

KEN AND COLETTE'S NORTH TOUR 2011
revised April 9 2011 (itinerary changes shown in red)

JULY 27-AUG 2 2011 1613 total nm total time 7 days

***JULY 27 WEDNESDAY**

DEPART HOME STRIP AT BEULAH MB FOR CYFO FLIN FLON 267 nm

Possible fuel stops : Swan River, The Pas

2 nights at Bakers Narrows Lodge

***JULY 29 FRIDAY**

1200h DEPART FLIN FLON FOR CYFX (GILLAM) 260 NM

Fuel up at Gillam, alternate fuel stop Thompson

Depart Gillam for Churchill CYYQ

1600h ARRIVE AT CHURCHILL 145 nm via railway, 210 nm via York Factory and Hudson's Bay coastline

3 nights at Lazy Bear Lodge

Possible tours include dream beluga tour, snorkel with beluga tour, kayak, historaic fort, Churchill Natural Studies Science Centre, Rocket Launch site

***AUGUST 1 MONDAY**

1000h Depart Churchill for Arviat, Nunavut CYEK 145 nm north of Churchill

1130h arrive at Arviat, Nunavut. . Fuel is available.

1400h depart Arviat go to Gillam 286 nm

1700h arrive at Gillam. Overnite at Aurora Gardens Hotel in Gillam

***AUGUST 2 TUESDAY**

Early morning board charter plane, then depart for York Factory for a tour of approximately 5 hours

At York Factory there is an approx 1500ft sand strip, with water at both ends. Float planes can land there on the river.

1500h Depart Gillam for Norway House CYNE 180 nm

Brief Tour of Norway House (museum?)

2000h depart for home strip 262 nm

Longest leg between possible fuel stops **286nm**

We have reserved a room at the following locations marked with an *. All others are alternatives we got off the internet. All pilots are responsible for their own accomodations etc.

FLIN FLON

July 27, 28

****Bakers NARROWS LODGE 1-866-603-6390 *** limited space left...you had better book ASAP**

Oreland Hotel 687-3467 Royal Hotel 687-3437

CHURCHILL

July 29,30 &31 ****Lazy Bear Lodge** 1-866-687-2327**

Bear Country Inn 675-8299 Aurora Inn 1-888-840-1344

GILLAM

****Aug 1 Aurora Garden Motel 652-6554 Dougs Lodge 652-2259**

NORTHERN SURVIVAL KIT IS A MUST FOR THIS TRIP

All pilots are responsible for their own itineraries, flight plans, accommodations etc. Book your accommodations ASAP. If you decide not to go, you can always cancel your accommodations. Also, when you phone Churchill book your tours right away, tell them you are flying with the Pierce group.. We would like to keep in contact with you while we fly. Please provide us with your call sign, accommodation info, cell phone and home phone numbers.

As far as York Factory is concerned, we are trying to charter a plane from Gillam air 652-2911. The cost for a charter is \$1600 for 6 people, and they will wait 4 hours for us at York Factory while we tour. Another option is to land at the sand strip at York Factory, and camp in the enclosed campground (if your life insurance is paid up.....this IS polar bear country). We are unsure if we will attempt to land or camp there.

REGARDING FUEL

We intend to fuel up at Arivat, Some may need to fuel up at Churchill. There is no fuel at the airport, it has to be ordered in advance. We have been told that the sea plane base has fuel.. You should contact the seaplane base prior to arriving if you intend to fuel up there.

Book your accommodations and tours ASAP. These locations are remote. .We have added Nunavut on to our itinerary as we hope to gather info there for future flying trip.

Any questions please contact us at ckpierce@mymts.net

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