

# ALASKA CRUISE TOURS

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## GET THE BEST OF BOTH WORLDS

# BONDING JUST GOT BOLDER

Alaska's rugged southeastern coast represents some of nature's best work. The intricate waterways of the Inside Passage, dotted with thousands of islands, big and small. The high cliffs of Misty Fjords. The deep bays that welcome whales every summer. The towering blue ice of Hubbard Glacier. Where life is centered around the water, a cruise is the ideal choice.

But a journey into the interior reveals so much more. Mighty rivers fed by massive glaciers. Towns where moose stroll the streets. The vast taiga forests and rolling tundra of Denali National Park. And the Great One itself — Denali, the mountain standing tall over the rest of the snow-covered Alaska Range.

With a Royal Caribbean Cruisetour, you enjoy both. Combining a seven-night sailing along the southeastern coastline of Alaska with a multi-night land tour into the breathtakingly beautiful inland destinations, it's a complete Alaska adventure.

Experience the authentic interior of Alaska in supreme comfort, with luxury transportation and accommodations in the finest lodges available. And with the personal attention and expertise of a dedicated Adventure Specialist, you'll explore the wild lands of the Last Frontier your way.

If you're going the distance, discover the best of Alaska by land and sea on a Royal Caribbean Cruisetour.



Humpback whale



Denali mountain





THE ROYAL CARIBBEAN  
CRUISETOUR DIFFERENCE

# MEET YOUR PARTNER IN ADVENTURE

Adventure Specialist

## YOUR ADVENTURE SPECIALIST IS WAITING

Local connections are the difference between a good trip and a truly memorable one. And Royal Caribbean Cruisetours are guided by a local Adventure Specialist.

Outdoors enthusiast. Wildlife fan. Concierge. Teller of tall tales. Your Adventure Specialist is all this, and more.

Many Adventure Specialists are born and raised in Alaska. Others made their way north, drawn by the romance of a life under the midnight sun. These men and women are all proud to call the Frontier State home, and they are passionate about sharing its natural beauty, history and culture.

Your Adventure Specialist ensures that your travels are effortless, taking care of the small details like hotel check-in while you're out making memories. Whether you're looking to go trailblazing solo for the day, to deepen your understanding of native Alaskan peoples or to savor the state's best reindeer sausage, your specialist has you covered with thoughtful recommendations and insider knowledge that ensures you make most of every destination.

Local expertise. Personalized attention. A seamless Alaskan adventure.



Juneau Beach

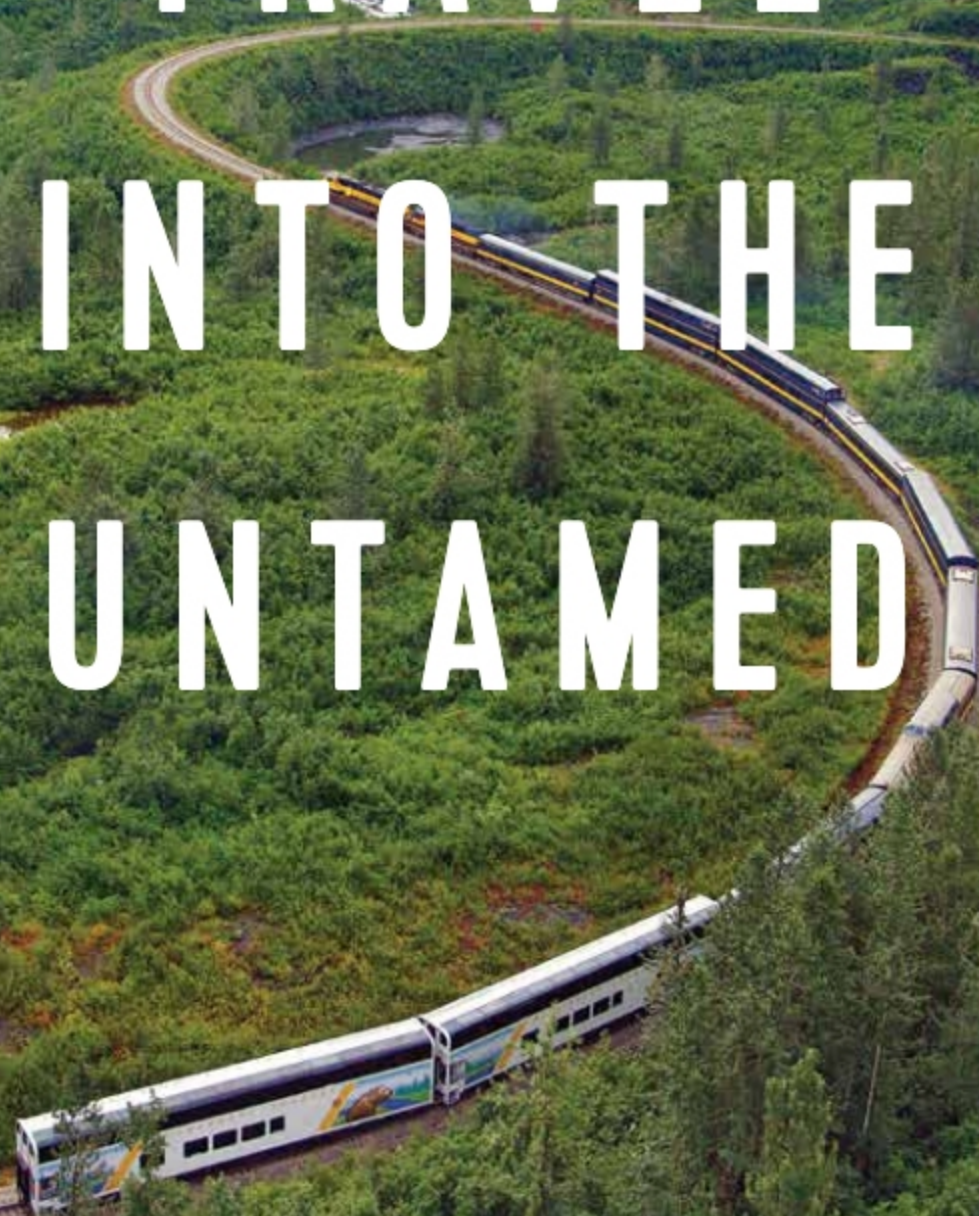


View from Talkeetna Alaskan Lodge

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# TRAVEL INTO THE UNTAMED



Alyeska Hotel

## LODGING

Alaskan summer nights may be short but they should be restful. That's why Royal Caribbean Alaska Cruisetours overnights in the best accommodations in the heart of every destination. Some locally owned, and all set in areas of great natural beauty, these lodges and hotels allow for easy access both to the great outdoors and the communities where you can get a taste of local life.

Their quintessentially Alaskan ambience and comfortable rooms are perfect for socializing or relaxing after an adventure-filled day. Like at the Talkeetna Alaskan Lodge, designed around its unrivaled views of the summit of Denali and the Alaska Range, and located just minutes from the town's historic downtown.

You're surrounded by nature at Denali Park Village, its rustic buildings tucked into a forested 20-acre site along the banks of the Nenana River. Set close to the park entrance, it's not uncommon to see wildlife strolling around.

The Alyeska Resort is Alaska at its most luxurious, with an elegant spa and upscale dining. In this lush valley, walking paths and trails connect you with the beauty of the Chugach range.

Wherever you stay with Royal Caribbean Cruisetours, the comfortable lodges represent base camp — at its finest — for your Alaskan explorations.



Wilderness Express

## WILDERNESS EXPRESS RAILCARS

A highlight of every Royal Caribbean Cruisetour is riding the deluxe railcars of the Wilderness Express®, a fantastic way to travel in Alaska. In the glass-domed upper level, sit back in comfortable leather chairs as you take in the unobstructed views of the changing landscape and the vast open skies above. In the lower-level bistro, dine on fine cuisine in a setting both relaxed and refined. You're free to move about the railcar throughout the trip and to enjoy the views — and fresh air — from the outside platform.

Spanning some 500 miles of track, the Alaska Railroad links Seward on the coast with Anchorage, then extends north to Fairbanks on a route that reveals scenery not visible from the road. Select Royal Caribbean Cruisetours feature multiple segments on the Wilderness Express.

## MOTOR COACHES

Royal Caribbean employs a fleet of deluxe motor coaches to travel the interior byways of Alaska. Each Cruisetour has an assigned coach and one designated driver, so you'll travel in supreme comfort with the same friendly service. Even when you're on the train, your driver is on the road in order to meet you at the station. With door-to-door service, including luggage delivery to your hotel room, it's a smooth ride every day of the trip.



# SET SAIL FOR SPECTACULAR

## MEET THE SHIP DESIGNED FOR SCENIC CRUISING

Royal Caribbean Alaska Cruisetours feature a 7-night sailing aboard *Radiance of the Seas*®. With the glass-enclosed central atrium, ocean-facing glass elevators and floor-to-ceiling windows in many venues and public areas, the ship brings in the majestic scenery and late evening sun as she cruises along the ruggedly beautiful southeastern Alaskan coast. From discovering quaint coastal towns to enjoying a remarkable day sailing through intricate waterways and remote bays, every day brings new adventures. Plus plenty of opportunities to play, relax and recharge onboard, too.

## LET US ENTERTAIN YOU

Every night of your Royal Caribbean cruise, enjoy complimentary entertainment onboard, including original, Broadway-caliber productions in the main theater, live musical acts, and movies under the Alaskan sky on the poolside screen.

Choose from more than a dozen bars, clubs and lounges, a cozy pub among them, where you can take in the views over a quiet drink, toast with new friends or dance the night away. And you can try your luck at the elegant, Vegas-style Casino Royale<sup>SM</sup>, where you'll find an array of table games in addition to the slots.

## EXPLORE FLAVORS FAR AND WIDE

You'll have your pick of dining options onboard *Radiance of the Seas*. The main dining room serves multi-course meals at breakfast, lunch and dinner, with a changing menu throughout the cruise, while you'll find casual options and ambiance at the Park Café, Boardwalk Doghouse and Windjammer Café — all included with your cruise. The ship's specialty restaurants are global affairs, with your choice of Izumi Japanese cuisine, Giovanni's Table for Italian, two steakhouses — the classically American Chops Grille and Brazilian-inspired Samba Grill — and Rita's Cantina for Mexican favorites.



# SPECTACULAR IS ON THE ITINERARY

## PORTS OF CALL AND SCENIC CRUISING

**Alaska Inside Passage** — A narrow waterway surrounded by 1,000-foot icy cliffs. You'll find water and wildlife mix quite nicely in this haven for kayakers, anglers and glacier-gazers.

**Hubbard Glacier** — It's one of the most active and longest tidewater glaciers in North America, with 1,350 square miles of blue ice.

**Icy Strait Point** — Nestled in an old-growth rain forest, it offers whale-watching, grizzly-gazing and seal-spotting as well as a taste of Tlingit culture.

**Juneau** — Alaska's capital sits at the base of Mt. Juneau and is surrounded by salt water, making it an ideal jumping-off point for tons of outdoor action.

**Ketchikan** — Granite cliffs, 1,000-foot waterfalls, crystalline lakes and low-hanging mists. Need we say more.

**Skagway** — With more than 20 shore excursions, including dog-sledding and a wilderness safari, it's no wonder Skagway is known as Alaska's "fun city."

## ALASKA CRUISE TOUR DESTINATIONS

**Alyeska (Girdwood)** — Take a gondola ride to the top of Mt. Alyeska or go hiking in Alaska's historic mining town.

**Anchorage** — In Alaska's largest city, you can go gallery-hopping before lunch and catch a salmon for dinner.

**Denali National Park** — Home to the U.S.'s greatest wildlife preserve and Denali Mountain.

**Katmai National Park** — Tundra, forests, lakes and mountains form the park's wild landscapes. Katmai is famous for the many brown bears drawn to the abundant salmon in Brooks Falls.

**Fairbanks** — "Alaska's Golden Heart" sits only 200 miles south of the Arctic Circle.

**Seward** — Alaska's oldest seaside town offers tons of charm and a bevy of breathtaking views.





**Talkeetna** — With a population of 800, this mountaineering town is one of the most peaceful and idyllic spots in all of Alaska.



### PORTS OF DEPARTURE ♦

Seward, Alaska  
Vancouver, British Columbia

### CRUISE TOUR LEGEND

-  Deluxe Motor Coach
-  Wilderness Express® Railcar
-  Cruise Route
-  Air Route





# A WORLD SHAPED BY ICE

Nature generally takes her time. Alaska's dramatic mountain ranges and ruggedly beautiful seascapes were carved out by glaciers over thousands of years. Today, most of these giant masses of ice are slowly receding, with one notable exception. The mighty Hubbard — the continent's biggest tidewater glacier — is growing larger by the day and moving quickly toward the Gulf of Alaska. Traveling by sea, cruisers experience the awe-inspiring sight of the towering frozen river of blue ice. It's also a unique opportunity

to witness the power of nature as Hubbard reshapes the region around Yakutat Bay.

