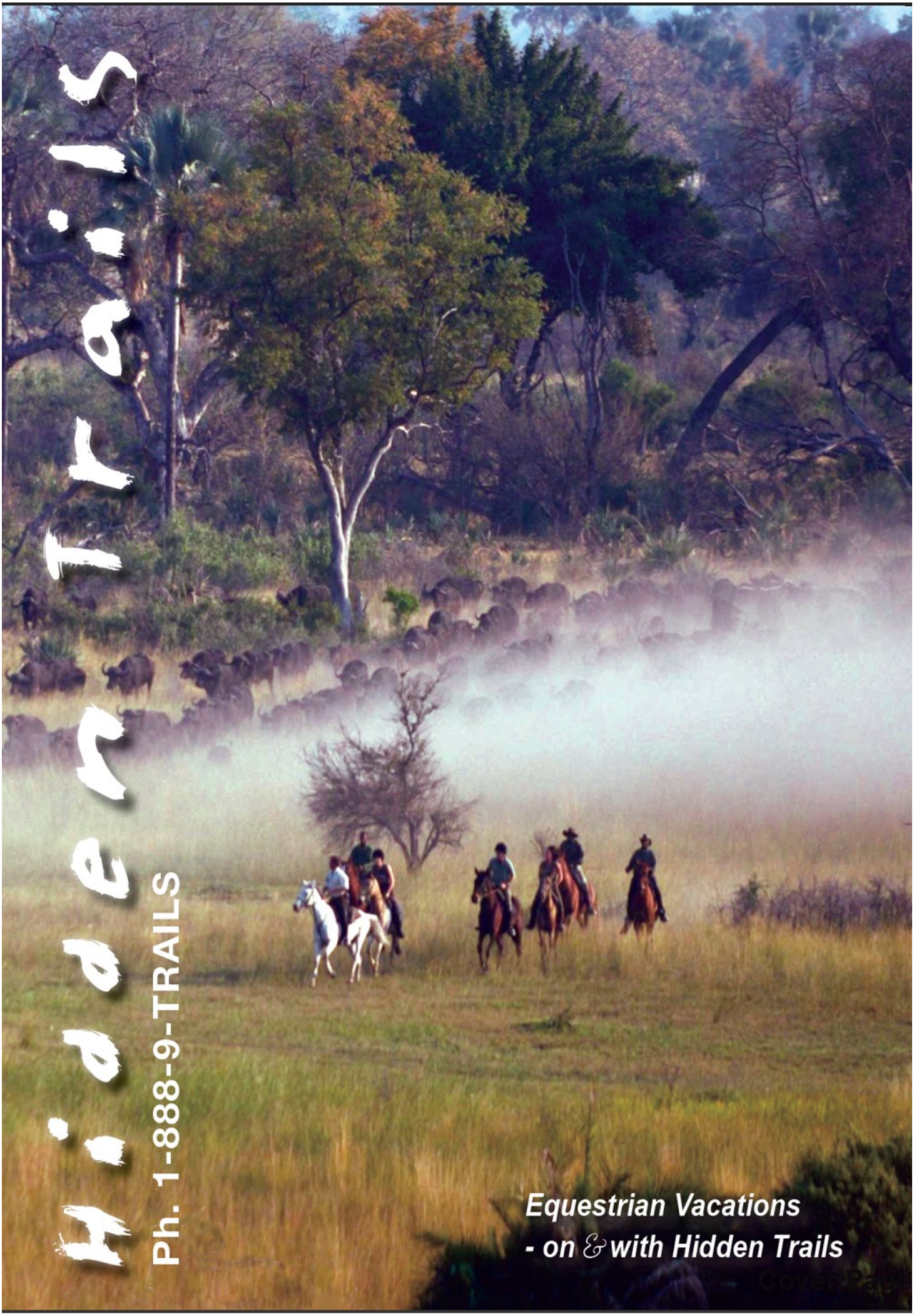

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About Hidden Trails



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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Hadrian's Wall Trail - England, Europe

Tour Code: ZZ-HKEN-H01
7 days / 6 nights ~$0.00
Dates: May to September

Trip Rating :
Difficulty :
Lodging:

Tack:
Horses:
Pace:

Airport: Newcastle Airport











Introduction

Northern England, England
The Hadrian's Wall Path is one of the most popular UK National walking routes. We have developed a hiking vacation along the Hadrian's Wall Trail, which allows you to explore the best sections of the trail. You will follow most of the Hadrian's Wall National Trail with it's interesting Roman remains between Wallsend (a suburb of Newcastle upon Tyne) to Carlisle in the West.

Hadrian's Wall was constructed over the space of 6 years by around 15,000 men. This beautiful stone wall originally would have been 6-meters high in some places along the route. Along the wall, there were mile castles which had two watchtowers in between each one. The section of the Hadrian's Wall trail that you will encounter on this walking holiday includes some of the best-preserved sections of the wall. Some people also believe that Hadrian's Wall marks the boundary between England and Scotland. However, it in fact wasn't built as a border as it lies entirely within England

Accomodation

Accommodations
This is a progressive tour so you will sleep in different accommodations along the trail.

