

Fall Itinerary

Group activities great for 50+ age groups
20-50 people
Itinerary date suggestions are best through the end of October

Day 1 – Outdoor Adventures and Touchable History

Breakfast at hotel.

After breakfast, depart for Action Rentals in Olney, Montana.

Travel time: 50 minutes, 36 miles

Overview: Enjoy a half-day guided off-road adventure into the Kootenai and Flathead National Forests with Action Rentals. Buckle in to your 2 or 4 seat RZR Polaris side-by-side, explore the mountains, spectacular scenery and immerse yourself in the full ambiance of the natural beauty. Whether you are the driver or a passenger, your explorations will take you through miles of forested roads and trails, with stops that include a waterfall and views of alpine lakes. Don't forget to pick up boxed lunches before your adventure, your dose of throttle therapy is sure to create an appetite.

What's included: guide, helmets, goggles, RZR

Recommendations: Order a boxed lunch to take with you. Suggestions include: **Bonelli's Bistro**, **Chick-fil-A** and **Firehouse Subs**.

Group capacity: 24

After lunch, return to Kalispell for a tour of the **Conrad Mansion Museum**.

Travel time: 50 minutes, 36 miles

Overview: Learn fascinating facts about this pristine 26-room mansion that was once the home of Charles E. Conrad, the founder of Kalispell, and his family. More than 90% of the furniture, clothing and more is original to the Conrad family. Choose from a docent-led personalized tour or let your group enjoy a self-guided tour through the beautiful Victorian-style home while learning about the role the Conrad family played in Montana's history. Be sure to stroll the grounds of the museum before or after your tour.

Dinner in Kalispell. Suggestions include: **SunRift Beer Company**, **The Montana Club Restaurant**, **The Alchemy Lounge** or **Sacred Waters Brewing Company**.

Return to your Kalispell hotel for a relaxing evening.





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Day 2 – Glacier National Park

Breakfast at hotel.

After breakfast, depart for Glacier National Park.

Travel time: 40 minutes, 32 miles

Fall is one of the most stunning times of year in the Crown of the Continent. Enjoy the <u>Western Alpine Tour</u> on an iconic red bus, available until September 30. Along the way, you'll cruise past giant cedars and see hemlock forests that lie within the Lake McDonald Valley as your guide shares history and stories from the alpine region. Or incorporate an educational element through a guided program with <u>Glacier Institute</u>, offered through October 30. They can create a customized program (ranging from a half-day to a full day, including lunch) to meet the needs and interests of your group. Program offerings include learning from experts on wildlife, wildflowers, geology, ecology and more.

After exploring the park, visit the **Crown of the Continent Discovery Center** in West Glacier. Depending on timing, your group can enjoy lunch at their onsite restaurants, learn more about the park and check out abundant made-in-Montana products.

Travel time: 7 minutes, 4 miles

Return to Kalispell for dinner. Travel time: 38 minutes, 30 miles

If you are interested in having a place all to yourself for a group meal, choose **The House of S&M -The Kitchen**. Owners Star and Marty (which is how the name The House of S&M came about) can customize your menu and seat up to 40 people in The Emporium, a unique space located inside their restaurant.

End the day by catching a performance from national-caliber talent at the **Wachholz College Center**, **Whitefish Theatre Company** or **Alpine Theatre Project**.

