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## Why Whistler

There are many wonderful locations in the United States and in Canada for an incredible winter vacation, and each have their characteristics yet Whistler is an exceptional destination.

Whistler in Canada, home of the 2010 Olympic Games, is one of the best ski experience in the world. It has been ranked #1 ski destination by the SKI Magazine for the third time in four years.





# Whistler

Whistler is a true winter wonderland with many ways to enjoy winter both on and off the slopes. Aside from skiing and snowboarding you can delight in a huge variety of things to do from exploring the snow-covered Village with your family, special holiday events, backcountry adventures and legendary après sessions. The winter activities are so good readers of **SKI Magazine ranked Whistler as the # 1 resort in North America** - come and check them out for yourself!

Located in the spectacular Coast Mountains of British Columbia just 90 minutes north of Vancouver, Whistler is Canada's favorite year-round destination. There's two majestic mountains with a vibrant base Village, epic skiing and snowboarding, four championship golf courses, unbeatable shopping, restaurants and bars, accommodation to suit every budget, hiking trails, spas and arguably the best mountain bike park in the world.



## Ski Homes and Hotels

There are many private properties (ski homes) and hotels in Whistler. The following is a selection we see fit for your group. If you wish something specific, please do not hesitate asking us.



## Horstman Estates #4941

Located in Horstman Estates in the Upper Village, **Horstman 4941** is a spacious and comfortable six-bedroom chalet with ski-home access from Blackcomb Mountain's Cruiser run only steps away. It is very well located with a 3 minute drive to lifts and trails, and a 5 minute drive to the village.

**Horstman Chalet** offers in-suite laundry, complimentary wireless internet and a driveway that can fit up to 4 cars. Horstman is the perfect choice for a group of friends or an extended family looking for a large well-priced ski chalet.



## Horstman Estates #4950

**Horstman Estates** is located off the slopes of Blackcomb Mountain in one of Whistler's most exclusive neighborhoods. This luxury 5 bedroom, 3 level log chalet features magnificent mountain views and easy access to the Village via the free Village shuttle bus.

**Horstman #4950** features a double car garage for two large vehicles and driveway parking. The garage provides plenty of room for all your equipment storage needs. The home also features in-suite laundry and wireless internet. Horstman #4950 is the perfect choice for a group of friends or an extended family looking for a large well-priced ski chalet.



THE *Fairmont*  
CHATEAU WHISTLER

Nestled at the base of Blackcomb Mountain, Whistler's landmark ski-in ski-out hotel and BC golf resort, Fairmont Chateau Whistler defines mountain luxury. Naturally spectacular, Fairmont Chateau Whistler resort delivers an ideal setting for families, meetings and weddings alike.

Combining classic elegance and a modern alpine setting, this award-winning Whistler hotel showcases exceptional dining and full resort amenities.





**DELTA**  
WHISTLER VILLAGE SUITES

Located in the heart of Whistler Village, the Delta Whistler Village Suites has a fresh new look. The guest room is inspired by Canadian landscape, with fresh and modern color palettes. The rooms balance functionality and adaptability – as exemplified by the new SmartDesk (a fully wired multi-purpose desk that provides guests with all the latest technology). Delta Whistler Village Suites bedroom suites offer fully equipped kitchens, in-suite washer and dryer, balcony, air conditioning and fireplace.

Enjoy the great amenities at the Delta Whistler Village Suites including an outdoor pool, the outdoor and indoor hot tubs, fitness room, and sauna. Room types at the hotel include cozy Mode rooms and larger one and two bedroom suites which are perfect for families and groups.



## Ski and Snowboard in Whistler

Whistler and Blackcomb Mountains are a skier's dream destination, the ultimate in big mountain experience. Over 8,100 acres of snow-covered slopes, 16 alpine bowls, 3 glaciers, world-class terrain parks and 200+ marked trails.