Even by the standards of the Great Land, Hubbard is huge, covering 1,350 square miles. It stretches 76 miles from Canada's Yukon toward the sea until it meets Disenchantment Bay. There the glacier stands some 350 feet tall and about seven miles across, and is advancing at the astonishing rate of up to 30 feet per day. With that relentless movement comes constant calving.

This phenomenon is one of nature's greatest spectacles, as chunks of melting ice the size of buildings break off and crash into the frigid waters of the bay. The sound of cracking ice is so loud, the native peoples called it "White Thunder." You can appreciate this wonder of nature from almost anywhere onboard *Radiance of the Seas*. The ship is designed for scenic sailing, with numerous windows to showcase the vistas in addition to the ample outdoor decks and open-air spaces.

Plus the captain will slowly turn the ship around in the bay several times, to ensure that everyone has the chance to take in the great views. Joining the captain in the bridge is a National Park Ranger, who'll describe the action as it unfolds — and keep a trained eye out for the humpback and orca whales that often frolic in the surrounding coves.



# MAKE YOUR OWN ADVENTURES

There is so much to see, do and explore in the Great Land. With the excursion program, you'll enjoy the best of Alaska in port and the inland towns. The selection of adventures, explorations and tours is diverse, offering the experiences that you and your family will love, whether you're looking for high-flying thrills, history and culture, wildlife, outdoor challenges or a memorable meal on a glacial lake. All the excursions are designed to complement the sailing and the land tour, making your Royal Caribbean Alaska Cruisetour complete and totally unique to you. To inspire your Alaska vacation planning, here is a sampling of program options.



## DISCOVER ALASKA WHALES (JUNEAU)

The hands-on science of marine biology meets scenic sightseeing on this whale-watching expedition from Juneau. While cruising Stephens Passage, your guide leads activities that support local research groups. You might look for invasive species, collect plankton samples, identify humpback whales or observe other marine mammals like orcas, Stellar sea lions, Dahl's porpoises and harbor seals.



## GREAT ALASKAN LUMBERJACK SHOW AND AXE CHALLENGE (KETCHIKAN)

Meet some of Alaska's famed woodsmen in the port of Ketchikan. It's man against tree — and each other — as lumberjacks compete to see who can chop, saw and climb the fastest. It takes some fancy footwork to be the last one standing while rolling a log. Then see if you've got what it takes when the timber pros invite the show attendees to join in an axe-throwing contest.



## DENALI FLYER (TALKEETNA)

Fly to the remote western end of Denali National Park for the best views of the three biggest mountains of the Alaska Range and the glacier that connects them. Kahiltna Glacier, the longest glacier in the range, begins on the Great One's southwest slope, at around 10,000 feet, and extends between Mount Foraker and Mount Hunter. The aerial tour takes you over the glacier's south fork, where climbers preparing to scale Denali set up base camp at 7,000 feet.



## DOGGONEIT (DENALI)

Join an intimate group to meet the sled dogs at DogGoneIt. Meet the canines, cuddle the puppies, and see the huskies' summertime training.





# TAKE INCREDIBLE TO NEW HEIGHTS

With vast forests, rolling tundra, mighty rivers, pristine lakes and towering mountains, Alaska invites you to explore the outdoors. But the welcome of Alaskans will make your visit truly memorable. Whether in remote outposts or cities surrounded by wilderness, the people who call the Great Land home share an independent spirit, a strong sense of community and a love of Alaska's wild beauty.





## DENALI - SIX MILLION ACRES OF UNTAMED DISCOVERY

In the center of the Alaska Range, the alpine landscapes of taiga forest and vast tundra rise up to meet giant glaciers and rugged mountains covered in snow. Towering high above them all is Denali, North America's tallest peak at 20,310 feet. In the Athabaskan language, its name means "The Great One." Central to the cultural heritage of the native peoples who have lived here for thousands of years, the giant mountain is the ultimate symbol of the Alaskan wild. Here the United States established the world's first park expressly designated for the conservation of wildlife. A century later, Denali National Park remains a wild kingdom, where animals, large and small, roam free.

The park's most famous residents are the Big Five: Dall sheep, wolves, caribou, moose and the mighty grizzly bear. But they are far from alone. More than 30 other mammals, the red fox and arctic squirrel among them, also live here. And come summer, they are joined by more than 160 species of migratory birds.

For the best chances at spotting wildlife, you'll travel along the park's lone road that stretches for miles into the backcountry. Ride through the lowland forests of spruce, poplar and hardy shrubs up to the river valleys dotted with wildflowers and onwards to wide-open tundra covered in mosses, ferns, grasses and bushes of wild berries. It's a journey that showcases the beauty of Denali's distinct habitats.

Active outdoor adventures can be found in the park's front country. Dozens of walking, hiking and biking trails begin at the park entrance. River rafting, flightseeing and sled-dog summer camps are close by. And no visit is complete without spending time at the Denali Park Visitor Center. Staffed by welcoming park rangers, the center does double-duty as a natural history museum. Its acclaimed exhibits vividly tell the story of Denali, from its emergence out of the Ice Age to the subarctic environment we see today.



## ANCHORAGE - GOING BOLD IN THE BIG CITY

Set between the sparkling waters of Cook Inlet and the dramatic snow-capped Chugach Mountains, Anchorage is Alaska's biggest city. Nearly half of the state's estimated 738,000 human residents live here, along with sizeable populations of bears and moose. Few places in the world can match its appealing blend of metropolitan pursuits and outdoor living. Where else can you see office workers casting fishing lines at lunch time?

Anchorage is at its most exuberant during the summer, when locals make the most of the mild temperatures and long days to stay out late into the sunny night. Many restaurants and bars have patios and decks, so you can enjoy the evening light and lively ambiance. The big city also boasts Alaska's biggest and most diverse dining scene, from great burger joints and craft breweries to classic steakhouses and cosmopolitan cuisine.

The grid-based downtown is easy to navigate on foot, yet there's so much more to explore. Like historic Spenard, an artsy district with its own heritage and distinct personality. Or some of the 250 miles of trails within city limits, like the Tony Knowles Coastal Trail that starts in the city center and follows the waterfront.

To experience Alaska's varied culture, Anchorage has you covered, too. The Alaska Native Heritage Center is an acclaimed forum for storytellers, dancers and artisans dedicated to preserving and sharing the diverse traditions of Alaska's indigenous peoples. Bringing together art, history and science, the Anchorage Museum's planetarium showcases the wonders of the Alaskan skies. And the Alaska Museum of Science and Nature is fun for kids of all ages, with many hands-on exhibits.





## FAIRBANKS - MIDNIGHT SUN AT THE EDGE OF THE ARCTIC

Back in 1901, E.T. Barnette ran aground in the shallows of the Chena River, so he set up a trading post. A year later, the nearby discovery of gold transformed the remote settlement into a boomtown, and Barnette the first mayor. Fairbanks today remains a destination for adventure seekers, as the gateway to Alaska's northern wilds and some of its most isolated terrain.

In a valley crossed with rivers and streams, Fairbanks sits on the Chena, close to its juncture with the mighty Tanana. On clear days, the view south over the flats can extend to the Alaska Range. To the north, hills gradually rise up to meet the White Mountains. Winters mean frigid cold, long nights and the beauty of the Northern Lights. Summer brings balmy days, boundless sunshine and baseball under the

midnight sun. In the warm months, the riverfront is abuzz, thanks to promenades and outdoor dining, along with kayaks, canoes and old-fashioned sternwheelers on the water.

While home to just 32,000, Fairbanks is the big city of the interior and cultural hub for the sparsely populated region. The University of Alaska Fairbanks is a top global center for arctic and subarctic research. Its acclaimed Museum of the North showcases Alaska's geological, natural and cultural history through fascinating exhibits that include Blue Babe, the 36,000-year-old mummy of a steppe bison.

Time in Fairbanks is an opportunity to experience the region's pioneer heritage and to appreciate the surrounding natural beauty.

## SEWARD - ALASKA'S FAMED SEAPORT

From the snow-capped peaks of the Chugach, the Kenai Peninsula extends from the mainland between the Cook Inlet and Prince William Sound, down to the Gulf of Alaska. Nicknamed Alaska's playground, the peninsula is remarkably diverse, encompassing wetlands and forest, rivers and lakes, a southern mountain range and an intricate coastline carved out by glaciers over thousands of years.

Perched at the head of Resurrection Bay, the picturesque seaport of Seward is the gateway to nearby Kenai Fjords National Park. Here the Ice Age maintains a cold grip: more than half of the park's landmass is a frozen expanse, covered by snow, glaciers and the massive Harding Icefield. Where the ice has retreated, the rainforest has taken hold,

populated by land animals like brown bears, wolverines and mountain goats. And where mountains, ice and ocean meet, the rugged seascapes and frosty waters support all manner of marine life, from colonies of nesting seabirds to sea lions, seals and pods of humpback whales.

One of the oldest communities in the state, Seward has a quaint downtown where you can stroll, enjoy a meal fresh off a fisherman's boat or relax in a local watering hole. Seward is also where the land and sea portions of a Royal Caribbean Cruisetour intersect. At the crossroads of maritime and interior Alaska, where the century-old sea routes meet the Alaska Railroad and scenic Seward Highway, one set of adventures comes to an end and a new one begins.





## ALYESKA - THE PEAK OF PICTURESQUE

Girdwood is a popular getaway from Anchorage, a mere 38 miles away along one of the most scenic stretches of Seward Highway as it hugs the shores of the Turnagain Arm waterway. Visitors are drawn to the town's majestic setting in a verdant valley, surrounded by the Chugach Mountains and seven hanging glaciers.

Unique among Alaska's resort towns, Girdwood is a destination for all seasons. It is home to a small, tight-knit, and decidedly eclectic community of year-round residents. The compact center is dotted with coffee shops, casual eateries and fine restaurants where visitors and locals fuel up before and after their excursions into the Chugach Mountains and National Forest.

The Alyeska Resort is base camp at its most luxurious. Nestled into the forest at the foot of Mount Alyeska, it features such premium amenities as a full-service spa, elegant fine dining and a saltwater pool with mountain views. Right outside your room, the great outdoors is yours to explore. A number of scenic strolls, mountain-biking trails and hikes begin on the resort's grounds.

For the most daring travelers, there are glaciers to climb. But no visit to Girdwood is complete without riding the aerial tram to the summit of Mount Alyeska. In a matter of minutes, you're transported to the best spot for picture-postcard views of the high, snow-capped peaks, down to the valley below and the shimmering waters of the Turnagain Arm.



## TALKEETNA - SMALL TOWN WITH BIG CHARM

Built at the junction of three glacial rivers, Talkeetna is one of Alaska's most unique spots, an eclectic, offbeat community set amid incomparable scenic beauty. When the skies are clear and clouds lift, panoramic vistas of Denali and the other snow-covered mountains of the Alaskan Range are revealed from different points all over town.

With pioneer heritage, a quaint main street lined with vintage clapboard buildings and an independent streak, this village of just 800 people has the same qualities as many other historic Alaskan towns. Yet tiny Talkeetna has an outsized reputation as the funkier place in the state.

In the summer months, Talkeetna welcomes climbers from around the world seeking to conquer the rugged peaks.

Other visitors opt to reach the summits by plane, which delivers the best views and the opportunity to touch down on a nearby glacier.

Close to downtown, the Talkeetna, Susitna, and Chulitna rivers come together to form the Big Susitna. There you'll find rafting adventures, fishing and jet-boat rides, as well as an enormous park where you can stroll down to the water's edge and walk along gravelly sand bars.

Locals and visitors alike gather, relax and recharge in the bars, restaurants and roadhouses of the historic downtown. You may share a local microbrew with a bush pilot or with an artist whose works are on display in a local gallery. This frontier hospitality is part of Talkeetna's special charm.



# EXPLORATIONS ARE PART OF THE ADVENTURE



No two travelers are exactly alike. That's why a Royal Caribbean Cruisetour features included experiences plus ample free time for you to do as much — or as little — as you'd like. The inclusive selection is designed around tours and experiences that showcase the special qualities of every destination. Each one is thoughtfully chosen to complement your independent explorations and discoveries for a complete and memorable Alaskan vacation that is all yours.



## RIVERBOAT DISCOVERY (FAIRBANKS)

Take a journey into Fairbanks' pioneering past aboard a vintage-style sternwheeler as she gently churns along the waters of the Chena. More than a river cruise, the Riverboat Discovery includes memorable stops along the way. A guided tour of an Athabascan Indian village is your introduction to the everyday lives and enduring traditions of the people whose ancestors settled here thousands of years ago. The spirit of Iditarod champion Susan Butcher lives on at the Trailblazer Kennels, where you'll meet sled dogs in training, their handlers and some playful pups. And be enthralled at the sight of a bush plane touching down alongside the Discovery.



## GOLD DREDGE 8 (FAIRBANKS)

The discovery of gold transformed Alaska, and the Gold Dredge 8 tour brings the state's gold rush history and mining heritage to life. Over three decades, the pan-like dredge extracted gold just outside downtown Fairbanks. Years after closing, it reopened as a national historic district and is a popular attraction. You'll travel there aboard a replica narrow-gauge train whose conductor shares tales of the early prospectors. Then watch the giant dredge — itself an engineering landmark — in action before getting hands-on, panning for gold the old-fashioned way.



