

Logistics

In addition to in-camp services, meals and lodgings, Skyline Hikers provides bus transport from check-in point to trailhead and back, and transports your duffle bag into and out of camp.

You do the hiking!

Dates

Five weekly camps are held during July and August, with departure to camp on a Monday and return to the trailhead the following Saturday. For specific dates check the SHCR website as indicated below.

Principles

SHCR promotes good fellowship, the appreciation of the outdoor life and the preservation of the mountain ecology.

About Us

Founded in 1933, the Skyline Hikers of the Canadian Rockies (SHCR) is a non-profit organization (registered under the Societies Act of Alberta) that is operated by a consortium of volunteers from across Canada.

Mission

To host at a different location each summer five one-week camps in the alpine wilderness of the Canadian Rockies and to provide participants a unique hiking experience.

Our Commitment

We strive to provide participants a quality experience in camp and on the trail. The experienced volunteer camp staff comprise a chief leader, host/hostess, medic, musician and day-hike leaders.

For detailed information on the current annual camp and hike program, as well as registration procedures, consult the SHCR website or contact us by e-mail, phone or in writing as indicated below.



*Canadian Rockies
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Since 1933*

Join Us...



*...for a week in the
Canadian Rockies
alpine wilderness.*

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Enjoy a Unique Rockies Alpine Hiking & Camping Experience

Picture yourself hiking in a remote setting catching glimpses of glaciers, waterfalls and clear mountain streams. Think of the wonderful vistas, the spectacular lookouts, the wildlife and the alpine flowers and plants. And, enjoy the companionship of like-minded souls on the trail and in camp.

Reminisce about the days adventures during pre-dinner social, and over a hearty meal in the covered dining tent get to know your fellow hikers better.

To cap the day off, enjoy an evening of singing, storytelling and companionship around a campfire.



Hiking

Each hiker participates daily in one of 5+ hikes offered that is suited to their particular abilities. Hikes range from easy jaunts to a nearby waterfall, to a strenuous climb to a mountain lookout. Distances range from 5 to 25 kilometres with up to 1500 metre elevation gain.

Accommodation

Wilderness accommodation is provided for up to 54 hikers in each camp. Prospector-style tents accommodate up to four hikers each. The tents are outfitted with a wood-burning stove and thick foam sleeping pads. Biffies with toilet seats and wash-up tent (with hot water) provided.

Meals / Medical

Skilled cooks provide hearty, balanced hot breakfast and dinner daily, and bag lunches for the trail. Some special dietary needs can be accommodated.

In-camp medical assistance is provided. Protocol includes emergency medical evacuation procedure.