

You watched the wonderful PBS series, *Great Lodges of the Canadian Rockies*. You fell in love with the beauty and romance of the area—and the elegance of the hotels. Now you, too, can experience the grandeur of the Canadian Rockies while enjoying the ambiance of first-class lodgings. The UNC-TV Foundation invites you to clear your mind and refresh your spirit with the travel experiences of a lifetime. If you are—or become—a member of UNC-TV at the \$250 or above level, now is your chance to join Director and General Manager Tom Howe for UNC-TV's *Great Canadian Rockies Tour*, and let your spirits soar as you travel in luxury every step of the way.



The Fairmont Banff Springs

UNC-TV's Great Canadian Rockies Tour

May 17 - 25, 2012

Included Features:

In Calgary

- One night on the Gold floor at The Fairmont Palliser at the beginning and end of the tour
- Breakfast each morning at the hotel
- Welcome and farewell receptions and gourmet dinners at the hotel
- Scenic drive to Banff from Calgary

In Banff

- Two nights on the Gold floor at The Fairmont Banff Springs
- Breakfast each morning at the hotel
- Behind the scenes tour of the hotel
- One gourmet dinner at the hotel
- Banff Gondola ride up Sulphur Mountain and lunch
- Tour of the Bow Valley Parkway and Yoho National Park, with lunch at Emerald Lake
- Full-day scenic drive from Banff to Jasper, with lunch and an ice explorer tour of a glacier

In Jasper

- Three nights in a junior suite at The Fairmont Jasper Park Lodge
- Breakfast each morning at the hotel
- Jasper sightseeing tour, including Maligne Lake and Canyon and Pyramid Lake
- Lunch in Jasper
- Reception and gourmet dinner at the hotel

In Lake Louise

- One night on the Gold floor at The Fairmont Chateau Lake Louise
- Lunch at the hotel
- Gourmet dinner at the hotel
- Breakfast at the hotel
- Tour of surrounding area, including Moraine Lake
- Lunch on the last Thursday

North of the border, unspoiled vistas stretch from horizon to horizon, and the cry of the loon and the lonely howl of the timber wolf are the only sounds that echo between the majestic snow-capped peaks of the Canadian Rockies. In the crisp, clean air far above the pressures and problems of the day, you now have the opportunity to experience an exhilarating journey through one of the most beautiful wilderness areas on the continent, staying at four of the most beautiful hotels in North America—perhaps even in the world.



UNC-TV Director and General Manager Tom Howe and staff members will host this amazing journey. Prior to departure we will create, with your input, a unique itinerary for any days or evenings with no planned group meals or activities. We will help you make this trip your very own!

UNC-TV's Great Canadian Rockies Tour

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The Fairmont Palliser

At the end of your first day in Canada, you join your fellow travelers for a welcome reception and gourmet dinner at the hotel.

Friday, May 18

CALGARY/BANFF

Following a relaxing breakfast at the hotel, we leave Calgary and travel the scenic route to Banff in our deluxe

Thursday, May 17

CALGARY

The adventure begins in Canada's spectacular city of Calgary. You arrive at the airport and are met by limousine for your trip to The Fairmont Palliser, a historic landmark hotel set in the heart of the city. Relax from your journey in your beautifully decorated and elegantly appointed room or explore the town. Take a stroll along riverside pathways or visit one of the many area attractions to experience the small-town warmth coupled with a vibrant urban ambience that makes Calgary a metropolis of wonderful contrasts.



Gold Lounge, The Fairmont Palliser

motor coach. At our next stop, the exciting town of Banff, we will visit some of the most breathtaking spots in the area and then take the gondola up Sulphur Mountain for lunch and an optional walk along the ridge of the mountain. In mid afternoon, we check in at the opulent Fairmont Banff Springs Hotel.

Few hotels in the world rival the majesty, hospitality, and scenery of the beautifully restored Fairmont Banff Springs. Its unique blend of opulence and seclusion has been a symbol of Canadian Rocky Mountain magnificence for more than a century. Styled after a Scottish baronial castle, it offers stunning vistas, championship golf courses, international cuisine, and a world-class European-style spa. The Fairmont Banff Springs offers all the amenities you expect from a four-diamond hotel, with superbly appointed guest rooms and attentive, personalized service.

