



“The Canadian Explorer Tour”

**AWAY WITH
A
DIFFERENCE**

With Tour Escort - Ms Val Henry.

08 August 2011 – 08 September, 2011.

**7 Day Pre Coach Touring from Seattle – Fairbanks to
Denali National Park - Anchorage**

**7 day “Glacier Bay Discovery Cruise - Southbound”
with Holland America Cruises on MS Zaandam**

17 Day Post Coach Touring from Vancouver to Seattle

**Highlights – Victoria, Whistler, Sun Peaks, Jasper, Lake Louise, Banff, Calgary
Waterton Lakes, Whitefish, Spokane, Seattle.**

30 Day Touring Itinerary

\$13490.00 pp - Twin Share – Inside Cabin

\$13990.00 pp – Twin Share – Outside Cabin

***(Verandah Cabins are available on request for
additional \$2449.00 per person.***

(Single Supplement not available)

DAY 1 – MON 08AUG – ARRIVE IN SEATTLE Arrival Flight from Brisbane Dinner

Meet your Local Host upon arrival and transfer to your hotel. This evening, enjoy a welcome Dinner at a local restaurant. (D)

DAY 2 – TUE 09AUG –SEATTLE Breakfast, Sightseeing and Dinner

A sightseeing tour of Seattle introduces you to the highlights, including historic Pioneer Square. Enjoy time to explore Pike Place Market, famous for its seafood-slugging fish mongers. Head to the FUTURE OF FLIGHT AVIATION CENTER for a tour of the Boeing Factory and past, present, and future developments in aviation technology. This evening enjoy dinner at IVAR'S SALMON HOUSE, a beautiful cedar replica of a Northwest Indian Longhouse, complete with an open-pit Indian-style barbecue for preparing succulent alder-smoked entrees. (B,D)

DAY 3 – WED 10AUG –SEATTLE - FAIRBANKS Breakfast, Flight to Fairbanks, Dinner

After breakfast, say farewell to your Seattle Local Host with your transfer to the Seattle airport for your flight to Fairbanks. On arrival to Fairbanks, meet and greet your Alaska Tour Director for your group transfer to hotel. Dinner at the Hotel. (B,D)

DAY 4 – THU 11AUG –FAIRBANKS Breakfast and Optional Tours

Enjoy a full free day in Fairbanks. The following optional excursions are available for this day.(B)

Optional Tours:

RIVERBOAT DISCOVERY

CAD 55 pp – current pricing – to be advised for 2011.

Cruise down the Chena River where you see a bush pilot take and land 'bush'style, visit a recreated Athabaskan Indian Culture with native guides that have worked and lived in Alaska. You will gain a personal insight to life in Alaska.

ARCTIC CIRCLE AIR ADVENTURE

CAD 389 pp – current pricing – to be advised for 2011.

This thrilling tour allows a guest to experience the Brooks Range, cross the Arctic Circle and fly the wilderness airways of Alaska's Arctic. This fully narrated, four hour adventure also includes a landing above the Arctic Circle, views of the Trans-Alaska Pipeline and mighty Yukon River. Fully narrated. Tour departs nightly at 7:00pm.

ARCTIC CIRCLE NATIVE CULTURE ADVENTURE

CAD 469 pp – current pricing – to be advised for 2011.

A full day tour to the Arctic Circle - the heart of Alaska's Northland. The adventure starts with an early morning drive north along the Dalton Highway. After some time to explore the arctic tundra and to walk along the Arctic Circle, board your sightseeing plane for a flight over the magnificent Brooks Range. Visit the Eskimo village at Anaktuvak Pass within the Gates of the Arctic Circle National Park. Receive a handsome certificate commemorating your crossing of the Arctic Circle.

