



DIRECT TRAVEL[®]
Personalized Experiences

AURORA ADVENTURE

Canadian Rockies & Yukon

April 23 - May 4, 2027

Journey through Canada's Rockies and the Yukon, where grand hotels and Gold Rush history meet the wild magic of the North. Chase the Northern Lights beneath star-filled skies, unwind in alpine hot springs, and dogsled through pristine wilderness. Meet rescued wolfdogs, savor mountaintop and First Nations feasts, discover rare gemstones, enjoy a guided food tour in Calgary, and experience the timeless elegance of Fairmont Chateau Lake Louise and Fairmont Banff Springs Hotel. Each day reveals new layers of breathtaking, unforgettable northern adventure.



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DETAILS!

ITINERARY:

B - Breakfast, L - Lunch, D - Dinner denotes meals included with the package

DAY 1: MARCH 14, 2027 - CALGARY

You will meet at the Chateau Hotel & Conference Center in Bloomington to take a motorcoach to Chicago O'Hare International Airport to board your flight to Calgary. As you arrive in Calgary, in the province of Alberta, take time to settle in and explore at your own pace. There are no scheduled activities today,

DAY 2: MARCH 15, 2027 - LAKE LOUISE

Your journey into the heart of the Canadian Rockies begins with an Impact Moment at the Yamnuska Wolfdog Sanctuary. Here, rescued wolfdogs find safety, care, and fulfilling lives. After continuing the day's trek, enjoy free time during a stop in the quaint town of Canmore. This afternoon, arrive at the famous Fairmont Chateau Lake Louise, a stunning retreat nestled beside the frozen lake and surrounded by towering mountains — the scenery is nothing short of magical, and perhaps the elusive auroras will even make an appearance after dark. Tonight, enjoy the company of your fellow travelers as you dine at one of the Chateau's acclaimed restaurants. (B, D)

DAY 3: MARCH 16, 2027 - BANFF

Wake up to a postcard-perfect morning in Lake Louise. With free time this morning, why not take a walk along the scenic lakeshore? Mid-morning, set off for the charming alpine town of Banff. Enjoy some time in the cozy downtown before learning about a uniquely Albertan treasure. Meet a local ammolite specialist to discover the story behind this rare gemstone found only in Alberta. Later, check into the legendary Fairmont Banff Springs Hotel. (B)

DAY 4: MARCH 17, 2027 - BANFF

This morning, it's your choice! Lace up your boots for a guided hike through Johnston Canyon, where steel catwalks hug the canyon walls and lead you to frozen waterfalls and dramatic views -OR- enjoy a hands-on bead-working experience led by a member of the Metis community, an Indigenous people with a unique history, culture and language all their own. Later today, soar above it all on the Banff Gondola. At the summit, enjoy a memorable dinner surrounded by alpine beauty, followed by Nightrise, an interactive art experience created in collaboration with the Stoney Nakoda Nation. (B, D)

DAY 5: MARCH 18, 2027 - CALGARY

Back in Calgary after a late morning departure from Banff, dive into the city's vibrant food scene with a guided tasting tour of Calgary Farmers' Market West. With your local foodie guide leading the way, sample regional flavors and discover stories behind the ingredients. Enjoy a free evening as you wish. (B, L)

DAY 6: MARCH 19, 2027 - WHITEHORSE, YUKON

Today, take a flight to Whitehorse, the capital of the Yukon. Though it's Canada's smallest territory by population, the Yukon's spirit is anything but small. Whitehorse sits directly beneath the aurora oval, making it one of the best places on Earth to witness the northern lights — and tonight, you'll have your first chance to see them dance across the sky. The magic of the Yukon night sky awaits. (B)

DAY 7: MARCH 20, 2027 - WHITEHORSE, YUKON

Today, discover the heart and soul of Whitehorse. Join a local guide for a tour that brings the town's frontier spirit to life. See the SS Klondike, and see the Old Log Church. This afternoon, get closer to the wild at the Yukon Wildlife Preserve, where you'll have the chance to spot native species like musk-ox, elk, and Dall sheep in their natural habitat. Then, unwind in the steamy, mineral-rich waters of the Eclipse Nordic Hot Springs. As night falls, head out once again in search of the aurora borealis. (B)

DAY 8: MARCH 21, 2027 - WHITEHORSE, YUKON

Enjoy a leisurely morning to rest or explore Whitehorse at your own pace. This afternoon, embrace the spirit of the North with a thrilling dogsledding adventure. It's an exhilarating, unforgettable way to experience the Yukon wilderness. Tonight, gather at the Kwanlin Dün Cultural Centre. Share a meaningful meal and connect with the culture of the land through food, art, and storytelling. Later, return to the aurora viewing site for one last chance to witness the northern lights. (B, D)

DAY 9: MARCH 22, 2027 - VANCOUVER

Say farewell to the wild beauty of the Yukon as you fly south to the vibrant, coastal city of Vancouver. Nestled between mountains and ocean, Vancouver is a cosmopolitan hub with a laid-back West Coast vibe. This evening, gather with your fellow travelers for a farewell dinner at a local restaurant. (B, D)

DAY 10: MARCH 23, 2027 - TOURS ENDS

Your tour ends today. As you return home, reflect on your favorite moments from your journey — from the icy stillness of Lake Louise to the electric skies of the Yukon. (B)



*The northern lights are in the Northern Hemisphere from September through April and are only visible when the sky is clear and free of clouds. Seeing Northern Lights cannot be guaranteed.

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PACKAGE INCLUDES

- Dedicated Tour Manager
- Hotel accommodations while on tour
- Round Trip Air from O'Hare Intl Airport
- Air Taxes and Fees/Surcharges
- Hotel Transfers
- Round Trip Group Transfers Between Bloomington and Chicago
- All meals stated in itinerary
- All excursions stated in itinerary

All prices are in US dollars unless otherwise indicated. A deposit of \$698 per person is due upon reservation plus the cost of insurance if purchasing. The final payment is due December 1, 2026. Please see website for full terms & conditions.