### **Slope-side Mountain Village**

Whistler Village is a lively mix of off-hill action and amenities, folded into a pedestrian-only vibrant hub conveniently located directly at the base of the slopes of Whistler and Blackcomb Mountains. Teeming with shops, restaurants, accommodations and day-to-day essentials, the Village anchors a year-round mountain culture and has everything to meet the needs of those who gather here—without the need for a car.





## North America's Largest Ski Resort

With the most skiable terrain in North America, **Whistler Blackcomb** has a massive reputation. Spanning 8,171 acres, the vast and varied terrain will entice first-time skiers and seasoned shredders alike. Two side-by-side mountains are connected by the Guinness World Record-holding PEAK-2-PEAK Gondola and supported by one of the largest networks of high-speed chairlifts in the world. And with one of the longest ski seasons on the continent, we've got all the makings of a #1-ranked resort for a reason.





AVERAGE ANNUAL SNOWFALL



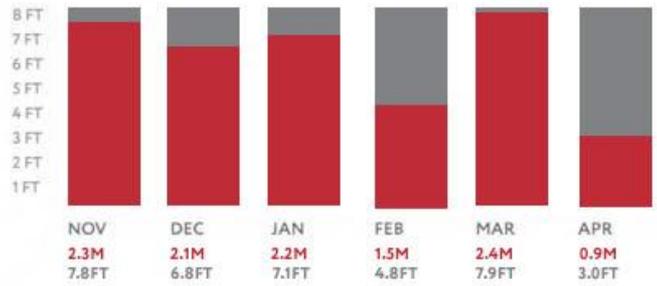
**11.63** METRES OR **38.2** FEET



BASE RECORD

The snow base record for Whistler Mountain is 504 cm (197 inches, 16.4 feet) set in 1973/74

MONTHLY AVERAGE SNOWFALL





## Winter activities in Whistler

The range of activities in Whistler are unlimited. We will be pleased to pre-arrange any of these services.

When you have explored the 8,000 plus acres of terrain on both mountains, head down to the valley and experience Village life. There's plenty to do and explore different restaurants, shopping, rest day activities such as a spa treatment, après and nightlife action.





## SNOWMOBILE TOURS

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Hop on a snowmobile and take a guided sled tour through the snow to experience a treasured Canadian pastime. You can choose from tours to suit all level riders with options for private groups, families and dual riders – there is something for everyone. Whether you're looking for early morning or evening tours or something in between, we have what you've been looking for.



## SCANDINAVE SPA WHISTLER

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Whistler isn't all about outdoor adventure (although we do love it!) we're also all about relaxation. There is nothing like a long day of skiing or mountain biking and then capping it off with a massage at one of our many popular spas. Experience the lap of luxury with spa packages designed to relax your sore muscles, sooth your skin and calm your mind. If it's a break that you're looking for, you've come to the right place.





## WHISTLER HELI-SKIING



Want to take your experience to the next level? With exclusive rights to 432,000 acres of big mountain terrain that includes 173 glaciers and 475 runs, Whistler Heli-Skiing has what it takes to go the extra distance. A variety of packages are available for everyone from strong intermediates to seasoned experts. Make this the year!



## COCA-COLA® TUBE PARK



Feel the wind in your face as you cruise down our exhilarating tubing hill. Located in the Base 2 Zone on Blackcomb Mountain, the Coca-Cola Tube Park offers great fun for the young and the young at heart. There's no skill or equipment required - just a sense of adventure and a desire for excitement. The perfect family activity over the holidays.





## FRESH TRACKS MOUNTAIN TOP BREAKFAST

### **THE GLOBE AND MAIL**

Upload Whistler Village Gondola between 7:15am and 8:00am for a mountain sized breakfast buffet at the Roundhouse Lodge, then enjoy fresh powder or perfectly groomed corduroy all to yourself. Advance or day-of tickets available at Guest Relations, any ticket window or on-line. Open December 18, 2015 to March 30, 2016.