DAY 5 – FRI 12AUG –FAIRBANKS – DENALI NATIONAL PARK Breakfast, Sightseeing, Dinner

Transfer to the rail depot where you board the world famous ALASKA RAILROAD (Adventure Class) for your ride south to DENALI NATIONAL PARK. Enjoy an afternoon of exploring this pristine area at your leisure by either participating in a complimentary park service activity or optional tour. There are many to choose from including mild or wild river rafting, flight seeing Mt. McKinley, or a jet boat safari on the Nenana River. This evening enjoy a salmon bake dinner. (B,D)

DAY 6 – SAT 13AUG –DENALI NATIONAL PARK Breakfast, Sightseeing, Dinner

Spend a day and travel almost 60 miles into the wilderness of Denali National Park and the heart of bear country. On the fully-guided DENALI TUNDRA WILDERNESS TOUR, you'll get interpretation from your driver/guide, along with 7 to 9 hours of wildlife spotting and spectacular scenery. If the weather cooperates, you'll see Mount McKinley up close. This evening an included dinner and performance at DENALI DINNER THEATRE. (B,D)

DAY 7 – SUN 14AUG – DENALI NATIONAL PARK – ANCHORAGE - SEWARD**Breakfast, Sightseeing, Embark on Cruise, Dinner**

Journey south this morning and stop at the IDITAROD DOGSLED VISITOR CENTER to learn more about this epic race. After arrival in Anchorage, transfer to Seward and board your cruise ship this evening on Holland America – MS Zaandam. (B,D)

**DAY 8 – MON 15AUG – SCENIC CRUISING: COLLEGE FJORD** **Cruising, All Meals**

Only one place in Alaska surrounds you on three sides with flowing rivers of ice. Imagine cruising past one dramatic tidewater glacier after another—an awesome assemblage of Ice Age wonders named after the nations leading Ivy League colleges. As you travel into the fjord, the glaciers on the left are named for womens colleges and those on the right are named for mens colleges. (B,L,D)

DAY 9 – TUE 16AUG – SCENIC CRUISING: GLACIER BAY **Cruising, All Meals**

Glacier Bay has more actively calving tidewater glaciers than anyplace else in the world. How does it feel when a colossal chunk of ice splits off a glacier and crashes into the sea? The sound is like thunder. The impact shoots water hundreds of feet into the air. You hold your breath as you capture the moment photographically. Then you wait for it all to happen again. (B,L,D)

DAY 10 – WED 17AUG – HAINES **Cruising, All Meals**

Nestled on the shores of Americas longest fjord, Haines is in a spectacular setting. Fill your day with a float trip through the Chilkat Bald Eagle Preserve, which protects the habitat of the nations avian symbol, or board an optional high-speed catamaran for access to shopping and excursions in Skagway. Stroll the wooden sidewalks past charming false-front buildings and colourful saloons. Visit the Red Onion Saloon with its honky-tonk piano and costumed barmaids. To complete the picture of those rip-roaring days, visit the nostalgic Trail of 98 Museum. (B,L,D)

Day 11 – THU 18AUG – JUNEAU **Cruising, All Meals**

Located at the foot of grand mountain peaks on the Gastineau Channel, Alaskas capital city of Juneau has massive Mendenhall Glacier and the Juneau Icefield at its back door. (B,L,D)

Day 12 – FRI 19AUG – KETCHIKAN **Cruising, All Meals**

Built out over the water and up weathered stairways, Ketchikan clings to the shores of Tongass Narrows and drapes the mountains with a hospitable air. (B,L,D)

DAY 13 – SAT 20AUG – SCENIC CRUISING: INSIDE PASSAGE **Cruising, All Meals**

Cruise through the awe-inspiring scenery of the Inside Passage. Keep your cameras ready for spouting whales, soaring eagles, and other wildlife. (B,L,D)

DAY 14 – SUN 21AUG – VANCOUVER **Breakfast, Disembark Cruise, Sightseeing**

This morning you will disembark the MS Zaandam and meet your Cosmos Tour Director at the pier upon disembarkation to depart for your included city tour highlights STANLEY PARK, Chinatown, the harbor and beaches, and more. Cross Lion's Gate Bridge to visit the spectacular CAPILANO SUSPENSION BRIDGE, where you cannot miss the totems, Story Centre, grand gift shop, and unique Treetops Adventure. Afterward, take the mile-long Skyride to the top of GROUSE MOUNTAIN. Enjoy free time to wander the trails, take in the panorama, and view the chainsaw carvings. Check out the Theatre In The Sky presentation and the grizzly bears in the Refuge for Endangered Wildlife! Savour the views on the way down the mountain and back to Vancouver. Dinner at leisure this evening. (B)

