


PURCELL MOUNTAIN LODGE
November Newsletter 2016



Winter bookings are steady and we truly appreciate having the opportunity to continue to share the Purcell backcountry with guests from all over the world. All winter tour operators celebrate El Nina! The promise of deep snow pack and a long winter season. As November commences, our Purcell family continues to grow as we welcome back past and new family in preparation for the snow season ahead.

To our Alberta and BC friends, we encourage you to make your way to Banff to enjoy nine days of inspirational films at the Banff Film Festival. The festival commences October 29 to November 6. Purcell Mountain Lodge will have representatives in the Mountain Market from November 4-6. Other backcountry lodge operators from our Backcountry Lodges of BC family will also be present including Brad Harrison, Executive Director of the Backcountry Lodges of BC Association. Our BC Lodge Association family includes operators from Talus Lodge, Icefall Lodge, Selkirk Mountain Experience and Sol Lodge. Other interesting booths to visit include Avalanche Canada and Association of Mountain Guides

Banff Film Festival
October 29 to November 6, 2016

Mountain Market
November 4-6
2016 Laszlo Funtek Room 224

Friday	7:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m.
Saturday	10:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.
Sunday	10:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.



**Please stop by the Banff Film Festival
Mountain Market and say hello and
inquire about your mountain getaway
vacation this winter!**



Banff Film Festival Mountain Market
Show Special
Nine days to save
10% off Winter Bookings
Valid October 29 to November 6

Purcell's Winter Wonderland - Fully Catered and ACMG Guided Ski Touring
December Holiday Tours & January to April Tours

The peacefulness of the backcountry will do wonderful things for your mindfulness, body and soul. Retreating to the magical mountains will elevate your spirits. Please take the time in 2017 to take care of yourself, spend some time outdoors and celebrate winter. Enjoy the fresh mountain air and glorious scenery. Our first group of guests will join us in early December for AST 1 & 2 courses. The regular season will run January to April with two fly in days on Mondays and Fridays. Call us to inquire about remaining helicopter seats and accommodations.



December Holiday Tours Availability

- Dec. 16-19 - Hello December Season Three night stay
- Dec. 19-23 - Pre Xmas Fun at Purcell Tour Four night stay
- Dec. 23-26 - Christmas in the Backcountry Tour Three night stay
- Dec. 26-30 - Pre New Year's celebration Tour Four night stay
- Dec. 30 to Jan. 2 - Annual New Year's Extravaganza Three night stay

Special rate three and four night stays \$1755 per person for a private room

December 5-9 - Avalanche Safety Training AST 2 Course

Instructor: Doug Latimer ACMG Guide, AST Provider

AST Level One December 2-5 \$1300

AST Level Two December 5-9 \$1500
(Four spots left)



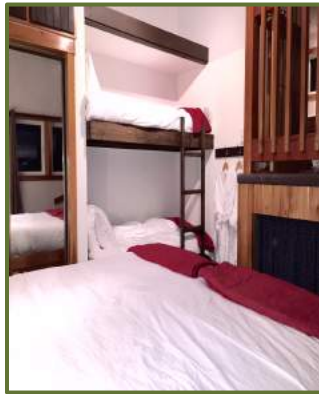
Includes all course material, helicopter transportation, private accommodations, all meals, appetizers, hosts and lodge amenities. Certificate upon completion of course.

**Winter & Summer Bookings Now Being Accepted
Self Catered & Independently Guided Private Chalet**



Groups of up to eight can enjoy comfort in the private chalet just steps away from the main lodge. Rate per person starting at \$1139 plus tax for helicopter flight and 3, 4 and 7 night accommodations. Fully operational kitchen, private bathroom and traditional wood burning sauna.

Call Jackie at 1 888 767 8989 or email jackiem@purcellmountainlodge.com for inquiries.



Room for up to four - queen bunk beds



Room for up to four – one king and two bunk beds

Start the New Year Right with Fresh Tracks in the Backcountry

Helicopter seats and private accommodations available for our annual

New Year's Extravaganza Tour

December 30 – January 2

\$1755 per person + tax



Community Matters



Purcell Mountain Lodge continues to give generously and support many wonderful causes in the community. We are proud to lend helping hands to upcoming events in November. Attend the events and have a chance to bid on an inclusive two guest three night stay redeemable for winter or summer.

Confirmed Upcoming Events

Ronald MacDonald House Gala – Calgary * Ladies Ducks Unlimited – Edmonton * Giver for Liver – Vancouver * Trout’s Unlimited Fall Splash – Calgary * Giver for Liver - Calgary * Operation Smile - Calgary* LIVERight Gala events – Ottawa, Toronto & Vancouver

Giving Thanks!

A big thank you to our community for supporting the following charitable organizations

Sait Polytechnic
Sait Trojans Athletic Foundation
Alberta Diabetes Association
ARC Conference
Emergency Medicine

Canadian Transplant Association
Breast Cancer Supportive Care Foundation
Ducks Unlimited - Brooks AB
Calgary Italian Sportswomen’s Dinner Association
Knights of Columbus 14492

Purcell Mountain Lodge is always looking to work with charitable organizations. If you know of an organization looking for Silent Auction items please contact us.

Happy American Thanksgiving to all our Purcell family across the border. We look forward to seeing you all back at Purcell Mountain Lodge soon!



It is not joy
that makes us
GRATEFUL.
it is gratitude
that makes us
JOYFUL.

