

STORM WATCHING AT WICKANINNISH INN

March 2027



Featuring Long Beach and Tofino

Escape to the spectacular west coast of Vancouver Island and experience the renowned Wickaninnish Inn, where luxury, nature, and coastal charm come together in perfect harmony. Nestled between ancient rainforest and the crashing waves of the Pacific Ocean, your oceanfront room offers breathtaking views and a front-row seat to the ever-changing coastline. Breathe in the fresh ocean air as you stroll Long Beach and Wickaninnish Beach in Pacific Rim National Park, explore the welcoming seaside community of Tofino, and savour exceptional West Coast cuisine. Whether greeted by sunshine, mist, or the drama of a Pacific storm, every visit to the Wickaninnish Inn is unforgettable. With exclusive group pricing and the convenience of a Wells Gray Tours package, this relaxing getaway is the perfect way to experience one of British Columbia's most celebrated coastal retreats.



CANADIAN TOUR



ACTIVITY LEVEL

► Departure from:

📍 **BC Interior:** March 8, 2027 – 6 days

📍 **Lower Mainland:** March 8, 2027 – 6 days

► Fares per person

📍 from **\$3,660** double/twin, **\$4,785** single*

**Pricing details for all departures provided on page 2.*

► Earn 92 Experience Points



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WHAT'S INCLUDED

► Meals

- I 11 total:** 5 breakfasts, 3 lunches, 3 dinners
- L 10 total:** 5 breakfasts, 2 lunches, 3 dinners

► Transportation

- Coach transportation for 6 days
- 2 Strait of Georgia ferry crossings

► Accommodation

- 5 nights of accommodation & hotel taxes
- Luggage handling at some hotels

► Knowledgeable Wells Gray tour director

► Key Highlights

- Rathtrevor Beach & Cathedral Grove Parks
- Pacific Rim National Park
- Long Beach & Wickaninnish Beach
- Tofino Clayoquot Heritage Museum
- Show at Chemainus Theatre

Attractions are subject to change. Please see Tour Policies for more information.

► Gratuities & Fees

- Housekeeping gratuities at Wickaninnish Inn
- Sustainability fee at Wickaninnish Inn

FARES PER PERSON

Surf at Chesterman Beach

Departure Point		First Floor	Second Floor	Third Floor
I	BC Interior	\$3,660 double/twin	\$3,795 double/twin	\$3,935 double/twin
		\$4,785 single	\$5,020 single	\$5,260 single
		\$3,375 triple	\$3,480 triple	\$3,580 triple
L	Lower Mainland	\$3,695 double/twin	\$3,830 double/twin	\$3,970 double/twin
		\$4,820 single	\$5,055 single	\$5,295 single
		\$3,410 triple	\$3,515 triple	\$3,615 triple

- Please add 5% GST.
- **BC Seniors (65 & over):** \$18 discount from BC Ferries. Please bring your BC Services Card on the tour.

Activity Level 1

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Light Activity: You are a traveller who prefers to see places without a lot of physical activity. You can climb a flight of stairs, board a coach, stand for short periods and walk at a leisurely pace with breaks for up to 30 minutes without difficulty or assistance. The amount of walking at Rathtrevor Beach, Cathedral Grove, Long Beach, and Wickaninnish Beach is your choice.

You may bring a walker or cane to support your mobility. Please let us know when you book if you will be bringing a walker on this tour. You may need to handle your own luggage at hotels if luggage service is not available. The coach cannot carry a scooter or motorized wheelchair. The tour director and driver have many responsibilities, so please do not expect them, or your fellow travellers, to provide ongoing assistance. If you are not able to keep up with the group or require frequent assistance, the tour director may stop you from participating in some activities or some days of the tour.



Tour Size 40

This tour can accommodate 40 participants.

ITINERARY

Monday, March 8

Your [departure point](#) will be discussed at the time of booking. We take a mid-afternoon ferry from Horseshoe Bay to Nanaimo.

