



SKI & RIDE THE BRITISH COLUMBIA INTERIOR WITH THE PENINSULA SKI CLUB

SUN PEAKS, BC, CANADA ❄️ 25 FEB – 5 MAR 17

Plans as of July 2016 – New Lower Estimated Price: \$2,019¹



NEW ROUTING!!! NOW FLYING SOUTHWEST BETWEEN NORFOLK AND SEATTLE
LOWER TRIP PRICE PLUS SIGNIFICANT SAVINGS ON BAGGAGE²



SUN PEAKS RESORT boasts Canada's second largest ski area with heaps of the light, dry powder for which Interior British Columbia is famous. Enjoy award-winning downhill skiing, snowboarding, and cross country skiing. Sun Peaks ski resort's European-style village is nestled at the base of three mountains; Tod Mountain, Sundance and Mt. Morrissey. The ski-through resort village offers a wide selection of restaurants and shopping boutiques to suit a variety of tastes. Epic powder days experienced on unbelievable terrain are the ultimate combination. No matter what level of skier or rider you are, there are perfect runs for you at Sun Peaks Resort.

LODGING: We will be staying right in the village at **ski-in, ski-out Nancy Greene's Cahilty Lodge**. Our lodging is double occupancy in Hotel Rooms with two queen beds, a flat-screen TV, coffee maker, full bathrooms, and daily housekeeping. All bathrooms have heated tile floors and the lodge has free-Wi-Fi, laundry facilities, a well-equipped workout room, as well as indoor and outdoor hot tubs. Enjoy the **included breakfast** at the lodge daily. The lodge is the home of Canadian Olympic Gold Medalist Nancy Greene who hosts the welcome reception, and leads ski tours daily when she is in town.

TRIP INCLUDES:

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| ❖ Round-trip air: Norfolk – Seattle (Southwest) and Seattle – Kelowna (Alaska) [Subject to change] (Southwest: Leave Norfolk 2/25, 0600; return 3/5, 2325) | ❖ Welcome reception , one or two group dinners , and breakfast Monday – Saturday in the lodge at Sun Peaks |
| ❖ Ground transportation Kelowna – Sun Peaks | ❖ 2 nights lodging at Hilton Seattle Airport |
| ❖ 6 nights lodging in Nancy Greene's <i>Cahilty Lodge</i> (Two per Hotel Room) | ❖ 2 afternoons & evenings in Seattle for sightseeing |
| ❖ 5 days of skiing at Sun Peaks | ❖ Optional <i>Ride the Ducks</i> – Seattle tour by land and water |

THE MOUNTAIN STATS:

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| ❖ Ski terrain: | 4,270 acres (second largest in Canada) |
| ❖ Variety: | 3 mountains, 119 trails, 16 glades |
| ❖ Difficulty % | 10% Green – 58% Blue – 32% Black |
| ❖ Top elevation: | 7,060 ft |
| ❖ Village elevation: | 4,116 ft |
| ❖ Skiable Vertical: | 2,894 ft (Longest run: 5 miles) |
| ❖ Average Annual snowfall: | 237 inches |

**Ask about
Trip Insurance**

OPTIONAL ACTIVITIES:

Cross-country, Dog sledding, Sleigh rides, Segway tours, Snowshoes, Snow mobiles, Groomer rides, Ice skating, etc. Sightseeing in Seattle

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CHECK OUT...

Sun Peaks at: www.sunpeaksresort.com & Cahilty Lodge at: www.cahiltylodge.com
Ride the Ducks – Seattle at: www.ridetheducksofseattle.com

ESTIMATED PRICE: \$2,019¹ Senior (age 65+) lift discounts are available.

¹ Exchange rate fluctuations, surcharges, final trip size, etc., may alter final price.

PAYMENTS: \$500 at sign up, \$500 Sep 8, \$500 Oct 13, balance Nov 10.

TRIP REFUND CUTOFF DATE: 1 Oct 16*

***CANCELLATIONS AFTER CUTOFF DATE ARE LIABLE FOR UNRECOVERABLE TRIP COSTS** in lieu of normal cancellation fee.



Sanctioned by the Blue Ridge Ski Council



QUESTIONS YOU MEANT TO ASK... AND THEIR RESPECTIVE ANSWERS

The following questions and answers, compiled from a variety of sources, should provide information to make your choice of this trip to British Columbia with stops in Seattle an easy decision.

