

## Canada - Best of the West - Guided Tour (M-ID: 2782)

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**from €6,690.00**

Dates and duration (days)

On request

16 days

07/06/2024 - 07/21/2024 16 days

**This two-week tour you will give you a great impression of the highlights that Western Canada has in store for us motorcyclists. Among other things, you will experience the metropolis of Vancouver, ride through the spectacular Rocky Mountains and enjoy the fabulous coastal roads on Vancouver Island.**

You will get to know the metropolis of Vancouver, ride through the spectacular Rocky Mountains, enjoy the fabulous coastal roads on Vancouver Island, and visit numerous national parks. You can get closer to the exciting animal world on a whale-watching or bear-watching tour. On this motorcycle tour, you will experience how fascinatingly diverse Western Canada is - bend by bend!

Your motorcycle tour starts in Vancouver. The metropolis in the Pacific Ocean is awarded again and again as one of the most livable cities in the world. You will quickly discover why! First, the route rides southeast through the mighty Hells Gate Canyon, following the old gold rush trails and stopping at Lake Okanagan and Kootenay Lake. The top motorcycle routes along Lake Kootenay show typical Canada: deep blue lakes and mighty mountains, framed by deep green forests. At Mt Brennan and around the Kokanee and Monashee glaciers chances are good to see grizzly bears! Over Rogers Pass, we will reach Yoho National Park, visit Emerald Lakes, ride Kicking Horse Pass, and pass Lake Louise.... right in the heart of the Rocky Mountains! The Icefields Parkway enchants us on the way to Jasper, the stretch to Whistler is dotted with countless lakes. And the Duffey Lake Road, one of the state's top motorcycle routes, awaits us! On Vancouver Island the tour ends ... with the grand finale, consisting of magnificent nature, the possibility to watch whales and/or bears as well as a motorcycling highlight: The ride through the Pacific Rim National Park!

Highlights: Rocky Mountains, Vancouver Island, fantastic motorcycle routes (Duffey Lake Road, Icefields Parkway, Slocan Beach Ride, and many more), and unique wildlife.

Tour schedule (subject to change):

Day 1: Arrival in Vancouver

Today all tour participants arrive. In the evening we will have a first get-to-know-you dinner (at your own expense) and a first informational talk.

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Day 2: Free day in Vancouver

Today you will have time to get to know the impressive metropolis of Vancouver a little better and to work off any jet lag that may be present. In the morning you will receive interesting information about the metropolis on the Pacific in the course of a short guided tour. In addition, the formalities for taking over the motorcycle will be taken care of in the late afternoon. Overnight stay in Vancouver.

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Day 3: Vancouver - Penticton, 400km

On today's first leg, the Trans Canada Highway takes you eastward into the interior. You follow the Fraser River, ride through the Sunshine Valley and stop in the village of Hope. The tour continues east along the former Gold Rush Trail, from Hope to Princeton and on to Lake Okanagan, on whose shores Penticton is located. Overnight in Penticton.

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Day 4: Penticton - Nelson, 330km

Continuing east, today we ride close to the US border, through fertile wine and fruit growing country and Gladstone Prov. Park. Along the foothills of Kootenay Lake, we reach Nelson in the late afternoon. Overnight stay in Nelson.

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Day 5: Nelson - Revelstoke, 280km

The landscape today will be recognizably "Canadian". First, you ride along the shore of Lake Kootenay and enjoy great

views up to Kaslo before you meander along the winding road to New Denver. If you feel like it, we recommend a detour to Slocan Beach. By the way, here in the region not rare "locals" - grizzly bears! In Naskup you will take the ferry to Shelter Bay and from there you will ride the last part of the way along Arrow Lake. Overnight stay in Revelstoke.

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Day 6: Revelstoke - Lake Louise, 230km

Today's stage takes you into the heart of the Rocky Mountains. Over the Rogers Pass (worth a stop at the Monument) you reach Yoho National Park, where we make a detour to the beautiful Emerald Lake and the 'Natural Bridge'. We pass the Kicking Horse Pass on the way to Lake Louise. The famous lake is best visited this evening or first thing in the morning and thus outside the most popular times. It is also worthwhile to make a detour to Lake Moraine, which is unjustly overshadowed by the more famous Lake Louise. Overnight stay in Lake Louise.

