









#### CANADA

# CANADA'S BIG FIVE SAFARI (TOUR CODE: 13092)

STARTS AND ENDS	TRAVEL PERIODS	EXPERIENCE	TRAVEL STYLE
in Winnipeg	20 Jul 25 - 10 Aug 25	Walk & Hike	Independent Holiday Packages
		Wildlife	

A whirlwind adventure from the dense forests of Riding Mountain National Park to the colourful tundra of Churchill.

#### Highlights

- Experience a dog carting excursion with Wapusk Adventures, a professional musher through the colourful boreal forest
- Roundtrip charter flights between Winnipeg and Churchill
- Explore Riding Mountain National Park in search of black bear, moose, bison and more
- Discover hundreds of beluga whales by boat and enjoy a guided tour of Prince of Wales Fort National Historic Site
- · Search for Churchill's summer wildlife on an official Tundra Buggy® adventure

Experience the spectacular wildlife of Manitoba with an adventure from the dense forest of Riding Mountain National Park, to the colourful tundra of Churchill. Our one-of-a-kind Big Five Safari is a salute to the incredible array of megafauna that populate the forests, prairies, tundra and waters of this beautiful province!

Your journey begins in Winnipeg, the geographic centre of North America. Travel overland to Riding Mountain National Park (RMNP) where the boreal forest, meadows and lakes, lofty heights and deep gorges of the Manitoba Escarpment are home to moose, black bears, a captive bison herd and more. Enjoy daily wildlife drives to photograph the amazing wildlife and landscapes of the area.

Next, fly north to Churchill, where the boreal forest gives way to the rugged tundra and northern waterways. Set out by boat and Zodiac amongst inquisitive beluga whales and explore the Churchill Wildlife Management Area in search of the majestic polar bear.

#### **INCLUSIONS**

- · 3 nights accommodation in Winnipeg
- · 2 nights accommodation in Wasagaming
- 2 nights accommodation in Churchill
- · Bus transfer to Riding Mountain National Park
- · Interpretive walking tour of Wasagaming
- · Interpretive cruise on Clear Lake aboard The Martese
- · Wildlife drive to Lake Audy Bison Enclosure
- Interpretive hike of Ominik Marsh
- · Churchill and area tour
- Tundra Buggy® adventure
- · Boat tour of the Churchill River
- · Interpretive walking tour of Prince of Wales Fort
- · Learn about Métis culture, the history of dog sledding and enjoy an exhilarating dog cart ride
- · Meals as per itinerary
- Return airfare from Winnipeg to Churchill
- · Tour at Itsanitaq Museum
- Prepaid gratuities

# **ITINERARY**

#### Minnipeg

Upon your arrival in Winnipeg, you will receive a warm welcome as you check into your hotel conveniently located at the Winnipeg airport. In the evening, indulge in a delightful welcome dinner hosted by the knowledgeable Frontiers North Interpretive Guide. It's a chance to connect, unwind, and prepare for the exciting adventures that await you in the heart of Manitoba's wilderness.

Overnight in Winnipeg at the Lakeview Grand Hotel

Dinner



# Winnipeg Riding Mountain National Park

In the crisp morning air, embark on a scenic bus transfer to the captivating landscapes of Riding Mountain National Park.

Along the way, enjoy a delightful stop at Farmery Estate Brewery, where you can savor the flavors of locally brewed delights. As the day gently folds into the evening, immerse yourself in the wild wonders of the park with an exciting wildlife drive, capturing the essence of Manitoba's natural beauty. After the day's adventures, retreat to the cozy comforts of the Lakehouse hotel, nestled in the heart of this picturesque wilderness.

Overnight in Wasagaming at the Lakehouse Hotel

Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner



### Riding Mountain National Park Lake Audy Bison Enclosure

Begin your day with a captivating morning wildlife drive, followed by a fascinating interpretive walking tour of Wasagaming. In the afternoon, enjoy the serene Clear Lake aboard The Martese and venture on an evening wildlife drive to the remarkable Lake Audy Bison Enclosure. Relax in the inviting atmosphere of the Lakehouse hotel, where you can savor the day's adventures and get ready for more exciting discoveries tomorrow.

Overnight in Wasagaming at the Lakehouse Hotel

Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner



#### §4 Riding Mountain National Park Winnipeg

The day starts with a captivating morning wildlife drive, allowing you to immerse yourself in the beauty of Manitoba's natural landscapes. Follow this with an enriching Ominik Marsh interpretive hike, where you can appreciate the region's unique flora and fauna. Afterward, return to Winnipeg by bus, providing a moment of relaxation before checking in at a cozy Winnipeg hotel for the evening. This offers you a chance to unwind and relish the day's remarkable wilderness experiences.

Overnight in Wasagaming at the Lakehouse Hotel

Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner



#### § 5 Winnipeg Churchill

After breakfast, board an early morning flight to Churchill, where the wilderness beckons. Dive into the heart of nature with a captivating Tundra Buggy® adventure in the Churchill Wildlife Management Area. Afterward, savor leisurely moments to wander the enchanting town of Churchill. As night falls, find serenity in your cozy Churchill hotel, preparing for the wonders

that await you on the following day.

Overnight in Churchill at the Tundra Inn

Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner



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After breakfast, embark on a Churchill and area tour, delving into the rich tapestry of this wilderness enclave. Explore the iconic Polar Bears International House, a hub of environmental insights. Set sail on a boat tour along the meandering Churchill River, absorbing the scenic wonders. Immerse yourself in history with an interpretive walking tour of the majestic Prince of Wales Fort, where tales of the past come to life. Experience the thrill of dog carting, guided by knowledgeable experts who unravel the art and essence of this ancient practice. As the day unfolds, find solace in the comfort of your Churchill hotel, where stories of your adventures mingle with the Arctic breeze, creating an unforgettable atmosphere.

Overnight in Churchill at the Tundra Inn

Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner



#### 7 Churchill Winnipeg

Embark on an exciting Zodiac boat ride along the Churchill River, taking in the Arctic beauty. Explore the cultural wonders at the Parks Canada Visitor Centre and the Itsanitaq Museum. In the evening, board a flight back to Winnipeg, where you'll check into your cozy hotel.

Overnight in Winnipeg at the Lakeview Grand Hotel

Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner



#### 38 Winnipeg

This concludes your safari experience. You may depart Winnipeg at your convenience.

#### **ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**

OFFICIAL LANGUAGE
French & English

LOCAL CURRENCY
Canadian Dollars

#### Excluded

- International airfares and taxes
- Domestic airfares and taxes, unless otherwise specified in our holiday package
- · Visa expenses, processing and issuance fees
- · Meals other than as specified in our holiday package
- Optional tours
- Travel Insurance or expenses of a personal nature (mini-bar, phone call, laundry, etc.)
- Or any other travel expense that has not been included in our holiday package
- Other excursions