Description
You will stay in 3/4 star hotels, guests houses, country inns and bed and breakfast. Occasionally we have to book a nearby village in peak times which would mean a shorter day and a long days walk the next day.
Our handpicked accommodations are chosen for their accessibility to the route and warmth of welcome. We try and find accommodation which is interesting, and we are sure all our providers of accommodation will show an active interest in your tour progress.

We try and provide en-suite rooms where possible but on occasions, this may not be possible on some tours. If you insist on an en-suite room then please provide this request during the booking process.

Accommodation Itinerary - *subject to changes based on availability*
Night 1: Wallsend
Night 2: Heddon-on-the-Wall
Night 3: Chollerford
Night 4: Twice Brewed
Night 5: Gilsland
Night 6: Carlisle

Room Occupancy
All our prices are based on two persons sharing a twin/double room. However, single persons are most welcome but incur a supplement.
We try and provide en-suite rooms where possible but on occasions, this may not be possible on some tours. If you insist on an en-suite room then please provide this request during the booking process.

Meals
Your package includes all breakfasts. Lunches and dinners are not included and should be paid locally.

Riding

Walking along Hadrian's Wall is not particularly hard in terms of altitude gains, but some sections are long in terms of distance. Most of these days can be covered in 5-6 hours walking and there is also a public bus. The AD122 runs almost parallel to the route, which can help shorten most days if the distance becomes too great. The walk is very varied in terms of scenery from farmland to open moorland. This is a great walking holiday in England, which you should walk at some point in your life.

Insurance
It is essential that you have adequate travel insurance that you have purchased to cover cancellations, accidents, and repatriation etc. You will need to provide details (insurer, policy number and medical emergency telephone number) of the insurance you have purchased.
It is your responsibility to ensure that the insurance cover you have purchased covers you for your particular activity. We will not accept liability for any costs, losses or expenses which you incur as a result in not getting the correct level of cover.

Itinerary

Sample Itinerary - *subject to changes*

Day 1: Arrival
Please, make your own way to your accommodation in Wallsend.
Meals included: none
Overnight in Wallsend

Day 2: Wallsend to Ryton
Depending on where you are staying there may be a short train journey before your walk begins.
This first stage begins by the only remaining piece of the Wall that originally run down from the fort to the Tyne, and which now stands just over the railings outside the fort grounds. A riverside route along the Tyne gives way to predominantly arable farmland above Tynedale. For much of the way, the route follows a disused railway across

Newcastle and its outskirts mainly through an urban landscape, although at the end of the day you will enjoy glorious countryside and wonderful green fields covered in colourful wild flowers beside the River Tyne.
Distance: 21.3 km / Ascent: 174 m
Meals included: Breakfast
Overnight in Heddon-on-the-Wall

Day 3: Ryton to Chollerford
Today's route will take you through open countryside, never far from the side of the road, but mainly on farmland next to the roadside hedge or wall. For most of this stage you will be trekking in fields alive with livestock and other wilder creatures of the British countryside such as hares, rabbits and a superb variety of bird-life including crows, lapwings, finches, swallows and, on the waters of Whittledene Reservoir, the great crested grebe, tufted duck and dunlin.
You will start to see more and more archeological findings and evidence of Roman occupation as the day progresses.
Distance: 33 km / Ascent: 429 m
Meals included: Breakfast
Overnight in Chollerford

Day 4: Chollerford to Twice Brewed
Perhaps the most thrilling day of the entire walk, this stage is to be savoured. Encompassing the best preserved fort on the Wall, the finest views, the most complete sections of the Wall, the northern most point of the trail and some great walking.
Distance: 21.6 km / Ascent: 436 m
Meals included: Breakfast
Overnight in Once Brewed

Day 5: Twice Brewed to Gilsland
While this stage is not as spectacular as the previous one, it is perhaps the most interesting. Today we will climb to the highest point of the entire trail, we will cross from Northumberland into Cumbria and it will take place in a change of scenery, from the windswept moors and crags to the more gentle, rolling, cultivated landscape of England's far north-west. Not to be missed are the remains of a roman bridge. There are also numerous remains of turrets, forts and mile-castles along the trail to be seen. Quite a stage indeed!
Distance: 15.2 km / Ascent: 232 m
Meals included: Breakfast
Overnight in Gilsland

Day 6: Gilsland to Carlisle
Pleasant walking through colourful fields in which to enjoy marvellous scenery. Just after Gilsland the fort of Birdoswald is reached, the route then continues high above the steep sided Irthington Gorge, before beginning a gradual descent at the village of Banks. Agricultural landscape replaces the moorland as the route drops steadily through the villages of Walton and Irthington before reaching lovely River Eden and into the historic city of Carlisle.
If you feel 18 miles is too long you can exit the trail just before Walton and take the Hadrian's Wall bus to Carlisle. This could allow you more time to enjoy looking around the town.
Distance: 29.9 km / Ascent: 232 m
Meals included: Breakfast
Overnight in Carlisle

