

# THE LARGEST BELUGA'S MIGRATION IN THE WORLD



## Trip to watch Belugas in the northern Manitoba's Hudson Bay, Canada

This trip takes us to Churchill, a town at the northern coast of Manitoba in Canada, the Polar Bear capital and the home to the world's largest population of beluga whales.

As a matter of fact, more than 57,000 beluga whales patrol the arctic and sub-arctic waters around the Hudson Bay each summer.

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During our time in Churchill, we can enjoy making some outdoor activities like kayaking to watch the majestic and sociable belugas, take a guided tour around the Hudson Bay or visit the Fort Prince of Wales, a place of great historic significance.

In addition, we can optionally sail the waters of the Churchill River, where we will observe belugas and have the opportunity to listen while they communicate themselves, thanks to the sonar boat, and even sail in a Zodiac type boat to watch them almost from the water surface. Belugas are also known as "Sea Canaries" for their strange high-pitched whistles, clicking, chirping and other underwater vocalizations.

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## TRAVEL PROGRAM

### Day 1

- Flight from your country of residence - Winnipeg.
- Transfer on your own from the airport to the accommodation.
- Lunch and dinner by yourself.
- Overnight in Winnipeg.

### Day 2

- Flight from Winnipeg to Churchill.
- Transfer on your own from the airport to the accommodation.
- Free time for visiting Churchill, the Polar Bear capital and one of the few human settlements where these animals can be observed in the wild. We also can visit Churchill Skimo Museum and Parks Canada Interpretive Centre to learn about the historical significance of Churchill.
- Lunch and dinner by yourself.
- Overnight in Churchill.

### Day 3

- Breakfast at the accommodation's restaurant.
- Tour for interacting with the beluga whales and see an important part of Canada's history at the Prince of Wales Fort. The Fort is rich in history and timeless beauty. Step inside to admire the strength of this stone structure that has been standing guard for 250 years at the mouth of the Churchill River. What used to be a bustling hub for fur traders was later reinvented into a stone fortification when peace was threatened between England and France. There was a strong desire to control Hudson Bay's resources and the Prince of Wales Fort had the most advantageous position for defense. Take a trip back in time through the ruins of the fort that took 40 years to build under the harsh survival conditions of the Arctic.
- Lunch and dinner by yourself.
- Overnight in Churchill.

### Day 4

- Breakfast at the accommodation's restaurant.
- Kayak in the Arctic waters of Churchill River to meet with the beluga whale. This activity is perfectly fit for the novice paddler.
- Lunch and dinner by yourself.
- Overnight in Churchill.

### Day 5

- Breakfast at the accommodation's restaurant.
- Interpretative hike on the shore of Hudson Bay, from Sloop Cove to Prince of Wales Fort. We will be dropped off at Sloop Cove by zodiac boat where we will meet the guides. Once there we will begin a hike to Prince of Wales Fort. Along the way we will explore the tundra of the Western Churchill Peninsula, visit archaeological sites, get a close up look at the flora of the tundra, find fossils that are hundreds of millions of years old, walk lonely beaches, encounter birds and other wildlife, and feel a connection to the people who came

here before us. After we have explored Prince of Wales Fort and gotten in touch with our inner fur trader the zodiac will pick us up and transport us back across the Churchill River.

- Lunch and dinner by yourself.
- Overnight in Churchill.

#### **Day 6**

- Breakfast at the accommodation's restaurant.
- Transfer on your own from the accommodation to the airport.
- Flight from Churchill to Winnipeg.
- Lunch and dinner by yourself.
- Overnight in Winnipeg.

#### **Day 7**

- Transfer on your own from the accommodation to the airport.
- Flight from Winnipeg to your country of residence.

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### **WARNING**

In this trip, unforeseen circumstances may occur and therefore the program is subject to change on the ground for weather reasons, logistical matters, ice and snow conditions, flights to/from Churchill or force majeure.

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### **DATES**

Between 1st July – 31st August 2022

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### **PRICE**

[Ask price](#)

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### **REGISTRATION DEADLINE**

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### **RESERVATION**

. Before 45 days of the trip: 50% of the trip price + flights. After 45 days: 100% + flights

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### **MINIMUM GROUP**

1 Person

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### **INCLUDED**

- 4 nights at hotel in Churchill in double room.
- 4 breakfasts in Churchill.
- Transfer from the Churchill airport to the hotel.
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- Multi-adventure insurance.
- All excursions and visits included within the travel program.

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### **NOT INCLUDED**

- Flights from your country of residence – Churchill and return.
- Regular flights air taxes.
- Accommodation in Winnipeg.
- Breakfasts in Winnipeg.
- Lunches and dinners.
- Transfer from the airport to the accommodation and return, in Winnipeg.- Comidas en aeropuertos y aviones.
- Optional activities.

- Meals on transfers, airports and cities.
  - Extra activities and excursions optional out of the expedition plan.
  - Extra accommodation, transfers and extra meals in Winnipeg, Churchill and airports because of delays due to weather conditions, ice or snow conditions, strikes at airports and any other cause beyond Arctic World.
  - ? Costs and applications for visa to Canada, European Union or other countries if required.
  - Everything not listed in the INCLUDED section.
  - Air excess costs of personal baggage.
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## **SUPPLEMENTS**

### **Single Room**

Consult price

### **Trip Cancellation Insurance**

Consult price

### **Extra nights of accommodation**

Consult price

### **Bed and breakfast or guesthouse accommodation**

Consult price

### **Optional activities**

Consult prices

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## **NOTES**

Arctic World as specialists in the polar regions, organize tailor made trips according to the interests, budget, available time and wishes of the traveller. So, to this trip are possible adding activities, days, meals, excursions, etc, in order this will be an unforgettable experience. Just tell us the days, activities and meals you want to do and **we will prepare your customize trip.**

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