MYSTERY TOUR
September 4, 2017 - 8 Days

Fares Per Person:
$2195  double/twin
$2895  single
$1990  triple

> Tour is exempt from GST
> Early Bookers: $50 discount on all bookings up to March 24.
> Experience Points: Earn 54 points from this tour.
  Redeem 54 points if you book by July 4.

About Mystery Tours

This is Wells Gray Tours’ 55th Mystery Tour since 1985. The first Mystery Tour was only three days and travelled to Whistler. In the 32 years since then, Mystery Tours have generally been offered twice a year and have taken curious customers to destinations all over Canada, the USA, and even Iceland and Costa Rica. Some fly and explore that area, such as southern Florida in 2011 or North Carolina in 2012. Some stay close to home such as a 2014 tour to Idaho including Hells Canyon, Sun Valley Resort, and Boise. A 2012 tour cruised on the Golden Princess to Los Angeles, then stayed on Santa Catalina Island.

For the last two years, the mystery destination has been in Canada. The 2015 tour flew to Saskatchewan where they toured the RCMP Academy, explored the Tunnels of Moose Jaw, floated in Manitou Hot Springs, watched dancers at Danceland and Wanuskewin Heritage Park, and sampled tasty courses on a progressive walking dinner in Saskatoon. The 2016 Mystery tour travelled to Moncton, New Brunswick. During the next nine days, the group dined on fresh lobster at the Bay of Fundy, walked on the ocean floor at Hopewell Rocks, experienced Acadian culture at Le Pays de Sagouine, stayed in the historic Hotel Tadousac overlooking the St. Lawrence River, cruised in the Saguenay Fjord, and stayed at the renowned Château Frontenac in Québec City. The June 2017 Mystery Tour is also in Canada.

That is the intrigue of Mystery Tours! We never tell you where you will go or what you will see. You may be amazed when the coach pulls up beside a cruise ship, or you board a plane for an overseas flight, or you arrive at a unique hotel. Each day of the tour has surprises, as the mystery route is revealed only as we travel along from day to day. However, we can promise you that our route or destination has interesting sights and unusual experiences — often the first time that Wells Gray has been there or stayed at a particular hotel. Some mysteries are offered in subsequent years as a regular tour.

Wells Gray Tours has been a pioneer in offering Mystery Tours in British Columbia. Among the 800 or so tour operators in North America, only a handful offer multi-day mystery itineraries like ours. Please join us for Mystery Tour #55! Some exciting surprises are waiting for you.
Includes

- Transportation for 8 days
- 7 nights of accommodation & hotel taxes
- Various attractions, activities and entertainment
- Local guides at some destinations
- Knowledgeable Wells Gray tour director
- Luggage handling at all hotels except one
- Most gratuities
- **18 meals**: 7 breakfasts, 6 lunches, 5 dinners

Tour Notes

NOTES ABOUT YOUR MYSTERY TOUR (being careful not to reveal anything about the destination)

- A passport is required for this tour.
- If you prefer not to fly, this Mystery Tour is the perfect choice.
- Wells Gray Tours has never previously offered this itinerary.
- A letter about suggested attire plus packing and travelling tips will be distributed at final payment.

Activity: Light activity including distances to walk of up to ½ km (if you want to see everything). Also expect steps and some uneven walkways underfoot. If you think you may have difficulty participating in Activity Level 1, Wells Gray Tours recommends that you bring a companion to assist you. The tour director and driver have many responsibilities, so please do not expect them, or your fellow travellers, to provide ongoing assistance.

SPECIFIC MYSTERY TOUR CLUES

Here are some clues to the mystery route. These clues are arranged in the order that they occur on the itinerary. Find a map and have fun guessing where we’re going!

1. Peter waits at his gates during a heavy shower and welcomes his guests to Paradise.

2. Cars are prohibited on these Venetian islands, but a Nissan is the exception.

3. A floral opera was created by Wagner in 1938 and a garbage collector started showing off his favourite vehicles in 1978.

4. This land area, almost surrounded by American water, reminds people of a media frenzy in 1984 and 1996 elsewhere in the USA.

5. This town is talked about in every kitchen and is well known for its sunset.

6. Dean and Felix nearly met in 2007 but it was almost 10 years before Matthew joined them on this lofty mountain-top.

7. We pass trickery, bad weather and a popular president on our way to a sunny hotel.

Tour Policies

Payments: A deposit of $200 per person is requested at the time of booking and the balance is due July 4, 2017.

Cancellation Policy: Up to July 4, your tour payments will be refunded less an administrative charge of $50 per person. From July 5 to July 24, the cancellation charge is 40% of the tour fare. From July 25 to August 14, the cancellation charge is 70% of the tour fare. After August 14, there is no refund.

Fare changes: Changes to taxes and currency exchange rates, and surcharges from tour suppliers can occur at any time and are beyond the control of Wells Gray Tours, therefore we reserve the right to increase fares due to such changes up until the time of departure.

Travel Insurance: A Comprehensive Insurance policy is available through Wells Gray Tours and coverage is provided by Travel Guard. Policies purchased at deposit include a waiver of the pre-existing condition clause for medical and cancellation claims, otherwise policies can be purchased no later than at final payment. Please contact us for details.

Experience Points: This tour earns 54 points. Each time you travel on a Wells Gray tour, you earn Experience Points. One point equals $1. Redeem your points on select tours or accumulate enough points to earn a free tour! Redemptions offered until July 4.

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