Day 7: Departure
After breakfast, you can take a train north to Scotland, south towards Manchester or east back to Newcastle where you began.
Meals included: Breakfast

Other Info

Meeting: Wallsend
Airport: Newcastle Airport
Tack:
Horses:
Pace:
Level: (2 out of 5) Easy to Moderate

Rates and Dates 2026 - ZZ-HKEN-H01

Rates include: Accommodations, All breakfasts, Luggage transfers, Navigation by Smart Phone App (Access code for App emailed around 3 weeks before departure) & Navigation by Smart Phone App

Packages and Options

Season	Description

Transfer Option

Description

Tour Dates

Season	Tour Dates

Rates do not include:Transfers before and after the tour, Lunches, Dinners & Travel insurance (mandatory)

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	Beginner	Novice	Intermediate	Strong Interm.	Advanced	ride English	ride Western	mostly arena	mostly hacking
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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 maling address): _____

I have enclosed a check for the deposit ◯

Additional Signatures:

2. _____

3. _____

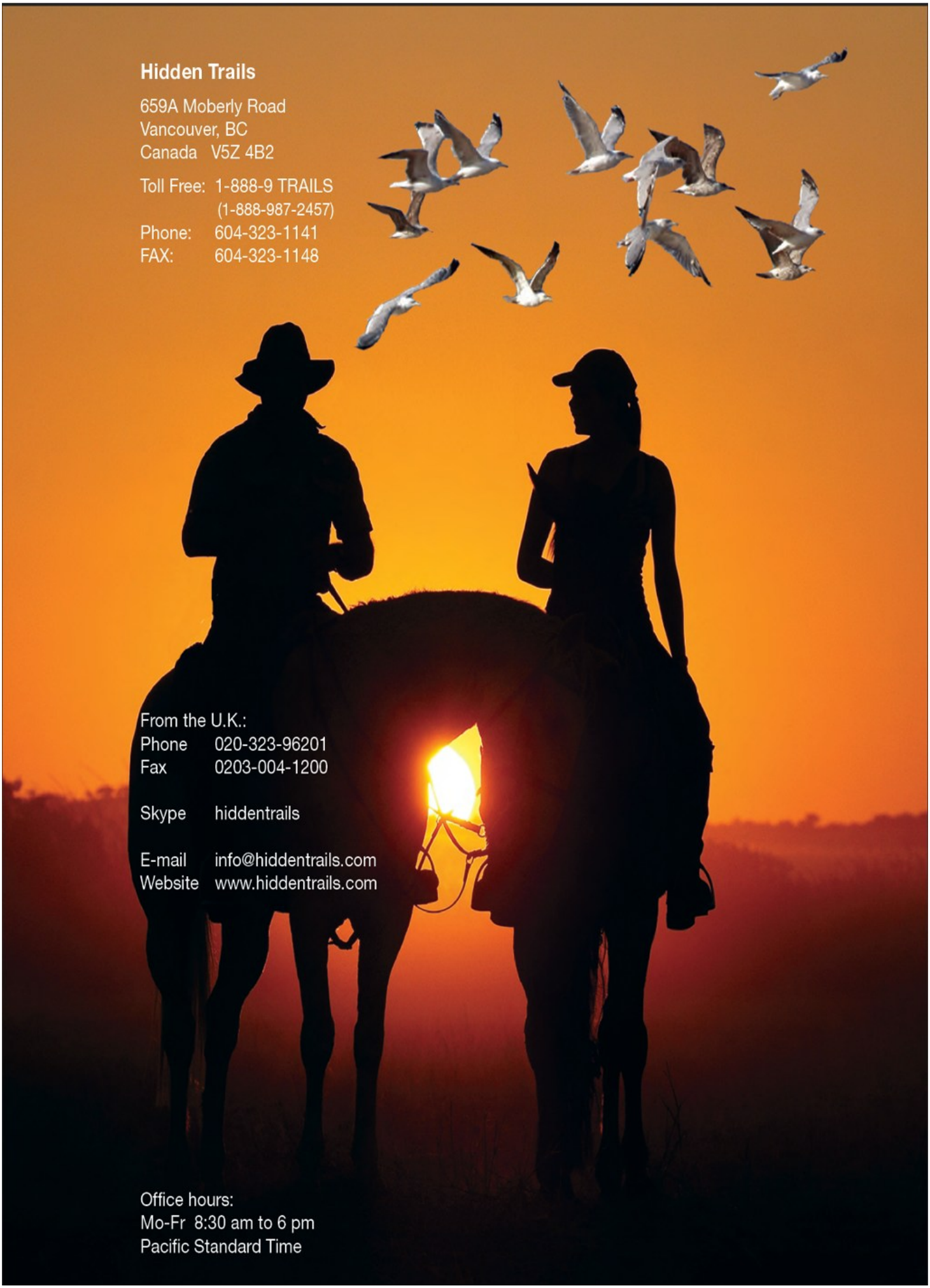
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Travel Cancellation Insurance Credit Card required

Sign me (us) up ◯ initial _____

No, we will provide our own ◯ initial _____

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