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WHEN IS THE BEST TIME TO VIEW THE AURORA?

FALL AURORA Middle of August - End of September

That's right. You may not know, but the Northwest Territories has two peak seasons to view the Aurora. While most people imagine having to view the northern lights while standing on a frozen lake during crisp-cold nights, thanks to Mother Nature, we have the chance to view them without bundling up in snow pants and parkas.

By early August, darkness is creeping back across the north. By September, the dark is back in full force, creating prime Aurora-viewing conditions for 12 hours per night or more. Spend your days paddling a wild northern river that few have travelled, catch your own record-breaking fish, or take a hike through our pristine landscapes. At night, watch as the sky comes alive with the best Aurora display in the world.

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