



POLAR BEARS OF CHURCHILL

7 DAYS + FROM \$7,199 + Small Groups of Never More than 16 Guests

Our Distinctive A+R Style

- + Escape to the uncrowded shores of Hudson Bay where we promise amazing wildlife encounters and genuine cultural engagement.
- + Peak of summer is the only time to see polar bears **and** beluga whales – and our longer 4-night stay at the *Lazy Bear Lodge* offers more wildlife encounters than other tours.
- + Step aboard our Coast Guard certified vessel to see polar bears frolic up close in summer.
- + Thrill to be surrounded by pods of Beluga whales that have come to mate, feed, and raise their young.
- + Relive the days of the Hudson's Bay Company at the Prince of Wales Fort.

Established health protocols are observed at all times

OUR JOURNEY

See 2 UNESCO World Heritage sites

DAY 1 | **Welcome to Winnipeg**

On arrival, you'll be chauffeured to the *Inn at The Forks*. This afternoon's city tour includes The Forks where you'll learn about the city's history – from ancient settlements to the arrival of European fur traders. Gather tonight for a welcome dinner. **MEALS D**

DAY 2 | **Fly to Churchill**

Transfer to the airport for our flight to Churchill where you'll be escorted to the *Lazy Bear Lodge*. Then join fellow guests to see the famed Polar Bear Jail where rogue bears are housed until

they're safely released deeper in the wilderness. At Cape Merry, you'll learn about the town's founding in 1717. Later, A+R guests will join a local wildlife photographer for a private talk filled with helpful tips and advice for capturing terrific photos in the days ahead. Dine tonight at the *Lazy Bear Café*. **MEALS B+D**

DAY 3 | **Polar bear capital of the world**

The western coast of Hudson Bay is one of the best places in the world to encounter polar bears in their native habitat. This morning, step aboard our Coast Guard certified vessel to go in search of these amazing creatures. In late summer, the polar bears are a



bit lazy, gathering on the shore and giving us an amazing opportunity to watch as they lumber among the rocks and wildflowers.

Tonight, we've made special arrangements for our guests to spend some time with a local dog musher. Hear colorful stories about life in the far north, gain insight into Manitoba's First Nations heritage and learn about the continued importance of the dog mushing culture. This private A+R activity takes place under the night sky just outside of town. It's an enthralling experience made all the more exciting by a chance to observe the dancing Northern Lights. **MEALS B+L**

DAY 4 | *Beluga whale watching*

Set out in our maneuverable Zodiacs, to explore the Churchill River and Hudson Bay, where up to 60,000 beluga whales come every summer to feed, mate, and raise their

young. Belugas are curious, and they will often swim close – as if to investigate our boats and their 2-legged passengers! You'll also step ashore for a tour of the Prince of Wales Fort, built by the Hudson Bay Company in the 1700's.

After our Zodiac expedition, A+R guests enjoy their choice of a second included marine adventure – either by kayak or on our unique *AquaGliders*. Later today, join other guests for a Dog Carting adventure. Riding behind a team of energetic sled dogs is a terrific way to appreciate the beauty of the countryside. **MEALS B+L**

DAY 5 | *Across the tundra*

Hop aboard our Arctic Crawlers™ for a morning tour across the tundra – home to migratory birds, Arctic hare, Arctic fox, caribou, moose and eagles. With our expert naturalists, you and other lodge guests will get to know the geology, flora and fauna of the wildly beautiful tundra. **MEALS B+D**

DAY 6 | *Return flight to Winnipeg*

After a free morning, our flight brings you back to Winnipeg, where you will be escorted to the *Inn at The Forks*. **MEALS B**

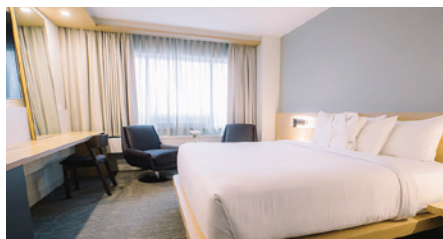
DAY 7 | *Homeward bound*

You'll be chauffeured to the airport today for your homeward flight. **MEALS B**



Enjoy Beluga whale watching

Our Luxury Boutique Hotel + Historic Timber Lodge



WINNIPEG – INN AT THE FORKS

In the heart of The Forks, a National Historic Site, our contemporary luxury boutique hotel offers a privileged city-center location close to museums, dining, and tree-shaded riverfront parks that are ideal for strolling.

Add an extra night in Winnipeg, including entrance to the Manitoba Museum and a Forks Market food voucher. \$499 per person.



CHURCHILL – LAZY BEAR LODGE

Built with reclaimed timber logs, everything about our inviting lodge speaks to the history and beauty of Churchill. Spacious guestrooms have all the modern amenities including free Wi-Fi and cable TV.

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OUR ORIGINAL JOURNEY **Value**

- + Full-day Hudson Bay Coastal Tour to see polar bears in their natural habitat
- + Zodiac expedition with our expert marine naturalist to observe the beluga whales
- + Expertly-guided Tundra Tour aboard our exclusive Arctic Crawlers™
- + Choice of a second marine adventure to engage again with the beluga whales
- + Guided tours in Winnipeg and Churchill
- + 11 Meals: 6 breakfasts, 2 lunches and 3 dinners
- + 2 nights in Winnipeg at our luxury boutique hotel, the *Inn at The Forks*
- + 4 nights at the *Lazy Bear Lodge* in Churchill with a welcome bottle of wine
- + All gratuities are included, except for your guides
- + All transfers and flights between Winnipeg and Churchill, luggage handling and all hotel taxes
- + Solo guests enjoy double-occupancy rooms

Exclusively with A+R

- + A local wildlife photographer will share insightful tips on capturing unforgettable images of the polar bears and beluga whales.
- + Learn about the Métis community and daily life in Churchill during our private talk with a local Manitoba resident.

2022 **Rates** LAND ONLY PER PERSON

Never More than 16 Guests

2022	DOUBLE	SOLO SUPPLEMENT
Jul 22, Aug 11, 15	\$7,699	\$1,100

Save up to \$1,000 per couple | \$500 solo when you pay in full at time of booking