



MagicBus Weekender to Kimberley

Prior to departure:

For full details on MagicBus Tours COVID safety protocols please visit:

<https://magicbus.ca/covid-19/>

20-21 Season Update: A Waiver and COVID-19 Screening Questionnaire will need to be filled out prior to boarding the bus or loading your gear. We highly encourage guests to fill out the documents in a contact-free way prior to their trip's departure. Anyone 17 & under requires their Waiver and Questionnaire to be filled out by a parent or guardian. Anyone 18 & over must fill out their own waiver, for each trip.

Ways to fill out your Waiver & Questionnaire:

- Recommended: Complete the documents online prior to departure. There will be no need to bring a copy and the Tour Director will know you have already signed. This option is highly encouraged. The link for our waiver is: <https://waiver.smartwaiver.com/v/magicbuswaiver/>.
- Or: Print and scan or fax back a copy to MagicBus Tours' office prior to departure. There will be no need to bring a copy and the Tour Director will know you have already signed.
- Or: Print and bring a physical copy with you the morning of departure. The Tour Director will collect the papers from you at check-in.
- Or: As a last resort, the Tour Director will have paper copies and sanitized pens for you to sign at check-in.

DAY 1: FRIDAY

** The lounge at the Edmonton Inn will be open for anyone wanting to grab a bite and/or drink before departing on the trip. Please check out their website for their COVID safety protocols:*

<https://www.edmontoninn.ca/covid-19/>

1:30 pm

Check-in begins for the MagicBus Weekender to Kimberley at the Edmonton Inn located 11834 Kingsway Ave NW at the north side of the building. Free parking is available on the north side of the building, at your own risk.

20-21 Season Update: You will be required to check-in with the MagicBus Tour Director inside the entrance area prior to being able to get on the bus or load your ski gear. You are welcome to bring your gear and set it near the bus, so that it's ready to be loaded as soon as you're done checking in!

2020-21 Season Update: Masks are mandatory and are to be worn throughout the entirety of the check-in process at the Edmonton Inn & the entire bus ride (with a short exception for eating after meal stops). You can bring your own mask or purchase one for a small fee from the Tour Directors upon arrival at the Edmonton Inn.

20-21 Season Update: After the Tour Director has confirmed your Waiver and COVID-19 Screening Questionnaire are completed, you will be permitted to load your gear, then board the bus with your mask on. The Tour Director will provide you with a Reserved Seat Sign. Half of the bus will be allowed to sit beside their cohort. The other half of the

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bus will be required to sit by themselves. Seats are chosen on a first come basis and the Reserved Sign can be placed on your desired available seats. The seats you choose will be your seats for the entire trip. Guests are encouraged to avoid boarding and un-boarding the bus multiple times to keep the bus aisle empty. Please load your gear in the bins prior to boarding the bus and choosing a seat.

- 1:55 pm** Boarding ends. Please make sure you have signed in, loaded your gear and are seated, ready to roll.
- 2:00 pm** The MagicBus departs from the Edmonton Inn for Kimberley. Relax after your long week and enjoy the ride. Socialize with your cohort(s), watch movies, work or just do what you need to do.

Note: MagicBus is a non-smoking, non-drinking service.

[20-21 Season Update](#): Bathrooms are available on the bus when necessary and can be used at your own risk. There will be a self-sanitization spray and hand sanitizer available in the bathroom.

- 5:30 pm** Quick break in Calgary for supper across from Calgary Olympic Park (not included, 8435 Bowfort Road).

[20-21 Season Update](#): Guests are permitted to have their masks off for a maximum of 30 minutes while in their seat after the meal stop. If guests are finished eating earlier than 30 minutes, we ask that masks are put back on earlier.

- 5:50 pm** We're on the road again.

