

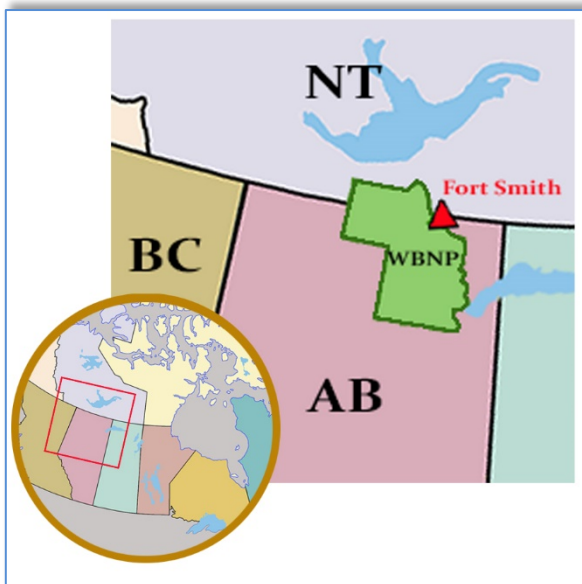
Festival Info

Getting Here / Accommodations

Where Are We?

The Town of Fort Smith is located on the NWT and Alberta border, about 725 Kms north of Edmonton. Wood Buffalo National Park straddles the border with a most of the park located in Alberta.

- Fort Smith airport: 60° 01'13 N / 111° 57'43 W



Flying Here

Fort Smith has daily scheduled flights (*except Sat.*) from **Edmonton** or **Yellowknife**. The locally owned airline, Northwestern Air Lease offers discounts to registered participants. For details on discount fares, call TAWBAS at (867) 872-0243.

- Northwestern Air Lease
www.nwal.ca or call; (867) 872-2216

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NWAL uses Jetstream 31's for its daily scheduled flights. This is a 19-passenger pressurized turbo-prop aircraft.

Driving to Fort Smith

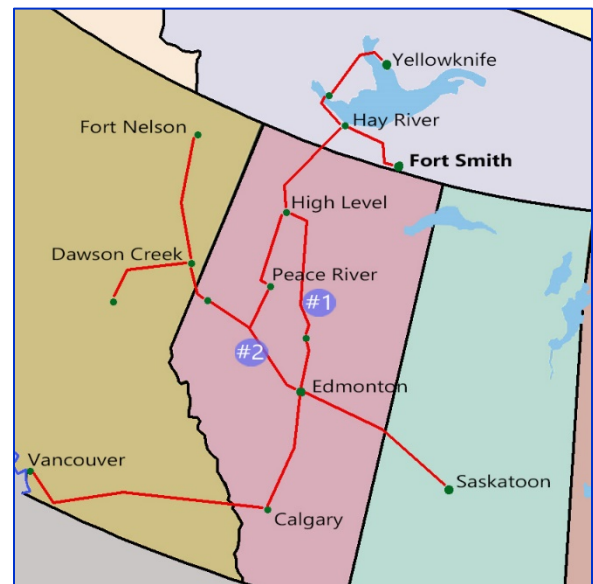
Fort Smith has highway access via northern Alberta. From Edmonton there are two options:

- Via Slave Lake / Red Earth

Edmonton - Slave Lake: AB Hwy #44 / #2 (N)
 Slave Lake - High Level: AB Hwy #88 (N) / #58 (W)
 High Level - Enterprise: AB Hwy #35 (N) / NT Hwy #1
 Enterprise - Fort Smith: NT Hwy #2 (N) / Hwy #5 (E)

- Via Valleyview / Peace River

Edmonton - Valleyview: AB Hwy #16 (W) / #43 (N)
 Valleyview - High Level: AB Hwy #49, #2 / #35 (N)
 High Level - Enterprise: AB Hwy #35 (N) / NT Hwy #1
 Enterprise - Fort Smith: NT Hwy #2 (N) / #5 (E)



F.Y.I: Distances for getting here

Driving¹ Kms to Fort Smith from:

- ♦ Edmonton: 1,351
- ♦ Toronto 4,731
- ♦ Vancouver: 2,232
- ♦ Yellowknife: 783

(1) According to Google Maps

Bus Routes

Traveling to Fort Smith by bus is a bit of a challenge but is an option for those seeking adventure. From Edmonton it will require changing carriers. There is also service from Yellowknife.

Edmonton to High Level

- ♦ Northern Express Bus Line
<http://northernexpress.ca/>
Tele: (780) 926-0808

High Level to Hay River ⁽¹⁾

- ♦ Double "A" Ventures
Tele: (867) 874-1117

Hay River to Fort Smith

- ♦ Frontier Couch Lines
<https://www.frontiercoachlinesnwtltd.ca/>
Tele: (867) 874-2566
- ♦ Double "A" Ventures
Tele: (867) 874-1117

Yellowknife to Fort Smith

- ♦ Frontier Couch Lines
<https://www.frontiercoachlinesnwtltd.ca/>
Tele: (867) 874-2566

(1) Carrier may offer service to Fort Smith from Hay River

Accommodations

Fort Smith has 2 hotels and several B & Bs options for your accommodations.

As well, the Queen Elizabeth Territorial Park is a full amenity campground that is a 5-minute drive from town center. There is also a paved walking trail from the campground to downtown (3.5 Km)

Hotels

Pelican Rapids Inn
www.pelicanrapidsinn.com
manager@pelicanrapidsinn.ca
Tele: (867) 872-2789

Wood Buffalo Inn
www.woodbuffaloinn.com
online contact form
Tele: (867) 872-3222

Bed & Breakfast / Guest Houses

Axe Handle Guest House
lorabronwe@mac.com
Tele: (867) 872-5926

Riverside Bed and Breakfast
lesliewiltzen@hotmail.com
Tele: (867) 872-8056

Whispering Pine Cottages
www.whisperingpynecottages.ca
msandralee.robichaud@gmail.com
Tele: (867) 872-2628

Whooping Crane Guest House
www.whoopingcraneguesthouse.com
christine@whoopingcraneguesthouse.com
Tele: (867) 872-3426

Wilderness Edge Guest House
wildernessgarden@hotmail.com
Tele: (867) 872-4819

Campgrounds

Queen Elizabeth Territorial Campground
<http://nwt-parks.ca/node/1771>
Tele: (867) 872-2607

Pine Lake Campground
<https://www.pc.gc.ca/en/pn-np/nt/woodbuffalo>
Tele: (867) 872-7960

For more information about traveling to the DSF, contact us at:

info@tawbas.ca or call (867) 872-0243

The information on this sheet has been provided for your convenience.

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