## ZIPTREK ECOTOURS

Experience a high flying adventure with Ziptrek's network of ziplines and suspension bridges. Whether it's walking through the tree tops, or soaring across a network of ziplines above the Fitzsimmons creek. Ziptrek offers an entertaining combination of high-wire adventure and ecological exploration on a choice of 3 guided zipline tours or our magnificent tree top adventures.





Skiing at Whistler presents a great opportunity to spend some time visiting the wonderful nearby city of Vancouver.

With a short and scenic 90 minute drive, guests can opt to spend anywhere from a half day to a full day and evening exploring this incredible destination city. Sightseeing, tours, dining and other wonderful activities.



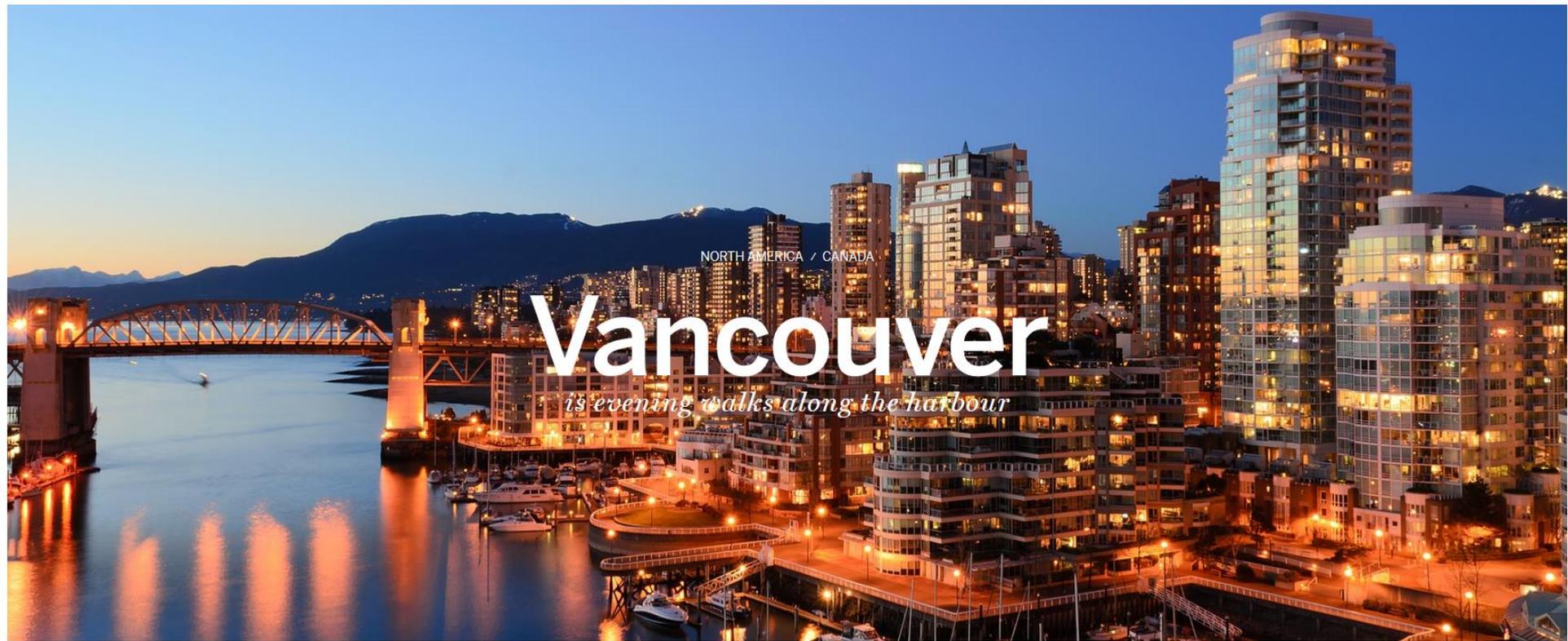
# Vancouver, British Columbia



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**Vancouver** was founded as “*Gastown*” by an Englishman with a penchant for beer and storytelling. Today *Gastown* is a historic section of the Canadian metropolis, and the lively pubs still reflect the area’s former status as a sort of community drinking center. The city’s forests, grand parks, and impressive suspension bridge beckon travelers to explore them, as do the city’s shops and museums. Relive the glory of the 2010 Winter Games with visits to Olympic venues and the marvelous Olympic Cauldron.



