's leading environmental conservation organization, has named Natural Habitat Adventures as its worldwide travel partner, a designation that makes us exceedingly proud!



Dates & Pricing Summary:

Price
From $8495 (+Air)

Group Size
Limited to 16 Travelers

Canada's Premier Polar Bear Adventure Dates, Pricing & Info

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2026 Departures

Departure – Return	Pricing	Notes
Nov 6 - Nov 12, 2026 7-Day Trip	**$9495** +internal air	
Nov 6 - Nov 11, 2026 6-Day Trip	**$8495** +internal air	
Nov 7 - Nov 12, 2026 6-Day Trip	**$8495** +internal air	
Nov 8 - Nov 13, 2026 6-Day Trip	**$8495** +internal air	
Nov 8 - Nov 14, 2026 7-Day Trip	**$9495** +internal air	Special Climate Change Trip
Nov 9 - Nov 14, 2026 6-Day Trip	**$8495** +internal air	
Nov 9 - Nov 15, 2026	**$10495** +internal air	Photo Expedition
Nov 10 - Nov 15, 2026 6-Day Trip	**$8495** +internal air	

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Nov 10 - Nov 16, 2026	**$10495** +internal air	Photo Expedition
Nov 11 - Nov 17, 2026 7-Day Trip	**$9495** +internal air	
Nov 12 - Nov 17, 2026 6-Day Trip	**$8495** +internal air	
Nov 12 - Nov 18, 2026	**$10495** +internal air	Photo Expedition
Nov 13 - Nov 18, 2026 6-Day Trip	**$8495** +internal air	Women's Journey
Nov 13 - Nov 19, 2026 7-Day Trip	**$9495** +internal air	
Nov 13 - Nov 19, 2026 7-Day Trip	**$9495** +internal air	Women's Journey
Nov 14 - Nov 20, 2026 7-Day Trip	**$9495** +internal air	
Nov 15 - Nov 21, 2026 7-Day Trip	**$9495** +internal air	
Nov 16 - Nov 21, 2026 6-Day Trip	**$8495** +internal air	
Nov 17 - Nov 22, 2026 6-Day Trip	**$8495** +internal air	
Nov 19 - Nov 24, 2026 6-Day Trip	**$8495** +internal air	
Nov 19 - Nov 25, 2026 7-Day Trip	**$9495** +internal air	
Nov 20 - Nov 26, 2026 7-Day Trip	**$9495** +internal air	

2027 Departures

Departure – Return	Pricing	Notes
Oct 1 - Oct 7, 2027 7-Day Trip	**$9995** +internal air	
Oct 1 - Oct 6, 2027 6-Day Trip	**$8995** +internal air	
Oct 4 - Oct 10, 2027 7-Day Trip	**$9995** +internal air	
Oct 4 - Oct 10, 2027 7-Day Trip	**$9995** +internal air	Women's Journey
Oct 5 - Oct 11, 2027 7-Day Trip	**$9995** +internal air	

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Oct 6 - Oct 12, 2027 7-Day Trip	**$9995** +internal air	
Oct 7 - Oct 13, 2027 7-Day Trip	**$9995** +internal air	
Oct 8 - Oct 14, 2027 7-Day Trip	**$9995** +internal air	
Oct 8 - Oct 14, 2027 7-Day Trip	**$9995** +internal air	Women's Journey
Oct 9 - Oct 15, 2027 7-Day Trip	**$9995** +internal air	
Oct 10 - Oct 16, 2027 7-Day Trip	**$9995** +internal air	
Oct 11 - Oct 16, 2027 6-Day Trip	**$8995** +internal air	
Oct 12 - Oct 17, 2027 6-Day Trip	**$8995** +internal air	
Oct 13 - Oct 19, 2027 7-Day Trip	**$9995** +internal air	
Oct 14 - Oct 20, 2027 7-Day Trip	**$9995** +internal air	
Oct 14 - Oct 19, 2027 6-Day Trip	**$8995** +internal air	Women's Journey
Oct 15 - Oct 20, 2027 6-Day Trip	**$8995** +internal air	
Oct 15 - Oct 21, 2027 7-Day Trip	**$9995** +internal air	
Oct 17 - Oct 22, 2027 6-Day Trip	**$8995** +internal air	
Oct 18 - Oct 23, 2027 6-Day Trip	**$8995** +internal air	
Oct 18 - Oct 24, 2027 7-Day Trip	**$9995** +internal air	
Oct 19 - Oct 25, 2027 7-Day Trip	**$9995** +internal air	
Oct 20 - Oct 26, 2027 7-Day Trip	**$9995** +internal air	
Oct 20 - Oct 25, 2027 6-Day Trip	**$8995** +internal air	
Oct 21 - Oct 26, 2027 6-Day Trip	**$8995** +internal air	
Oct 21 - Oct 27, 2027 7-Day Trip	**$9995** +internal air	

