

Red Cariboo Resort Ltd., P.O. Box 3451, VOL 1CO Anahim Lake BC, Canada

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# Arrival information Red Cariboo Apartments

This arrival information will give you details on the following topics:

- 1) Road Conditions
- 2) Directions
- 3) Map
- 4) Cell reception / service

### 1) ROAD CONDITIONS

#### All seasons:

Year-round, Road conditions can be checked at www.drivebc.ca or by calling 1-800-550-4997. Please keep in mind that this is a rural area, where weather conditions can be extreme and that there is no guarantee for any road to be open. It is recommended to plan any trips in advance and to let someone know where you are going, especially when travelling alone.

# Summer (June-August):

Red Cariboo Apartments are located 8km west of Anahim Lake in Elsey Road. The highway turns into a gravel road past Anahim Lake, which is usually maintained quite well and can be used by all regular cars in summer. But we recommend not using the gravel highway with cars that have low ground clearance at any time of the year.

### Spring & Fall (April-May & September-October):

Road conditions in these months depend heavily on the weather. If there has been a lot of rain, Highway 20 might have been damaged in some spots, but can usually still be safely driven on with all cars. If you do not have a car with 4WD or AWD, please call or email us before you leave Williams Lake or Bella Coola to find out about the road conditions. Carrying snow chains or using winter tires is mandatory from October 1 until April 30 on all of Highway 20.

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## Winter (November - March):

All roads are covered in snow in winter and even Highway 20 should only be used with vehicles that have 4WD or AWD. Carrying snow chains or using winter tires is mandatory from October 1 until April 30. Please drive slowly and carefully and call us before leaving Williams Lake or Bella Coola if you have any doubts about the road condition.

#### 2) DIRECTIONS

How to get to the Red Cariboo Apartments:

Red Cariboo Apartments, 3032 Elsey Rd, Anahim Lake, BC, VOL 1C0

### Coming from Williams Lake:

Take Highway 20 from Williams Lake towards Bella Coola. Anahim Lake is a 320km drive from Williams Lake. The drive takes around 3.5/4 hours in total. There are a couple of options on the way to make a stop to stretch your legs and fill up gas. One of them is Redstone, which is about halfway.

Once you get to Anahim Lake, keep following Highway 20 towards Bella Coola. The road will turn into a gravel road. The apartments are another 8km away from there. After around 7.5km, turn off into Elsey Road on the right.

You can just follow the signs to Eagles Nest Resort - Elsey Road makes a sharp turn to the right after a few hundred meters, keep following the road until you see our sign ("Red Cariboo Apartments") on the right-hand side of the road. The driveway to the apartments is opposite of that sign, you will be able to see the building from the road.

## Coming from Bella Coola:

Take highway 20 towards Williams Lake. Anahim Lake is 130km away from Bella Coola. After you drove up the Heckman Pass, it is another half an hour drive to get to the apartments. You will cross a bridge called "Natsadalia Creek" - about 1km after the bridge, turn left into Elsey Road.

From here the same directions apply as if you were coming from Williams Lake.

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### How to find Red Cariboo Apartments



You can use offline google maps for your navigation too, but please make sure, that you have downloaded the offline maps before you go.

## 4) CELL RECEPTION / SERVICE

Please note that there is no cell service between Williams Lake and Bella Coola.

The only way to make calls is with a satellite phone or a landline.

We strongly recommend using a smartphone and downloading an app to make calls via WIFI (for example Skype, Fongo, WhatsApp, etc.).

It is also possible to download maps for offline use on most common map applications on smartphones. The GPS on smartphones usually still works even if there is no cell service.

Please do not hesitate to contact us if you have any questions or concerns, we are happy to help. We look forward to welcoming you to the Resort soon! Have a safe drive and take care!

Team Red Cariboo

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