## Vancouver – Canada

- Vancouver, Bordered on its northwestern edge by spectacular Stanley Park – one of the continent’s largest downtown green spaces – Vancouver’s compact city center is surrounded on three sides by water, with Burrard Inlet to the north, False Creek to the south and English Bay to the west.
- B.C.’s biggest metropolis has been a hotbed of sustainability for decades, befitting the home of one of the world’s largest urban parks and the historic spot where Greenpeace was founded. Already recognized as having the smallest carbon footprint of any major city in North America.
- Vancouver was ranked 13th by Conde Nast readers on a list of the top 25 cities to visit. Vancouver beat out heavyweights Sydney, Paris and Venice. Cities were scored on ambience, friendliness, culture and sites, restaurants, lodging and shopping. Vancouver was previously named “Best City in the Americas” by Condé Nast Traveler readers in 2004, 2005, 2006, 2009 and 2010.
- Just over 663,000 revenue passengers on 199 sailings passed through Port Metro Vancouver facilities in 2011, a 15 percent rise over 2010. Vancouver’s Canada Place and Ballantyne Pier are major terminals for cruise ship journeys to and from Alaska during the May to September season. The cruises, which run up to two weeks, follow one of two main routes – although each shares the same path along a tranquil, coastline of islands known as the Inside Passage. As a world-renowned destination in its own right, Vancouver is a popular feature of many Alaska cruises, offering passengers a “two for-one” vacation that combines a great city experience with a spectacular wilderness odyssey.





# Vancouver

Winter in Vancouver, British Columbia, is a special time of year, here's ideas of what you can do in and around the city:

- **Sightseeing:** The Vancouver area is surrounded by some of the most stunning natural beauty in the world: mountains, ocean, rainforest, parks and beaches. With endless options for activities, sights and attractions, Vancouver is a city that begs to be explored. By coach or minibus, horse-drawn carriage or helicopter, bicycle or on foot.
- **Chinatown:** Few neighborhoods in Vancouver embody the city's history, diverse cultures and vibrant future like Chinatown.
- **Vancouver Aquarium:** This underwater wonderland is home to a dizzying variety of fish and aquatic mammals in natural habitats. Kids can gape at the multi-colored life inside a tide pool, and marvel at deadly piranhas, scary insects, and even a shark.
- **Ice-skate:** Right in the heart of the city's shopping district, the Robson Square ice skating rink offers visitors free skating, and skate rentals for just \$4 a pair.
- **Spas:** The city's spas are popular with locals and visitors alike, getting wrapped in seaweed, slathered with Moor mud, exfoliated, massaged, manicured, pedicured, and purified, etc.



## City Tour

Hit some of Vancouver's most popular sites on this fantastic sightseeing tour. In just a few hours, you'll see Vancouver's major sights (Gastown and Yaletown, Stanley park, etc..) and learn a wealth of information from a guide who knows its history and culture inside out. This is a great way for first-time visitors to get a great overview of the city.





## Restaurants

Vancouver has a diverse array of gastronomic options. Many cutting-edge establishments are perfecting what we call Modern Canadian fare. Vancouver is all about "localism," with many restaurants emphasizing the provenance of their ingredients and embracing products that hail from within a 100-mile-or-so radius of the city, or at least from within BC.



## Airport Transfers and Transportation

### A large fleet of modern and fully equipped vehicles

A fleet of fantastic vehicles to accommodate your journey, no matter what it entails! You'll find that our vehicles are the best in the area with polished exteriors and modern features to keep you and your guests entertained throughout their stay



Thank you



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