

JEWELS OF ALASKA

A haven for nature lovers, Alaska is home to sweeping landscapes, calving glaciers and spectacular national parks, wildlife and breathtaking views.



INSIGHT EXPERIENCES
TOP RATED HIGHLIGHTS

ANCHORAGE:
Expand your understanding of Alaska's first people with a private presentation at the renowned Alaska Native Heritage Centre.

BIG LAKE:
Enjoy a chance to meet the dogs of a championship dog musher and learn about Alaskan Huskies and Arctic dog sleigh racers.

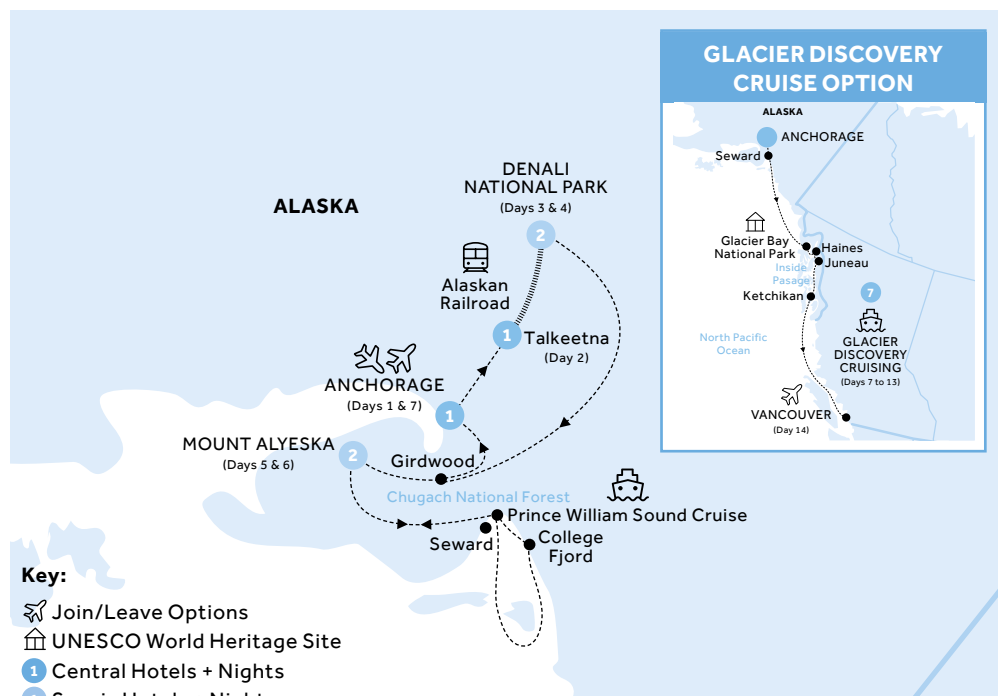
SEWARD:
Visit the aquarium and learn about the wildlife rescue efforts with a researcher from the Alaska SeaLife Centre.

DENALI:
Meet a local climber at a private reception and hear first-hand about their experience climbing the tallest land-based mountain in the world.

ALASKAN RAILROAD:
Relax on this flagship train and enjoy stunning scenery, all the way to Denali National Park and Preserve.

Keep a lookout for local wildlife during a cruise on Prince William Sound

GLACIER DISCOVERY CRUISE OPTION



- Key:**
- Join/Leave Options
 - UNESCO World Heritage Site
 - Central Hotels + Nights
 - Scenic Hotels + Nights