DAY 15 – MON 22AUG – VANCOUVER-FERRY CROSSING-VICTORIA Cont. Breakfast, Sightseeing

Travel today through the rich farmlands of the Fraser River delta to Tsawwassen where you will board a B.C.FERRY bound for Vancouver Island. Upon arrival in Swartz Bay depart for the world-famous BUTCHART GARDENS. This estate offers more than 700 varieties of flowers on 55 acres and includes Italian, Japanese, and English-style gardens. Afternoon arrival in Victoria. Sightseeing today includes the Marine Drive, Bastion Square, and Thunderbird Park with its unusual collection of totem poles. Tonight a stroll along the lovely waterfront might be fun. (CB)

DAY 16 – TUE 23AUG – VICTORIA Cont. Breakfast, Sightseeing, Dinner

A full free day. Be sure to check out some of the attractions this splendid city has to offer, including the Royal British Columbia Museum, afternoon tea at the Empress Hotel, an IMAX presentation at the National Geographic Theatre, whale watching on the Strait of Juan de Fuca, and fine shopping along Government Street. This evening we include a harbor cruise and dinner at one of Victoria's waterfront restaurants. Climb aboard one of the jaunty little BOATS for a unique perspective of the city, a tour from the waterside. After the harbour tour you will take a short walk to the CANOE BREWPUB where you will take a brewery tour in this 1894 heritage landmark building on Victoria's downtown waterfront. You will have the opportunity to sample the award winning handcrafted beers that are renowned in the Pacific Northwest. Enjoy local West Coast cuisine while soaking up the views of the sunset over the harbour. (CB,D)

Optional Tours on offer:**MARINE AND WILDLIFE WHALE WATCHING****CAD 100 pp**

Whale watching is an experience many say they will never forget. Spend two to three hours cruising the waters of the beautiful San Juan and Gulf islands, looking for whales, porpoises, seals, and eagles. A marine biologist will be on hand to answer all your questions. Bring your camera and your excitement because this will be a trip you will remember forever!

VICTORIA PANORAMA**CAD 104 pp**

This half-hour flight is an ideal introduction to seaplane aviation and includes spectacular vistas of downtown Victoria, and the Strait of Juan de Fuca with the Olympic Mountains in the distance. Enjoy unique views of the buildings ringing the harbour and grand houses perched above the rugged coastline. The exhilarating spray of the water is always a highlight during take-off and landing.

DAY 17 – WED 24AUG – VICTORIA-GULF ISLANDS-WHISTLER Cont. Breakfast, Sightseeing

Depart Victoria this morning and sail across the Strait of Georgia on BC FERRIES and through the spectacular Gulf Islands, an archipelago known for its Mediterranean-type climate. Afternoon arrival in Whistler. There are plenty of optional activities to choose from, including flightseeing by floatplane over the lakes and glaciated peaks of Garibaldi Provincial Park. Tonight, wander the many alpine trails or relax in the plaza enjoying the artists and musicians. (CB)

Optional Tours on offer:**SPECTACULAR GLACIER SEAPLANE TOUR****CAD 153 pp**

Experience a truly amazing flight over the vast Pemberton Ice Cap, a 100-square-mile ice sheet on this 30-minute highlight tour. View massive Squamish Glacier, descending 9,000 feet towards the sea and marvel at the power that these moving rivers of ice have to transform the earth's surface. Please see your tour director for alternate flight options. Rate includes fuel surcharge and taxes.

TALE OF TWO NATIONS**CAD 19 pp**

This is your opportunity to visit the world class Squamish Lil'wat Cultural Centre, where you will learn about two Nations history from time immemorial to the present. The Squamish Lil'wat Cultural Centre, where mountains, rivers and people meet, embodies the spirit of partnership between two Nations and the shared values around preserving and sharing their traditional cultures.

