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Scenic has combined the ease of luxury travel with the magic of winter and Christmas in Canada. Enjoy a range of luxurious benefits that will enhance your experience throughout.

- Scenic Enrich – unforgettable and exclusive once-in-a-lifetime experiences
- Scenic Freechoice – a choice of wonderful winter activities throughout your journey
- Scenic Freechoice Dining – a choice of dining options to suit your mood
- Scenic Special Stays – iconic hotels remarkable for their location, character and heritage
- Exclusive stays at the luxurious Fairmont Hotels and Resorts
- View Rooms in Lake Louise and Banff
- Junior Suites with fireplace or woodburning stove in Jasper
- Fully escorted touring by expert Scenic Tour Directors and knowledgeable local guides
- Personalised airport transfers
- A local Canada-based team
- Luxury coaches in Canada
- Complimentary Wi-Fi at selected hotels

And of course all tipping and gratuities



Scenic Enrich

Our expert Journey Designers have handpicked a range of unique and exclusive experiences that will be amongst the highlights of your journey.

Dash through the snow in a one-horse open sleigh, see the unique natural phenomenon of ice bubbles trapped in a frozen lake, meet the man in a red suit – a Canadian Mountie – and revel in the Christmas festivities in grand surroundings.



Scenic Freechoice

You can choose between a vast range of activities, sightseeing and dining experiences to ensure you see what you want to see, and at a pace that suits you.

From indulgent afternoon teas to ice walks or a dog sledding adventure, you'll be able to create your very own Canadian winter wonderland experience.



Hotels

We have partnered with Fairmont Hotels & Resorts to bring you the exclusive full range of luxurious stays in some of Canada's most iconic hotels.

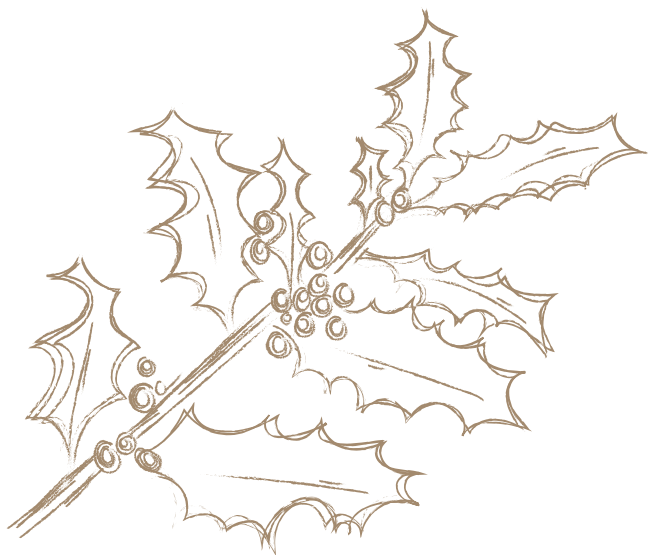
Spend a memorable Christmas with all the trimmings at Fairmont Banff Springs, which resembles a magical castle, or at Fairmont Chateau Lake Louise in an enchanting setting.



The Nth Degree

When you travel with Scenic, everything is taken care of, including transfers and tipping. All our transport, whether it's by coach or rail, is of the very highest standard.

We use local guides as we believe nobody knows an area like someone who lives there. Our tours will not only show you the highlights but also the hidden gems only a local knows.



A Canadian Christmas with all the trimmings

Experience the true definition of a white Christmas in Canada's stunning Rocky Mountains.



Canada is a magical place to visit at any time of the year, but never more so than during the holiday season. At Canada's iconic Fairmont hotels in the Rocky Mountains, experience a Christmas straight from the pages of a fairytale. Horse-drawn sleigh rides, dog-sledding adventures, trees and shops alive with lights, ice skating and carollers combine to make all your festive dreams come true.