## DENALI NATURAL HISTORY TOUR / TUNDRA WILDERNESS TOUR (DENALI)

Only one road extends into the untamed wilds, cutting through evergreen forest, up into the higher elevations that open out onto tundra and river valleys extending up to the Alaska Range. Your sharp-eyed guide is the lookout for all the creatures, great and small, though sightings of the Big Five — moose, grizzly bears, caribou, wolves and Dall sheep — depend on luck and timing.



## KATMAI NATIONAL PARK BEAR VIEWING

Depart Anchorage aboard a plane for a journey to Katmai National Park, home to the Valley of Ten Thousand Smokes and the largest population of Alaska brown bears. This full day adventure will allow you to watch the Alaska brown bears in their natural habitat. Elevated boardwalks allow for close and unobstructed viewing of the bears along a 1.5-mile stretch of Brooks River.





#### ALASKA NATIVE HERITAGE CENTER (ANCHORAGE)

Discover the diversity of Alaska's indigenous communities — Yup'ik, Cup'ik, Iñupiaq, Athabascan, Tlingit, Alutiiq and more — at this acclaimed institution. More than a museum, the center is a forum for the storytellers, dancers and artisans who are dedicated to sharing their heritage and to preserving their languages and customs. The Welcome House is a celebration of contemporary Alaska Native cultures, while the outdoor facilities and sites on the center's 26-acre wooded campus allow you to explore ancient traditions and architectural styles that have been passed down through the generations.



#### ALASKA WILDLIFE CONSERVATION CENTER (ALYESKA)

Near the very end of the Turnagain Arm Waterway, along the scenic Seward Highway, this center provides a sanctuary for native Alaskan animals in need. Here you can get up close to the orphaned, injured or displaced animals, all under expert care in their natural habitats so that they can be reintroduced into the wild. The resident population varies by the season but can include caribou and moose calves, fawns, porcupines, birds, lynx, and brown and black bears.



#### RESURRECTION BAY WILDLIFE CRUISE (SEWARD)

The port of Seward sits at the head of the scenic bay that is surrounded by jagged cliffs and forested mountains, with views up to the surrounding glaciers. Where ocean, ice and mountains meet, a diverse variety of wildlife flourishes. Setting off from the picturesque small-boat harbor, enjoy a narrated tour as you cruise close to shore on the lookout for sea otters, sea lions and whales in the frosty waters. Stop at a small private island for an Alaskan buffet, a presentation by a park ranger and a chance to stroll along the "skipping stone" beach.



#### ALASKA SEALIFE CENTER (SEWARD)

The marine-research institution and aquarium in Seward is Alaska's only permanent rehabilitation facility for marine mammals. Dedicated to understanding and protecting the state's marine ecosystems, it allows visitors to explore the underwater world of the cold northern seas. You'll see a variety of native species: marine mammals like harbor seals, Stellar sea lions and sea otters; sea puffins, long-tailed ducks and other birds; fish like coho salmon and wolf eels; and invertebrates such as the giant Pacific octopus and red king crab. Meet the people who care for these creatures and enjoy a close encounter at a feeding. A memorable experience for animal lovers of all ages.



# RESET. RECHARGE. RELAX.

From the big city to the wilderness of Denali, Royal Caribbean has chosen the finest accommodations available in the heart of every destination featured on all Cruisetours. More than a comfortable place to spend the night, they are part of the Frontier State experience. Set amid great natural beauty, and close to both key attractions and local communities, these lodges and hotels deliver the best of Alaska right outside your door.



## HOTEL ALYESKA

Hotel Alyeska is a luxurious retreat in a spectacular alpine setting at the base of Mount Alyeska. Its amenities include a spa, fine dining and a saltwater pool with mountain views. Wooded paths and trails that begin on the property take you up the slopes of the Chugach Mountains. But for the best views of the snow-capped range, the surrounding seven glaciers and the verdant valley below, ride the aerial tram up 2,300 feet to the summit of Mount Alyeska.



## DENALI PARK VILLAGE

Close to the entrance of Denali National Park, Denali Park Village is the perfect base for exploring the greatest wilderness of the Alaskan interior. Its rustic-style buildings are nestled into 20 acres of forest along the Nenana River, where wildlife sightings are not uncommon. Hiking and interpretive paths cross the expansive site, and rafting trips begin right here, too. The main lodge has a coffee shop, saloon, casual restaurant and dinner theater, plus a terrace where you can watch and listen to the rushing river waters.



## TALKEETNA ALASKAN LODGE

Built atop a ridge, the Talkeetna Alaskan Lodge is arguably the state's hotel with the most iconic scenery. On clear days, the lobby and restaurants enjoy panoramic vistas of Denali and the Alaskan Range, their snow-covered peaks shimmering in the golden light late on summer evenings. The lodge is surrounded by walking and hiking trails. Nearby, Talkeetna's three rivers beckon with adventures that range from laid-back float trips to jet-boat thrills. The lodge offers casual and fine dining on site, and is just minutes from the village's cafes, roadhouses, bars and food trucks.



## PIKE'S WATERFRONT LODGE








Homesteader Lloyd Pike built Pike's Landing on the banks of the Chena back in 1959 and this Fairbanks institution remains a family-run enterprise. True to the Alaskan spirit, Pike's has a style all its own, with displays of original works by Alaskan artists, resident ducks and a greenhouse that supplies fresh vegetables all summer long. You can play mini golf and bocce ball here, stroll the riverfront and enjoy drinks and dinner on the lively outdoor patio. And it's easy to explore from here, with attractions like the Museum of the North and downtown less than 15 minutes away.



## ALASKA CRUISETOURS OVERVIEW

The chart below is designed to help you select the Cruisetour land-sea package that best fits your individual interests and vacation plans. Each Cruisetour entry details the total duration of the trip (including the cruise), the included experiences and cities visited\*.

**Cruisetour packages are numbered and lettered. The letter "A" indicates the land tour takes place after the cruise. The letter "B" indicates the land tour takes place before the cruise.**

CRUISETOUR NAME	PKG#	TOTAL VACATION NIGHTS	CRUISE	INCLUDED LAND EXPERIENCES	# OF RAIL LEGS	FAIRBANKS	DENALI	TALKEETNA	ANCHORAGE	ALYESKA	SEWARD	KANTISHNA
DESTINATION DENALI	11A	9	7-Night Alaska Hubbard Glacier Cruise	Denali Natural History Tour			1 night		1 night			
ALASKA WILDLIFE EXPRESS	1A/B	10	7-Night Alaska Hubbard Glacier Cruise	Alaska Wildlife Conservation Center; Denali Natural History Tour			1 night	1 night	1 night			
ALASKA INTERIOR EXPRESS	2A/B	10	7-Night Alaska Hubbard Glacier Cruise	Denali Natural History Tour; Gold Dredge 8		2 nights	1 night					
FAMILY TUNDRA EXPRESS	9A/B	10	7-Night Alaska Hubbard Glacier Cruise	Alaska SeaLife Center; Anchorage Museum & Discovery Center; Denali Natural History Tour; The "Last Great Race" Dog Kennel Experience			1 night	1 night	1 night			
MOUNTAIN VALLEY EXPLORER	3A/B	11	7-Night Alaska Hubbard Glacier Cruise	Alaska SeaLife Center; Denali Natural History Tour; Wildlife Conservation Center			1 night	1 night	1 night	1 night		
WILDERNESS FRONTIER EXPLORER	4A/B	11	7-Night Alaska Hubbard Glacier Cruise	Tundra Wilderness Tour; Riverboat Discovery Cruise		2 nights	2 nights					
MOUNTAIN PANORAMA ADVENTURE	5A/B	12	7-Night Alaska Hubbard Glacier Cruise	Alaska SeaLife Center; Denali Natural History Tour			2 nights	1 night	1 night	1 night		
FJORD & TUNDRA NATIONAL PARKS EXPLORER	6A/B	12	7-Night Alaska Hubbard Glacier Cruise	Kenai Fjords National Park Cruise; Alaska Native Heritage Center; Tundra Wilderness Tour; Riverboat Discovery Cruise		2 nights	1 night		1 night		1 night	
KATMAI BEAR TREK	12A/B	12	7-Night Alaska Hubbard Glacier Cruise	Alaska SeaLife Center; Alaska Wildlife Conservation Center; Tundra Wilderness Tour; Day Tour to Katmai National Park for Bear Viewing (flight included)			2 nights	1 night	2 nights			
GRAND MOUNTAIN MARVELS	7A/B	13	7-Night Alaska Hubbard Glacier Cruise	Resurrection Bay Wildlife Cruise with Fox Island Lunch; Anchorage Museum; Riverboat Discovery Cruise; Denali Natural History Tour		1 night	2 nights	1 night	1 night		1 night	
ALASKA WILDERNESS SPECTACULAR	8A/B	13	7-Night Alaska Hubbard Glacier Cruise	Alaska Native Heritage Center; Tundra Wilderness Tour; Riverboat Discovery Cruise; Museum of the North		2 nights	2 nights	1 night	1 night			

 Indicates package will include travel aboard the Wilderness Express®, a glass-domed, double-decker railcar that offers extraordinary views, attentive service and a locally inspired menu.

\*Itinerary descriptions are based on 2023 departures



9-Night Destination Denali | Cruisetour 11A (Northbound)

7-night Northbound Alaska and Hubbard Glacier cruise onboard *Radiance of the Seas* followed by a 2-night, post-cruise, escorted land tour to Denali and Anchorage.

11A INCLUDED EXPERIENCES

- Denali Natural History Tour
- Rail from Denali to Talkeetna



Travel directly from the ship to the pristine wilds of Denali, Alaska’s greatest landmark and an American natural treasure, on this 9-night vacation.



DAY 1-8 - CRUISE | 7-night sailing from Vancouver to Seward

DAY 8 – FRIDAY | Seward | Anchorage Denali

- After a short tour of historic Seward, travel by deluxe motor coach to Anchorage. There’s time to stroll downtown and have an early lunch before continuing deep into the interior.
- From 5:00 p.m., Denali is yours to discover. Optional excursions include a flightseeing tour over the Alaska Range or river rafting. Overnight at Denali Park Village.

DAY 9 - SATURDAY | Denali | Anchorage

- The Denali Natural History Tour takes you deep into the park looking for wildlife. Then travel to the charmingly offbeat village of Talkeetna. On your journey to Anchorage enjoy the views from the glass-domed cars of the Wilderness Express.
- From 8:30 p.m., your time in Anchorage is your own. The Big City has a lively summertime ambience, with bars, live music and an eclectic dining scene. Overnight at the Anchorage Marriott.

DAY 10 - SUNDAY | Anchorage

- Your Adventure Specialist will ensure you transfer to the airport on time.

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Juneau Paddleboarding



10-Night Alaska Wildlife Express | Cruisetour 1A (Northbound)

7-night Northbound Alaska and Hubbard Glacier Cruise onboard *Radiance of the Seas* followed by a 3-night, post-cruise escorted land tour to Talkeetna, Denali and Anchorage.



1A INCLUDED EXPERIENCES

- Alaska Wildlife Conservation Center
- Denali Natural History Tour
- Rail from Talkeetna to Anchorage

10-Night Alaska Wildlife Express | Cruisetour 1B (Southbound)

3-night, pre-cruise, escorted land tour to Anchorage, Denali and Talkeetna, followed by a 7-night Southbound Alaska and Hubbard Glacier Cruise onboard *Radiance of the Seas*.



1B INCLUDED EXPERIENCES

- Alaska Wildlife Conservation Center
- Denali Natural History Tour
- Rail from Anchorage to Talkeetna

Unspoiled wilderness, an only-in-Alaska village, a taste of the big city, plus the coast. Experience the great variety of the Great Land in just 10 nights.



DAY 1-8 - CRUISE | 7-night sailing from Vancouver to Seward

DAY 8 - FRIDAY | Seward | Anchorage Talkeetna

- Enjoy a scenic drive in your deluxe motor coach to the Alaska Wildlife Conservation Center to visit the animals under expert care. Enjoy a stroll and lunch on your own during the stop in downtown

Anchorage before traveling further into the interior.

- From 4:30 p.m., your time in Talkeetna is your own. A stroll down the historic main street reveals this funky town's singular mix of lively brew pubs, roadhouse restaurants, welcoming cafes and unique local shops. Overnight at the Talkeetna Alaskan Lodge.

DAY 9 - SATURDAY | Talkeetna | Denali

- Take in the mountain views on the drive to Denali. Experience the untamed beauty of Denali National Park on the Denali Natural History Tour, while scouting the tundra and forest for wildlife with a park ranger.
- After your tour, Denali is yours to explore. Hike the scenic trails that surround the lodge. Or book an optional excursion, like flightseeing or rafting on the Nenana River. Overnight at Denali Park Village.

DAY 10 - SUNDAY | Denali | Talkeetna Anchorage

- The morning is open for optional excursions, with a guided wilderness hike and meeting the sled-racing dogs among the possibilities. Board the glass-domed railcars of the Wilderness Express® train for your journey to Anchorage.
- From 8:30 p.m., you're free to explore Anchorage and its vibrant city life. Enjoy a romantic dinner or stroll an urban trail in the evening sunlight. Overnight at the Anchorage Marriott.

