# WILD ALASKA DENALI, GLACIERS & WILDLIFE

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# WILD ALASKA DENALI, GLACIERS 10 DAYS

### OVERNIGHTS

- 1 ANCHORAGE, AK The Hotel Captain Cook
- 2 SEWARD Gateway Hotel
- 3 HOMER Aspen Suites Hotel Homer
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- 5 PALMER Knik River Lodge
- 6 DENALI NATIONAL PARK Denali Bluffs
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- 8 TALKEETNA Talkeetna Alaskan Lodge
- 9 ANCHORAGE The Hotel Captain Cook
- 10 ANCHORAGE FLY HOME



### WHAT IS INCLUDED:

Roundtrip airfare between Detroit, Michigan, and Anchorage, Alaska; Top Tier Accommodations; Fully-Guided Service; Gratuities for Meals, Baggage Handling for One Bag, Activities and Guides; Luxury Land and Rail Transportation; Airport Transfers; Taxes; Personalized Windbreaker.

### WHAT IS NOT INCLUDED:

Airline Baggage Fees, Alcoholic Beverages, and Trip Cancellation Insurance.

### 2023 Departures

TOUR DATE AUGUST 6 - AUGUST 15

DOUBLE \$10,495 SINGLE \$12,295

**Per person pricing shown based on double and single room occupancy. Please call for Triple and Quad occupancy pricing.** Required deposits are \$500 per person.

DOUBLE OCCUPANCY FEE SCHEDULE: SINGLE OCCUPANCY FEE SCHEDULE:

\$500 deposit per person \$4,000 per person due 11/15/22 \$5,995 per person due 4/24/23 \$500 deposit per person \$4,000 per person due 11/15/22 \$7,795 per person due 4/24/23 TALKEETNA ANCHORAGE HOMER

DENALI NATIONAL PARK



**Group Size: Max 40** THIS TOUR IS SUITABLE FOR ALL ACTIVITY LEVELS.

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### 1 ANCHORAGE

Welcome to the metropolitan city of Anchorage, Alaska! Upon arrival, you will be greeted by a John Hall's Alaska representative and escorted to your luxury accommodations at the Hotel Captain Cook. Tonight, enjoy a welcome reception and dinner with the group. Dinner

# 2 SEWARD & KENAI FJORDS NATIONAL PARK

After breakfast, head south along the scenic Turnagain Arm to Seward. Then grab your camera and get ready to spot some wildlife – humpback whales, orcas, Steller sea lions, seals, sea otters, puffins, seabirds, and eagles – and several glaciers during a Kenai Fjords National Park cruise. Afterward, settle in at the Gateway Hotel and enjoy the small town of Seward. Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

### **3** KENAI RIVER & HOMER

Take in the beautiful waters of the Kenai River, renowned for worldclass fishing and its grey-blue coloring. Guided by local naturalists, spot several species of wildlife during a leisurely float on the river. Back on dry land, have lunch before continuing south to the glacier-lined port of Homer. Consider a walk along the Homer Spit for fun shops and scenic views.

Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

### **4** HOMER ADVENTURE DAY

T Embrace an Alaska adventure! Go deep-sea fishing in the waters off of Homer in search of lingcod, rockfish, salmon, and halibut. Perhaps a 4-mile paved trail hike to the Nick Dudiak Fishing Lagoon. Maybe spend the day on a guided sea kayaking expedition, or instead join a local scientist to tour a seabird rookery and shuck oysters at a local farm. It is your choice; one activity is included for the day. Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

#### 5 KENAI PENINSULA & KNIK RIVER Surrounded by the lush green

Surrounded by the lush green scenery of the Kenai Peninsula, make your way north to the Knik River Lodge. Stop at scenic overlooks, mingle with the wildlife at the Alaska Wildlife Conservation Center - a sanctuary dedicated to preserving Alaska's wildlife, and cross through Anchorage and into Palmer, Alaska. Tonight's lodging provides a peaceful, mountain view getaway. Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

# 6 DREAM A DREAM DOG KENNEL & DENALI NATIONAL PARK

Board your luxury motorcoach for a journey to expansive Denali National Park and Preserve, with multiple sightseeing stops along the way! Visit Dream A Dream dog kennel for a private presentation on dog mushing and interact with the pups. Later, enjoy free time, dinner, and an overnight at the gates of Denali National Park. Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

### 7 DENALI NATIONAL PARK

There is much to see today! Board a sightseeing bus for a 42-mile trip into the outback of Denali National Park, with lunch served en route. Keep your camera ready and eyes alert, as you watch for bears, moose, caribou, wolves, Dall sheep, and of course Denali. Back at the gates of the park, there'll be free time for a stop at the Denali Visitor Center before dinner. Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

### **Q** DENALI & TALKEETNA

O It's your last morning in Denali, take it easy or participate in your choice of one included adventure activity – like an ATV outing, ziplining, or going whitewater rafting. Next up, board the motorcoach and take in the spectacular sights en route to Talkeetna. Enjoy free time exploring the town's early pioneer routes before a relaxing dinner at the lodge. Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

