

Whales and Bears of Tofino

(3 nights/4 days)



Package Includes

- 3 nights hotel accommodation
- Transfer to/from Tofino by motorcoach and ferry
- Hot Springs Explorer Tour
- Bear viewing tour
- Use of lodge facilities
- Luggage handling

Not Included

- Transportation from Vancouver airport
- Meals
- Gratuities
- Fuel surcharges
- GST

Itinerary

Day	Activities	Overnight
1	Vancouver to Long Beach Lodge	Tofino
2	Hot Springs Explorer Tour	Tofino
3	Bear viewing tour	Tofino
4	Long Beach Lodge to Vancouver. Vacation ends	

Day 1 Vancouver to Long Beach Lodge

Depart Vancouver this morning by motorcoach and ferry to Long Beach Lodge in Tofino, a beautiful community near the entrance to Clayoquot Sound on the west coast of Vancouver Island. Long Beach Lodge is located just minutes by road from Tofino, and is a luxurious resort perched on the edge of Cox Bay, the most beautiful beach on Vancouver Island. Set amongst towering trees, and taking full advantage of the rugged coastline and long sandy beach, the cedar-shingled lodge offers first-class service in a relaxed, informal setting. The warm and welcoming interiors utilize natural colours, fabrics, and textures, and local art is featured throughout the hotel. The resort's dining room is a relaxed informal space, featuring dramatic presentations of gourmet West Coast cuisine. The Great Room with its massive granite fireplace and exposed Douglas fir post and beam construction is the central focus – a place where you can sink into an overstuffed chair, put your feet up, and gaze out to the crashing surf and lighthouse beyond. Overnight in Tofino at the Long Beach Lodge.

Day 2 Long Beach Lodge

Today includes a full-day marine excursion to the north end of Clayoquot Sound, where a short boardwalk trail will take you to natural hot springs

where you can enjoy a truly magical soak. Whales are frequently sighted during the journey, and marine stops may include a sea cave, black bear viewing, an eagle's nest and a seabird nesting island. Your journey will be made by Zodiac and appropriate clothing will be provided. Overnight in Tofino at the Long Beach Lodge.

Day 3 Long Beach Lodge

Search for the black bears of British Columbia and other local wildlife on a guided quiet-water excursion along fjord inlets and into beautiful sheltered bays in Clayoquot Sound. From the comfort and safety of a 24-foot Zodiac vessel, you can observe wildlife on shore feeding on crunchy crabs, clams and barnacles. Overnight in Tofino at the Long Beach Lodge.

Day 4 Long Beach Lodge to Vancouver

Following check-out from Long Beach Lodge this morning, travel by motorcoach and ferry back to Vancouver. Your vacation ends on arrival in Vancouver.

2010 Package Tour Prices

Tofino Add-on					
Starts Vancouver	Single	Double	Triple	Child	Accommodation
13 Apr–21 Jun	\$1,559	\$999	\$889	\$449	Tofino Long Beach Lodge Resort
22 Jun–30 Sep	\$1,859	\$1,159	\$979	\$439	
01 Oct–20 Oct	\$1,649	\$1,059	\$919	\$449	
Modified American Plan	\$279 per adult / \$279 per child				

2010 Add-on Departure Dates:
Starts Vancouver
 Daily 13 Apr–20 Oct