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### Heli-Hiking the Columbia Mountains at Bobbie Burns Lodge

2025

4 Days / 3 Nights Banff to Banff

Priced at CAD \$5,534 per person

Prices are per person and include all taxes. Child age 17 - 6 yrs. (Minimum age 6 yrs)

### INTRODUCTION

CMH Bobbie Burns Lodge elevates mountain fun to spirit-soaring heights. From your decked-out home base at CMH Bobbie Burns Lodge, you'll have exclusive access to towering arêtes, dramatic moraines, ice-carved valleys and one-of-a-kind adventures. Scale granite rock faces on the Mount Nimbus via ferrata. Or relax and bask in the beauty of sun-kissed meadows. Whatever your idea of adventure is, experience it in the ultimate wilderness playground. The helicopter allows you to explore a variety of sights in a short time. From ancient glaciers, a half-day via ferrata, alpine meadows, mountain ridge walks and lush forested valleys - on any other hiking or walking trip you'd see only one type of mountain terrain.

These adventures are suitable for all guests; families, couples, friends, solo travellers, mountaineers, hikers, trekkers, walkers or amblers. It is the perfect introduction to Heli-Hiking.

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## DETAILED ITINERARY

### Day 1 Calgary Airport or to Bobbie Burns Lodge | Coach Transfer + Helicopter

Transfer today through Yoho National Park by coach to the heli-pad where you will be transported by helicopter to Bobbie Burns Lodge. Upon arrival at the lodge, you will be shown to your room then join other guests for lunch. After lunch and a helicopter safety briefing, enjoy your first hike exploring the mountains. Then return to the lodge where you can enjoy some refreshments, a soak in the hot tub, or a massage. For your last part of the day, enjoy your gourmet family-style dinner.

#### Something for Everyone

##### *Wanderers*

want to see beautiful terrain in a very relaxed manner. They prefer to meander slowly and enjoy the scenery with shorter walks over easy ground. Long, relaxed breaks along the way offer opportunities to reflect, slow down, and take in the stunning vistas. Pace: Slow with extended breaks; Terrain: Easy ground; Distance: Short horizontal distance; Elevation: Minimal gain and loss.

##### *Roamers*

are seeking a full day of hiking, but at a more relaxed pace. They will experience simpler but stunning terrain with minor amounts of elevation gain and loss. Longer breaks along the way allow for plenty of photo opportunities and time to pause. Pace: Slow with regular breaks; Terrain: Easy and moderate; Distance: Moderate horizontal distance; Elevation: Minimal gain and loss.

##### *Explorers*

want to be somewhat challenged on their trip, hiking full days in varied terrain. They can maintain a steady, moderate pace over reasonable distances, and likely already exercise multiple times per week. This group will typically navigate terrain with some elevation gain and loss, stopping for regular breaks along the way. Pace: Moderate with regular breaks; Terrain: Varied terrain; Distance: Moderate horizontal distance; Elevation: Moderate gain and loss.

##### *Adventurers*

enjoy strenuous, fast-paced activities. They are already very physically active and want to hike full days, covering a lot of ground on their trip. This group will typically navigate more challenging terrain with lots of elevation gain and loss, stopping for shorter breaks along the way. Pace: Fast pace with short breaks, Terrain: Varied terrain; Distance: Long horizontal distance; Elevation: High gain and loss.

### Day 2 - 3 Exploration Days

Wake up to a hearty breakfast and dynamic warm-up classes. Pack your lunch for the day and get ready for days full of adventure. You will be flying up into the mountains where you will be hiking and enjoying your lunch in the field. Once you return to the lodge enjoy the amenities on site before trading adventure stories with other guests at dinner.

### Day 4 Bobbie Burns Lodge to Banff or Calgary Airport | Helicopter + Coach Transfer

Enjoy your last hearty breakfast before departing the lodge on your final heli-transfer. Enjoy your comfortable coach transfer back to your accommodation in Banff or at the Calgary Airport.

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## INCLUDED

### Package Includes

- Return transportation from Calgary Airport, Banff, Lake Louise, or Jasper to helipad
- Accommodation at the CMH lodge for 3 nights
- All meals beginning with lunch (in lodge) on day 1 to packed lunch (on coach) on departure day, including late afternoon hors d'oeuvres each day
- Use of top-quality hiking equipment: boots, hiking poles, rain jacket, wind pants, day pack
- 2 ½ days of helicopter assisted hiking and/or walking with professionally certified mountain guides

**Accommodation** Bobbie Burns Lodge is situated at 1,360m (4,462 ft), CMH Bobbie Burns Lodge was masterfully remodeled in 2019 and offers the height of wilderness hospitality. Lodge amenities: 26 guest rooms, outdoor hot tub, stunning mountain views, ropes course, full service bar, wine cellar, games room, music room, steam room and dry sauna, massage, indoor climbing wall, fitness room, swimming pond, Chef-prepared meals & snacks, pastry chef, gear & gift shop, Wi-Fi, complimentary laundry facilities.

### Not Included

- Gratuities for guides (Recommended \$50.00/person/day)
- Alcoholic beverages
- Massage therapy
- Retail store purchases

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## DATES & PRICING

### Departs Calgary or Banff

Jun 29 Jul 2, 5, 8, 11, 14, 17, 20, 23, 26, 29 Aug 1, 4, 7, 10, 13, 16, 19, 22, 25, 28

DATE	DOUBLE	SINGLE	TRIPLE	CHILD
29 Jun 25 - 31 Aug 25	\$5,534	\$6,227	\$5,534	\$4,720

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