A special time, a special place

We want this to be a Christmas you'll always remember, so we've added a few festive touches. Celebrate the occasion with an authentic Christmas Day brunch featuring all the trimmings.

After a day spent exploring, you'll love to cosy up in your Junior Suite at Fairmont Jasper Park Lodge complete with fireplace or woodburning stove.

- A Fairmont Banff Springs, Banff
- B Mt. Stephen Hall, Fairmont Banff Springs, Banff
- C Fairmont Empress, Victoria



Winter wonderland

Enjoy exclusive activities including ideas for your own celebrations back home, from decorations to recipes with a Canadian flavour, and bring back wonderful and unusual gifts for family and friends.

Nature's winter magic

Marvel at the unique natural formation of ice bubbles trapped below the surface of Abraham Lake in the Canadian Rockies as you explore this winter marvel by helicopter, snowshoes and horse-drawn sleigh.



Christmas in the Rockies

Abraham Lake, Jasper, Canada

A special time; a special place

From fairytale snow across postcard landscapes to elk that resemble reindeer, a Christmas in Canada is the perfect seasonal retreat. A 'white Christmas' will suddenly make sense and instead of one Christmas tree, you can look forward to vast forests of them.


This itinerary will take you through a range of iconic Christmas spots, where you'll get to absorb the holiday atmosphere permeating the region. Enjoy the lights at the beautiful Butchart Gardens, a magical place at any time of year, but especially so as Christmas arrives. Enjoy dogsledding at Banff, where you'll spend Christmas at one of the Fairmont's iconic flagship hotels, the 'Castle in the Rockies'. It's sure to be more than just an idyllic Christmas and one of your most enjoyable in living memory.

 **14 Day Tour**  **Victoria > Calgary**

Day 01
Wednesday 16 December 2020
Victoria 

Your journey into wonder begins with a two night Special Stay at the exclusive Fairmont Empress. Tonight celebrate your adventures at a welcome dinner.

Meals: D

Day 02
Thursday 17 December 2020
Victoria > Butchart Gardens 

Freechoice: For a traditional Victorian experience, indulge in afternoon tea at the Fairmont Empress, or history buffs may wish to take a walking tour of Victoria with a local expert.

Later, enjoy the 'Magic of Christmas' seasonal theme at the Butchart Gardens, with ice skating, Christmas lights, holiday wreaths and carol singers.

Meals: B

Day 03
Friday 18 December 2020
Victoria > Vancouver


Discover some of Vancouver's characterful neighbourhoods, such as Gastown, Chinatown and Stanley Park. Make the most of your visit to Capilano Suspension Bridge Park, which is even more mystical in the winter. Enjoy a two night stay at the exclusive Fairmont Hotel Vancouver.

Meals: B.D

Day 04
Saturday 19 December 2020
Vancouver 


Freechoice: Take a simulated flight over Canada's greatest landmarks or treat yourself to Vancouver's best dim sum or some signature Italian meatballs with a walking tour of Vancouver's finest. Alternatively, take a creative photography tour in preparation for the next leg of your journey.

Meals: B

Day 05
Sunday 20 December 2020
Vancouver > Okanagan Valley 

Drive into the picturesque Okanagan Valley, known for its fine wineries and abundant local produce. The luxurious Sparkling Hill Resort & Spa will be your base and Special Stay for the next two nights. This afternoon and evening are free for you to relax and unwind in the resort's state-of-the-art spa and enjoy a delicious dinner at your leisure.

Meals: B.D

Day 06
Monday 21 December 2020
Okanagan Valley 

Enrich
Spend the day visiting some of the region's most innovative family-owned vineyards, including a fascinating winery owned and run by members of the local Syilx First nations band, merging modern culture with indigenous history. You'll sample some wonderful wines

along the way, enjoy a hands on harvest experience and feast on local produce with a delectable 'farm to fork' meal.