DAY 11 - MONDAY | Anchorage

- Your Adventure Specialist will ensure you transfer to the airport on time.



DAY 1 - TUESDAY | Anchorage

Arrive in Anchorage. The airport transfer brings you to the hotel where your Adventure Specialist welcomes you. You're then free to explore the city: visit a local craft brewery, relax over a delicious meal or stroll an urban trail in the evening sunlight. Overnight at the Anchorage Marriott.

DAY 2 - WEDNESDAY | Anchorage | Talkeetna | Denali

- Enjoy the views from the glass-domed railcars of the Wilderness Express on the journey from Anchorage.
- From 4:30 p.m., Denali is yours to explore. Hike the scenic trails that surround the lodge. Or book an optional excursion, like flightseeing or rafting on the Nenana River. Overnight at Denali Park Village.

DAY 3 - THURSDAY | Denali | Talkeetna

- Experience the untamed beauty of Denali on the Denali Natural History Tour, scouting the tundra and forest for wildlife with a park ranger. In the afternoon, board your deluxe motor coach for a scenic drive to Talkeetna.
- From 5:30 p.m., your time is your own in this funky village of lively brew pubs,

roadhouse restaurants, welcoming cafes, and unique shops. Overnight at the Talkeetna Alaskan Lodge.

DAY 4 - FRIDAY | Talkeetna | Anchorage | Seward

- Take in the scenery on the drive into Anchorage, where there's time to walk around downtown. Continue on to the Alaska Wildlife Conservation Center to visit the animals under care.
- Admire the mountains and forests of the Chugach National Forest en route to the coast where you'll board the ship in the historic port of Seward.

DAY 4-11 - CRUISE | 7-night sailing from Seward to Vancouver

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10-Night Alaska Interior Express | Cruisetour 2A (Northbound)

7-night Northbound Alaska and Hubbard Glacier cruise onboard *Radiance of the Seas* followed by a 3-night, post-cruise, escorted land tour to Denali and Fairbanks (2 nights).

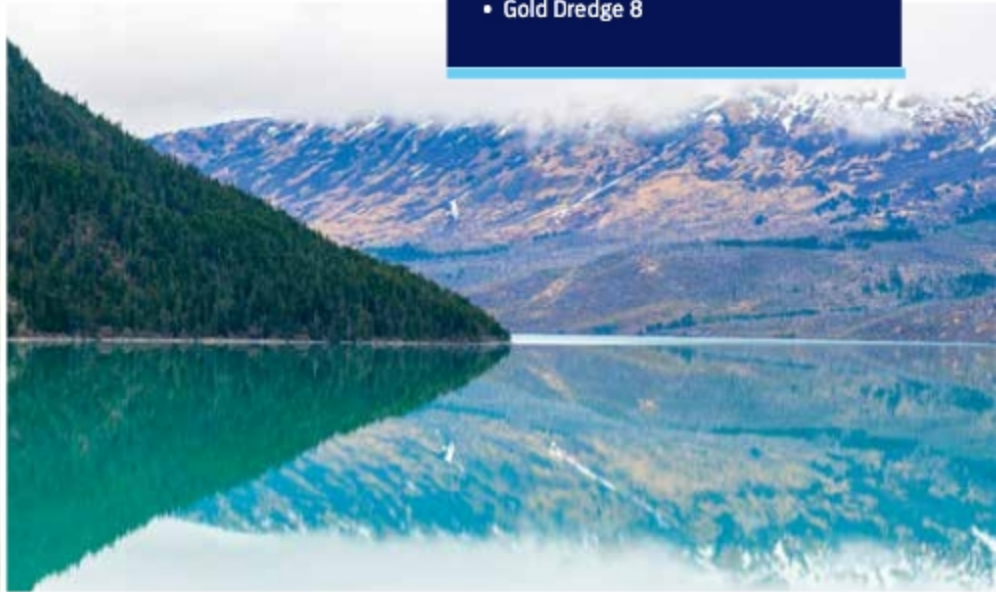


2A INCLUDED EXPERIENCES

- Denali Natural History Tour
- Rail Denali to Fairbanks
- Gold Dredge 8

10-Night Alaska Interior Express | Cruisetour 2B (Southbound)

3-night, pre-cruise, escorted land tour to Fairbanks (2 nights) and Denali, followed by a 7-night Southbound Alaska and Hubbard Glacier cruise onboard *Radiance of the Seas*.



2B INCLUDED EXPERIENCES

- Denali Natural History Tour
- Rail Fairbanks to Denali
- Gold Dredge 8

Go deeper into the rugged interior on this 10-night vacation, with time in Denali and two nights in the northern frontier town known as Alaska's Golden Heart City.



**DAY 1-8 - CRUISE | 7-night sailing from Vancouver to Seward**

**DAY 8 | FRIDAY – Seward | Anchorage | Denali**

- Ride in your deluxe motor coach to Anchorage, where you'll have free time to stroll around downtown and have an early lunch before traveling into the wilds.

- From 5:00 p.m., Denali is yours to discover. Walk the remote trails of the lodge's expansive grounds or book an optional excursion, like a river float. Overnight at Denali Park Village.

**DAY 9 | SATURDAY – Denali | Fairbanks**

- The day begins with going deep into Denali National Park to scout the forest and tundra for wildlife on the Denali Natural History Tour. Then see more of Alaska's spectacular landscapes from the glass-domed cars of the Wilderness Express on the train ride to Fairbanks.
- From 8:30 p.m., the Golden Heart City is yours to explore. In the summertime, locals are out and about until late, making the most of life under the midnight sun. Overnight at Pike's Waterfront Lodge.

**DAY 10 | SUNDAY – Fairbanks**

- Discover local heritage on a city highlights tour, then explore gold-rush history while panning for gold at the landmark Gold Dredge 8 mining operation.
- From 3:00 p.m., your time is your own. Consult your Adventure Specialist for personalized recommendations, such as flying in a bush plane into the Arctic Circle, or visiting the Museum of the North. Overnight at Pike's Waterfront Lodge.

**DAY 11 | MONDAY – Fairbanks**

Your Adventure Specialist will ensure you transfer to the airport on time.



**DAY 1 - TUESDAY | Fairbanks**

- From the airport, your transfer brings you to your hotel to meet your Adventure Specialist. Fairbanks is then yours to explore. Locals are out and about until late in the summertime, creating a lively atmosphere under the evening sun. Overnight at Pike's Waterfront Lodge.

**DAY 2 - WEDNESDAY | Fairbanks**

- Discover local heritage and gold-rush history while panning for gold at the landmark Gold Dredge 8 mining operation and on the city highlights tour.
- From 3:00 p.m., your time is your own. Consult your Adventure Specialist for personalized recommendations, such as flying in a bush plane into the Arctic Circle, or visiting the Museum of the North. Overnight at Pike's Waterfront Lodge.

**DAY 3 - THURSDAY | Fairbanks | Denali**

- Your deluxe motor coach transports you to the train station where you'll board the glass-domed cars of the Wilderness Express for the scenic rail journey to Denali. In the afternoon, you'll go deep into the park to scout the forest and tundra for wildlife on the Denali Natural History Tour.

- After your tour, Denali is yours to discover. Walk the trails of your lodge's 20-acre property. Overnight at Denali Park Village.

**DAY 4 - FRIDAY | Denali | Anchorage | Seward**

- See more of Alaska's spectacular landscapes on the motor coach ride to Anchorage, where a midday stop in downtown is free time for lunch and some exploring.
- Admire the sparkling waters of the glacier-carved Turnagain Arm and the forest-covered mountains of the Chugach on the road to Seward, where you'll board the ship.

**DAY 4-11 – CRUISE | 7-night sailing from Seward to Vancouver**

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### 10-Night Family Tundra Express | Cruisetour 9A (Northbound)

7-night Northbound Alaska and Hubbard Glacier cruise onboard *Radiance of the Seas* followed by a 3-night, post-cruise, escorted land tour to Talkeetna, Denali and Anchorage.



#### 9A INCLUDED EXPERIENCES

- Alaska SeaLife Center
- Anchorage Museum & Discovery Center
- Denali Natural History Tour
- The "Last Great Race" Dog Kennel Experience
- Rail from Talkeetna to Denali

### 10-Night Family Tundra Express | Cruisetour 9B (Southbound)

3-night, pre-cruise, escorted land tour to Anchorage, Denali and Talkeetna, followed by a 7-Night Southbound Alaska and Hubbard Glacier cruise onboard *Radiance of the Seas*.



#### 9B INCLUDED EXPERIENCES

- Alaska SeaLife Center
- Anchorage Museum & Discovery Center
- Denali Natural History Tour
- The "Last Great Race" Dog Kennel Experience
- Rail from Denali to Talkeetna

Adventures, discoveries and fun for all ages make for a memorable family-sized vacation in Alaska's can't-miss destinations.



#### DAY 1-8 - CRUISE | 7-night sailing from Vancouver to Seward

##### DAY 8 - FRIDAY | Seward | Anchorage | Talkeetna

- Ride the deluxe motor coach to the Alaska SeaLife Center, home to an aquarium and rescued animals. Continue north to visit the Anchorage Museum's kid-friendly Imaginarium Discovery Center before the drive into the interior.
- From 5:30 p.m., the village of Talkeetna is yours to discover. Close to the lodge, the historic downtown has a unique collection of cafes, roadhouse eateries, shops and galleries. Overnight at the Talkeetna Alaskan Lodge.

##### DAY 9 - SATURDAY | Talkeetna | Denali

- The morning is open for optional excursions, like a guided wilderness hike. Later in the morning board the glass-domed rail cars of the Wilderness Express for your journey to Denali. In the evening, enjoy a s'mores party with your fellow adventurers at your lodge.

- On arrival, your time in Denali is your own. Stroll the scenic trails around the lodge or book a memorable optional excursion. Overnight at Denali Park Village.

##### DAY 10 - SUNDAY | Denali | Anchorage

- Enjoy the morning in Denali National Park on the Denali Natural History Tour, traveling into the park's unspoiled wilderness on the lookout for moose, caribou, bears and other wildlife. Afterwards, relax on your deluxe motor coach on the drive to Anchorage. Along the way, you'll stop at a local dog kennel to learn about "The Last Great Race" and meet the dog team.
- From 5:00 p.m., Anchorage is yours to explore. The big city has a fun, eclectic dining scene with a lively summer ambience. The Tony Knowles Coastal Trail is perfect for a pre- or post-dinner stroll along the waterfront. Overnight at the Anchorage Marriott.

##### DAY 11 - MONDAY | Anchorage

Your Adventure Specialist will ensure you transfer to the airport on time.



#### DAY 1 - TUESDAY | Anchorage

Arrive in Anchorage where an airport transfer brings you to the hotel where your Adventure Specialist welcomes you. You're then free to explore. The big city has a fun, eclectic dining scene with a lively summer ambience. The Tony Knowles Coastal Trail is perfect for strolling along the waterfront under the evening sun. Overnight at the Anchorage Marriott.

#### DAY 2 - WEDNESDAY | Anchorage | Denali

- Ride in comfort aboard your deluxe motor coach from the city into the wilderness, en-route you'll stop at a local dog kennel to learn about "The Last Great Race" and meet the dog team, in the evening enjoy a s'mores party with your fellow adventurers.
- From 4:30 p.m., Denali is yours to explore. Walk the scenic trails that surround the lodge or ask your Adventure Specialist to book an optional excursion that suits your family's style. Overnight at Denali Park Village.

#### DAY 3 - THURSDAY | Denali | Talkeetna

- Explore Denali National Park on the Denali Natural History Tour, traveling into the park's unspoiled wilderness on the lookout for the moose, caribou, bears and other wildlife. Then it's all aboard the glass-domed cars of the Wilderness Express for the scenic ride to Talkeetna.
- From 5:00 p.m., enjoy a free evening in Talkeetna. Wander the trails around the lodge, or head down to the park where three wild rivers meet. Overnight at the Talkeetna Alaskan Lodge.

#### DAY 4 - FRIDAY | Talkeetna | Anchorage | Seward

- Relax on your deluxe motor coach on the drive to the Anchorage Museum and its kid-friendly Imaginarium Discovery Center. Then continue on to the coast for a guided visit of the Alaska SeaLife Center, home to an aquarium and rescued animals.
- Say goodbye to your Adventure Specialist at the cruise ship terminal.

#### DAY 4-11 - CRUISE | 7-night sailing from Seward to Vancouver

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**11-Night Mountain Valley Explorer | Cruisetour 3A (Northbound)**

7-night Northbound Alaska and Hubbard Glacier cruise onboard *Radiance of the Seas* followed by a 4-night, post-cruise, escorted land tour to Alyeska (Girdwood), Talkeetna, Denali and Anchorage.