- 10:15 pm** Approx. arrival at the Trickle Creek Lodge located on-hill at Kimberley Ski Resort. Please remain on board, your Tour Director will get your room key and lift tickets from the front desk. This will help you avoid all the line-ups by delivering your lift tickets to you at this time. You will be given your lift tickets for both ski days. Please be aware that lost or stolen lift tickets cannot be replaced without the stubs. Please remove your ticket stubs and store in a safe place. If for any reason you will not be using a lift ticket, please return it to the MagicBus Tour Director before noon each day. There is no guarantee of a refund. Leave your ski and board bag under the bus but take off your overnight bag and boots to your room! Please make sure you bring ALL your belongings with you. There will be no access to the bus until Sunday.

[20-21 Season Update](#): Everyone will depart the bus from front to back once the Tour Directors have obtained everyone's room key and lift tickets. Please wait on the bus until the Tour Director advises you to get off. Once off the bus, please maintain physical distancing from other guests and wear your mask as you grab your gear.

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[20-21 Season Update](#): The motorcoach will be sanitized by the Golden Arrow bus driver before departure on Sunday.

Please note: MagicBus Tours reserves the right to pass along any charges levied by suppliers with respect to hotel damages or unpaid incidental charges. To be enjoyable for all guests, please keep in mind that the hotel has a strict 11:00pm quiet hour.

DAY 2: SATURDAY

Wake up refreshed and get out skiing/boarding on your own time!

9:00am to 4:00pm – Lifts are open

[20-21 Season Update](#): For the most up-to-date details on what to expect at Kimberley Ski Resort for COVID safety protocols, please refer to their website:
<https://skikimberley.com/covid-19/>

DAY 3: SUNDAY

Wake up refreshed once again!

9:00am to 4:00pm – Lifts are open

10:00 am Hotel check out time - pay any outstanding fees and return room keys. There will be a location for everyone to store their belongings for the day.

3:30 pm Obtain all your belongings and MagicBus is available for boarding. Do you have all of your belongings? Remember to load any gear in the bins below before you board the bus.

[20-21 Season Update](#): Please remember to use the same seat that you had on the first day of the trip! Guests are encouraged to stay in their seats once they have boarded the bus to keep the bus aisles clear.

[20-21 Season Update](#): The MagicBus Tour Director will have placed a water bottle on your seat prior to your return to the bus. They will be masked and sanitize their hands prior to placing the water on your seat.

4:00 pm Depart Kimberley Ski Resort for Edmonton.

7:30 pm Quick break in Canmore on Mountain Ave for supper.

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7:50 pm Depart Canmore, relax and enjoy the movies.

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12:00 am (midnight) Approx. arrival in Edmonton at the Edmonton Inn 11834 Kingsway Ave NW. Please unload the bus from front to back wearing your masks and allow for physical distancing.

Thanks for your cooperation with our new safety protocols and riding the MagicBus Weekender to Kimberley. We hope you enjoyed your weekend and we look forward to seeing you again soon.

Tickle Creek Lodge Amenities:

- Spacious guest rooms with modern amenities and fully equipped kitchens including ice maker, coffee/tea making facilities, gas fireplace and free wifi. Studio rooms have 1 king bed and pull out sofa bed, 1 bedrooms suites have 1 king bed in bedroom and pull out sofa bed in living area, coffee/tea making facilities, flat screen TV and free Wi-Fi.
- Year-round heated pool and two hot tubs
- Locker room
- Buckhorn & Main Mountain Eatery, The Stemwinder Bar & Grill and Slopeside Coffee & Deli located at the resort

Need a tune-up or just looking for a great deal?

Show your MagicBus booking receipt at **Mud, Sweat and Gears** and receive:

20% off Tune up packages
25% off Regular Prices on Travel Bags

2 locations to serve you:

Sherwood Park – 133 Main Blvd, Sherwood Park, AB
Spruce Grove – 124 1st Ave East, Spruce Grove, AB

Bring your MagicBus booking receipt to **Sundance Ski Shop** and receive:

\$2.50 per day discount on excellent rental packages. No more waiting in line at the resort for your rentals with Sundance's new and perfectly tuned rentals!

\$5.00 discount on tune-up packages

Visit them at 4745 Gateway Blvd NW, Edmonton, AB

All efforts are made to follow this itinerary as closely as possible and details are subject to change. All itinerary times are approximate and are subject to change based on road conditions, weather traffic, etc.

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