

# Shore Excursions

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# Booking & CONFIRMATION

## EXPLORE WITH SHORE EXCURSIONS

Make the most of your time ashore by booking a shore excursion with Holland America Line. For more information, or to book now, log into [HollandAmerica.com](https://HollandAmerica.com) and click on “Manage My Cruise”, or speak with one of our dedicated Shore Excursions agents by calling 1-800-425-9376. Secure your spot in advance, make payments easily, and receive confirmation along with your estimated departure times. Book early to ensure you secure the tour that is right for you before sailing. Additional information may be found at the end of this guide.

### QUALITY & SERVICE

- Our team of licensed, insured and locally sourced experts, guides and tour operators love to showcase their regional experiences.
- Receive expert advice with both our dedicated call center and onboard with our Shore Excursion team.
- Get the best value with our Best Price Guarantee.

### PEACE OF MIND

- Be the first off the ship and enjoy the comfort of a guaranteed return if any delays occur.
- Maximize your time ashore by directly visiting top attractions without the hassle of waiting, getting lost, or currency exchanges.

- Most tours can be cancelled up until 48 hours prior.
- Our tour schedules align perfectly with your voyage itinerary, allowing you to enjoy multiple excursions in one day.

### UNIQUE EXPERIENCES AND LOCAL FLAVORS

- Our curated shore excursions offer travelers a deep connection with local cultures and culinary hot spots at each destination.
- Enjoy exclusive experiences like private vineyard tours, cooking classes with top chefs, and unique wildlife encounters.
- Discover hidden gems and off the beaten path locations with our locally sourced guides for a more intimate and enriching travel experience.



## ICON KEY

Choose the shore excursions that interest you by using the icons. These icons will help you to interpret this brochure.

**E EASY ACTIVITY:**  
Very light activity including short distances to walk; may include steps.

**M MODERATE ACTIVITY:**  
Requires intermittent effort throughout, including walking medium distances over uneven surfaces and/or steps.

**S STRENUOUS ACTIVITY:**  
Requires active participation, walking long distances over uneven and steep terrain or on steps. In certain instances, paddling or other non-walking activity is required, and guests must be able to participate without discomfort or difficulty breathing.

**MEAL:**  
This tour includes a meal — lunch on daytime tours or dinner on evening tours.

**SNACK:**  
This tour includes a small snack or tasting of local specialties — not a meal.

**BEST PRICE GUARANTEE** Book your shore excursions with total confidence that you're getting the best value. Find a better price on any tour we offer, and we'll refund 110 percent of the difference in the form of an onboard credit. See the last page for General Terms & Conditions for more details.



# 7-DAY GLACIER DISCOVERY NORTHBOUND

Departs Vancouver, B.C., CA - Arrives Whittier, Alaska, US

**Westerdam**

July 19 - July 26, 2026



DAY	DATE	PORT	ARRIVE	DEPART
Sun	Jul 19	Vancouver, B.C., CA		3:00pm
Mon	Jul 20	Scenic Cruising The Inside Passage		
Tue	Jul 21	Ketchikan, Alaska, US	6:30am	3:00pm
Wed	Jul 22	Juneau, Alaska, US	10:00am	9:30pm
Thu	Jul 23	Skagway, Alaska, US	7:00am	9:00pm
Fri	Jul 24	Glacier Bay	7:00am	4:00pm
Sat	Jul 25	College Fjord	6:00pm	8:00pm
Sun	Jul 26	Whittier, Alaska, US	1:00am	





# Vancouver, B.C., CA

Sunday,  
July 19, 2026

Galleries, boutiques, colorful public markets, restaurants of every ethnicity: this vital port city has them all. Visit vibrant Chinatown and Stanley Park, with its 1,000 acres of forests, gardens, lakes and lawns in the heart of the city.

## EMBARKATION TOUR: CAPILANO CANYON WALK & CITY HIGHLIGHTS WITH SHIP TRANSFER



Duration: **Approximately 4½ hours**

Departs at **8:30 am**

Price: Adult **\$154.95**; Child **\$99.95**

**Vancouver** is one of the world's incomparably naturally beautiful cities. Enjoy a **scenic panoramic drive** through the bustling downtown waterfront and residential districts en route to Stanley Park -- a magnificent thousand-acre rainforest in the downtown core.