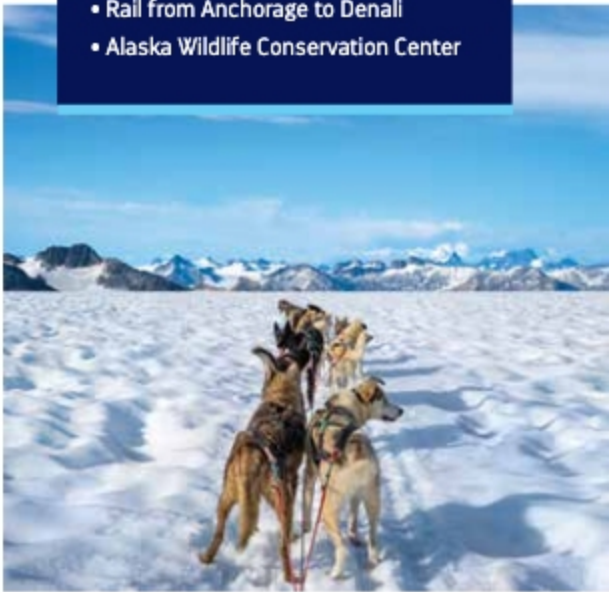


**3A INCLUDED EXPERIENCES**

- Alaska SeaLife Center
- Denali Natural History Tour
- Rail from Denali to Anchorage
- Alaska Wildlife Conservation Center

**11-Night Mountain Valley Explorer | Cruisetour 3B (Southbound)**

4-night, pre-cruise, escorted land tour to Anchorage, Denali, Talkeetna and Alyeska (Girdwood), followed by a 7-night Southbound Alaska and Hubbard Glacier cruise onboard *Radiance of the Seas*.



**3B INCLUDED EXPERIENCES**

- Alaska SeaLife Center
- Denali Natural History Tour
- Rail from Anchorage to Denali
- Alaska Wildlife Conservation Center

Be captivated by the expressions of Alaska's frontier spirit in four distinct destinations on the land portion of this 11-night vacation.



**DAY 1-8 - CRUISE | 7-night sailing from Vancouver to Seward**

**DAY 8 - FRIDAY | Seward | Alyeska (Girdwood)**

• There's a short tour of historic Seward before visiting the Alaska SeaLife Center, dedicated to preserving the state's rich marine life. Relax aboard your deluxe motor coach on the drive to the Alaska Wildlife Conservation Center, which cares for native, orphaned animals. Admire the waters of the Turnagain Arm as you enter the Chugach Valley on your way to Hotel Alyeska.

• From 4:30 p.m., Girdwood is yours to explore. Relax and enjoy the hotel's amenities, like the heated pool with mountain views, or book an optional guided hike on one of the surrounding glaciers. Overnight at Hotel Alyeska.

**DAY 9 - SATURDAY | Alyeska (Girdwood) | Talkeetna**

• Travel the coastal road along the Turnagain Arm and Cook Inlet into Anchorage, where you can get a taste of the big city and have lunch. Then sit back and relax on the journey into the wilds of Alaska.

• From 4:00 p.m., Talkeetna is yours to enjoy. Relax at the Talkeetna Alaskan Lodge, whose location offers breathtaking views of Denali and the Alaska Range and is close to the downtown. You can also hike nearby trails or book an optional flightseeing tour to see the mountains and glaciers from on high. Overnight at the Talkeetna Alaskan Lodge.

**DAY 10 - SUNDAY | Talkeetna | Denali**

• It's an early drive to Denali National

Park, where your adventure begins with the Denali Natural History Tour, traveling into the park's unspoiled wilderness on the lookout for the moose, caribou, bears and other wildlife.

• After your tour, Denali is yours to explore. Stroll the trails that begin at the park's museum-like visitor center. Overnight at Denali Park Village.

**DAY 11 - MONDAY | Denali | Anchorage**

• There is time to enjoy the scenery around the lodge — walking the trails, or relaxing with a view of the river — before boarding the glass-domed cars of Wilderness Express train for the train ride to Anchorage.

• From 8:30 p.m., Anchorage is yours to discover. Check out the eclectic dining scene, try a local craft beer or stroll the waterfront in the late evening sun. Overnight at the Anchorage Marriott.

**DAY 12 - TUESDAY | Anchorage**

Your Adventure Specialist will ensure you transfer to the airport on time.



**DAY 1 - MONDAY | Anchorage**

• Arrive in Anchorage where an airport transfer brings you to the hotel to meet your Adventure Specialist. Then you're free to delve into the city's unique culture: check out the eclectic dining scene, try a local craft beer, or stroll the waterfront in the evening sun. Overnight at the Anchorage Marriott.

**DAY 2 - TUESDAY | Anchorage | Denali**

• Board the glass-domed cars of the Wilderness Express® for the scenic rail journey to Denali.

• From 4:30 p.m., Denali is yours to

explore. Stroll the trails that begin at the park's museum-like visitor center, or book an optional adventure, like rafting down the Nenana River. Overnight at Denali Park Village.

**DAY 3 - WEDNESDAY | Denali | Talkeetna**

• Travel into the park's unspoiled wilderness on the lookout for wildlife on the Denali Natural History Tour. Then relax on your deluxe motor coach during the drive to Talkeetna.

• From 5:30 p.m., the historic small town is yours to enjoy. Relax at the Talkeetna Alaskan Lodge, whose location offers breathtaking views of Denali and the Alaska Range. You can also hike nearby trails or book an optional flightseeing tour to see mountains and glaciers from on high. Overnight at the Talkeetna Alaskan Lodge.

**DAY 4 - THURSDAY | Talkeetna | Anchorage | Alyeska (Girdwood)**

• There's time to enjoy more of Talkeetna's stunning scenery before the coach departs for Anchorage. Get a taste of the

big city during a midday stop in downtown before continuing on to Alyeska. Admire the waters of the Turnagain Arm as you enter the Chugach Valley on your way to Hotel Alyeska.

• From 3:30 p.m., your time is your own. Indulge in the resort's amenities, or book an optional guided hike on a nearby glacier. Overnight at Hotel Alyeska.

**DAY 5 - FRIDAY | Alyeska (Girdwood) | Seward**

• Discover the wonders of Alaskan wildlife at two acclaimed institutions. It's a short drive from Alyeska to the Alaska Wildlife Conservation Center, which cares for native, orphaned land animals. Then continue to the coast to the historic port town of Seward and the Alaska SeaLife Center, dedicated to preserving the state's rich marine life.

• Your Adventure Specialist wishes you a bon voyage at the pier where you'll board your ship.

**DAY 5-12 - CRUISE | 7-night sailing from Seward to Vancouver**

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11-Night Wilderness Frontier Explorer | Cruisetour 4A (Northbound)

7-night Northbound Alaska and Hubbard Glacier cruise onboard *Radiance of the Seas* followed by a 4-night, post-cruise, escorted land tour to Denali (2 nights) and Fairbanks (2 nights).

4A INCLUDED EXPERIENCES

- Tundra Wilderness Tour
- Riverboat Discovery Cruise
- Rail from Denali to Fairbanks

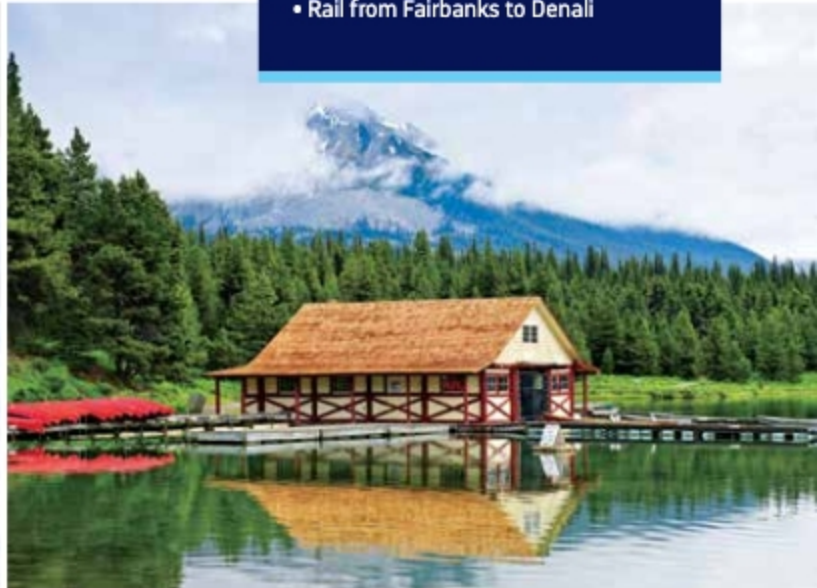


11-Night Wilderness Frontier Explorer | Cruisetour 4B (Southbound)

4-night, pre-cruise, escorted land tour to Fairbanks (2 nights) and Denali (2 nights), followed by a 7-night Southbound Alaska and Hubbard Glacier cruise onboard *Radiance of the Seas*.

4B INCLUDED EXPERIENCES

- Tundra Wilderness Tour
- Riverboat Discovery Cruise
- Rail from Fairbanks to Denali



With two nights in both Denali and Fairbanks, this 11-night vacation allows you to experience more of wild Alaska and the state’s gold-rush heritage.



DAY 1-8 - CRUISE | 7-night sailing from Vancouver to Seward

DAY 8 – FRIDAY | Seward | Anchorage Denali

- Travel in your deluxe motor coach from the port to Anchorage, where you’ll have time to stroll around the big-city downtown and enjoy an early lunch on your own. Then it’s on to Denali.
- From 5:30 p.m., Denali is yours to discover. There are hiking trails around the park’s visitor center and on the 20 acres that surround your lodge. Overnight at Denali Park Village.

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DAY 9 - SATURDAY | Denali

- Start your day venturing deep into Denali National Park, scouting the forest and tundra for native wildlife, on the Tundra Wilderness Tour.
- After your tour, the wilderness is yours to explore. Your Adventure Specialist can book you on an optional flightseeing trip, with up-close views of the great mountain, or on a guided hike. Overnight at Denali Park Village.

DAY 10 - SUNDAY | Denali | Fairbanks

- The early morning is open for strolling the lodge trails, enjoying the views, or an optional excursion. There’s time to peruse the exhibits at the park visitor center before boarding the glass-domed cars of the Wilderness Express train for the journey north to Fairbanks.
- From 8:30 p.m., Fairbanks is yours to discover. The city has a lively downtown where locals and visitors alike hang out in the restaurants and bars and on the waterfront promenade. Overnight at Pike’s Waterfront Lodge.

DAY 11 - MONDAY | Fairbanks

- Discover the sights and heritage of the Golden Heart City when you cruise the Chena River on an old-fashioned sternwheeler.
- From 5:30 p.m., your time is your own. Enjoy an optional excursion like a traditional salmon bake or spend an exciting evening flying into the Arctic Circle and visiting a remote northern settlement. Overnight at Pike’s Waterfront Lodge.

DAY 12 – TUESDAY | Fairbanks

Your Adventure Specialist will ensure you transfer to the airport on time.



DAY 1 – MONDAY | Fairbanks

- From the airport, your transfer brings you to your hotel to meet your Adventure Specialist. The Golden Heart City, with its lively summer ambience and evening sun, is then yours to explore. Overnight at Pike’s Waterfront Lodge.

DAY 2 – TUESDAY | Fairbanks

- After a brief city tour, discover gold-rush history, local heritage and only-in-Alaska culture while cruising the Chena River on an old fashioned sternwheeler.
- From 5:00 p.m., your time is your own. Consult your Adventure Specialist for per-

sonalized recommendations. Overnight at Pike’s Waterfront Lodge.

DAY 3 – WEDNESDAY | Fairbanks | Denali

- Your deluxe motor coach transports you to the train station where you’ll board the glass-domed cars of the Wilderness Express for the scenic rail journey to Denali.
- From 3:30 p.m., Denali is yours to explore. Your Adventure Specialist can recommend optional activities, from guided hikes to adventures like flightseeing or rafting down the Nenana River. Overnight at Denali Park Village.

DAY 4 – THURSDAY | Denali

- Start your day venturing deep into the park, scouting the forest and tundra for native wildlife, on the Tundra Wilderness Tour.
- After your tour, your time in Denali is your own. Stroll the walking trails or chat with a ranger at the museum-like visitor center. Overnight at Denali Park Village.

