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Glacier Skywalk Wins Triple Top Project Awards

Iconic new Canadian Rockies attraction honoured with three Alberta Construction Magazine Top Project Awards

BANFF - Brewster Travel Canada’s newly completed Glacier Skywalk stole the show with triple awards at the 12th annual Alberta Construction Magazine Top Projects Awards ceremony. The leading construction trade journal recognizes innovative Albertan projects and celebrates project excellence with its annual accolades. In the Commercial category at this year’s gala, the Glacier Skywalk was the judges’ pick for both the Under $50 Million Award and the Top Design Award. In addition, the Glacier Skywalk received the first ever People’s Choice Award, chosen entirely by voters.

The Glacier Skywalk is a new Canadian Rockies attraction that offers visitors a unique way to connect with the surrounding environment, through a 400 metre interactive walkway and a thrilling glass-floored observation platform 280 metres above the breathtaking Sunwapta Valley. The project, which was previously recognized on an international scale with a World Architecture Festival award, was conceived by Brewster, designed by Canadian firms Sturgess Architecture and RJC Engineering and constructed by PCL Construction Management. After several years of environmental consultation, design and construction, the Glacier Skywalk was substantially completed in October 2013 and will open to the world on May 1, 2014.

Alberta Construction Magazine highlighted the Glacier Skywalk’s remarkable cantilevered structure and specially selected materials, used to integrate the attraction with the natural environment visually and limit effects on the surrounding ecosystems. “We are very proud that the Glacier Skywalk has been recognized for its unique design and commitment to environmental sustainability” said Michael Hannan, President, Brewster Travel Canada. “We are delighted to accept these awards on behalf of all the partners, Canadian and international, who played a part in this incredible project.”

David McKenna, Vice President Hotels & Attractions, accepted the award on behalf of Brewster and noted that the People’s Choice Award is a great indicator of the Albertan pride and excitement in this new attraction. The Top Projects Awards gala was attended by the leaders in the Alberta construction industry and featured groundbreaking new projects.

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About the Glacier Skywalk

Go beyond nature’s edge and immerse yourself in an awe-inspiring interpretive experience in one of the most unique ecosystems in the world. Explore the immense powers of glaciology from a fully-accessible, cliff-edge walkway that leads to a glass-floored observation platform 280 metres (918 ft) above the Sunwapta Valley. From
ice-capped mountain peaks to vast glacier-formed valleys, the Glacier Skywalk is your front row seat to nature’s most grand performance. For more information, please visit www.glacierskywalk.ca.

About Brewster Travel Canada

For more than a century, Brewster Travel Canada has been delivering premium Canadian travel experiences to the global market by connecting travelers to one of the world’s most spectacular natural locations. Brewster’s guiding principles are based on integrity through ethical practices, environmental stewardship, excellence in customer service and product delivery, and strength through growth and sustainable development. With expertise in travel planning, transportation, hospitality and attractions, Brewster Travel Canada has set the standard of excellence for authentic travel experiences in Canada. Brewster is part of the Viad Corp (NYSE: VVI) Travel & Recreation Group, which also includes Glacier Park, Inc. and Alaska Denali Travel. For more information about Brewster, please visit www.brewster.ca.