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Glacier National Park



ROGERS PASS NATIONAL HISTORIC SITE

Available year round

Experience a pivotal slice of Canada's past at Rogers Pass National Historic Site in the heart of Glacier National Park.

Start your adventure at Summit Station to purchase a valid park pass and to learn more about the area from our knowledgeable staff.

Keep the exploration going as you head to the Summit monument. There, you'll dive into transportation history while soaking in stunning views. Take a breather, snap some pics, and soak up the vibes of this iconic spot.

Suitable for FIT, small groups, large groups.

Price Free with national park pass

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CAMPING UNDER THE STARS

Available late June to October

Glacier National Park's campsites offer a tranquil escape at the foot of numerous beloved trails. Nestled away from bustling urban centers and the glare of city lights, these sites provide an idyllic setting for stargazing.

At Illecillewaet campground, all sites operate on a first come, first served basis, granting you flexibility in your planning. Alternatively, you can secure a reservation at the nearby Loop Brook Campground.

Suitable for FIT, small groups, large groups.

Price* \$24.00/day

Add on: Fire permit \$13.00/day

*All campers must have a valid park pass

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About the park

Established in 1886, Glacier National Park is Canada's second oldest national park, steeped in railway and mountaineering history.

Take a break from driving at one of many scenic picnic areas, follow the hiking trails of early mountaineers, or extend your stay at a front or backcountry campground.

Location

Trans-Canada Highway between Golden and Revelstoke, British Columbia

- 320 km west of Calgary
- 230 km north-east of Kelowna International Airport

Daily admission fees

2025

Adult	\$11.00
Senior	\$9.50
Family / group	\$22.00
Commercial group	\$9.35

[Discovery Passes](#) are available to purchase for your FIT clients at net rates with no minimum order required.

Visiting Glacier National Park & Rogers Pass? Consider a visit to nearby [Mount Revelstoke National Park!](#)

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HIKE HISTORIC TRAILS

Available June – October (snow dependent)

Explore trails that have existed for over 100 years, several following the path of former rail grades and other rugged mountaineering routes!

There are adventures for everyone, from short interpretive loops to challenging alpine hikes with beautiful glacier and peak views.

Many trails can be accessed from the Illecillewaet Valley (on Highway 1) or Illecillewaet Campground parking lots (save 2km).

Suitable for FIT, small groups, large groups.

Price Free with national park pass

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GUIDED BEAR BIOLOGY HIKE

Available July 26, August 6, August 31, & September 4 - 9:00 am - 4:00 pm (PST)

Balu Pass trail takes you through alpine meadows, avalanche paths, and prime habitat for grizzly bears. Each year, between July 15 and September 30, hikers must organise in groups of 4 or more to visit the area. This guided hike reveals the secret world of bear signs. Look for bear trails, scat and tracks and learn to travel safely in bear country.

Considered moderately challenging, steep sections, 12.8 km return. To register, please email mrg.information@pc.gc.ca or call 250-700-8700.

Suitable for FIT, small groups, large groups.

Price \$65

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GUIDED GLACIER HIKE

Available July 12, 9:00 am - 4:00 pm (PST)

Glacier National Park is known as the birthplace of glaciology in Canada dating back to the late 1800s and continues to be a hub for research.

Come celebrate the International Year of Glaciers' Preservation with a guided hike in the park. Take in stunning views of the Illecillewaet and Asulkan Glaciers while discovering fascinating facts about these rivers of ice and those that study them.

Considered challenging with steep rocky sections, 11.4 km return. To register, please email mrg.information@pc.gc.ca or call 250-700-8700

Price \$65

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When to visit

- Know before you go! Spring and fall activities vary each year due to snow conditions. Trails can be snowy until July throughout the park and at high elevations. For the latest updates, always check the Trail Conditions.
- The short summer season is the most popular time to visit, while the winter attracts many experienced backcountry skiers between November and May, when a winter permit system is in effect.

Responsible travel

Plan ahead

- The Rogers Pass Center will undergo construction necessary for its rehabilitation. The building will close in early summer 2025. While it is closed, visitor services will be available at the same location in a temporary facility called Summit Station.
- Be responsible for your own safety. Choose activities that suit your abilities and level of experience. Bring water, food and extra clothing. Don't go without safety gear - first aid kit, bivouac sac or small tarp, and a way of communicating (cell service may not be available). Tell someone where you plan to go and when you plan to return.

Keeping wildlife wild

A shared responsibility

- Travel safely in bear country. Make noise! Being quiet puts you at risk for sudden wildlife encounters. Travel in tight groups and be aware of your surroundings. Always carry bear spray, ensure it is quickly accessible and know how to use it.
- Give them Space! Whether you are exploring the park by foot, bike, or vehicle, when you see wildlife.
- Pack up and securely store food and other attractants before you play. Never leave food unattended. Food and attractants will be removed by park staff if left unattended.
- Never feed any wildlife. Human food kills wildlife.
- Slow down to protect wildlife and others on the road.
- Respect closures and restrictions. These are in place to keep you and wildlife safe.
- Keep your pet on a leash at all times. Pets are prohibited in some areas.