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Day 7: Lake Louise - Jasper, 400km

The stage today is truly magnificent. The Icefield Parkway leads us right through the Rocky Mountains! Not very curvy but surrounded by a mighty mountain range of glaciers and imposing massifs. In addition, there are numerous detours to spectacularly located lakes such as Hector or Peyto Lake. After 2/3 of the stage, you can do the Icefield Skywalk, and visit the Athabasca and/or Sunwapta Falls. After an impressive stage. Overnight stay in Jasper.

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Day 8: Free day in Jasper

Today you can review the numerous impressions of the last days - and also collect new ones. If you want to make a day trip, a ride through Jasper National Park to Lake Maligne including a visit to the really deep Maligne Gorge is worthwhile! Jasper invites you to a leisurely stroll, the surrounding mountains will not let you forget that you are in the heart of the Rocky Mountains. Overnight stay in Jasper

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Day 9: Jasper - Clearwater, 320km

After yesterday's quiet day, today is a longer bridging stage. We leave the Rocky Mountains and the state of Alberta and ride first through Mt. Robson National Park - of course not without stopping at the Lookout and taking lots of pictures. The view is great when the weather is right! Until we reach Clearwater, we ride through wooded and - admittedly - compared to the last days' rather less exciting landscapes. But only today... Overnight stay in Clearwater

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Day 10: Clearwater - Kamloops, 250km

After breakfast, we first ride deep into Wells Gray National Park, as some really impressive waterfalls await us here, like Spahat Falls, Triple Decker Falls, and Helmcken Falls. Back in Clearwater, we'll head south and, weather permitting, take the small McLure ferry across to Kamloops on a winding back road. Overnight in Kamloops.

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Day 11: Kamloops - Whistler, 300km

Today spectacular motorcycle routes await us again and with Duffey Lake Road a very special highlight of the tour! But first, you ride along Lake Kamloops, meet the Fraser River again and reach Lillooet at noon. Here a stop is worthwhile - for refreshment before the unbelievable curves of Duffey Lake Road are waiting for you! In the early evening, we reach Whistler. Overnight stay in Whistler.

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Day 12: Whistler - Ucluelet, 350km

On the Sea-to-Sky Highway, you ride toward the ferry that will take you to Vancouver Island. The crossing is

captivating with views of numerous bays and is often accompanied by dolphins. Once on Vancouver Island, a motorcycling highlight awaits you: the ride through the Pacific Rim National Park! 140km of bend after bend and finally the beautiful Pacific beaches. Depending on the season, you can observe gray and killer whales in addition to sea lions in the numerous bays. Even bears can be seen from time to time! Overnight stay in Ucluelet.

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Day 13: Ucluelet - free day

Today you have the opportunity to go on an exciting whale-watching tour - sightings of orcas are not uncommon here! Take a day trip by motorcycle or just relax.

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Day 14: Ucluelet - Victoria, 430km

Today we start early towards Victoria, the capital of British Columbia. We take the small side road over Lake Cowichan and Jordann River. In the afternoon we reach Victoria. The British influence is not to be overlooked in this picturesque city with its striking buildings and many flower gardens. Overnight in Victoria.

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Day 15: Victoria - Vancouver, 70km + ferry crossing

In the morning you should take your time for this picture book city, where the British influence is unmistakable. On the way to the ferry, you will pass Butchart Gardens, an 1100-year-old botanical garden that looks like paradise - also worth a visit! In the afternoon you will take the ferry to the Canadian mainland.

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Day 16: Vancouver - Departure

Unfortunately, today is the end of your Canadian trip - unless you would like to spend a few more days in this fascinating city, which can rightly count itself among the most beautiful metropolises in the world.