DAY 18 – THU 25AUG – WHISTLER-LILLOOET - SUN PEAKS**Cont. Breakfast, Lunch, Sightseeing, Dinner**

Depart Whistler following the shores of Seton and Duffey Lakes to Lillooet—"Mile 0 of the Gold Rush Route." Continue east and head for the gold rush town of Cache Creek. Visit HISTORIC HAT CREEK RANCH and experience frontier life as it existed in the early days of British Columbia. Travel along the Trans Canada Highway for a short distance to Kamloops, the gateway to the interior of British Columbia and then on to Sun Peaks Resort, for your overnight stay. You may take advantage of an optional canoe trip on Lake McGilvary where surrounded by beautiful scenery, you learn about Canada's fur trade. Dinner included at Lake McGilvary (CB,L,D)

Please note: The operation of the canoe trip is subject to favourable weather conditions.

DAY 19 – FRI 26AUG – SUN PEAKS – MOUNT ROBSON-JASPER **Cont. Breakfast, Sightseeing,**

Today depart Sun Peaks and continue East to Wells Gray Provincial Park to view the grandeur of Spahats Falls which drop over a sheer volcanic precipice. Proceed along the Yellowhead Highway to the village of Blue River which developed as the major centre during the turn of the century as pioneers blazed a passage through the rugged mountain. Then travel through Mount Robson Provincial Park, home to impressive Mount Robson, the highest mountain in the Canadian Rockies at 3954 metres. Continue to your hotel for your overnight stay in Jasper. (CB)

Optional Tour on offer

BEHIND THE SCENERY - DINNER AND DISCOVERY
CAD 81 pp (current price – to be confirmed for 2011)

On the shore of Pyramid Lake with Pyramid Mountain towering in the background, watch and listen to the natural sounds and enjoy a canoeing experience here in Jasper National Park. Back on land, check out the Interpretive display of Scats, Tracks and Animal Racks. The animal population is so diverse, that the interpreter will touch on a number of animal studies taking place in the Park. Bring along a camera, comfortable clothes and Questions. Enjoy dinner at the award winning Andy's Bistro. Activities may vary depending on weather and seasonality.

DAY 20 – SAT 27AUG – JASPER. EXCURSION TO MALIGNE LAKE **Cont. Breakfast, Sightseeing, Dinner**

A short sightseeing tour to see Jasper's unspoiled beauty. Afterward, travel to glacial Maligne Lake for a narrated CRUISE to Spirit Island. On the return journey, stop to view Maligne Canyon. Enjoy a wildlife safari that may include some walking with a JASPER NATURALIST. The emphasis will be on animals, but topics of conversation may cover Fire Controls, the Park and its many ecosystems, the habits and habitats of the locals (animals) and how the maturing ecosystems are affecting these locals. Dinner is included at one of Jasper's most eclectic hot spots, where the atmosphere is casual and the food is gourmet. (CB,D)

DAY 21 – SUN 28AUG – JASPER-LAKE LOUISE **Cont. Breakfast, Sightseeing,**

Winding our way down the western fringe of Alberta, our journey takes us through some of the Canadian Rockies' most breathtaking wilderness. Our first highlight on today's agenda is a stop at the COLUMBIA ICEFIELD to experience the Ice Explorer, an all-terrain vehicle that travels on ice measuring 1,200 feet (365 meters) thick. Precipitous gorges, snowcapped mountain ranges, and lakes of exquisite blues and greens come into view as the motorcoach scales two mountain passes on the journey south to your destination of Lake Louise. (CB)

DAY 22 – MON 29AUG – LAKE LOUISE –YOHO NATIONAL PARK - BANFF

Cont. Breakfast, Sightseeing, Lunch and Dinner.