FROM \$450 PER DAY

SMALLER GROUPS

COACH WITH EXTRA LEGROOM

YOUR ITINERARY - AT A GLANCE

LAND ONLY: 7 DAYS | 1 COUNTRY | 6 BREAKFASTS | 2 LUNCHES | 3 DINNERS | 9 INCLUDED EXPERIENCES

TRIP PLANNER - 7 OR 14 DAYS

EARLY PAYMENT DISCOUNT SAVE UP TO \$338pp

TRIP CODE: AJAK
7 DAY LAND ONLY

STARTS	ENDS	TWIN	STARTS	ENDS	TWIN
Mon 20 May	Sun 26 May	\$3150	Mon 15 Jul	Sun 21 Jul	\$3375
			Mon 29 Jul	Sun 04 Aug	\$3375
Mon 10 Jun	Sun 16 Jun	\$3375	Mon 12 Aug	Sun 18 Aug	\$3375
Mon 17 Jun	Sun 23 Jun	\$3375	Mon 19 Aug	Sun 25 Aug	\$3375
Mon 01 Jul	Sun 07 Jul	\$3375	Mon 02 Sep	Sun 08 Sep	\$3375

TRIP CODE: AJAI

14 DAY LAND & CRUISE INSIDE CABIN

STARTS	ENDS	TWIN	STARTS	ENDS	TWIN
Mon 20 May	Sun 02 Jun	\$4480	Mon 15 Jul	Sun 28 Jul	\$5135
			Mon 29 Jul	Sun 11 Aug	\$5135
Mon 10 Jun	Sun 23 Jun	\$5035	Mon 12 Aug	Sun 25 Aug	\$5135
Mon 17 Jun	Sun 30 Jun	\$5035	Mon 19 Aug	Sun 01 Sept	\$4935
Mon 01 Jul	Sun 14 Jul	\$5135	Mon 02 Sep	Sun 15 Sep	\$4935

TRIP CODE: AJAZ

14 DAY LAND & CRUISE OCEAN VIEW CABIN

STARTS	ENDS	TWIN	STARTS	ENDS	TWIN
Mon 20 May	Sun 02 Jun	\$4910	Mon 15 Jul	Sun 28 Jul	\$5560
			Mon 29 Jul	Sun 11 Aug	\$5560
Mon 10 Jun	Sun 23 Jun	\$5460	Mon 12 Aug	Sun 25 Aug	\$5560
Mon 17 Jun	Sun 30 Jun	\$5460	Mon 19 Aug	Sun 01 Sept	\$5360
Mon 01 Jul	Sun 14 Jul	\$5560	Mon 02 Sep	Sun 15 Sep	\$5360

TRIP CODE: AJAB

14 DAY LAND & CRUISE VERANDAH CABIN

STARTS	ENDS	TWIN	STARTS	ENDS	TWIN
Mon 20 May	Sun 02 Jun	\$5410	Mon 15 Jul	Sun 28 Jul	\$6360
			Mon 29 Jul	Sun 11 Aug	\$6360
Mon 10 Jun	Sun 23 Jun	\$6160	Mon 12 Aug	Sun 25 Aug	\$6360
Mon 17 Jun	Sun 30 Jun	\$6160	Mon 19 Aug	Sun 01 Sept	\$5935
Mon 01 Jul	Sun 14 Jul	\$6360	Mon 02 Sep	Sun 15 Sep	\$5935

NOTES: Twin prices are per person. Guaranteed Room Share is not available on Land and Cruise options. Single and Triple cruise staterooms are available on a request basis only. These departures are sailing on the MS Noordam. All other departures are sailing on the MS Westerdam.

Supplements: Above prices include Cruise Fees, Taxes & Tips of \$585 and are accurate as of 01 May 2018. For up-to-date pricing please visit our website. These compulsory charges are levied by the cruise line and comprise a Non-Discountable Amount, Government Fees, Taxes and Tips/Gratuities - see Terms and Conditions for details. For activities marked with a ♦ in the day-by-day itinerary, participation is at your own risk and a signed liability waiver will be required.

FURTHER SAVINGS UP TO: Young Traveller \$338 p.p. | Triple Room Reduction \$295 p.p. | 2nd Trip \$85 p.p. | Past Guest \$169 p.p.