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Oct 22 - Oct 28, 2027 7-Day Trip	**$9995** +internal air	
Oct 23 - Oct 28, 2027 6-Day Trip	**$8995** +internal air	
Oct 24 - Oct 29, 2027 6-Day Trip	**$8995** +internal air	
Oct 24 - Oct 30, 2027	**$10995** +internal air	Photo Expedition
Oct 25 - Oct 31, 2027 7-Day Trip	**$9995** +internal air	
Oct 26 - Nov 1, 2027 7-Day Trip	**$9995** +internal air	
Oct 26 - Oct 31, 2027 6-Day Trip	**$8995** +internal air	
Oct 27 - Nov 1, 2027 6-Day Trip	**$8995** +internal air	
Oct 27 - Nov 2, 2027	**$10995** +internal air	Photo Expedition
Oct 28 - Nov 3, 2027	**$10995** +internal air	Photo Expedition
Oct 29 - Nov 3, 2027 6-Day Trip	**$8995** +internal air	
Oct 29 - Nov 4, 2027 7-Day Trip	**$9995** +internal air	
Oct 30 - Nov 4, 2027 6-Day Trip	**$8995** +internal air	
Oct 31 - Nov 6, 2027	**$10995** +internal air	Photo Expedition
Nov 1 - Nov 7, 2027 7-Day Trip	**$9995** +internal air	
Nov 1 - Nov 7, 2027	**$10995** +internal air	Photo Expedition
Nov 2 - Nov 8, 2027 7-Day Trip	**$9995** +internal air	
Nov 3 - Nov 9, 2027 7-Day Trip	**$9995** +internal air	
Nov 3 - Nov 8, 2027 6-Day Trip	**$8995** +internal air	
Nov 4 - Nov 9, 2027 6-Day Trip	**$8995** +internal air	
Nov 5 - Nov 11, 2027 7-Day Trip	**$9995** +internal air	

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Nov 5 - Nov 10, 2027 6-Day Trip	**$8995** +internal air	
Nov 5 - Nov 11, 2027	**$10995** +internal air	Photo Expedition
Nov 6 - Nov 12, 2027 7-Day Trip	**$9995** +internal air	
Nov 6 - Nov 11, 2027 6-Day Trip	**$8995** +internal air	
Nov 7 - Nov 12, 2027 6-Day Trip	**$8995** +internal air	
Nov 7 - Nov 13, 2027	**$10995** +internal air	Photo Expedition
Nov 8 - Nov 14, 2027 7-Day Trip	**$9995** +internal air	
Nov 9 - Nov 14, 2027 6-Day Trip	**$8995** +internal air	
Nov 10 - Nov 15, 2027 6-Day Trip	**$8995** +internal air	
Nov 10 - Nov 16, 2027	**$10995** +internal air	Photo Expedition
Nov 11 - Nov 17, 2027	**$10995** +internal air	Photo Expedition
Nov 12 - Nov 18, 2027 7-Day Trip	**$9995** +internal air	
Nov 12 - Nov 17, 2027 6-Day Trip	**$8995** +internal air	Women's Journey
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Sep 29 - Oct 5, 2028 7-Day Trip	**From $9995** +internal air	
Sep 29 - Oct 4, 2028 6-Day Trip	**From $8995** +internal air	
Sep 30 - Oct 5, 2028 6-Day Trip	**From $8995** +internal air	
Sep 30 - Oct 6, 2028 7-Day Trip	**From $9995** +internal air	
Oct 1 - Oct 6, 2028 6-Day Trip	**From $8995** +internal air	
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Included