Explore mountain lakes and waterfalls today; admire the Valley of the Ten Peaks reflected in Moraine Lakes turquoise waters. Then cross the Continental Divide through Kicking Horse Pass into the Yoho Valley visiting Takakkaw Falls (one of the highest waterfalls in the world), Emerald Lake, Kicking Horse Pass, Spiral Tunnels and the Natural Rock Bridge which spans the Kicking Horse River. Lunch at EMERALD LAKE LODGE. This afternoon tour towards Banff, your destination, enjoy the passing vistas of the Bow River Valley, including Castle Mountain and Hole-in-the-Wall. Take a ride up the BANFF GONDOLA for a panoramic 360° view of the Banff area. (CB,L,D)

DAY 23 – TUE 30AUG – BANFF AT LEISURE **Cont. Breakfast, Optional Touring, Dinner.**

Breakfast is included at your hotel. The day is free for you to explore all that this scenic alpine community has to offer. Browse charming boutiques, visit galleries showcasing local talent, or take a stroll along the historic Bow River. Dinner show tonight at the OH CANADA EH! (CB,D)

Optional tour available:

ROYAL CANADIAN HELICOPTER TOUR
CAD 230 pp (current price – to be reconfirmed for 2011)

This 25-minute helicopter flight offers a magnificent overview of the Rocky Mountains and the Banff area. The Olympic Nordic Centre, Sundance Range, and Spray Lakes are just some of the highlights you will see. Additional helicopter excursions available; please consult your Tour Director.

DAY 24 – WED 31AUG – BANFF-CALGARY **Cont. Breakfast, Sightseeing, Dinner.**

Travelling east out of Banff, drive through the foothills of the Rockies to Calgary. Upon arrival, visit HERITAGE PARK HISTORICAL VILLAGE which tells the vital story of the settlement of Western Canada (1864-1950s) and its impact on the cultural fabric of the west. Meet fur traders, railway workers, and prairie town folk as they share with you their challenges and victories. Try making butter, stitch a quilt, or learn how to dry meat for the winter at the aboriginal encampment and Hudson's Bay Fort. Visit Gasoline Alley Museum, a unique and rare collection of automobile memorabilia with free time to ride the authentic steam train on a loop of one mile of track, enjoy the thrills of an antique midway, relax on a wagon ride, or set sail on Calgary's only paddlewheeler! This evening enjoy dinner at Sky 360 Restaurant and Lounge at the top of the CALGARY TOWER. (CB,D)

DAY 25 – THU 01SEP – CALGARY-HEAD-SMASHED-IN BUFFALO JUMP – WATERTON LAKES NATIONAL PARK

Cont. Breakfast, Sightseeing, Dinner.

Travel south along the Macleod Trail. Just outside the town of Fort Macleod, visit HEAD-SMASHED-IN BUFFALO JUMP, designated a World Heritage Site. Then, on to scenic WATERTON LAKES NATIONAL PARK with a photo stop at Cameron Falls. (CB,D)

DAY 26 – FRI 02SEP – WATERTON LAKES NATIONAL PARK

Breakfast, Sightseeing.

This morning, enjoy a little scenic drive in Waterton townsite, and after lunch – own expense, discover the true beauty of Waterton National Park as you enjoy a scenic CRUISE on Waterton Lake with Shoreline Cruises. (B)

DAY 27 – SAT 03SEP – WATERTON LAKES NATIONAL PARK – GLACIER NATIONAL PARK – GOING-TO-THE-SUN ROAD - WHITEFISH

Breakfast, Sightseeing, Dinner.

Enter Montana through Waterton-Glacier International Peace Park and behold the awesome snowcapped peaks of GLACIER NATIONAL PARK. A highlight awaits you as you board the famous vintage red “JAMMER BUSES” that will take you along one of North America’s most spectacular highways: Going-to-the-Sun Road. After crossing 6,664-foot-high Logan Pass, enter a geographical wonderland of alpine scenery where jagged mountain peaks, deep green forests, pristine lakes, and meadows dominate the landscape. Arrive later this afternoon at your resort, nestled in the heart of a mountain valley. (B,D)

DAY 28 – SUN 04SEP – WHITEFISH - SPOKANE

Breakfast, Sightseeing, Dinner.