### **O** DEVIL'S CANYON & ANCHORAGE

This morning, learn about the ecology of the region and search for wildlife on a 5-hour jet boat excursion through Devil's Canyon. Then board the first-class, domed cars for an Alaska Railroad GoldStar journey to Anchorage. Dinner is served on board. Keep an eye out for wildlife along the tracks! Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

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After breakfast, transfer to the Anchorage airport to board your homebound flight. Breakfast

### **26 Meals Included**

BREAKFAST, LUNCH & DINNER ON MOST DAYS OF YOUR TOUR

### TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

#### ANCHORAGE CITY TOUR

**KENAI FJORDS NATIONAL PARK TOUR** 

KENAI RIVER WILDLIFE VIEWING FLOAT TRIP

HOMER ADVENTURE DAY FISH, KAYAK, HIKE, OR ROOKERY

ALASKA WILDLIFE CONSERVATION CENTER

DREAM A DREAM KENNEL EXPERIENCE

DENALI NATIONAL PARK 42-MILE WILDLIFE TOUR

DENALI ADVENTURE MORNING ATV, ZIPLINE, WHITEWATER RAFTING

DEVIL'S CANYON JET BOAT TOUR

ALASKA RAILROAD - GOLDSTAR SERVICE









# KNOW BEFORE YOU GO GENERAL INFORMATION

#### **RESERVATIONS**

Space on this tour is limited to 40 people, so please book early. Reservations may be made directly with Excite Tours.

Phone: 248-825-4010 Email: info@excitetours.com

### DEPOSITS

To confirm reservations, please send a deposit of \$500 per person to:

Excite Tours, PO Box 267, Lake Orion, MI 48361.

Personal checks, MasterCard, Visa, American Express or Discover are acceptable forms of payment.

### TOUR PAYMENTS & FINAL PAYMENTS

For double occupancy bookings, after the initial deposit of \$500 pp, \$4,000 pp is due by 11/15/2022; and final payment of \$5,595 pp is due by 4/24/2023.

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If payment is not received on time, space may be released; re-booking will be subject to availability.

### **INSURANCE**

We offer and highly recommend travel insurance to cover trip cancellation and interruption, medical emergency services, baggage loss or delay or medical assistance. Please contact us for an insurance quote. Insurance purchased within 15 days of initial payment covers pre-existing conditions as well.

### **CANCELLATIONS**

If a cancellation is made in writing at least 120 days prior to departure, a full refund will be made. In the event of interruption or cancellation of your tour after its commencement, there will be no refunds. We recommend trip insurance for this reason.

### **TOUR DOCUMENTS**

Tour documents, including detailed itinerary, hotel lists, and luggage tags will be mailed approximately 30 days prior to departure. This may be delayed if final payment is not received on time.

### **ITINERARY REVISIONS**

Excite Tours reserves the right to revise the services included in the itinerary such as hotel accommodations and attractions. In cases of substitution, a comparable quality service will be used. Triple rooms, when available, may contain either two beds and a roll-away, or two double beds.

### RESTROOM BREAKS & SMOKING POLICY

In consideration of all tour members, a no-smoking policy will be enforced on the motorcoach. Frequent stops will be made every two to three hours to accommodate travelers. A bathroom is available on board the motorcoach as well.

### LUGGAGE HANDLING

We will deliver and pick up one suitcase per person from your room throughout the entire land portion of your tour.

### LAUNDRY

Washers and dryers for your personal use are available on land in Anchorage.

### **CELL PHONES**

Cell phone coverage is available in most Alaska cities. As a courtesy to other passengers, please refrain from cell phone usage while on board the motorcoach.

#### **SPECIAL NEEDS**

In order for us to provide the best service possible, please inform our staff of any mobility or medical issues at the time of booking.

### **CLOTHING**

Your land tour is 100% casual. Sweaters, lightweight jackets, jeans, slacks and sport shirts are fine for day wear. Comfortable walking shoes are a must (closed-toed shoes for ladies). You may wish to bring along an umbrella, a light raincoat and rain hat. Consider bringing a pair of gloves, a scarf or a hat for days spent in the outdoors. Many guests enjoy having a small pair of binoculars along during their tour.

#### **CAMERAS AND VALUABLES**

By all means bring a camera, and be sure it is within your reach. You'll see plenty of great scenes to snap. Keep your camera and other valuables in your carry on and bring them on board your motorcoach.

### **TIPPING/GRATUITIES**

All gratuities have been included in the price of your package including \$100pp for your John Hall's Alaska Tour Manager and \$100pp for your Excite Tours tour director. You may wish to tip your hotel housekeeping staff, dining staff, or others who serve you.

THESE POLICIES ARE IN ADDITION TO OUR STANDARD PASSENGER POLICY WHICH CAN BE FOUND AT WWW.EXCITETOURS.COM/TERMS-CONDITIONS







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