



## **WANT TO PLAY HOOKY AND GO TO THE LAKE?**

*This mid-week get-away is designed especially for the person who needs a few days away to re-calibrate. Finish creating that report – or the novel you're working on – in peace and quiet. Or, simply chill out and enjoy the leisurely pace of having your own lakeside chalet, scrumptious meals in a delightful restaurant and a canoe at the door for your own personal use.*

This creative get-away starts on the Monday evening of your choice when you arrive at Saskatoon's Diefenbaker Airport, pick up your well-appointed rental car, and check into the Hilton Garden Inn downtown. It's time to unrumple your travelling feathers and relax; you are in the heart of Saskatoon's downtown restaurant scene, so catch a great meal and maybe even take a scenic river cruise on the *Meewasin Queen*.



The next day you will take a relaxed drive up to the Land of the Loon Resort by the south east corner of Prince Albert National Park. Along the way, we suggest you stop at a couple of outstanding Canadian and Saskatchewan heritage sites: Batoche National Park (which is a

little off your route) and the Duck Lake Interpretive Centre, which is right along Highway 11 on your way to Prince Albert. These fascinating places are being especially celebrated in 2010 – this is the 125<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Riel Resistance and the Battle of Batoche, which was the last military battle fought on Canadian soil.

Your home for the next two days will be at Land of the Loon Resort, nestled in the pines of the Boreal Forest on the edge of the beautiful waterways of Anglin Lake. Your own handcrafted log accommodation awaits you with the comforts of home; you can hike, bike, or walk where the old foresters and homesteaders travelled, or paddle the same lakes and rivers as the First Nations people have for centuries.



Your hosts are known for the excellence of their kitchen at the Snail's Pace Café in the main lodge, where regional cuisine is prepared just for you from wild rice, wild berries and local fish.

Each day, as evening falls, you will almost certainly hear the ancient call of the loon, or the slap of the beaver's tail as he pokes around the shore looking for tasty green shoots and branches.

If canoeing is not your "thing", the Land of the Loon Resort also has a variety of other equipment available for rent at very reasonable rates, including kayaks, small motor-driven skiffs, and mountain bikes. Or, you might want to try your hand at sailing one of their Windriders – a great way to zip silently around the lake!

Good things and good times eventually come to an end, but the hospitality continues. On Thursday, you will be driving back south and checking in for an afternoon and evening of relaxation in Saskatoon before boarding your flight home on Friday. We call Saskatoon a fast-growing city, but you may consider it a friendly small town; either way, there is great food, a vibrant nightlife, friendly hospitality, and the Hilton Garden Inn is your home away from home!

### PACKAGE FEATURES:

- 1<sup>st</sup> night accommodation in Saskatoon
- 4 days mid-sized car rental
- 2 nights accommodation with 2 breakfasts and 2 evening meals at Land of the Loon Resort
- 1-hour Anglin Lake boat tour for 2
- 1-day rental of equipment
- Last night's accommodation in Saskatoon
- Travel maps, instructions and recommendations
- Package Price \$695.00

*Above rate is available between Monday and Thursday only, and is based on double occupancy. The Package Price does not include applicable taxes, car rental insurance or gratuities. Ask us about single occupancy pricing and availability, or about driving your own car.*

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