Heading west today, you will pass through the Kootenai National Forest and quaint towns such as Kalispell, Libby, Bonners Ferry and Sandpoint before reaching your overnight destination of Spokane. (B,D)

DAY 29 – MON 05SEP – SPOKANE - SEATTLE

Cont. Breakfast, Sightseeing, Dinner.

Continuing your westward journey, pass through Moses Lake. The lake, on which the city lies, is made up of three main arms over 29 km long and up to 1½ km wide. Next your journey will take you through the Wenatchee and Snoqualmie National Forests before arriving in Seattle. Later, join your Tour Director for a special farewell dinner at Seattle’s famous SPACE NEEDLE, a perfect finale to your vacation. (CB,D)

DAY 30 – TUE 06SEP – SEATTLE

Cont. Breakfast, Return flight home.

Your tour ends today with one group transfer to the airport for your return flight home. (CB)

TOUR PRICE INCLUSIONS:

**** Flights from Brisbane – Los Angeles – Seattle – Fairbanks – to be confirmed**

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**** Departure Taxes ex Brisbane (subject to change)**

**** Superior Tourist Class Hotel Accommodation on your Coach Tour**

**** Meals as stated on itinerary**

**** All Meals on the Cruise is Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner**

**** Experienced Tour Director for your Pre and Post Coach Tour**

**** Prepaid Gratuities for Tour Director and Coach Driver**

**** Trade Travel Host ex Brisbane – Ms Val Henry**

**** Luxury Coach Travel Fairbanks - Anchorage**

****Luxury Coach Travel – Vancouver – Seattle**

Cruise on Ms Zaandam – Inside or Outside Cabins

**** Prepaid Gratuities on Cruise and Port charges**

**** All Entries to attractions as per Itinerary**

**** Please note itinerary may be subject to changes due to the lengthy time frame between now and August, 2011, Airline schedules, Hotel Options and pricing can change during this time. Changes will be advised as they become available.**

Not included in tour price:

Tips to local guides; Passports; Visas; optional excursions; excess baggage; all items of a personal nature such as laundry, cleaning, telephone calls, meals not mentioned in itinerary, beverages are not included in meals provided.

Payment Procedures and Schedule

**** 1st Deposit of \$1500.00pp at the time of booking
to secure your place on tour.**

**(\$700 being non refundable if booking cancelled before 15 January, 2011.)
(after 15 January \$1500 non refundable.)**

Your booking deposit forms part of your final payment, all payments must be received by the due dates as advised in the payment schedule. If we do not receive the payments by the due date, we reserve the right to cancel the reservation. In the case of billing errors, we reserve the right to re-invoice with correct pricing. Payment of the deposit means that you have read and accepted these terms and conditions.

**** 2nd deposit payment for your booking is required by 15th January, 2011, for the amount of \$2000.00 per person – This additional payment is subject to the below cancellation schedule.**

**** Balance of Booking Payment due on 05th April, 2011.**

Any late booking (within 21 days prior to the tour departure from Australia) will incur a \$30.00 per transaction late booking fee.

All monies are to be received by our office by the above dates or seats will be released and booking cancelled.

Your final payment is subject to the following cancellation fees.

**** Cancellation Fees**

Initial Deposit - \$700 is non refundable prior to 15 January, 2011.

Prior 180 days to commencement of tour services loss of \$3500pp.

179 – 91 days prior to commencement of tour services loss of \$4000pp.

89 – 60 days prior to commencement of tour services 45% of total price

59 – 30 days prior to commencement of tour services 60% of total price

29 – 0 days prior to commencement of tour services 100% of total price

**PLEASE NOTE PAYMENTS BY MASTERCARD/VISA IS POSSIBLE
HOWEVER A SERVICE FEE OF 1.5% WILL APPLY ON ALL PAYMENTS.**

**Travel Insurance is highly recommended and should be considered before making deposits
and final payments to cover any cancellation fees. Indications of costs are as follows:
(these can change at any time)**

Ages up to 70 32 days \$357.00 per person with Nil Excess

(excess of \$100 and \$250 are also available for a cheaper insurance premium)

****Persons ages 71 – 80 do have additional premiums to pay on above rates. An accurate price can be provided to you once ages are advised.**

****Persons aged 81 or over, will need to complete a Medical Declaration Form and an assessment will be provided to see if you can be covered for this journey.**

Please note the above pricing for Insurance does not include any additional cover and premiums required to cover for pre-existing medical requirements.