EXTRA NIGHT HOTELS PER PERSON - SEASONAL ADJUSTMENTS

DATES APPLY: Anchorage: Sheraton Anchorage Hotel and Spa Twin \$181 | Single \$366 | Triple \$130. Vancouver: Four Seasons Hotel Vancouver Twin \$141 | Single \$282 | Triple \$113.

ONE WAY TRANSFER FOR EXTRA NIGHT ACCOMMODATION:

Anchorage: \$34 p.p. Vancouver: \$23 p.p.

LAND ONLY ROOMING OPTIONS: Single Supplement \$1195 p.p.

LAND AND CRUISE ROOMING OPTIONS: Single Supplement from \$1995 p.p. up to \$3695 p.p.

14-DAY LAND TRIP AND CRUISE - TRIPLE STATEROOM REDUCTION:

Save up to - Inside \$475 p.p. Ocean-View \$625 p.p. Verandah \$850 p.p.

PRE-PAID GRATUITIES OPTION: For your Travel Director & Driver: \$81 p.p. (7-day)



DAY 1 ANCHORAGE, THE CITY OF LIGHTS AND FLOWERS.

Welcome to Alaska. Upon arrival at Anchorage International Airport, you'll be transferred to your hotel.



Join your Travel Director and fellow travellers at 18:00 for a Welcome Dinner at MUSE, located in the Anchorage Museum. (DW)



Sheraton Anchorage Hotel and Spa.

●●●●● | Traditional | 📶

DAY 2 ANCHORAGE SIGHTSEEING TO TALKEETNA.

Get acquainted with Anchorage with an included city tour. Visit the Alaska Native Heritage Centre and learn about the fascinating traditions of Alaska's first people during a private presentation. In the afternoon, depart Anchorage for the quaint community of Talkeetna, nestled at the base of Mount Denali, North America's tallest peak. Upon arrival, meet a bush pilot who will share fascinating stories about the joys and hazards of flying in rural Alaska. The evening is yours at leisure, so ask your Travel Director for suggestions on where is best to head for a bite to eat. (B)



Talkeetna Alaskan Lodge.

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DAY 3 JOURNEY ALONG THE ALASKAN RAILROAD.

The morning is yours to explore more of Talkeetna. Later, board the world-famous Alaskan Railroad train for a spectacular journey over swift-rushing streams, towards Denali National Park and Preserve. View the majestic surroundings from the comfort of your glass-domed railcar before meeting a local climber who will tell stories about what it's like to brave a climb up the tallest land-based mountain in the world.



In the evening, enjoy a Highlight Dinner hosted by Alaska Cabin Nite Dinner Theatre. This theatrical dinner mixes old-time Alaska with storytelling, music and humor as you join a cast of characters in a tale of adventure in 1900s Alaska. The menu includes hearty Alaskan classics such as salmon, barbeque ribs and corn. (B) (DW)



Grande Denali Lodge.

●●●●● | Traditional | 📶

DAY 4 · RELAXED START DENALI NATIONAL PARK, THE CROWN JEWEL OF THE ALASKAN WILDERNESS.

With the Denali National Park and Preserve just a short drive away from your hotel, you'll find a number of ways to enjoy the Alaskan wilderness on your own, or spend the day partaking in one of our optional activities. From an exciting rafting trip down the Nenana River* to a helicopter flightseeing tour for close-up views of Mount Denali, the choice is yours – just don't forget your camera! End the day back at your lodge and enjoy panoramic views of your surroundings at night. (B)

DAY 5 GIRDWOOD AND MOUNT ALYESKA.

Enjoy a scenic journey on the George Parks Highway. After lunch, meet the champion dog team of four-time Iditarod winner, Martin Buser and learn about the challenges of competing in the 1,049-mile (1,688 km) dogsled race. Journey on the Seward Highway along Turnagain Arm with its dramatic views, before arriving in the town of Girdwood, home of the Alyeska Resort and ski area. Ride the aerial gondola for sweeping views of the mountains and sea. The evening is free for you to enjoy. (B) (L)



The Hotel Alyeska.

