

# Gallatin River Lodge and Yellowstone Fly Fishing Trip

## September 20 - 27, 2009



Spend a week fly fishing for large rainbow and brown trout on famous Montana Rivers – the Yellowstone, Madison, and Gallatin – near Bozeman, MT, and in Yellowstone Park – the Lamar, Firehole, and Gibbon.

Three days will be spent at the luxurious Gallatin River Lodge including 2 days of guided float fishing and one day of unguided wade fishing. All meals are included.

Three additional days will be spent at accommodations in Gardiner near the north entrance to the park or in the park itself for unguided wade fishing in the park rivers.

Bozeman is easily accessible from Houston on United Airlines into either Bozeman or Billings, and travel while in Yellowstone would be by rented SUV.

The Gallatin River Lodge can accommodate up to 12 anglers (double occupancy). A 50% deposit is required to reserve the rooms at the time of making reservations.

Details of the costs and key internet links are given below.

Dates and Itinerary:	September 20 through 27 (Sunday to Sunday), 2009 <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>September 20: Sunday - arrive at the Gallatin River Lodge in Bozeman</li><li>September 21 – 23: Monday through Wednesday - two days of guided float fishing on the Madison or Yellowstone Rivers and one day of unguided wade-fishing on the Gallatin River (on premises)</li><li>September 24 – 26: Thursday through Saturday - relocate to Gardiner or Mammoth Hot Springs, wade-fish rivers in Yellowstone – Firehole, Gibbon, Lamar, Yellowstone</li><li>September 27: Sunday - return to Houston.</li></ul>
Location:	Near Bozeman, Montana, and near or in Yellowstone Park
Lodging:	\$1485 per person for 4 nights, 3 days at the Gallatin River Lodge double occupancy, including all meals, taxes, and Bozeman airport transfer. A single room is \$2025.  About \$160 per night per room at the Yellowstone Basin Lodge in Gardiner near the north entrance to the park and \$115 in the park at the Mammoth Hot Springs Hotel (2 star). Meals are not included.
Guide:	Guides are \$450 per day for two persons / one boat at the Gallatin River Lodge. No guides are planned in Yellowstone Park.
Airfare:	Currently available airfares for September 20 <sup>th</sup> returning on the 27 <sup>th</sup> are: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>\$435 - Houston to Bozeman via Denver</li><li>\$341 - Houston to Billings (about 100 miles from Bozeman)</li></ul>
Rental Car:	One week rental car (small SUV) from National or Avis <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>\$499 - in Bozeman (tends to be more expensive than Billings) or \$215 for 3 days (car not required while at GRL)</li><li>\$474 – in Billings (can expect lower rates will be available)</li></ul>
Additional:	Montana Fishing License is \$43.50 for 10 days (\$60 for the year) and \$10 for a conservation license. There is an additional \$20 charge for a seven-day park fishing permit and a \$25 weekly pass per vehicle.
Links:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Gallatin River Lodge – <a href="http://www.grlodge.com/?gclid=CPC5y5XZt5kCFSbxDAodWgnP4w">http://www.grlodge.com/?gclid=CPC5y5XZt5kCFSbxDAodWgnP4w</a></li><li>Yellowstone Basin Inn - <a href="http://www.yellowstonebasininn.com/">http://www.yellowstonebasininn.com/</a></li><li>Mammoth Hot Springs Hotel - <a href="http://www.travelyellowstone.com/mammoth-hot-springs-hotel-130.html">http://www.travelyellowstone.com/mammoth-hot-springs-hotel-130.html</a></li><li>Parks Fly Shop, Gardiner (for Yellowstone Park fishing information) - <a href="http://www.parksflyshop.com/?gclid=CICFg-Th5kCFQgNDQod2T-7Jw">http://www.parksflyshop.com/?gclid=CICFg-Th5kCFQgNDQod2T-7Jw</a></li></ul>

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Estimated Cost per Person, Double Occupancy with Individual Airfare and Shared Guide and SUV

- Lodging and Meals at GRL \$1485
- 2-Days Guide \$ 450
- Airfare to Billings \$ 341
- Shared SUV \$ 235
- Lodging in /near Yellowstone \$ 225
- License and Park Fees \$ 115

Total \$2861  
plus taxes, tips, fuel, meals while in / near Yellowstone



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Gallatin River Lodge terms and conditions:

- A 50% deposit per person is required to confirm the reservation.
- The deposit is refundable, if the reservation is cancelled prior to 60 days of the arrival date.
- If the reservation is cancelled less than 60 days prior to a multi-day trip, one half of the deposit is applied to a trip for one year following the season of cancellation.

