



# Hidden Trails

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## About Hidden Trails



Hidden Trails is owned and operated by nature enthusiasts who love horses and adventure activities. We have been involved with riding and other outdoor vacations for over 20 years.

With our partners Voyage du Cheval (France), Pegasus (Germany) as well as Equitour (Switzerland and France) we have collected the best riding destinations all over the world in some hidden places we would like to share with you.

These rides are about galloping on endless beaches, forging rivers, cantering through forests, trotting along age-old trails, gazing at beautiful vistas and encountering foreign cultures. But most of all, these trips are about getting away from the cycle of too much work and never enough free time.

Escape from the rituals, which long ago froze our nights and days into little more than routine and away from the worries of our new tense times. It is so satisfying when we take the plunge of adventure - it's unfortunate that we invent so many reasons to put aside living our dreams of adventure. It is sometimes a tangled web that we weave through life. Some of the threads reveal a work-a-day world of commitments, duties and obligations. Other threads are of a quiet fabric of hope, responsibility and refreshment.

On our adventures you see the real country, its back country and meet the locals. The love for horses has no boundaries but possesses a common language we all speak and understand. The majority of the overseas rides are from inn to inn, some from castle to castle and a few are camping rides.

You will experience new countries and their customs and make new friends. The Hidden Trails trips are the best you can find.

They have been tested by our staff or associates and received our stamp of approval. If you are considering a special riding vacation anywhere in the world, call us first and let our experienced consultants match the perfect trip with your dream.

We will listen to you and give you objective advice to help you choose the best destination and adventure.

Your vacation is the most precious time of the year and we are committed to making it the most memorable time of your life. Wherever you go, have a great time and bring back some peace of mind.

Thank you for your continued support.

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# Grizzly Mountain Pack Trip - Canada, North America

Tour Code: RTYT10

8 days / 7 nights ~\$0.00

Dates: June & September

Trip Rating : ●●●●●

Difficulty : ●●●●●

Lodging : ●● BASIC

**Tack:** Western

**Horses:** Draft cross

**Pace:** Approx. 5 hours in the saddle per day  
Walk,

**Airport:** Erik Nielsen Whitehorse International Airport (YXY)



## Introduction

Yukon, Canada

Just a short drive north of Whitehorse, explore the Grizzly Valley.

As you ride up from the valley, you will get a beautiful view over Lake Laberge, and if you are lucky you will be able to spot some local wildlife (moose, mountain sheep, bear...).

This short pack trip is the perfect escape from everyday life for those who wish to get a taste of the Yukon wilderness.

## Accommodation

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This is a progressive pack trip so nights will be spent in several camps in the mountains plus some nights at the home base depending on the itinerary.

### Description

We will spend our nights camping in tents and under tarps, cooking over campfires.

As we are sleeping in the wilderness, there are no toilets or showers available during the ride. We usually wash ourselves with a sponge to freshen up.

Single travelers will have their own tent.

### Meals

All your meals are included.

We usually carry along a box of wine with us for the duration of the trip.

### Dietary Restrictions

Dietary concerns or differences will be acknowledged and accommodated if notified in advance.

## Riding

Our pack trips are not like travelling on a clean park trail with wood chips. There are wild trails which involve: steep inclines, rocky terrain, hummocky terrain, river crossings, willow patches and rain, even snow. A person must be physically fit and want to have and enjoy a wilderness experience, and be comfortable around horses. Sponge bathing and helping with chores are also part of the experience!

## Itinerary

Sample 10 days 9 nights Itinerary - *subject to changes*

### Day 1 Arrival

- Transfer from Whitehorse airport or hotel
- Get snacks in the city and see a bit of Whitehorse
- Arrive at base camp
- Relax in your cabin, organize your travel and trip gear
- Go over gear and packing list, test out sleeping gear to make sure it works
- Go over snacks; organized and put into your snack bag
- Lunch
- Get everyone equipped and adjusted to their saddle
- Go for a ride to get used to your horse and what they're like, make sure your saddle is good for you
- Pack all final things you'll need for the trip in your supplied duffel bag
- Dinner
- Relax and sleep in your Cabin accommodation for the night

### Day 2 Lake Camp

- First day of tour
- Pack up, load up
- Ride up into the high country
- Have lunch whilst looking for wildlife (common sightings are sheep, moose and bear)
- Ride another 1.5 hours to camp
- Unpack, unsaddle, set up camp
- Supper
- Relax in your tent

### Day 3 Grizzly Camp

- Saddle horses
- Have breakfast
- Hit the trail
- Lunch on the mountain and wildlife viewing
- Ride towards Grizzly Mountain
- Unpack, set up camp, watch for wildlife on the mountain sides
- Supper

### Day 4 Grizzly Camp

- Breakfast
- Day in camp to view wildlife (Grizzly, moose, sheep)
- Go for a horseback ride or short hike to do some exploring around Grizzly Mountain