**Stanley Park** boasts one of the largest urban forests in North America and is a premier Vancouver attraction. The West Coast climate supports an abundance of flora and fauna; a wonderful variety of wildlife calls this sanctuary home. At the eastern tip of Stanley Park is Brockton Point and its famed **Native Totem Garden**. Colorful, carved works of art stand proud and tall in commemoration of the First Nations that originally inhabited the area. Your knowledgeable guide will tell you the stories behind the totems.



Cross the **Lions Gate Bridge** to reach the mountainous North Shore. You will **walk** across the 160-foot-high **Lynn Canyon Suspension Bridge**, spanning an incredible gorge and waterfalls.

At the **Capilano River Canyon**, your eco-guide will walk you through the breathtaking rainforest surroundings. Learn about how trees collaborate and communicate to survive and how the forest makes us healthy and happy. You'll marvel at the area's diverse plant life and discover lichen, moss, ferns, and flowering plants, all growing under the mantle of some of the oldest and largest trees in BC.

View the Cleveland Dam from the base of the canyon -- it provides 30-40% of Vancouver's drinking water -- and learn about Pacific salmon at a **hatchery and fish ladder**.

**Walk** among giant cedars, towering Douglas firs and mature hemlock trees. Why was the western red cedar known as the Tree of Life to the First Nations people? Your guide has the answers. Learn the medicinal significance of the yew tree and how all the forest's inhabitants contribute to its delicate balance.

Enjoy a **gourmet snack** on the vehicle as you transfer to the ship in time for embarkation.

**Notes:** This tour is available only to guests embarking the ship in Vancouver. The pick-up

point is street front, at Canada Place located at 999 Canada Place, in front of the Cruise Ship Terminal / East Convention Centre / Pan Pacific Hotel. A representative with a "Holland America Pre-Cruise" sign will be street front at this location at 8:00 am to register guests and check luggage. Bus departs at 8:30 am. There are no pick-up points at local hotels; make your own arrangements to get to the listed address with all of your luggage (at your own expense) a minimum of 15 minutes prior to planned departure time, as the coach will not wait. Please note, the Lynn Canyon Suspension Bridge is closed for maintenance from Sep 1 - Dec 30, 2025; a visit to the Cypress Trestle Bridge will be substituted.

# Ketchikan, Alaska, US

Tuesday,  
July 21, 2026

Built out over the water and climbing weathered stairways, Ketchikan clings to the shores of Tongass Narrows and drapes the mountains with a cheerful air. Besides the main attractions - Creek Street, the Tongass Historical Museum, Totem Bight State Park and Saxman Village, try a wilderness cruise to breathtaking Misty Fjords National Monument--a transformational adventure not to be missed. These deep water fjords left by retreating glaciers left granite cliffs towering thousands of feet above the sea and countless waterfalls cascading into placid waters. The souvenir photos you'll take from the pontoons of the plane are worth the trip alone.

## ALASKA FISHING & WILDERNESS DINING



Duration: **Approximately 5 hours**

Departs at **7:00 am**

Price: Adult **\$444.95**; Child **\$399.95**

Perfect for serious fisher-people and for families seeking a personalized tour, this tour is customized for your interest and **fishing** skill level with just six guests per boat. The light tackle used ensures that even average-sized fish are exciting and rewarding to bring aboard.

At the marina, you're outfitted head to toe. Board an **open-air skiff** and glide into a breathtaking landscape of secluded locations, ideal for wildlife viewing and remote fishing. With your custom light tackle, you'll experience



the thrill of angling for numerous bottom fish species and whichever of the five Pacific salmon species are in season. You'll work as a group to bring fish aboard and provide for the gourmet wilderness meal you're about to enjoy.

At a wilderness campsite, a **crackling fire** awaits. You'll settle into the stillness of the rainforest, rest on a beach log, and breathe deeply among centuries-old spruce trees and fragrant cedars. A **wilderness dining** chef celebrates the group's catch with a meal featuring the fish you just caught. Depending on your catch, you might dine on bottom fish served atop a saffron-infused bouillabaisse or salmon grilled over the fire in true Alaska fashion. Enjoy fire-warmed sourdough rolls, rhubarb-blueberry bread pudding and a steaming mug of coffee or hot chocolate. Whichever of the fifty species you keep for lunch, your five-star gourmet meal is a once-in-a-lifetime experience.