Meals included: Lunch (BC Interior)

Accommodation: Coast Bastion Hotel

Tuesday, March 9

We stroll the smooth sands at Rathtrevor Beach and walk among towering firs at **Cathedral Grove** (if conditions permit). After lunch in Port Alberni, we drive to the west coast of Vancouver Island. The next three nights are at **Wickaninnish Inn** near Tofino. Perched on a rocky point above Chesterman Beach, every room has a splendid ocean view. Maybe you will experience a thrilling storm where the spray lashes the windows while you are cuddled comfortably by the fireplace. High tide today is 11.1 feet at 2:15 pm and low tide is 3.1 feet at 8:21 pm. Dinner is included at the hotel's renowned restaurant, The Pointe, with a limited choice menu.

Note: To reserve optional spa appointments for Wednesday or Thursday, please call the hotel in advance. Ancient Cedars Spa: 250-725-3113

Meals included: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

Accommodation: Wickaninnish Inn

Wednesday, March 10

Breakfast is included at The Wick each day. Low tide today is 2.8 feet at 8:50 am and high tide is 10.9 feet at 2:54 pm (plus one of each during the night). The best beachcombing occurs during low tide, so this morning we visit **Long Beach**, the most popular feature of Pacific Rim National Park,

and peer into some tidal pools. Afterwards, we drive into Tofino to visit the Tofino Clayoquot Heritage Museum and browse some shops. At the hotel, you should take a stroll along Chesterman Beach. Dinner is on your own so you can enjoy another tasty experience at the hotel, or the coach provides a transfer into Tofino.

Meals included: Breakfast

Accommodation: Wickaninnish Inn

Thursday, March 11

Low tide today is 2.6 feet at 9:28 am and high tide is 10.4 feet at 3:36 pm. In the morning, we drive to **Wickaninnish Beach**, the south section of Long Beach, and search for any treasures left by the dropping tide. The afternoon is free time at the Wickaninnish Inn. Maybe you have an appointment at the Ancient Cedars Spa. Otherwise, enjoy the fitness centre or the beach. Dinner is served in The Pointe.

Meals included: Breakfast, Dinner

Accommodation: Wickaninnish Inn

Friday, March 12

We return to the east coast of Vancouver Island with a stop for lunch in Parksville. A sumptuous buffet dinner is served at **Chemainus Theatre**, followed by a show. The title will be announced in late 2026.

Meals included: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

Accommodation: Best Western Chemainus Inn

Saturday, March 13

We ride the ferry from Duke Point to Tsawwassen and travel home.

Meals included: Breakfast



Long Beach

TOUR NOTES & POLICIES

Payments: A deposit of \$250 per person is requested at the time of booking and balance is due January 6, 2027. By paying the deposit, you agree to the [Terms and Conditions](#), [Company Policies](#), Activity Level, and Cancellation Policy outlined. Payments can be made by online banking or cheque (3% discount on tour fare), or by Visa or Mastercard.

Cancellation Policy:

- Up to December 4, 2026, the cancellation charge is \$100 per person.
- From December 5, 2026 to January 6, 2027, the cancellation charge is \$250 per person (your deposit).
- From January 7 to February 5, the cancellation charge is 70% of the tour fare.
- After February 5, there is no refund.

Show Cancellation, Itinerary and Fare Changes: Please refer to Wells Gray Tours' [Terms, Conditions, and Company Policies](#).

Food Allergies: You must notify us no later than at final payment if you have a food allergy. This tour goes to some remote places where restaurants may not be able to satisfy all food allergies. An allergy causes medical distress, a preference does not. For some allergies, please consider bringing your own snacks or food items so you are not dependent on what restaurants are able to serve.

Travel Insurance: A Comprehensive Insurance policy is available through Wells Gray Tours and coverage is provided by Travel Guard until September 8, 2026 and Battleface after that. 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. This tour stays in British Columbia. While your BC Services Card may cover you for a medical issue that arises during the tour, you will probably benefit from trip cancellation and trip interruption coverage in case of illness or a mishap before or during the tour. Many other benefits such as luggage insurance are included. Medical questionnaire is not needed. Please contact us for details. If you have your own travel insurance, please read the policy carefully to be sure that you are adequately covered for cancellation, interruption, and luggage. Insurance premiums are not refundable whether or not you make a claim.

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Experience Points: This tour earns 92 Experience Points or e-points. Redeem up to 92 of your earned e-points from a previous tour until January 6, 2027.

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