- Tell stories around the fire; life as a trapper and big game guide
- Supper
- Relax in your tent

#### **Day 5 Bear Camp**

- Saddle horses
- Breakfast
- Pack up
- Hit the trail
- Lunch - viewing Pilot Mountain
- Ride to camp below Pilot Mountain
- Unpack, set up camp
- Supper

#### **Day 6 Sheep Camp**

- Saddle horses
- Breakfast
- Pack up
- Ride along Pilot Mountain and view Dall sheep, possible Grizzly and moose
- Lunch high up on a ridge viewing moose and Dall sheep
- Learn about aging, gender identifying and maturity of animals
- Ride to camp
- Unpack and set up camp
- Supper

#### **Day 7 Sheep Camp**

- Breakfast
- Day in camp viewing wildlife
- Hike up Pilot Mountain or enjoy a mid-day ride without pack horses
- Look at old ruins of camps that have been used many years before us
- Look for moose or sheep up close
- Learn how to moose call
- Ride back to camp
- Supper
- Relax in tent

#### **Day 8 Caribou Camp**

- Saddle horses
- Breakfast
- Pack up and hit the trail
- Ride through the pines and open meadows while viewing Pilot Mountain and Flat Mountain
- Lunch in a meadow, beside a creek that flows from Pilot Mountain
- Ride to camp along a Pine ridge
- Unpack and set up camp
- Supper
- Camp is in an excellent location of seeing Grizzly Bear, moose and sheep

#### **Day 9 Base Camp**

- Saddle Horses
- Breakfast
- Pack up and ride over beautiful mountain pass that takes you within view of Grizzly and Flat mountain, Yukon River and Lake Laberge
- Usually see wildlife even on the last day
- Have dinner back at Home Base
- Enjoy your night in your cabin, play games or play a game of pool on the pool table

#### **Day 10 Departure Day**

- Breakfast
- Say our goodbyes
- Back to Whitehorse airport or hotel

*Note: all riding days have an average of 4-5 hours with amazing well-tempered horses with amazing scenery and a chance of seeing Yukon wildlife.*

#### **Sample 13 days 12 nights Itinerary - subject to changes**

##### **Day 1 Arrival Day**

- Clients are welcome to arrive at any time this day
- Once retrieved from airport or hotel in Whitehorse, we will do a bit of sightseeing in and around Whitehorse
- Pickup snacks and alcohol for clients at grocery stores for the trip
- Depending on what time of day and how clients are feeling we can get lunch in Whitehorse
- Drive to base camp, unpack and get settled in your cabin
- Lots of tea and coffee in the main cabin to get to know everyone
- Get to know the horses and which horse you'll ride
- Begin to go over gear; what to bring, what not to, test out your sleeping gear and pack your snacks
- Dinner
- Visiting, then relaxing in your cabin and finally bedtime
- Overnight at the home base

##### **Day 2**

- Breakfast
- Introduction to each other
- Go over likes, dislikes, and preferences
- Introduction to horses and what horses clients ride
- Go over Emergency Response Plan
- Assign horse tack and saddles to clients
- Review client's equipment and pack for the trip
- Lunch
- 2 hour horseback ride
- Sauna
- Supper
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#### **Day 11**

- Breakfast
- Drive to Kusawa Lake
- Hike the trail above Kusawa (Optional)
- Lunch by the lake or on the mountain overlooking Kusawa Lake
- Drive back to base camp
- Supper

#### **Day 12**

- Breakfast
- Wildlife preserve
- Hotsprings
- An evening ride to finish the trip with your horse (Optional)
- Supper

#### **Day 13**

- Breakfast
- Say our goodbyes
- Back to Whitehorse airport or hotel

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## **Other Info**

**Meeting:** Whitehorse

**Airport:** Erik Nielsen Whitehorse International Airport (YXY)

**Train station:** --

**Transfer:** Whitehorse

**Distance:** 20 miles

Transfers are included from/to Whitehorse airport. The transfer times will be adapted according to clients' flight times.

**Tack:** Western

**Horses:** Draft cross

**Pace:** Approx. 5 hours in the saddle per day

Walk |

**Level:** 🐾🐾🐾🐾🐾 (3 out of 5) Intermediate

**Age:** Min 18

**Weight:** 220 lbs

**Riders:** Min 2 riders                      Max 3 riders

Riding helmets are mandatory for this ride.