DAY 5 – FRIDAY | Denali | Anchorage | Seward

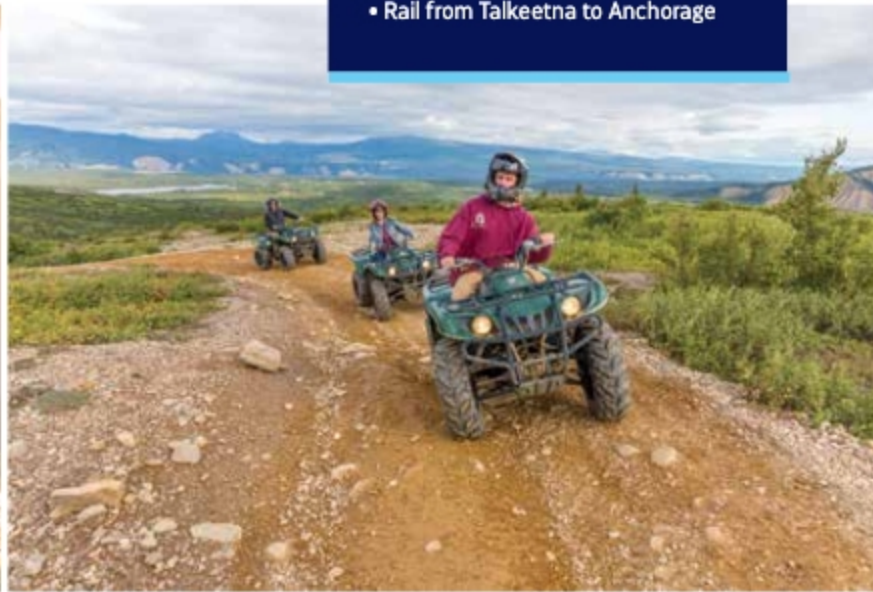
- Travel in your deluxe motor coach from the wilds to the big city, where you’ll have time to stroll around downtown Anchorage and enjoy lunch on your own.
- Admire the sparkling waters of the glacier-carved Turnagain Arm and the forest-covered mountains of the Chugach on the road to Seward, where you’ll board the ship.

DAY 5-12 – CRUISE | 7-night sailing from Seward to Vancouver



12-Night Mountain Panorama Adventure | Cruisetour 5A (Northbound)

7-night Northbound Alaska and Hubbard Glacier cruise onboard *Radiance of the Seas* followed by a 5-night, post-cruise, escorted land tour to Alyeska (Girdwood), Denali (2 nights), Talkeetna and Anchorage.



5A INCLUDED EXPERIENCES

- Alaska SeaLife Center
- Denali Natural History Tour
- Rail from Talkeetna to Anchorage

12-Night Mountain Panorama Adventure | Cruisetour 5B (Southbound)

5-night, pre-cruise, escorted land tour to Anchorage, Talkeetna, Denali (2 nights) and Alyeska (Girdwood), followed by a 7-night Southbound Alaska and Hubbard Glacier cruise onboard *Radiance of the Seas*.



5B INCLUDED EXPERIENCES

- Alaska SeaLife Center
- Denali Natural History Tour
- Rail from Anchorage to Talkeetna

Enjoy frontier hospitality in the small mountain towns of Girdwood and Talkeetna, along with two nights in the wilderness of Denali, for a rich Alaskan experience.



DAY 1-8 - CRUISE | 7-night sailing from Vancouver to Seward

DAY 8 - FRIDAY | Seward | Alyeska (Girdwood)

- Discover the state's rich variety of marine species at the Alaska SeaLife Center before the scenic drive to Girdwood, at the base of Mount Alyeska.
- From 4:00 p.m., Girdwood is yours to explore. Stroll through the forest and along mountain trails abloom with wildflowers. Overnight at Hotel Alyeska.

DAY 9 - SATURDAY | Alyeska (Girdwood) Anchorage | Denali

- Enjoy the water views of the Turnagain Arm and Cook Inlet on the drive into Anchorage. A brief stop gives you a taste of the big city before continuing into the interior.
- From 4:30 p.m., Denali is yours to discover. Walk the trails on the hotel's 20-acre property along the Nenana River, or meet the sled dogs. Overnight at Denali Park Village.

DAY 10 - SUNDAY | Denali

- The day begins with the Denali Natural History Tour, scouting the park's taiga forest and tundra for wildlife.
- After your tour, enjoy free time for independent exploration and optional excursions. Chat with park rangers while strolling through the visitor center's exhibits, or hit the off-road on a guided ATV tour. Overnight at Denali Park Village.

DAY 11 - MONDAY | Denali | Talkeetna

- The morning is free. Your Adventure Specialist can book you on a wilderness

hike or river rafting excursion for some outdoor fun before the drive to Talkeetna.

- From 3:00 p.m., Talkeetna is yours to discover. A stroll down the historic main street reveals this funky town's mix of lively brew pubs, roadhouse restaurants, welcoming cafes and unique shops. Overnight at the Talkeetna Alaskan Lodge.

DAY 12 - TUESDAY | Talkeetna | Anchorage

- Enjoy your own style of adventure today. Talk to your Adventure Specialist about personalized options such as ziplining and flightseeing. In the afternoon, you'll board the Wilderness Express for the rail journey to Anchorage.
- From 8:30 p.m., Anchorage is yours to discover. With lively nightlife, an eclectic dining scene and miles of urban trails, there's much to explore on a sunny summer night. Overnight at the Anchorage Marriott.

DAY 13 - WEDNESDAY | Anchorage

Your Adventure Specialist will ensure you transfer to the airport on time.



DAY 1 - SUNDAY | Anchorage

- From the airport, your transfer brings you to the hotel where your Adventure Specialist welcomes you to Alaska. Then Anchorage is yours to discover. With lively nightlife, an eclectic dining scene and miles of urban trails, there's much to explore on a sunny summer night. Overnight at the Anchorage Marriott.

DAY 2 - MONDAY | Anchorage | Talkeetna

- The day begins with the scenic rail journey riding the the glass-domed cars of the Wilderness Express to Talkeetna, the funkiest small town in Alaska.

- From 11:00 a.m., the day is free for your style of adventure. Talk to your Adventure Specialist about personalized outdoor options such as zip-lining and flightseeing. Close to your lodge, Talkeetna's historic main street is home to lively brew pubs, roadhouse restaurants, cozy cafes and unique shops. Overnight at the Talkeetna Alaskan Lodge.

DAY 3 - TUESDAY | Talkeetna | Denali

- There's time to enjoy more of the Talkeetna's stunning natural setting before your deluxe motor coach departs for Denali.
- From 4:00 p.m., Denali is yours to discover. Walk the trails of your lodge's 20-acre property, or choose an optional activity, like visiting the Husky Homestead or river rafting. Overnight at Denali Park Village.

DAY 4 - WEDNESDAY | Denali

- Venture deep in the park today, scouting for native wildlife on the Denali Natural History Tour.
- After the tour, your time is your own. Check out the exhibits at the museum-like visitor center, or stroll the nearby walking trails. Overnight at Denali Park Village.

DAY 5 - THURSDAY | Denali | Anchorage | Alyeska (Girdwood)

- Get a taste of the big city during a midday stop in downtown before continuing onto Alyeska. Admire the waters of the Turnagain Arm as you enter the Chugach Valley before the scenic drive to Girdwood, at the base of Mount Alyeska.
- From 4:00 p.m., this scenic resort area is yours to enjoy. Take a stroll along the forest trail, or indulge in the resort's amenities. Overnight at Hotel Alyeska.

DAY 6 - FRIDAY | Alyeska (Girdwood) | Seward

- Admire the glacier-formed landscapes on the drive to Seward where you'll discover the state's rich variety of marine species at the Alaska SeaLife Center.
- Your Adventure Specialist wishes you a bon voyage at the pier where you'll board your ship.

DAY 6-13 - CRUISE | 7-night sailing from Seward to Vancouver

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12-Night Fjord and Tundra National Parks Explorer | Cruisetour 6A (Northbound)

7-night Northbound Alaska and Hubbard Glacier Cruise onboard *Radiance of the Seas* followed by a 5-night, post-cruise, escorted land tour to Seward, Anchorage, Denali and Fairbanks (2 nights).



6A INCLUDED EXPERIENCES

- Kenai Fjords National Park Cruise
- Alaska Native Heritage Center
- Tundra Wilderness Tour
- Riverboat Discovery Cruise
- Rail from Denali to Fairbanks

12-Night Fjord and Tundra National Parks Explorer | Cruisetour 6B (Southbound)

5-night, pre-cruise, escorted land tour to Fairbanks (2 nights), Denali, Anchorage and Seward, followed by a 7-night Southbound Alaska and Hubbard Glacier Cruise onboard *Radiance of the Seas*.



6B INCLUDED EXPERIENCES

- Kenai Fjords National Park Cruise
- Alaska Native Heritage Center
- Tundra Wilderness Tour
- Riverboat Discovery Cruise
- Rail from Fairbanks to Denali

See more of great national parks on this 12-night vacation with premium tours in Kenai Fjords and Denali, plus enjoy two nights in Fairbanks.



DAY 1-8 - CRUISE | 7-night sailing from Vancouver to Seward

DAY 8 – FRIDAY | Seward

- Stroll Seward’s historic downtown before embarking on the Kenai Fjords National Park Cruise. Your captain will take you to remote, otherwise inaccessible areas where mountains, giant glaciers and ocean meet to form sea-landscapes that support an array of wildlife.
- From 6:00 p.m., Seward is yours to discover. Enjoy a meal fresh off a fisherman’s boat or relax in a local

watering hole. Overnight at Seward Windsong Lodge.

DAY 9 – SATURDAY | Seward | Anchorage

- Travel along the scenic Seward Highway in the deluxe motor coach to Anchorage. There you’ll visit the acclaimed Alaska Native Heritage Center, a showcase for the state’s diverse indigenous traditions.
- From 5:00 p.m., Anchorage is yours to discover. Long summer days mean you’ll experience urban culture — restaurants, live music, craft breweries, city trails and more — while basking in sunlight. Overnight at the Anchorage Marriott.

DAY 10 – SUNDAY | Anchorage | Denali

- Relax on the scenic drive from the big city into the interior.
- From 4:30 p.m., Denali is yours to explore. Book an optional excursion, like fly-fishing in one of the many rivers or streams or a guided ATV ride. Overnight at Denali Park Village.

DAY 11 – MONDAY | Denali | Fairbanks

- Travel miles into the unspoiled forest and tundra of Denali National Park for the

best chances at seeing wildlife on the ranger-led Tundra Wilderness Tour. Then you’ll board the glass-domed cars of the Wilderness Express for a breathtaking journey north to Fairbanks.

- From 8:30 p.m., Fairbanks is yours to discover. Take a stroll along the banks of the Chena River. Overnight at Sophie’s Station Suites.

DAY 12 – TUESDAY | Fairbanks

- Experience local history and heritage as you cruise the Chena in a vintage-style sternwheeler, making stops at a native Alaskan village and sled-dog camp. Enjoy lunch on your own downtown before a city highlights tour.
- From 4:00 p.m., your time in the Golden Heart City is your own. Your Adventure Specialist will have personalized recommendations and can book optional excursions like flights north into the remote lands of the Arctic Circle. Overnight at Sophie’s Station Suites.

DAY 13 – WEDNESDAY | Fairbanks

Your Adventure Specialist will ensure you transfer to the airport on time.



DAY 1 – SUNDAY | Fairbanks

From the airport, your transfer brings you to your hotel to meet your Adventure Specialist. The Golden Heart City, with its lively summer ambience and evening sunshine, is then yours to explore. Overnight at Sophie’s Station Suites.

DAY 2 – MONDAY | Fairbanks

- Discover local heritage and culture while cruising the Chena River on an old-fashioned sternwheeler and on a city tour.
- From 4:30 p.m., your time is your own. Consult your Adventure Specialist for personalized recommendations. Overnight at Sophie’s Station Suites.

DAY 3 – TUESDAY | Fairbanks | Denali

- The deluxe motor coach transports you to the train station where you’ll board the glass-domed cars of the Wilderness Express for the scenic rail journey to Denali. Venture deep into Denali National Park scouting the unspoiled landscapes for native wildlife, on the Tundra Wilderness Tour.
- After your tour, your time is your own. Check out the exhibits at the museum-like visitor center, or stroll the nearby walking trails. Overnight at Denali Park Village.

DAY 4 – WEDNESDAY | Denali | Anchorage

- Enjoy more of the great outdoors in Denali before the coach departs for Anchorage.
- From 6:30 p.m., experience big city culture: restaurants, craft breweries, urban trails and more. Overnight at the Anchorage Marriott.

DAY 5 – THURSDAY | Anchorage | Seward

- The day begins at the Alaska Native Heritage Center, an acclaimed showcase for the state’s diverse indigenous traditions. Then enjoy free time downtown for

lunch, shopping or just strolling around before the drive along the Turnagain Arm and along the Chugach Mountains to the coast.

- From 5:00 p.m., the historic port town of Seward is yours to discover. Enjoy a meal fresh off a fisherman’s boat or relax in a local watering hole. Overnight at Seward Windsong Lodge.

DAY 6 – FRIDAY | Seward

- From the port’s small-boat harbor, head out on the Kenai Fjords National Park Cruise, which takes you into remote areas that support an array of wildlife.
- Your Adventure Specialist wishes you a bon voyage at the pier where you’ll board your ship.

