



## **Muskwa-Kechika Wilderness Retreats**

The overriding purpose of MK Adventures is to introduce as many folks as possible to the Muskwa-Kechika Management Area (M-KMA). The Muskwa-Kechika Management Area (M-KMA) encompasses a vast wilderness in BC's northern Rocky Mountains. Rich with wildlife, it is a vestige of the continental wilderness that once existed.

Situated at Mayfield Lake in the heart of the Muskwa-Kechika, the Muskwa-Kechika Wilderness Retreats provide guests with a rare opportunity to experience deep wilderness in safety and comfort.

These camps are ideal for organizations, film crews, First Nations, family gatherings, and special interest groups such as artists, naturalists, or mycologists (the Gataga sports amazing mushrooms in August).

While for most of the summer there is little darkness, later in August you will have an opportunity to see stars and northern lights in a place with zero light pollution.

### **Package I (guests bring their own food and do their own cooking):**

**Capacity:** to a maximum of 16 people

**Cost:** \$495 a day plus \$95/person a day

**Food Recommendation:** freeze-dried meals by *Maskwa Backcountry Food* are excellent, easy to prepare, and have very little weight. Visit <https://www.maskwagourmet.ca/> for more information.

### **Package II (MK Adventures supplies food and cook):**

**Capacity:** to a maximum of 16 people

**Cost:** \$995 per day plus \$95/person a day

**Accommodations at Mayfield Lake:**

- Cache – one twin bed
- Teepee – three single beds
- 4 wall tents (1 double bed per wall tent)
- Tent sites (unlimited)
- Fire Shelter (sleeping space with roof)

**Amenities:**

- Staff to assist with use of camp
- Pavilion with fully equipped kitchen and cooking fire, picnic table, camp stoves
- Teepee
- Firepit
- Filtered gravity-fed water system
- Sauna
- Swimming Dock

**Activities:**

- Photography
- Nature appreciation
- Hiking
- Swimming
- Fishing
- Canoeing
- Presentations on the Muskwa-Kechika wilderness area
- Star gazing, later in August

## **General Information**

### **Travel to Muncho Lake**

Travel costs to reach Muncho Lake are the responsibility of the participant. Should you wish to fly to Muncho Lake, Northern Rockies Lodge offers some air service from Vancouver and shuttle services from Fort Nelson. For rates and bookings phone 1-800-663-5269 or visit <https://www.northernrockieslodge.com/>.

### **Travel to Mayfield Lake:**

Guests must book and pay for their flight from Muncho Lake to Mayfield Lakes with Liard Air at Northern Rockies Lodge (<https://www.northernrockieslodge.com/>). Note that Liard Air's Turbo Otter has a 9-person seating capacity and can accommodate up to 2200 lbs in total (guests, gear, food, etc.).

Guests will need to arrive at Northern Rockies Lodge the night before the floatplane departs for Mayfield Lake. Participants can stay at Muncho Lake at Northern Rockies Lodge or in a tent in the provincial campsite.

### **Communication**

Muskwa-Kechika Adventures carries duplicate satellite email systems for use in emergencies.

### **Liability Insurance**

Muskwa-Kechika Adventures carries liability insurance, as required by the conditions of the Park Use Permit.

### **Staff and Tips**

Tips are optional, but if you feel you received great service at your retreat, tips are always appreciated and valued.

### **What to Bring**

For details, see our **Gear Lists** (<https://mkadventures.ca/gear-lists/>).