## Rates and Dates 2026 - RTYT10

Rates include: Tent accommodation, All meals & Riding according to program

### Packages and Options

Season	Description	Can\$	~US\$
A 2026	8 days trip (first and last night at home base plus 7 nights camping)	Can\$4250	\$3190
B 2026	12 days trip (5 nights at home base plus 7 nights camping)	Can\$5500	\$4125
C 2026	6 day pack trip (1 night at home base, 3 nights camping, 1 night at home base)	Can\$2250	\$1690

The US Dollar Rate is based on a Can\$ Exchange Rate of 0.75 and subject to currency fluctuation

### Transfer Option

#### Description

2026	Transfers included from/to Whitehorse
2026	Solo rider supplement -- please inquire

#### Tour Dates

Season	Tour Dates	
B 2026	06/02/2026 - 06/14/2026	13d / 12n 12 days trip (5 nights at home base plus 7 nights camping)
A 2026	06/03/2026 - 06/12/2026	10d / 9n 8 days trip (first and last night at home base plus 7 nights camping)
B 2026	06/14/2026 - 06/26/2026	13d / 12n 12 days trip (5 nights at home base plus 7 nights camping)
A 2026	06/15/2026 - 06/24/2026	10d / 9n 8 days trip (first and last night at home base plus 7 nights camping)
A 2026	07/02/2026 - 07/11/2026	10d / 9n 8 days trip (first and last night at home base plus 7 nights camping)
B 2026	07/14/2026 - 07/26/2026	13d / 12n 12 days trip (5 nights at home base plus 7 nights camping)
A 2026	07/15/2026 - 07/24/2026	10d / 9n 8 days trip (first and last night at home base plus 7 nights camping)
C 2026	08/23/2026 - 08/28/2026	6d / 5n 6 day pack trip (1 night at home base, 3 nights camping, 1 night at home base)
B 2026	08/30/2026 - 09/11/2026	13d / 12n 12 days trip (5 nights at home base plus 7 nights camping)
A 2026	08/31/2026 - 09/09/2026	10d / 9n 8 days trip (first and last night at home base plus 7 nights camping)
B 2026	09/10/2026 - 09/22/2026	13d / 12n 12 days trip (5 nights at home base plus 7 nights camping)
A 2026	09/11/2026 - 09/20/2026	10d / 9n 8 days trip (first and last night at home base plus 7 nights camping)

Min/Max: 2/3

\* other dates possible -- please inquire

Rates do not include:Taxes & Gratuities

# Reservation Form

**Tour :** \_\_\_\_\_ **Code #:** \_\_\_\_\_ **from:** \_\_\_\_\_ **to :** \_\_\_\_\_

The Travelers (Last Name, First Name)	Male Female	Single room / or tent	Birth Date MM/DD/YY	Height	Weight	Special diets											
						Special diets	Beginner	Novice	Intermediate	Strong Intern.	Advanced	ride English	ride Western	mostly arena	mostly hacking		
1. _____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____	_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>					
2. _____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____	_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>					
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4. _____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____	_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>					

Special Diets: \_\_\_\_\_

Your fitness level: Excellent  Moderate  Poor  How long have you been riding? \_\_\_\_\_

How often do you ride? \_\_\_\_\_ Have you been on other riding tours? No  Yes  last trip when? \_\_\_\_\_

If Hidden Trails offers a transfer from the local airport/station: I would like the transfer to be included: YES  NO

In an emergency, name and phone number of contact: \_\_\_\_\_

Attention: Please, if there is more than one participant, all have to sign the reservation form - make copies if needed

With my signature I confirm my reservation of the listed program(s) under the Hidden Trails Booking Conditions. I'm aware, and I made all participants aware of the risk involved with these outdoor adventure activities. All participants have read and agree with the [Hidden Trails Booking Conditions](#) and the [Hidden Trails Recreational Activity Release and Indemnity Agreement](#) in this brochure or as listed on the Internet.

I (we) will sign and forward the [Recreational Activity Release and Indemnity Agreement](#) at least 10 weeks before trip starting date.

**Last Name and First Name (The Traveler)** \_\_\_\_\_

**Street** \_\_\_\_\_ **e-mail** \_\_\_\_\_

**City** \_\_\_\_\_ **State** \_\_\_\_\_ **Postal/Zip Code** \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone (wk)** \_\_\_\_\_ **(hm)** \_\_\_\_\_ **Cell** \_\_\_\_\_ **Fax** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date** \_\_\_\_\_ **Signature (mandatory)** 1. \_\_\_\_\_

Please, charge a 25% deposit (minimum \$ 350 per person) now and full payment 10 weeks before the travel date to my credit card.

For payments by **VISA**  or **Mastercard**  (no debit cards)

Cardholder: \_\_\_\_\_

Card # \_\_\_\_\_ 3 digit Security # \_\_\_\_\_

Exp.Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Billing Address for Credit Card (if different than mailing address):  
\_\_\_\_\_

I have enclosed a check for the deposit

Additional Signatures:

2. \_\_\_\_\_
3. \_\_\_\_\_
4. \_\_\_\_\_

**Travel Cancellation Insurance** Credit Card required

Sign me (us) up  initial \_\_\_\_\_

No, we will provide our own  initial \_\_\_\_\_

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