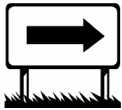
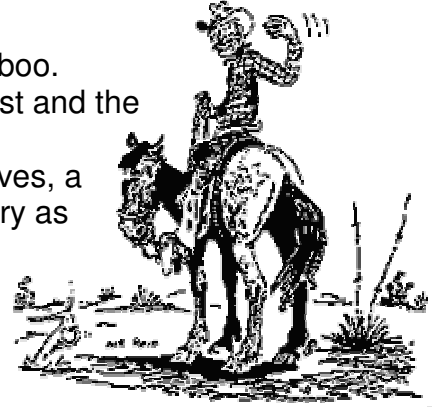




The Chilcotin & Cariboo Tour

Start & Finish: Vancouver
 Duration: 14-21 days
 Distance: 2000 km

This tour will take you into the heart of the Chilcotin and the Cariboo. Bordered by the wild Cariboo and Columbia mountains to the east and the forested fjords of the central coast to the west, it is here that the legendary Wild West lives on - complete with cowboys, cattle drives, a million fishin' holes and even a BC Gold Rush Trail. Relive history as you travel along the historic routes like the Cariboo Trail, visit Barkerville and other heritage sites, and do as the cowboys had done a hundred years ago.



Your trip begins here:



Ferry:
 Horseshoe Bay to Departure Bay (www.bcferries.com)

Nanaimo	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Approximately 20 minutes from the Ferry Terminal. 	
<p>Living Forest Oceanside Campground</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Reservable Campsites: 250.755.1755 or (www.campingbc.ca) Open May – September 	<p>Points of Interest & Activities:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Downtown Victoria Parliament Building Royal B.C. Museum Victoria City Harbour Whale Watching Many, many more!

Qualicum Beach	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Along Highway 19A, approximately 12 km north of Parksville. 	
<p>Qualicum Bay Resort: RV Park & Campground</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Reservable Campsites: 1.800.663.6899 Open all year <p>★ Little Qualicum Falls Provincial Park</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Reservable Campsites: (www.discovercamping.ca) Open April – October 	<p>Points of Interest & Activities:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Sea-side village Vancouver Island Paleontology Museum Heritage Forest Fishing Golf Kayaking & Canoeing

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Campbell River	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Along Highway 19 or 19A 	
<p>Elk Falls Provincial Campground</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Reservable Campsites: (www.discovercamping.ca) Open all year. <p>Loveland Bay Provincial Campground</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Reservable Campsites: (www.discovercamping.ca) Open May – October. 	<p>Points of Interest & Activities:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Sea-side town Sport Fishing Golf A variety of outdoor activities including swimming, hiking, horseback riding, etc.

Port Hardy	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Along Highway 19 or 19A 	
<p>Quatse River Campground</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 10mins from Ferry Terminal Reservable Campsites: 250.949.2395 Open all year 	<p>Points of Interest & Activities:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Sea-side town Sport Fishing Golf



Ferry:
Port Hardy to Bella Coola **RESERVATIONS REQUIRED** (www.bcferrries.com)

Bella Coola	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Highway 20 	
<p>Gnomes Home RV Park</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 16km from Ferry Terminal in Hagensborg Reservable Campsites: 250.982.2504 Closed in off season 	<p>Points of Interest & Activities:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Sea-side town of Bella Coola A variety of outdoor activities including swimming, kayaking, hiking, etc.

Anahim Lake	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Along Highway 20 	
<p>Anahim Lake Resort</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Reservable Campsites: 1-800-667-7212 or (www.anahimlakeresort.com) Open April – September <p>Escott Bay Resort</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Reservable Campsites: 250.742.3233 or (www.escottbay.com) Open April – September 	<p>Points of Interest & Activities:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Boating: canoeing, kayaking Horseback riding Rodeos Fishing Floatplanes Guides Tours & Adventures A variety of other recreational activities.

Alexis Creek	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Along Highway 20 	
<p>Bull Canyon Provincial Campground</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> No reservations available. Open April – September 	<p>Points of Interest & Activities:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Boating: canoeing, kayaking Horseback riding Rodeos Fishing A variety of other recreational activities.

Williams Lake	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Junction Hwy 20 & 97 	
<p>Deep Creek Service</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Reservable Campsites: 250.989.5134 Open all year 	<p>Points of Interest & Activities:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Williams Lake Stampede Horseback riding A variety of in-town activities.

