

KCA 2021 TRIP PLANNER

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GETTING THERE

The bad news? We aren't that easy to get to. The good news? We aren't that easy to get to! It may take a little extra elbow grease to make a trip to Kootenai Canyon country, but the reward is well worth it: this is wild trout fishing in a truly beautiful and uncrowded corner of the world. Here's how to get to Troy, Montana:

Step One: Fly

Via Commercial Air to:

Spokane Intl. Airport: GEG

Or

Glacier Intl. Airport, Kalispell: FCA

Via Private Air Charter to:

Libby Montana General Aviation Airport

Step Two: Rent a Car

From Spokane Intl. Airport: GEG

Or

From Glacier Intl. Airport, Kalispell: FCA

Or

From Libby General Aviation Airport

Step Three: Drive

From Spokane to Troy
From Glacier International Airport (Kalispell) to Troy
From Libby to Troy

LODGING OPTIONS:

If you'd prefer your lodging and/or meal packages to be booked and arranged entirely through KCA along with your fishing fun, we are pleased to offer that service for a nominal fee.

Should you prefer to book your accommodations directly, these are the venues that we endorse:

AirBnB and Private Rental Lodging:

Near Libby, MT:

Libby and Libby Dam are located on what we consider the upper Kootenai River. This area is an ideal location to stay if you want to focus on targeting trophy rainbows or just want to be close to the wider variety of eateries and stores that Libby provides.

The River House:

A conveniently located three bedroom, two bath home on the Kootenai River with full kitchen that comfortably sleeps six. Ten minutes upriver from Libby and ten minutes to Libby Dam on Highway 37.

Quartz Creek Cottage:

Ten minutes from Libby, near the Kootenai River and Quartz Creek confluence. A clean & modern cottage that sleeps 1-3 people with 2 beds. Convenient to great wading on the Kootenai below Bighorn Terrace.

Crooked Pines Rental:

Ten minutes upriver from Libby and ten minutes to Libby Dam, this studio rental is located just off of Highway 37. New construction and great views that sleeps up to 3 people with 2 beds.

Near Troy, MT:

Troy is a centrally located base from which to fish all of our venues and is located on what we consider the middle section of the Kootenai.

The Bull Lake House:

A well appointed modern log home on tranquil Bull Lake, fifteen minutes from the town of Troy, that can sleep eight comfortably.

The Nest:

Nice, secluded, modern log home that has all of the essentials. There are wading opportunities on Lake Creek and less than 10 minutes to Troy. Sleeps 2-4, 2 queen beds.

Pine Creek Studio:

Clean, modern studio in the lower Kootenai region. Wade fishing is close on the Kootenai and Yaak Rivers, literally five minutes away. Located near the Highway 2/508 junction, 15 minutes from Troy. Sleeps 1-2, 1 queen bed.

Near Moyie Springs, ID:

For those who want to spend time fishing the isolated Kootenai Canyon in Idaho, the guesthouse noted below is located right at the takeout (or put in, depending on float).

Twin Rivers Resort Guesthouse:

A spacious three bedroom two bath riverfront home right at the midpoint of the Canyon floats on the Kootenai in Northern Idaho. A perfect base from which to explore the Canyon, and convenient to Troy and middle river floats as well.

Hotels, Motels and B&Bs In Libby:

The Venture Inn in Libby:

Basic but adequate lodging in Libby proper. Clean, no frills. A convenient and economical base from which to target the upper and middle Kootenai River.

The Sandman Motel in Libby:

Similar to the Venture Inn; basic but adequate. Clean, no frills. A convenient and economical base from which to target the upper and middle Kootenai River.

In Bonner's Ferry:

Kootenai River Inn:

A modern riverside lodging option and a perfect base from which to explore the Kootenai's Idaho stretches.

Northside School B&B:

An historical school building converted into a B&B, the Northside is clean and simple with an old-world charm. Ruth's breakfast might just make you late for fishing too. A perfect base from which to explore the Kootenai's Idaho stretches.

EATERIES

In Libby:

The Shed

Libby's newest favorite spot. Great burgers, Sandwiches, Pizzas, and more.

The Black Board Bistro

Elevated American cuisine.

The Last Straw

A local favorite for breakfast, serving up traditional American fare.

Rosita's Mexican Cafe

Another local favorite with authentic flavors.

Copper Mountain Coffee

Coffee shop with a drive through.

In Troy:

The Silver Spur

Burgers, steaks, salads and more.

Kootenai Kupboard

This quaint little store has shelves lines with nuts, dried fruits, chocolates, jams, flours and more. Their deli serves up sandwiches on homemade bread, bakery items, pizzas and ice cream.

Main Street Perk

Coffee shop with breakfast items and sandwich's for lunch.

Bonner's Ferry

Kootenai Brewing Company

Private Meal Service Option:

If cooking or eating out before or after a day of fishing is not for you, we can arrange for a privately catered meal service. Inquire for a personalized quote and sample menu.

GROCERIES & LIQUOR

In Libby

Rosauers

In Troy

Stein's Market
Kootenai Kupboard
Booze 'N Bait

In Bonner's Ferry

Safeway

TACKLE/FISHING LICENSES AND CONSERVATION STAMPS

Montana Fishing License Online
Idaho Fishing License Online
Shoo Fly In Troy