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DAY 6 · RELAXED START PRINCE WILLIAM SOUND CRUISE.

Today is devoted to the 26-Glacier Cruise through Prince William Sound and College Fjord. Experience the thunderous calving of glaciers and keep your eyes open for sea otters, porpoises, and whales.



In the evening, join your Travel Director for a wonderful Celebration Dinner, featuring a variety of local seafood specialities, complete with wine and good cheer.

You'll get some shut eye at the luxurious Hotel Alyeska, which is nestled in a lush valley surrounded by mountain peaks, hanging glaciers and spectacular ocean views. (B) (L) (DW)

YOUR ITINERARY - AT A GLANCE

LAND AND CRUISE: 14 DAYS | 2 COUNTRIES | 13 BREAKFASTS | 8 LUNCHESES | 10 DINNERS | 9 INCLUDED EXPERIENCES

DAY 7



SEWARD TO JOIN YOUR GLACIER DISCOVERY CRUISE OR RETURN TO ANCHORAGE.

Visit the aquariums of the Alaska SeaLife Centre in Seward and enjoy an exclusive presentation about their marine research and rehabilitation programme. Have lunch and explore downtown at your own pace. Your Travel Director will be on hand to give you a few recommendations. Return to Anchorage and transfer to the airport or head to the trip hotel for guests extending their stay. Airport arrival will be at 17:00. If you're continuing your journey on the Glacier Discovery Cruise to Vancouver, you will be transferred to the Port of Seward to board the MS Westerdam, where you will enjoy dinner and set sail in the evening. While on board, the cruise line will provide you with options and activities for the day, so whether you want to stay on the ship or explore more on land, the choice is yours. You'll also have a wide range of meal options to choose from throughout your journey. Information about these will be given by the cruise line once on board. (B) (D)

Holland America's MS Westerdam | ●●●● | Cruise

DAY 8



SCENIC CRUISING – COLLEGE FJORD.

Admire the massive glaciers of College Fjord in Prince William Sound and keep your eyes open for abundant wildlife and maybe even one of the 40-ton humpback whales that come to the waters of Alaska each summer. (B) (L) (D)

DAY 9



SCENIC CRUISING – GLACIER BAY NATIONAL PARK.

Today you'll catch Glacier Bay National Park's immense glaciers, towering peaks and icy rivers and imagine what Alaska was like before the first humans arrived. (B) (L) (D)

DAY 10



CRUISING – HAINES.

Haines—home to autumn's famous Alaska Bald Eagle Festival—lies alongside the longest fjord in America. Visit galleries offering traditional Tlingit art in the quaint downtown. (B) (L) (D)

DAY 11



CRUISING – JUNEAU.

Stroll Juneau's picturesque streets, stopping in eclectic shops and saloons from the Gold

Rush era. Perhaps embark on an optional trip on the Mount Roberts Tramway for exhilarating views of the harbour and nearby mountains. (B) (L) (D)

DAY 12



CRUISING – KETCHIKAN.

Check out the world's largest collection of standing totem poles, intricately carved with native designs. Perhaps take an optional guided tour through town or a floatplane flightseeing trip. (B) (L) (D)

DAY 13



SCENIC CRUISING – INSIDE PASSAGE.

Revel in the scenery as you slowly glide past a maze of bays, glacier-carved fjords and waterways protected from the open sea by rugged, isolated islands. (B) (L) (D)

DAY 14



DEPART VANCOUVER.

Sail into the iconic Vancouver Harbour early this morning. After disembarking, take your transfer to Vancouver International Airport or to the Four Seasons Hotel Vancouver if you wish to extend your stay and explore more of this diverse city. Airport arrival will be at approximately 09:30. (B)



Taking in incredible natural sights on the water

ALL INCLUDED EXPERIENCES & DINING WORTH APPROXIMATELY \$911

Please see inside front cover for information key on dining, sightseeing and itinerary icons.