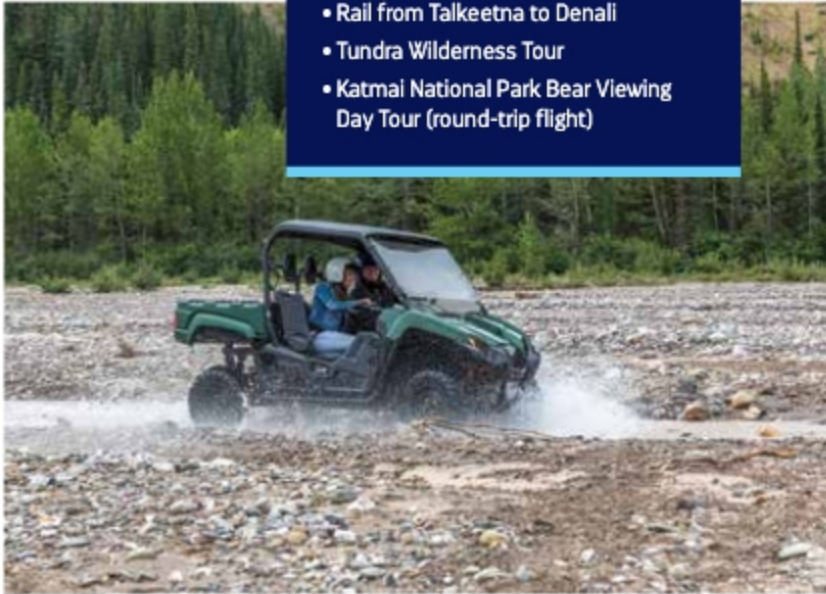
DAY 6-13 – CRUISE | 7-night sailing from Seward to Vancouver

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12-Night Katmai Bear Trek | Cruisetour 12A (Northbound)

7-night Northbound Alaska and Hubbard Glacier Cruise onboard *Radiance of the Seas* followed by a 5-night, post-cruise, escorted land tour to Talkeetna, Anchorage (2 nights) and Denali (2 nights).

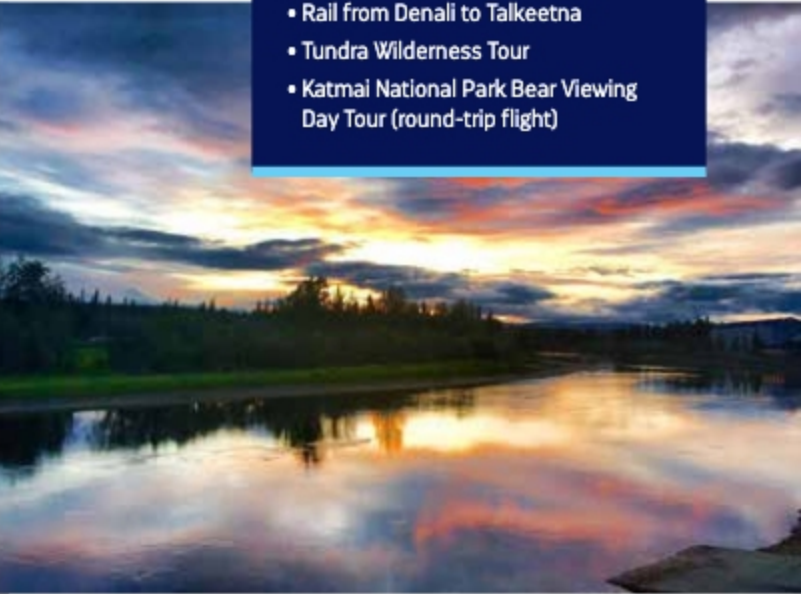


12A INCLUDED EXPERIENCES

- Alaska SeaLife Center
- Alaska Wildlife Conservation Center
- Rail from Talkeetna to Denali
- Tundra Wilderness Tour
- Katmai National Park Bear Viewing Day Tour (round-trip flight)

12-Night Katmai Bear Trek | Cruisetour 12B (Southbound)

5-night, pre-cruise, escorted land tour to Anchorage (2 Nights), Denali (2 Nights) and Talkeetna followed by a 7-night Southbound Alaska and Hubbard Glacier Cruise onboard *Radiance of the Seas*.



12B INCLUDED EXPERIENCES

- Alaska SeaLife Center
- Alaska Wildlife Conservation Center
- Rail from Denali to Talkeetna
- Tundra Wilderness Tour
- Katmai National Park Bear Viewing Day Tour (round-trip flight)

Watching the brown bears of Katmai National Park, a volcanic region only accessible by plane, and venturing into Denali make this 12-night vacation exceptional.



DAY 1-8 - CRUISE | 7-night sailing from Vancouver to Seward

DAY 8 – FRIDAY | Seward | Anchorage Talkeetna

- Tour the Alaska SeaLife Center, home to an aquarium and marine exhibits, then ride your deluxe motor coach to Alaska Wildlife Conservation Center, which cares for orphaned and injured animals.
- From 5:30 p.m., the offbeat village of Talkeetna is yours to discover. Stroll the main street lined with bars, welcoming cafes, roadhouse eateries, unique shops

and galleries. Overnight at the Talkeetna Alaskan Lodge.

DAY 9 – SATURDAY | Talkeetna | Denali

- The morning is free for optional activities like flightseeing or river float trips. Then board the glass-domed Wilderness Express for the train ride to Denali National Park.
- From 4:30 p.m., Denali is yours to explore. Stroll the trails on the lodge's 20-acre waterfront property or book an optional excursion like a guided ATV ride. Overnight at Denali Park Village.

DAY 10 – SUNDAY | Denali

- Start your day venturing deep into Denali National Park, scouting the forest and tundra for native wildlife, on the Tundra Wilderness Tour.
- After your tour, your afternoon is free. Enjoy the serenity of your lodge, set on the banks of the Nenana river. Overnight at Denali Park Village.

DAY 11 – MONDAY | Denali | Anchorage

- Your Adventure Specialist can

recommend an optional morning excursion. Then board your motor coach for the drive to Anchorage.

- From 5:00 p.m., your time in Anchorage is your own. The Big City has a lively summertime ambience, with bars, live music and an eclectic dining scene. Overnight at the Anchorage Marriott.

DAY 12 – TUESDAY | Anchorage | Katmai National Park

- It's a full day of adventure, starting with a 2-3 hour flightseeing trip to Katmai National Park. From the safety of an elevated boardwalk, enjoy unobstructed, close-up views of brown bears in their natural habitat. On the return flight, your pilot will take you over rugged areas while looking for wildlife below.
- Overnight at the Anchorage Marriott.

DAY 13 – WEDNESDAY | Anchorage

Your Adventure Specialist will ensure you transfer to the airport on time.



DAY 1 – SUNDAY | Anchorage

Arrive in Anchorage. The airport transfer brings you to the hotel where your Adventure Specialist welcomes you. You're then free to explore Alaska's big city, which boast a lively summertime ambience, with bars, live music and an eclectic dining scene. Overnight at the Anchorage Marriott.

DAY 2 – MONDAY | Anchorage | Katmai National Park

- It's a full day of adventure, starting with a 2-3 hour flightseeing trip to Katmai National Park. From the safety of an elevated boardwalk, enjoy unobstructed, close-up views of brown bears in their natural habitat.

On the return flight, your pilot will take you over rugged areas while looking for wildlife below.

- After your tour, relax at the hotel or check out the local nightlife. Overnight at the Anchorage Marriott.

DAY 3 – TUESDAY | Anchorage | Denali

- Relax on your deluxe motor coach on the scenic drive into the wild.
- From 4:30 p.m., Denali is yours to explore. Walk the scenic trails that surround the lodge or ask your Adventure Specialist to book an optional excursion, like a guided ATV ride. Overnight at Denali Park Village.

DAY 4 – WEDNESDAY | Denali

- Start your day venturing deep into Denali National Park, scouting the forest and tundra for native wildlife, on the Tundra Wilderness Tour.
- From 6:00 p.m., the evening is free. Relax amid the serene beauty of your hotel, whose buildings are set amid 20 acres of woods and trails along the Nenana River. Overnight at Denali Park Village.

DAY 5 – THURSDAY | Denali | Talkeetna

- There's time to enjoy the unspoiled

beauty of Denali before boarding the glass-domed cars of the Wilderness Express for the scenic ride to Talkeetna by train.

- From 5:00 p.m., your time in Talkeetna is your own. Relax at the lodge, with its breathtaking views of Denali and the Alaska Range, mingle with locals in town, or walk to the end of the main street to the park where three wild rivers meet. Overnight at the Talkeetna Alaskan Lodge.

DAY 6 – FRIDAY | Talkeetna | Anchorage | Seward

- Take in the scenery on the drive to Anchorage, where you'll stop downtown for lunch on your own, before going to the Alaska Wildlife Conservation Center, which cares for native, orphaned land animals. Then travel through the forested Chugach region to the historic port town of Seward, where you'll visit the acclaimed Alaska SeaLife Center, dedicated to preserving Alaska's rich marine life.
- Say goodbye to your Adventure Specialist at the cruise ship terminal.

DAY 6-13 – CRUISE | 7-night sailing from Seward to Vancouver

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## 13-Night Grand Mountain Marvels | Cruisetour 7A (Northbound)

7-night Northbound Alaska and Hubbard Glacier Cruise onboard *Radiance of the Seas* followed by a 6-night, post-cruise, escorted land tour to Seward, Anchorage, Talkeetna, Denali (2 nights) and Fairbanks.

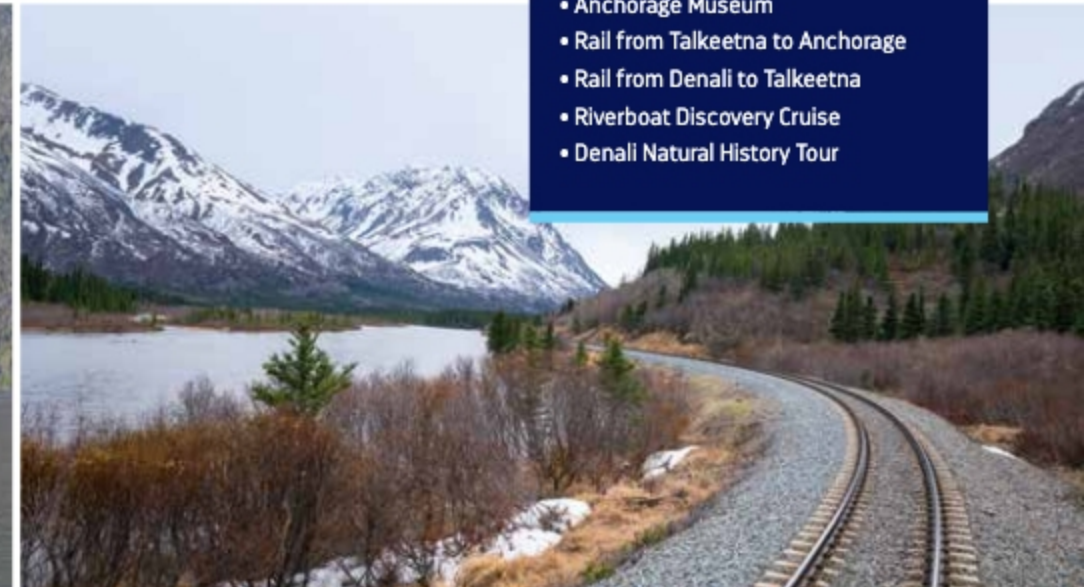


### 7A INCLUDED EXPERIENCES

- Resurrection Bay Wildlife Cruise with Fox Island Lunch
- Anchorage Museum
- Rail from Anchorage to Talkeetna
- Rail from Talkeetna to Denali
- Riverboat Discovery Cruise
- Denali Natural History Tour

## 13-Night Grand Mountain Marvels | Cruisetour 7B (Southbound)

6-night pre-escorted land tour to Fairbanks, Denali (2 nights), Talkeetna, Anchorage and Seward, followed by a 7-night Southbound Alaska and Hubbard Glacier Cruise onboard *Radiance of the Seas*



### 7B INCLUDED EXPERIENCES

- Resurrection Bay Wildlife Cruise with Fox Island Lunch
- Anchorage Museum
- Rail from Talkeetna to Anchorage
- Rail from Denali to Talkeetna
- Riverboat Discovery Cruise
- Denali Natural History Tour

With two nights in Denali and a half-day cruise around Resurrection Bay, this 13-night vacation is filled with opportunities to see Alaskan wildlife by land and sea.



### DAY 1-8 - CRUISE | 7-night sailing from Vancouver to Seward

#### DAY 8 - FRIDAY | Seward

- Enjoy the views of mountains, rainforest and glacier-carved coast as you look for whales, sea birds and other wildlife on the Resurrection Bay Wildlife Cruise.
- From 5:00 p.m., Seward is yours to discover. Stroll the historic downtown, one of Alaska's oldest communities, or hike a trail that is so close to a glacier, you can hear the ice crackling. Overnight at Seward Windsong Lodge.

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#### DAY 9 - SATURDAY | Seward | Anchorage

- Relax on the deluxe motor coach on the drive to Anchorage. Enjoy lunch on your own downtown before the guided visit to the Anchorage Museum.
- From 4:30 p.m., your time in the big city is your own. Join the locals who walk, run and bike along the Cook Inlet waterfront on the Tony Knowles Coastal Trail before checking out the dining scene. Overnight at the Anchorage Marriott.

#### DAY 10 - SUNDAY | Anchorage | Talkeetna

- This morning you'll enjoy the views from the glass-domed cars of the Wilderness Express as you travel to Alaska's funkiest small town.
- From 11:00 a.m., Talkeetna is yours to discover. A flightseeing optional excursion gets you close to the north face of Denali, the mountain, or look for beavers and other animals in Talkeetna Lakes Park. Overnight at the Talkeetna Alaskan Lodge.

