

# Capriccio Vocal Ensemble

## American Celebration of Music in Canada

### Vancouver, British Columbia

Suggested Tour #1 (5 nights / 6 days)

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#### Day 1 Vancouver (D)

Arrive in Vancouver by scheduled airline service  
Meet your MCI Tour Manager, who will be with you for the remainder of the tour  
Board awaiting motorcoach and enjoy a guided sightseeing tour of Vancouver including Gastown, Chinatown and more  
Lunch, on own at Granville Island  
Afternoon hotel check-in  
Evening Welcome Dinner  
Return to hotel for overnight

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#### Day 2 Victoria (B,D)

Breakfast at the hotel, followed by check-out  
Board your ferry for transfer to Victoria  
Tour Butchart Gardens and enjoy a leisurely stroll around 55 acres of breathtaking gardens (two hours). Butchart Gardens is now a National Historic Site of Canada, and still privately owned by family descendants  
Lunch, on own  
*Performance as part of the American Celebration of Music in Canada\**  
Afternoon guided sightseeing tour with your guide giving a city tour of Victoria, view Craigdarroch Castle, Christ Church Cathedral, the Fairmont Empress Hotel, the Parliament Buildings and more in the Inner Harbor  
Late afternoon hotel check-in  
Evening dinner and overnight

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#### Day 3 Victoria / Nanaimo (B,D)

Breakfast at the hotel, followed by check-out  
Early departure to journey up island  
Stop in Chemainus (Town of Murals) for lunch, on own, and visit  
Late afternoon hotel check-in in Nanaimo  
Evening Indigenous Culture Experience and dinner  
Late afternoon hotel check-in  
Overnight in Nanaimo

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#### Day 4 Nanaimo / Vancouver (B)

Breakfast at the hotel, followed by check-out  
*Joint Performance with a local host choir as part of the American Celebration of Music in Canada\**  
Lunch, on own  
Ferry to Vancouver  
Check-in to the hotel in Vancouver  
Remainder of the afternoon and evening at leisure  
Dinner, on own

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Return to the hotel for overnight

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**Day 5**

**Vancouver**

**(B,D)**

Breakfast at the hotel

Begin your day at Capilano Suspension Bridge, where you can walk the world's greatest suspension foot bridge

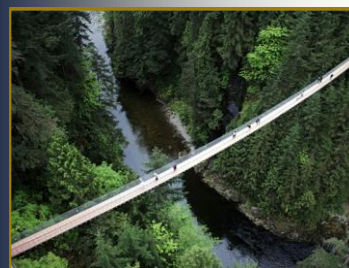
Experience both a guided park tour and nature tour. Entry here includes the suspension bridge, Treetops Adventure and new in 2011: Cliffhanger!! Cliffhanger juts out from the granite cliff face above Capilano River, taking you to previously unexplored areas of the park on a series of unobtrusive cantilevered and suspended walkways. Treetops Adventure offers a squirrel's eye view of a thriving coastal forest. You can venture from one magnificent Douglas fir tree to another on a series of elevated suspension bridges, some reaching as high as 100 feet (30m) above the forest floor

Lunch, on own

Grouse Mountain with the exciting Skyride – North America's largest aerial tramway system, 3700 feet above sea level. Entry also includes Theatre in the Sky, Grouse Mountain's high-definition cinema experience, "Born to Fly" takes you up close on a dramatic journey through the scenic beauty of BC. This stunning documentary reveals the highest peaks of BC's mountains, the sparkle of ocean whitecaps and the lushness of rainforest, all from an eagle's perspective

Time at leisure at Lonsdale Quay Market in North Vancouver

Evening dinner and overnight



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**Day 6**

**Depart for home**

**(B)**

Breakfast at the hotel and check-out

Time for last minute sightseeing or shopping

Transfer to the Vancouver airport for the return flight home

***\*Subject to confirmation***

***This is a very flexible itinerary.*** Except for confirmed appointments and performances, the places of interest and the sequence of sightseeing might be changed if necessary or desirable. In the event of an unavoidable conflict in the performance and the sightseeing schedule, the concert schedule will prevail, and it may be necessary to exclude some sightseeing activities.

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