



Beluga whale | Credit: Doug Ross / Frontiers North



## CANADA

# BELUGAS, BEARS AND BLOOMS (TOUR CODE: 12646)

### STARTS AND ENDS

in Winnipeg

### TRAVEL PERIODS

11 Jul 26 - 19 Aug 26

### EXPERIENCE

Indigenous  
Wildlife

### TRAVEL STYLE

Independent Holiday Packages

Immerse yourself in the magic of a Churchill summer, where the Hudson River teems with thousands of beluga whales. Explore the colourful tundra, enjoy an exhilarating dog-carting ride, and search for early summer polar bears!

## Highlights

- Discover the abundance of inquisitive Beluga whales in the Churchill River
- Experience a dog carting excursion with Wapusk Adventures, a professional musher through the colourful boreal forest
- Explore the Churchill Wildlife Management Area by Tundra Buggy®
- Discover all types of plants and flowers growing in the North!
- Included walking tour at the historical Prince of Wales Fort

Summer is the perfect time to visit Churchill, Manitoba. During the months of July and August, the Churchill River is teeming with beluga whales who migrate into the warm, shallow waters to give birth and feed on fish. Known as the “canaries of the sea”, these friendly and inquisitive creatures will capture your heart as you enjoy their whale song by boat or, for the more adventurous, in the water with a Zodiac, kayak or stand up paddleboard adventure.

While on land, enjoy the view as the surrounding landscape erupts into colourful summer blooms. You will experience a dog carting excursion with a professional musher on a mile-long trek through the boreal forest and explore the Churchill Wildlife Management Area by Tundra Buggy for your chance to see a multitude of northern wildlife. You might even have the opportunity to see the first of the summer polar bears as they begin their migration into the area.



- ✓ ENTIRE Cooling-Off Period
- ✓ ENTIRE Change of Mind
- ✓ ENTIRE On Ground Support
- ✓ ENTIRE AUD Prices
- ✓ ENTIRE Industry Accredited
- ✓ ENTIRE Australian Owned

## INCLUSIONS

- 2 nights accommodation in Winnipeg
- 4 nights accommodation in Churchill
- Roundtrip flights between Winnipeg and Churchill
- Transfers between Churchill airport and hotel
- Meals as per itinerary
- Beluga and Fort tour
- Beluga zodiac tour
- Beluga kayak or paddleboard
- Churchill and area tour
- Wapusk Adventures Dog Carting
- Cultural Presentation
- Itsanitah Museum tour
- A visit to the Parks Canada Visitor Centre
- A visit to the Polar Bears International House
- Tundra Buggy® Adventure
- Prepaid gratuities

## ITINERARY

Day **1**

### Winnipeg

Your adventure begins in Winnipeg, the gateway to Churchill adventures. After checking into your hotel, you'll meet your interpretive guide and the rest of the group at a hosted welcome reception. In the evening, you'll enjoy a welcome dinner with your fellow travellers.

Overnight spent in **Winnipeg**

Dinner



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Day **2**

## Winnipeg Churchill

Your day will commence with an early morning flight to Churchill. The two-hour flight takes you from the prairies of central Manitoba, over boreal forest and finally to the colourful tundra of Churchill. Upon landing, set out on a Churchill and area tour to explore the area surrounding the town of Churchill, followed by a visit to Polar Bears International House. Hear from a Polar Bear International representative and tour the centre to learn about polar bear research and climate change.

Overnight spent in **Churchill**

Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner



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Day **3**

## Churchill

Start your day with a guided Zodiac boat trip into the Churchill River beluga whale estuary, where you can see these amazing creatures in their natural environment. After that, head to the Itsanitaq Museum to explore one of Canada's best Inuit collections, covering pre-Dorset, Dorset, Thule, and modern Inuit periods. Finish up at the Parks Canada Visitor



Centre, with detailed wildlife dioramas and fur trade exhibits that tell the story of Churchill's rich history.

Overnight spent in **Churchill**

Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner



Day **4**

## Churchill

Get up close to the beluga whales with a kayaking excursion on the Churchill River, offering a unique perspective of these incredible creatures in their natural habitat. In the evening, enjoy a cultural presentation from a local Indigenous Churchill resident, who will share insights into the region's culture, history, wildlife, and way of life.

Overnight spent in **Churchill**

Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner



Day **5**

## Churchill



This morning you will join a local dog musher for an exciting dog carting excursion through the boreal forest. You will be introduced to the team of sled dogs and explained the importance of dog sledding in northern culture and history. Next, You will search for beluga whales in the Churchill River by boat and then stop for a walking tour at the historical Prince of Wales Fort where you will learn about the famous explorers who lived at the fort in the 18th century.

Overnight spent in **Churchill**

Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner



Day **6**

## Churchill Winnipeg

Today you get to go on a Tundra Buggy adventure into the vast and colourful Churchill Wildlife Management Area! The Tundra Buggy will take you out onto the tundra in search of summer polar bears, arctic foxes, hares, and more types of plants and flowers that you can imagine growing in the North! In the afternoon, you will have free time in Churchill before your return flight to Winnipeg.

Overnight spent in **Winnipeg**

Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner



Day **7**

## Winnipeg

Today your Churchill adventure is over, as you bid farewell to the group and transfer to the airport.

## 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