Meals: B.L

Day 07
Tuesday 22 December 2020
Okanagan Valley > Jasper 

Keep a look out for wildlife such as elk as you arrive into Jasper. For the next two nights enjoy a cosy home at Fairmont Jasper Park Lodge in a junior suite.



Freechoice Dining: Tonight, choose between Canadian or Italian cuisine.

Meals: B.D

Day 08
Wednesday 23 December 2020
Jasper 

Freechoice: Try something new such as a Maligne Canyon Icewalk, or put on your snow shoes and stroll with an experienced guide through the pristine Jasper National Park. Alternatively, learn about the friendly (and not so friendly) locals on a wildlife discovery tour.

Meals: B

Day 09
Thursday 24 December 2020
Jasper > Lake Louise  

Travel along one of the most spectacular drives in the world, the Icefields Parkway. **Enrich**
Marvel at the unique, natural phenomenon of ice bubbles trapped below the surface

14 Day Itinerary Victoria > Calgary

--- Land ① Overnight



of Abraham Lake. Explore this winter wonderland by helicopter or romantic horse-drawn sleigh.

Continue to Lake Louise and retire to your lakeview room and your three night Special Stay, Fairmont Chateau Lake Louise.

Meals: B,L

Day 10

Friday 25 December 2020

Lake Louise 🍷

Merry Christmas. If you've been dreaming of a white Christmas, then today your dream comes true. Celebrate with a traditional Christmas Day brunch.

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Continue the festive spirit with a celebratory drink, then savour dinner with all the Christmas trimmings - a tantalising feast for the tastebuds. Celebrate Christmas surrounded by elegant decorations and the natural beauty of Lake Louise.

Meals: B,D

Day 11

Saturday 26 December 2020

Lake Louise 🍷

Enrich

Today, the man in the red suit is a retired member of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police. Make the most of your once-in-a-lifetime encounter.

Meals: B

Day 12

Sunday 27 December 2020

Lake Louise > Banff 🍷

The Canadian Rockies will astound you as you survey them from the top of Sulphur Mountain. At this festive time of year, the Fairmont Banff Springs resembles a magical castle in an enchanted forest. To make your magical winter fairytale complete, you'll be ensconced in a mountain or valley view room for your two night Special Stay.

Freechoice Dining: Indulge your palate as you please with dinner at any of a variety of restaurants at your hotel.

Meals: B,D

Day 13

Monday 28 December 2020

Banff 🍷

Freechoice: Complete your Canadian winter experience with a dogsledding adventure or an icewalk into Grotto Canyon. Alternatively, you may choose to discover local landmarks and wildlife on a guided tour, or see the mountaintops from above in a helicopter. If you prefer, stay cosy in your 'Castle in the Rockies' and rejuvenate in the mineral pools of the Willow Stream Spa.

Meals: B

Day 14

Tuesday 29 December 2020

Banff > Calgary

Transfer to Calgary airport for your homeward flight.

Meals: B



🍷 Scenic Freechoice activity

Be transported across idyllic snow-covered plains by a team of sled dogs. Does that sound like some kind of fairytale fantasy? In fact, it's only one of the many wondrous experiences awaiting you.

5-star luxury inclusions:

- Stays at the exclusive Fairmont Hotels and Resorts
- View rooms in Lake Louise and Banff and Junior Suite in Jasper with fireplace or wood stove
- 4 exclusive Scenic Enrich experiences 🍷
- Your choice of 21 Scenic Freechoice activities and dining 🍷
- 4 memorable Scenic Special Stays 🍷
- 21 meals – 13 breakfasts (B), 2 lunches (L) and 6 dinners (D)
- Fully escorted by expert local Tour Directors
- Luxury group touring with knowledgeable local guides
- Complimentary Wi-Fi at selected hotels
- All tipping and gratuities

⊕ Northern Lights



Extend your journey to the Yukon to see the spectacular Northern Lights. See page 132 of the full brochure for more details.



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\$1,000pp

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