Countries	Canada
Category	Motorcycle Tour
Terrain	Onroad
Vehicle	motorcycle rent incl.
Tourguide / Coach	yes (guided)
Accommodation	Hotel / B&B or similar
	3 star hotel
	4 star hotel
Flight to / from	no, not incl.
	on request
Ferry	yes, incl.
Support vehicle (luggage/service)	optional
Level of difficulty	medium
Customer payment protection	yes
* PRICING	Minimal without optional extras, see pricing

## Pricing

per rider in shared/double room (Only available for a booking of two persons. Single travelers need to choose the single room surcharge.):

per rider in shared/double room incl. rental motorcycle Suzuki SV650	€6,690.00
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per rider in shared/double room incl. rental motorcycle BMW F750GS	€6,790.00
per rider in shared/double room incl. rental motorcycle Triumph Bonneville Street Twin	€6,790.00
per rider in shared/double room incl. rental motorcycle BMW F850GS	€6,990.00
per rider in shared/double room incl. rental motorcycle BMW F900XR	€6,990.00
per rider in shared/double room incl. rental motorcycle Suzuki V-Strom DL 1050	€6,990.00
per rider in shared/double room incl. rental motorcycle Honda Rebel 1100	€6,990.00
per rider in shared/double room incl. rental motorcycle KTM 890 Adv.	€6,990.00
per rider in shared/double room incl. rental motorcycle Yamaha 700 Ténéré	€6,990.00
per rider in shared/double room incl. rental motorcycle Yamaha Tracer 9 GT	€6,990.00
per rider in shared/double room incl. rental motorcycle Honda Africa Twin ADV Sports CRF 1100	€7,090.00
per rider in shared/double room incl. rental motorcycle BMW R1200GS	€7,190.00
per rider in shared/double room incl. rental motorcycle BMW S1000XR	€7,190.00
per rider in shared/double room incl. rental motorcycle BMW R1250GS	€7,350.00

per rider in shared/double room incl. rental motorcycle BMW R1250RT	€7,350.00
per rider in shared/double room incl. rental motorcycle Harley Davidson Road King	€7,350.00
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per pillion passenger in shared twin/double room (pillion passengers cannot book without an accompanying rider)	€4,790.00
per person single room (surcharge - only available with an additional selection of the basic price "per rider in shared twin/double room")	€1,790.00

## Included

13 days motorcycle of your choice

Unlimited kilometers

Comprehensive insurance with excess (can be covered by an optional additional insurance at currently € 6,90 per rental day) CDN\$ 2.000,- to CDN\$ 3.000,- depending on motorcycle model

Experienced, German-speaking tour guide on the motorcycle

Support vehicle for luggage transport (from 10 riders or 14 participants)

15 nights in double rooms in hotels, motels and lodges of the upper category

Partial breakfast (if included in the room rate)

Ferry crossing to Vancouver Island and back

Detailed logbook in German

Information and maps

Nationwide emergency service

Safety instructions at the beginning of the tour

T-shirt

All Canadian taxes

Travel price insurance certificate according to BGB § 651ff

## Not included

Flights (optional, on request)

Fuel

Transfers

All meals

Everything that is not specified under services

## More details

Total distance: 3900 km

From / To: Vancouver

Difficulty: 3 / 5

Season: June - September

Languages: DE / EN

Single travelers can book a ½ twin room. In this case, the room will be shared with another person traveling alone (of the same sex), provided we have a corresponding booking. Then the single supplement is not applicable.

You will stay in carefully selected lodges, resorts and hotels of the upper middle class!

We will be happy to book the right flights for you. You can choose the arrival and departure date freely, for example, if you want to add a few days in Vancouver. The flight prices are very different and vary depending on the connection, airline and booking time. Connections are offered from about 1100 Euro. Let us know your ideas, we will be happy to provide you with suitable offers!

The luggage will be transported in the escort vehicle (from 10 riders or 14 participants).

Important price information: Due to the continuously fluctuating exchange rates of the Euro, the listed prices may change! We are happy to adjust our prices to more favorable conditions at the time of your request - please ask for a non-binding offer!