#### DAY 11 - MONDAY | Talkeetna | Denali

- There's time to stroll the trails around the lodge or to enjoy the mountain views before boarding the Wilderness Express for the train ride to Denali.
- From 4:00 p.m., Denali is yours to explore. At the visitor's center, check out the exhibits

and films about the park's Ice Age origins and chat with rangers about its wild inhabitants. Overnight at Denali Park Village.

#### DAY 12 - TUESDAY | Denali

- The day begins with the Denali Natural History Tour, traveling into the park with a ranger to see the taiga forest and tundra and look for wildlife.
- After your tour, enjoy free time in Denali. Go into the wilderness on a guided hiking excursion or explore the well-marked trails accessible from your lodge's 20-acre property. Overnight at Denali Park Village.

#### DAY 13 - WEDNESDAY | Denali | Fairbanks

- Travel north by motor coach to Fairbanks. A cruise down the Chena River in a vintage sternwheeler brings frontier history and heritage to life.
- From 5:30 p.m., your time in Fairbanks is your own. Start your downtown exploration at the log cabin that houses the visitor center or relax with a drink at your waterfront lodge. Overnight at Pike's Waterfront Lodge.

#### DAY 14 - THURSDAY | Fairbanks

Your Adventure Specialist will ensure you transfer to the airport on time.



#### DAY 1 - SATURDAY | Fairbanks

- From the airport, your transfer brings you to your hotel to meet your Adventure Specialist. The Golden Heart City, with its lively summer ambience, is then yours to explore. Overnight at Pike's Waterfront Lodge.

#### DAY 2 - SUNDAY | Fairbanks | Denali

- Discover local heritage and culture while cruising the Chena River on an old-fashioned sternwheeler, then board the deluxe motor coach for the scenic drive to Denali.
- From 4:30 p.m., Denali is yours to explore. Your Adventure Specialist can recommend optional activities, from guided hikes to adventures like flightseeing or rafting down the Nenana River. Overnight at Denali Park Village.

#### DAY 3 - MONDAY | Denali

- Spend the day in Denali National Park traveling into the unspoiled wilderness on the lookout for wildlife on the Denali Natural History Tour.
- Afterwards, your time is your own. Peruse the exhibits at the museum-like visitor center, stroll the trails or relax back at the lodge. Overnight at Denali Park Village.

#### DAY 4 - TUESDAY - Denali | Talkeetna

- Enjoy more of the outdoors in Denali before boarding the glass-domed cars of the Wilderness Express for the train journey to Talkeetna.
- From 5:30 p.m., enjoy free time in Alaska's funkiest small town, whose historic main street is lined with roadhouse restaurants, cafes, brew pubs and unique shops. Overnight at Talkeetna Alaskan Lodge.

#### DAY 5 - WEDNESDAY | Talkeetna | Anchorage

- Spend the day discovering Talkeetna's spectacular setting. Take an optional flight sight seeing excursion to the mountain, or visit Talkeetna Lakes Park, home to otters and other animals. Then in the late afternoon, board the Wilderness Express for the trip to Alaska's big city.

- From 8:00 p.m., experience Anchorage's unique nightlife: restaurants, craft breweries and city trails are abuzz in the evening sunlight. Overnight at the Anchorage Marriott.

#### DAY 6 - THURSDAY | Anchorage | Seward

- The day begins with a guided visit of the acclaimed Anchorage Museum and a brief city tour. Then enjoy free time downtown for lunch, shopping and exploring on your own, before your deluxe motor coach takes you along the Chugach Mountains to the coast.
- From 5:00 p.m., the historic port town of Seward is yours to discover. Stroll the historic downtown, one of Alaska's oldest communities, or hike a trail that is so close to a glacier, you can hear the ice crackling. Overnight at Seward Windsong Lodge.

#### DAY 7 - FRIDAY | Seward

- Enjoy a relaxing morning before heading to Seward's small-boat harbor, where you'll take the Resurrection Bay Wildlife Cruise, exploring the wildlife-rich coastal habitats and stopping for lunch on Fox Island.
- Bid your Adventure Specialist goodbye at the pier where you'll board the ship.

#### DAY 7-14 - CRUISE | 7-night sailing from Seward to Vancouver



13-Night Alaska Wilderness Spectacular | Cruisetour 8A (Northbound)

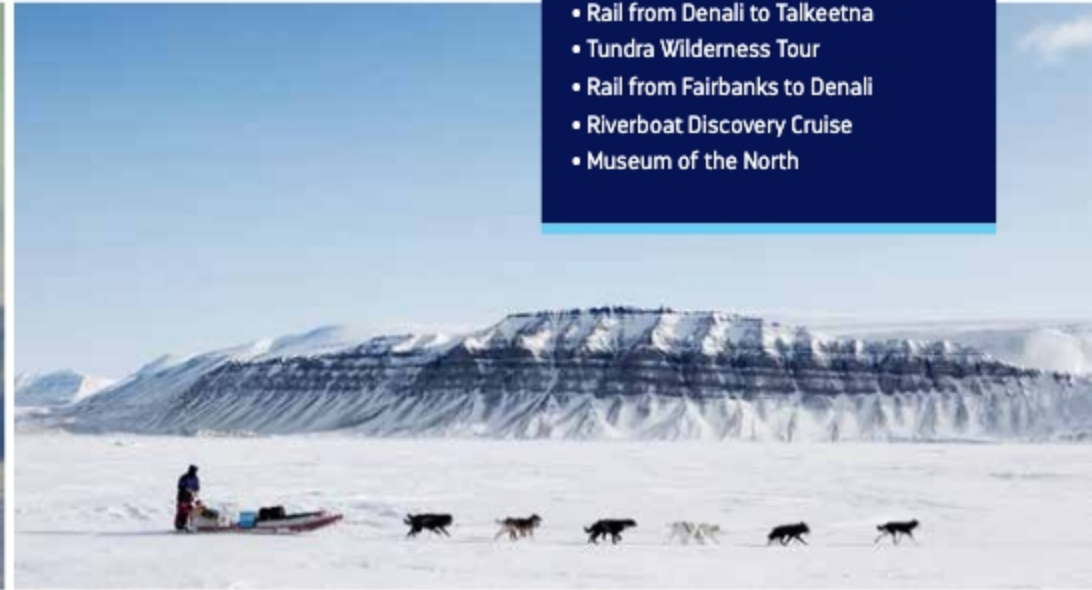
7-night Northbound Alaska and Hubbard Glacier Cruise onboard *Radiance of the Seas* followed by a 6-night, post-cruise, escorted land tour to Anchorage, Talkeetna, Denali (2 nights) and Fairbanks (2 nights).



- 8A INCLUDED EXPERIENCES**
- Alaska Native Heritage Center
  - Rail from Anchorage to Talkeetna
  - Rail from Talkeetna to Denali
  - Tundra Wilderness Tour
  - Rail from Denali to Fairbanks
  - Riverboat Discovery Cruise
  - Museum of the North

13-Night Alaska Wilderness Spectacular | Cruisetour 8B (Southbound)

6-night, pre-cruise, escorted land tour to Fairbanks (2 nights), Denali (2 nights), Talkeetna and Anchorage, followed by a 7-night Southbound Alaska and Hubbard Glacier Cruise onboard *Radiance of the Seas*.



- 8B INCLUDED EXPERIENCES**
- Alaska Native Heritage Center
  - Rail from Talkeetna to Anchorage
  - Rail from Denali to Talkeetna
  - Tundra Wilderness Tour
  - Rail from Fairbanks to Denali
  - Riverboat Discovery Cruise
  - Museum of the North

See more of Alaska’s spectacular scenery in unrivaled comfort traveling the full length of the Alaska Railroad in the glass-domed railcars of The Wilderness Express.



**DAY 1-8 - CRUISE | 7-night sailing from Vancouver to Seward.**

**DAY 8 – FRIDAY | Seward | Anchorage**

- Travel by luxury motor coach on the scenic Seward Highway to Anchorage. Discover indigenous traditions from around the state on your guided visit to the Alaska Native Heritage Center.
- From 4:00 p.m., your time in Anchorage is your own. Visit the Anchorage Museum, which brings together history, art and science, or take a glacier flightseeing

tour before exploring the big city by the light of the evening sun. Overnight at the Anchorage Marriott.

**DAY 9 – SATURDAY | Anchorage | Talkeetna**

- Relax and take in the views from the Wilderness Express on the morning rail journey to Talkeetna.
- From 11:00 a.m., the funky village Talkeetna is yours to discover. Your Adventure Specialist can recommend an optional outdoor excursion that still leaves plenty of time to hang out with the locals in the historic downtown. Overnight at the Talkeetna Alaskan Lodge.

**DAY 10 – SUNDAY | Talkeetna | Denali**

- Today features another journey by train, which offers the best views of the rivers, gulches and other landscapes on the way to Denali.
- From 4:00 p.m., Denali is yours to explore. Take to the skies on a flightseeing tour for unrivaled views of the mountain and wilderness. Or enjoy the thrills of the rapids on a rafting excursion. Overnight at Denali Park Village.

**DAY 11 – MONDAY | Denali**

- You’ll go deep into the park on the lone road on the Tundra Wilderness Tour for the best chances of seeing wildlife.

- After your tour, your time in Denali is your own. There are biking and hiking trails that begin right near the park entrance. Overnight at Denali Park Village.

**DAY 12 – TUESDAY | Denali | Fairbanks**

- Enjoy a free morning in Denali before boarding the Wilderness Express for the rail journey north to Alaska’s Golden Heart City.
- From 8:30 p.m., Fairbanks is yours to explore. Enjoy a stroll along the riverfront in the evening sunlight. Overnight at Sophie’s Station Suites.

**DAY 13 – WEDNESDAY | Fairbanks**

- Explore local history and heritage on a full day that features a city highlights tour, a visit to the acclaimed Museum of the North, and a cruise down the Chena River in a vintage sternwheeler.
- From 5:30 p.m., your time is your own. Enjoy an optional visit to a traditional salmon bake and watch a theater performance that tells the story of the gold rush through musical comedy. Overnight at Sophie’s Station Suites.

**DAY 14 – THURSDAY | Fairbanks**

Your Adventure Specialist will ensure you transfer to the airport on time.



**DAY 1 – SATURDAY | Fairbanks**

- From the airport, your transfer brings you to your hotel to meet your Adventure Specialist. The Golden Heart City is then yours to explore. Overnight at Sophie’s Station Suites.

**DAY 2 – SUNDAY | Fairbanks**

- Spend the day exploring local history, heritage and culture, beginning with a city highlights tour and a visit to the Museum of the North. Enjoy free time downtown for lunch and shopping, then embark on a cruise on the Chena River aboard an old-fashioned sternwheeler.
- From 6:00 p.m., your time in Fairbanks is your own. Enjoy a hearty frontier meal at a local restaurant or at a dinner theater that tells the story of the gold rush through musical comedy. Overnight at Sophie’s Station Suites.

**DAY 3 – MONDAY | Fairbanks | Denali**

- Take in the spectacular scenery from the glass-domed railcars of the Wilderness Express on the train trip to Denali.
- From 3:30 p.m., the wonders of Denali are yours to explore. Your Adventure Specialist can recommend optional excursions, from guided hikes to adventures like flightseeing trips or rafting down the Nenana River. Overnight at Denali Park Village.

**DAY 4 – TUESDAY | Denali**

- The Tundra Wilderness Tour takes you deep into Denali National Park along its lone road for the best chances at seeing wildlife.
- After your tour, spend time at the museum-like visitor center or take advantage of the biking and hiking trails that begin near the park entrance. Overnight at Denali Park Village.

**DAY 5 – WEDNESDAY | Denali | Talkeetna**

- There’s time to walk the trails around the lodge before boarding the Wilderness Express heading to Talkeetna.
- From 5:00 p.m., enjoy a free evening in this funky small town. Locals and visitors mix and mingle in the restaurants, brew pubs, cafes and shops along the historic main street. Overnight at the Talkeetna Alaskan Lodge.

**DAY 6 – THURSDAY | Talkeetna | Anchorage**

- The day is free for your style of adventure in this hub for outdoor fun. Your Adventure Specialist can recommend optional activities like flightseeing, river rafting and more. Then relax and take in the views from the Wilderness Express on the scenic rail journey into Anchorage.
- From 8:00 p.m., experience big-city nightlife under the evening sun, with restaurants, craft breweries and urban trails all part of the eclectic scene. Overnight at the Anchorage Marriott.

**DAY 7 – FRIDAY | Anchorage | Seward**

- Discover the state’s diverse indigenous traditions on a guided tour of the the Alaska Native Heritage Center. Then enjoy free time downtown for lunch, shopping or just strolling around before the drive along the Turnagain Arm and along the Chugach Mountains to the coast.
- Your Adventure Specialist will wish you bon voyage as you say goodbye at the ship terminal.

**DAY 7-14 – CRUISE THURSDAY | 7-night sailing from Seward to Vancouver**

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