VISA REQUIREMENTS FOR YOUR ITINERARY FOR AUSTRALIAN PASSPORT HOLDERS

Entry to USA – Yes, online visa required, included in tour cost

Canada – no visa required

Alaska – no visa required

Please note the above advise is given for Australian Passport holders only, if you hold another nationality passport the requirements may be different, please advise this office. We also wish to advise your passport must have a minimum validity date of 6 months from your return home back to Australia. Copies of your passports are required to be provided to this office with final payments.

Booking & Enquiries

Call Toll Free on 1800 645 103 or Tracey on 0411584793.

Payment Details & Conditions

Reservations

A deposit of \$1500.00 per person is required at time of booking. This deposit forms part of the total price, of which an additional payment of \$2000 is required by 15th January, 2011. The remaining funds for your full tour price are then due on the 05th April, 2011.

Cancellations

Cancellations of firm bookings will be subject to above notice given.

Insurance

We strongly recommend participants to take out insurance cover against loss of deposit and loss of airfares, personal accident, medical cover etc. If you have sought treatment or advice for treatment within the last 60 days or are on prescribed medication or over 80 years of age you are required to complete a pre-existing medical form for review by the Insurance Company. Ask your Consultant for details

Baggage

The free baggage allowance on flights is restricted to 20kgs per person for economy passengers and 30kgs per person for business class passengers. Whilst on tour one bag per person is allowed. Any charge for baggage in excess of these allowances will be at the passenger's expense.

Passport & Visas

It is necessary for all passengers to be in possession of a valid passport. If travelling on an Australian passport it must have at least 6 months validity remaining upon return into Australia. Visas may be necessary for some countries. A copy of the passenger's passport details is required for all international bookings at the time of deposits.

Alterations

Tour prices specified are based on airfares and land arrangement tariffs applicable at the time of printing. Prices are based on currency exchange rates therefore may be subject to alteration with or without prior notice Taxes are also subject to change at any time.

Trade Travel reserves the right to alter or omit any part of the itinerary or change of reservation, features and/or means of conveyance without any notice and for any reason whatsoever.

Document Re-issue/Name Changes

After documents have been issued, and a reissue is required due to amendments to the booking, then a fee may be charged by Trade Travel; in addition to any charges levied by hotels, ground/cruise operators or airlines. A document reissue means a change to an existing booking and not a transfer to another package.

Amendments fees will be advised at the time of changes made.

Refunds

No refund is available for cancellations after the tour has commenced or in respect of any tours, accommodation, meals or any other services not utilised. Credit offers cannot be refunded or taken as cash.

Responsibility

Group fares quoted for this tour are subject to a minimum 20 paying passengers travelling together or as specified in confirmation letter.

Trade Travel reserve the right to alter the tour price or cancel the tour should the members travelling not meet the required minimum numbers.

Trade Travel reserves the right to amend any tours should the occasion demand. Also, if there are insufficient bookings to cancel the tour, Trade Travel does not accept liability for failure on the part of transportation companies, hotel contractors and other principals whose responsibility is confined to their own operations. Trade Travel reserves the right to alter hotels used should the necessity arise. The transportation companies or firms shall be exempt from all liabilities in respect of any detention, delay, loss, damage, sickness or injury and by whom so ever caused and whatever kind occurring of or to the passenger at any time when the passenger is not on board a conveyance used or operated by the transportation companies or firms. All ticket coupons and orders are furnished and issued subject in all respects to those terms and conditions under which the means of transportation or other services provided thereby are offered or supplied by the owners, operators, public carriers, management agents or agents.

Limited Spaces - All Bookings Subject to Availability at Time of Deposit