Q: Where is Sun Peaks Resort and how will we get there? A: Sun Peaks is located in the North Thompson region of British Columbia's South Central Interior and is one of the more northerly of Western Canada's major ski resorts. It is not really in a mountain range and is the only alpine peak in the region so from the top of the mountain, on a clear day, you can see literally for hundreds of miles. We will fly from **Norfolk Int'l Airport** to Seattle on **Southwest Airlines**. In Seattle, we will spend the afternoon and night at a nearby hotel before continuing our journey to Sun Peaks on an **Alaska Airlines** flight to Kelowna, BC and a relatively short 2 ½ hour motor coach ride to the resort. After enjoying our week of skiing, we will reverse the process beginning Saturday March 4, spending that afternoon and night in Seattle before our Sunday afternoon, March 5 flight back to Norfolk. Note: Baggage charges are your responsibility: Your first two bags fly free on Southwest and Alaska charges \$25 each way for each of the first two bags.² [Flight times and routing are subject to change.]

Q: What will we find at Sun Peaks? A: **Sun Peaks Resort**, in the interior of British Columbia, stands up with the best ski destinations in the world. With copious amounts of terrain, no line-ups and extensive non-ski activities, Sun Peaks is an ideal destination for families, empty nesters, and those looking for sophistication without urban chaos. Guests enjoy award-winning downhill skiing, snowboarding, and cross country skiing. Sun Peaks ski resort's European-style village is nestled at the base of three mountains; Tod Mountain, Sundance, and Mt. Morrisey. The village offers a wide selection of accommodations, restaurants, and shopping boutiques to suit a variety of tastes. The 2nd largest ski area in Canada, Sun Peaks boasts 4,270 acres of light, dry, easy-to-ski powder spread across the three unique mountain faces. From glades to groomers, open bowls to steep moguls and a 9 acre terrain park, there's variety that will appeal to all abilities. Nordic skiers will find over 31 miles of groomed/track set and backcountry trails. Check out: www.skinet.com/ski/article/where-ski-next-sun-peaks-bc

Q: What days will we be skiing/riding? A: We will have 5 days of included skiing – Monday through Friday.

Q: What about snowboarding? A: Sun Peaks welcomes snowboarders to enjoy the entire resort.

Q: What about eating? A: Plans are to have two group dinners. There are numerous dining options throughout the village including the Cahilty Creek Bar & Grill in our hotel. Breakfast is included Monday – Saturday at our lodge. Dining options in Seattle are without number.

Q: What kind of living arrangements can we expect? A: We will be staying slope-side at Sun Peaks. Our hotel style rooms at Nancy Greene's Cahilty Lodge are right on the mountain, with two queen beds, flat-screen TV, coffee maker, full bathrooms, and daily housekeeping. The bathrooms have heated tile floors and the lodge has free-Wi-Fi, laundry facilities, a well-equipped workout room, as well as indoor and outdoor hot tubs. In Seattle we will be staying Saturday night (in both directions) across the street from the airport at the AAA 3-diamond Hilton Seattle Airport Hotel & Conference Center.

Q: Why are we spending two nights in Seattle? A: Flying to Kelowna, the closest feasible airport, affords us the opportunity to spend an afternoon and evening sightseeing in Seattle in both directions. We won't need to unpack, just have a handy overnight bag to take to our rooms. Our hotel is adjacent to Seattle-Tacoma International Airport and a very short walk to the LINK light-rail station into downtown Seattle. While the time in Seattle is yours to use as you wish, on our first afternoon, we have an optional opportunity to take a 90-minute, *Ride the Ducks* land and water tour of Seattle. This fun tour will give you a great overview of the city and leave time to explore on your own or just have dinner before returning to our hotel. When we come back through Seattle on our return, we'll again have time to explore before our Sunday midday flight back to Norfolk.

Q: What is *Ride the Ducks* – Seattle? A: Quack, laugh, and learn with your wacky Tour Guide and enjoy the ride as a Coast Guard Certified Captain drives a DUKW on a one-of-a-kind, 90-minute tour of Seattle! See the Seattle waterfront, Pioneer Square, Pike Place Market, and the downtown shopping district before you SPLASH into Lake Union! It's a party on wheels that floats!

Q: What do we need to travel to Canada? A: **You need a passport to cross the US-Canadian boarder.** Your passport will be checked when we board our Alaska Airlines flight in Seattle and at other times. **Note: Canadian immigration may check and exclude anyone for criminal convictions including DUI – see <http://www.cic.gc.ca/english/information/inadmissibility/who.asp>**

Q: Are there any age related discounts? A: Yes. Lift discounts for Seniors aged 65+ are available.

Q: What if I have more questions? A: Contact Bill Bryan, at (757) 851-0748 or by e-mail to sunpeaks17@peninsulaskiclub.com.

² Baggage savings up to \$120 is based on two bags checked on the Norfolk-Seattle round-trip segment.