

Rocky Mountain Coastal Circle



8 days / 7 nights

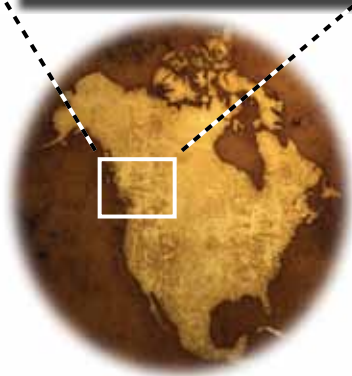
Independent Holiday Package

Departs Tuesday / Sunday,

May – October

From Vancouver

Popular from \$2239 Cdn pp
Premiere from \$2419 Cdn pp



North America's
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Tour Highlights

An overnight journey aboard VIA Rail's legendary train *Canadian*, the *Canadian Rockies*, and a two-day daylight journey aboard the *Skeena*, past breathtaking vistas and natural splendors you simply cannot see any other way.

- Jasper National Parks
- Maligne Lake, Coastal & Rocky Mountain ranges
- Premiere option features legendary Fairmont Hotel Jasper Park Lodge



Day 1 – Vancouver / VIA Rail

Tuesday / Sunday

Welcome to vibrant Vancouver, BC, nestled between the mountains and sea and home to the 2010 Olympics. Tour starts with transfer within Greater Vancouver, including YVR Vancouver International Airport, to Pacific Central Station for evening departure aboard VIA Rail's legendary *Canadian* train. Enjoy sightseeing from the scenic dome, then relax in your Silver & Blue sleeping car accommodations as the train rolls through the Fraser Valley and into the night. *Overnight VIA Rail.*

Customize -- Your Holiday, Your Way ...

John Steel's Tour Consultants can add extra days, activities, and other options to your itinerary. Call for prices.

Day 2 – VIA Rail / Jasper National Park

Wednesday / Monday

Breakfast is served in the dining car. Watch for wildlife and magnificent Mount Robson, the highest peak in the Canadian Rockies while enjoying your lunch before arriving into Jasper late afternoon for your transfer to your hotel. Remainder of day is yours to explore this picturesque mountain resort. *Overnight Jasper – breakfast & lunch in dining car included.*

Day 3 – Jasper sightseeing

Thursday / Tuesday

Discover the beauty of Jasper National Park with half-day sightseeing tour, including Maligne Canyon and Maligne Lake, one of the most photographed sceneries in the Canadian Rockies. Afternoon at leisure. *Overnight Jasper.*

Day 4 – Jasper / VIA Rail / Prince George

Friday / Wednesday

Transfer to the VIA Rail station and travel on the *Skeena* travelling through the heart of the Rockies

and along the Fraser River to Prince George. Transfer to your hotel included. *Overnight Prince George, (lunch and dinner at your seat on the train included peak season only).*

Day 5 – Prince George / VIA Rail / Prince Rupert

Saturday / Thursday

Aboard the *Skeena* today you will continue west going through steep canyons, past raging rapids and stunning mountain vistas of the Coastal Range and even a glacier. Transfer to your hotel. *Overnight Prince Rupert, (breakfast, lunch and dinner at your seat on the train included peak season only).*

Day 6 – Prince Rupert / BC Ferries / Port Hardy

Sunday / Friday

Transfer to BC Ferries and sail through the magnificent Inside Passage, viewing towering coastal mountains, steep sided fjords and cascading waterfalls. Upon arrival in Port Hardy transfer to your hotel. *Overnight Port Hardy.*

Day 7 – Port Hardy / Victoria

Monday / Saturday

Travel south on a motor coach tour along the east side of Vancouver Island and the Strait of Georgia. Arrive this evening in Victoria's Inner harbour. *Overnight Victoria.*

Day 8 – Victoria / Vancouver or Seattle

Tuesday / Sunday

Transfer to the Victoria bus depot for a ferry crossing to Downtown Vancouver or Vancouver Airport.

TRAVEL TIPS

FAMILY HOLIDAYS - make memories on the train! Rail journeys are a great way for guests of all ages to travel together. Visit www.johnsteel.com or ask your John Steel Tour Consultant for family-friendly recommendations and prices.

ROMANCE BY RAIL - Honeymoons, anniversaries, birthdays and other special occasions call for upgraded comfort in a nostalgic, romantic Ensuite Bedroom. Your John Steel Tour Consultant has all the details.

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PRE- AND POST-TOUR ADD-ONS: Call John Steel Rail Tours for additional tours that you can add on to your classic rail journey.

FULL-SERVICE CONVENIENCE: your John Steel Consultant can arrange Amtrak and flights for you.

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Price includes

- 6 nights' accommodation in hotels.
- 1 night in VIA Rail Silver & Blue sleeping car accommodation.
- Transportation and transfers, as described.
- Select sightseeing, activities, and admissions, as described.
- 6 meals in Totem Deluxe service on the Skeena including meals served on the train are available mid May to the end of October only.
- Not included – any items not listed such as but not limited to Goods & Services Tax and/or Harmonized Sales Tax; meals (other than listed); baggage handling; gratuities; travel insurance; personal expenses; custom tour add-ons.
- Please read Things To Know Before You Go for further information.

Info to know

- Reservations are confirmed upon receipt of \$250 CDN per person deposit.
- A complete self-guiding itinerary and vouchers are provided after receipt of full and final

- payment, due no later than 60 (sixty) days prior to date of Day 1 of your itinerary. (VISA, Mastercard, AmEx, bank draft).
- All monies paid are non-refundable. Ask your John Steel Tour Consultant about travel insurance, its coverages, conditions, and limitations.
- If applicable, pack an overnight bag for all overnight rail journeys. Safety rules limit carry-on luggage.
- Please do not make closely connecting travel arrangements before &/or after tour. John Steel is not responsible for missed connections.
- All products &/or services are subject to John Sharpe's Rail Tours Ltd., operating as John Steel Rail Tours' (JSRT), "General Conditions & Waiver."
- Please ask your John Steel Tour Consultant for family pricing

Prices and inclusions are subject to change without notice and vary by season. Prices shown have been adjusted where necessary to reflect seasonal availability of sightseeing and attractions.

NOTES

PRICE DETAILS: 2010 Canadian dollar prices - per guest, double occupancy in hotels • Senior prices available (60 years and better).

WINTER SEASON

JAN 1 – APR 30

POPULAR CATEGORY

Available upon request

PREMIERE CATEGORY

Available upon request

SPRING SEASON

MAY 1 – MAY 31

POPULAR CATEGORY

ADULT

Upper Berth \$2239

Lower Berth \$2319

Bedroom (dblocc) \$2459

Ensuite Bedroom (dblocc) \$2769

Single Occ ADD \$689

PREMIERE CATEGORY

ADULT

Upper Berth \$2419

Lower Berth \$2499

Bedroom (dblocc) \$2639

Ensuite Bedroom (dblocc) \$2949

Single Occ ADD \$879

SUMMER SEASON

JUN 1 – OCT 21

POPULAR CATEGORY

ADULT

Upper Berth \$2719

Lower Berth \$2849

Bedroom (dblocc) \$3059

Ensuite Bedroom (dblocc) \$3519

Single Occ ADD \$769

PREMIERE CATEGORY

ADULT

Upper Berth \$3469

Lower Berth \$3579

Bedroom (dblocc) \$3799

Ensuite Bedroom (dblocc) \$4299

Single Occ ADD \$1199

FALL SEASON

OCT 22 – DEC 31

POPULAR CATEGORY

Available upon request

PREMIERE CATEGORY

Available upon request