Trip price includes: Accommodations, services of Nat Hab's professional Expedition Leader(s) and assistants, Polar Rover excursions, dog sledding excursion, evening wildlife and cultural presentations, all meals from dinner on Day 1 through breakfast on final day, **cold-weather gear** including the use of a parka and boots during your trip, some gratuities, airport transfers on Day 1 and final day, all activities and entrance fees, all taxes, permits and service fees.

Not Included

Travel to and from the start and end point of your trip, alcoholic beverages, some gratuities, passport and visa fees (if any), optional activities, items of a personal nature (phone calls, laundry, etc.), airline baggage fees, airport and departure taxes (if any), optional travel protection and medical evacuation insurance.

Internal air: Round-trip private charter flights from Winnipeg to Churchill (this will be listed separately on our invoicing).

Important Information About This Trip

This flagship polar bear tour has been our most popular adventure for more than two decades. Its longstanding success is due to the outstanding bear viewing opportunities in Churchill, the Polar Bear Capital of the World, as well as the broad introduction the trip offers to the natural and cultural history of the Hudson Bay region and daily life in the Canadian North. The trip includes two day trips by Polar Rover and a nighttime Rover excursion, complemented by time spent exploring the frontier outpost town of Churchill. All activities are enhanced by expert interpretation and personalized attention from our affable naturalist Expedition Leaders.

Regarding polar bears: They are typically in the Churchill area year-round. The highest concentration occurs in October and November as the bears gather to await freeze-up on Hudson Bay and the beginning of their winter hunting season. But bear viewing is never predictable. Sometimes the best viewing happens at the beginning of the season, sometimes it occurs in the middle, and sometimes it's at the end—we never know for sure. Once the bay freezes, many of the bears depart. Historically, this has happened in early December, but an unusually early cold spell can sometimes occur, hastening their departure to the ice. Please be aware that conditions vary, and polar bears here live wild and free: we can never guarantee that you will see them or promise exactly what your experience will be.

Click here to learn more about the "ebbs and flows" of our fall polar bear season.

Meals

Please understand that the meals in Churchill are specially planned and prepared for well in advance. With ample notice, dietary requirements due to serious medical conditions or strict personal restrictions can be met but must be adhered to during the trip. If you have a very restricted diet, we recommend bringing your own preferred snacks along with the understanding that certain foods are limited in this remote part of the world.

Mandatory Insurance

Since the areas we travel to are remote and wild (that's why we go there!), we require that all guests have, at minimum, medical evacuation insurance for this program. This is for the safety of all guests. We require that your chosen independent insurance plan includes at least $250,000 in medical evacuation coverage.

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To protect your investment and to provide peace of mind while you travel, we also strongly recommend purchasing comprehensive travel insurance. Plans may cover everything from medical treatment to trip cancellations and delays and lost luggage. Please contact our office if you would like more information about the medical evacuation and comprehensive travel insurance policies we offer by calling 800-543-8917.

Getting There & Getting Home

This trip begins and ends in Winnipeg, Manitoba. Because weather delays are possible, **we recommend that you arrive at least one night prior to Day 1** to rest from your travels and begin the trip refreshed. For guests who come in early, our recommended hotel will be included in your pre-departure materials. If you plan to arrive on Day 1, you must arrive in Winnipeg by 5 pm in order to attend the 7 pm orientation dinner.

You are free to depart Winnipeg at any time on the final day.



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