On your first night in Banff, relax and enjoy a leisurely dinner on your own. Dine at one of the hotel's many restaurants or at one of the town's famous eateries. Whatever you decide, we'll make sure your evening is everything you want it to be.

Saturday, May 19

BANFF

After a leisurely breakfast at the hotel, we embark on a tour that will be a feast for the eyes and spirit. We will travel the Bow Valley Parkway, stop at Natural Bridge, Johnston Canyon, Yoho National Park, and Emerald Lake—all places that will dazzle you with their beauty. After lunch at Emerald Lake Lodge—a gem hidden in a pristine wilderness—we make our way back to Banff.

That evening, we get together for a specially prepared dinner at The Fairmont Banff Springs. As an additional treat, David Moberg, the resident manager of the hotel for more than 45 years, will give us an insider's account of what it's like to run The Fairmont Banff Springs, share all its secrets, and point out what makes the hotel so unique. You return to your room ready for a pleasant night's sleep.



Gold Lounge, The Fairmont Banff Springs



Lobby, The Fairmont Banff Springs



Guest Room, The Fairmont Banff Springs

Sunday, May 20

BANFF/JASPER

A full day of touring lies ahead on the fourth day of our trip. We leave The Fairmont Banff Springs in the morning to begin the trip to Jasper—a breathtaking drive in our own comfortable motor coach. We stop at the spectacular icefields and take a ride in a special glacier ice explorer. Snacks and lunch are served as we make our way to the rustic and beautiful Fairmont Jasper Park Lodge in Alberta's Jasper National Park.

Surrounded by snowcapped peaks and sparkling lakes, The Fairmont Jasper Park Lodge is the embodiment of the Grand Canadian Lodge Experience. The rustic elegance of The Fairmont Jasper Park Lodge is designed to bring you closer to nature's peace, tranquility, and natural beauty. With the Best Golf Resort in Canada, as rated by the readers of SCOREGolf Magazine, spectacular outdoor adventure opportunities, and fine cuisine, The Fairmont Jasper Park Lodge is our own special alpine retreat.

Unwind at the end of the day, and enjoy a relaxing dinner on your own—we'll make sure you find the restaurant that appeals to you most. But you may just decide to spend the evening right at the hotel and dine at one of its fine restaurants, including Cavell's Restaurant and Terrace and The Emerald Lounge and Patio.



Sundeck, The Fairmont Jasper Park Lodge

Monday, May 21

JASPER

Rise to a hearty mountain breakfast at the lodge before departing on the Jasper sightseeing tour. We will drive to Maligne Lake and take the easy walk through Maligne Canyon before traveling on to Pyramid Lake, where we have the opportunity for a short walk on a peninsula on Pyramid Lake—great for elk spotting and enjoying beautiful scenery.

Lunch will be in Jasper, and then you can return to the hotel—or stay in town! There will be shuttles to and from town available throughout the afternoon. You can enjoy dinner in town or at the resort. Allow us to build an itinerary that will

complement and satisfy your mood for the afternoon and appetite for the evening.

Tuesday, May 22

JASPER

There's a lot to do at the resort or in the nearby town of Jasper, with a variety of recreational activities and places to shop. We'll take a break from organized touring so you can spend an unstructured day on your own, whether it's playing a round of golf, climbing a mountain, visiting the town, relaxing in the recently expanded and renovated spa, or taking a hike. Or just read a book and take a nap—it's up to you! We will help make your day special in any way we can.

After enjoying your free time, you join your fellow travelers for a reception and dinner to celebrate our last night in Jasper.



Gourmet fare, Cavell's Restaurant and Terrace, Jasper Park Lodge



Fairmont Spa, The Fairmont Jasper Park Lodge

Reservations for UNC-TV's Great Canadian Rockies Tour are \$4,520 per person, double occupancy and \$5,125 per person, single occupancy. Tour price does not include airfare. For more information and reservations, call Susan Melton at UNC-TV, 1-877-423-0075, e-mail her at canadianrockies@unctv.org, or visit our Web site at www.unctv.org/canadatour. Space is limited, so please call early.