Quesnel	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Junction Hwy 97 & 26 	
<p>10 Mile Lake Provincial Campground</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Reservable Campsites: (www.discovercamping.ca) Open May – September 	<p>Points of Interest & Activities:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Billy Barker Days Pulp & Paper Mill Tours Forestry Tours A variety of in-town activities.

Barkerville	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> End of Hwy 26 	
<p>Barkerville Provincial Campground Bowron Provincial Campground</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Reservable Campsites: (www.discovercamping.ca) Open May – September 	<p>Points of Interest & Activities:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Town of Barkerville Town of Wells Bowron Lakes Canoeing Fishing Hiking A variety of recreational activities.




In 1862, Billy Barker found gold on William's Creek - a discovery that started a rush of fortune seekers from all over the world. Thousands of people traveled the Cariboo Wagon Road between 1862 and 1870, converging on the boomtown called Barkerville. After 1870, Barkerville remained a supply town for the goldfields until it was taken over by the Province of British Columbia in 1958 and run as one of Canada's largest historic sites.


Today, Barkerville remains a town of discovery. The best time to visit is between mid-May and the end of September when the Barkerville streetscape is alive with 130 heritage buildings, live theatre and special events, informative and entertaining interpretation, and over twenty shops that bring to life the history of Barkerville, the Cariboo and British Columbia.

Lac La Hache	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Along Hwy 97 	
Lac La Hache Provincial Campground <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Reservable Campsites: (www.discovercamping.ca) Open May – September 	Points of Interest & Activities: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Swimming, Canoeing Fishing Horseback Riding Ranching A variety of recreational activities.

100 Mile House	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> On Hwy 97 	
Canim Lake Resort <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Reservable Campsites: 280.397.2355 or (www.canim.com) Open all year 	Points of Interest & Activities: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fishing Fly-in Sightseeing Tours Horseback Riding Canoeing ATV Tours A variety of other recreational activities.
Bridge Lake Provincial Campground <ul style="list-style-type: none"> No reservations available Open May – September 	
Green Lake Provincial Campground <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Reservable Campsites: (www.discovercamping.ca) Open May – September 	

	Possible Detour: to Vancouver via Lillooet & Whistler	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Follow Hwy 1 then Hwy 99 	
	Lillooet: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Cayoosh Creek Campground Fraser Cove Campground 	Points of Interest & Activities: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Hat Creek Ranch Town of Lillooet Town of Whistler Joffre Lakes Hiking, swimming and a variety of other recreational activities.
	Pemberton: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Nairn Falls Provincial Campground 	
	Whistler: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Brandywine Provincial Campground 	
	Squamish: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Alice Lake Provincial Campground Stawamus Chief Provincial Park Porteau Cove Provincial park 	
<p>See Vancouver Coast & Mountains Tour for more detailed information.</p>		

Lytton	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Along Hwy 97 	
<p>Skihist Provincial Campground</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ No reservations available ▪ Open May – September <p>Goldpan Provincial Campground</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ No reservations available ▪ Open May – September 	<p>Points of Interest & Activities:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ River Rafting <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Kumsheen Rafting Resort -Hyak Wilderness Adventures ▪ Hiking ▪ Swimming ▪ Fishing <p>A variety of other recreational activities.</p>

	Possible Detour: Manning Provincial Park	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ 40km east of Hope along Highway 3 	
<p>Cold Spring Campground</p> <p>Hampton Campground</p> <p>Mule Deer Campground</p> <p>Lightning Lake Campground</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Reservable Campsites (www.discovercamping.ca) ▪ Closed during off season 	<p>Points of Interest & Activities:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Hiking, canoeing, kayaking, horseback riding, swimming, and a variety of other recreational activities. 	

Coquitlam	
<p>Capilano RV Park</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Reservable Sites: 604.987.4722 or (www.capilanorvpark.com) ▪ Open all year <p>★Burnaby Cariboo RV Park</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Reservable Sites: 1-800-667-9901 or (www.bcrv.com) ▪ Open all year 	<p>Points of Interest & Activities:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Grouse Mountain ▪ Capilano Suspension Bridge ▪ Lynn Canyon ▪ Deep Cove ▪ Downtown Vancouver

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Welcome back to Go West!