Your tour concludes with a short **walk** back to the ship and fish tales to share with friends old and new.

### Notes:

Maximum capacity is six guests. Participants must be physically active, as this tour requires negotiating uneven terrain, and the skiff is open to the elements. Dress warmly in layers with a wind- and waterproof outer layer; bring gloves, a scarf and a warm hat. Rain gear, rubber boots, comfortable float jackets, wool socks, hats,



gloves, fishing equipment and tackle are provided. Minimum age is 5 years. Maximum weight is 350 lbs. Not advisable for guests using a wheelchair. Wildlife sightings are likely but are not guaranteed. A catch is likely but is not guaranteed. The Alaska Department of Fish & Game implements conservation measures to protect king salmon; restrictions on keeping your catch may apply. Please check directly with the Alaska Department of Fish & Game for restrictions specific to your tour date. All participants aged 16 and older must purchase a fishing license in advance by following these steps:

- > Visit <https://store.adfg.alaska.gov/>
- > Choose "Shop as a Guest" and enter the required information
- > Choose "Fishing, Hunting, Trapping Licenses & Stamps"
- > Under Short-Term Products, use the drop-down menu to select the Sport Fishing License for the correct term (if you will fish on multiple days, purchase a term that will cover all applicable dates)
- > Do not pre-purchase a king salmon stamp. At the start of the tour, consult with your guide if you are interested in fishing for salmon
- > Enter the date and time you will start fishing
- > Add to your cart and checkout
- > Bring a printed copy of your license

In the event of tour cancellation, submit a written request to the Alaska Department of Fish & Game for a refund of your license fee.

## AUTHENTIC ALASKA FISHING

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Duration: **Approximately 5 hours**

Departs at **7:30 am**

Price: Adult **\$479.95**; Child **\$439.95**

Salmon, cod, rockfish, and ling cod are the order of the day on this highly adaptable adventure fishing excursion. Anyone can put a line in the water, but it takes skill to catch the variety of fish species that Alaska's waters offer. You and your guide are free to chase whatever species offers the best chance of action in the moment. This five-hour trip is about fun, fishing flexibility, and adventure.

If the salmon are running, your guide is likely to recommend a day spent trolling through schools of pink, silver, and the elusive mighty king salmon. If you're looking to have fun hooking fish on light tackle, you'll seek out schools of rockfish suspended in the water column. On a particularly calm day, you might run farther in search of Pacific cod and ling cod.

Along the way, you'll see primeval forests and sheer mountains, with a good chance of spotting marine mammals such as whales, porpoises and seals. Catch a fish? Now enjoy every bite, perfectly prepared by an expert chef and served on board the ship. The Savour My Catch program is a true ocean-to-fork experience and is available with this fishing adventure.

Note:

Minimum age is 5 years. Minimum weight is 30 lbs; maximum weight is 300 lbs. Deck or rubber-soled shoes must be worn on board. Dress warmly in layers with a windproof and waterproof outer layer. Rain gear, rubber boots, comfortable float jackets, wool socks, hat and

gloves are provided, as well as all fishing equipment and tackle. A boxed snack includes smoked salmon dip, crackers, fruit, and a cookie. Guests who choose to have their fish processed and sent home (to the US only) will need to bring their credit card to pay for processing. A catch is likely but is not guaranteed. Although this tour is included in the Savour My Catch program; there is no guarantee that your catch will meet the required food safety standards (temperature, condition, color, etc) upon delivery to the ship; the ship's food preparation staff will assess your catch's suitability. All fish not being kept for Savour My Catch or shipping are released safely back into the wild. You will not fish for halibut on this trip; if you encounter one in the process of chasing other species, it will be released. The Alaska Department of Fish & Game implements conservation measures to protect king salmon; restrictions on keeping your catch may apply. Please check directly with the Alaska Department of Fish & Game for restrictions specific to your tour date. Only fish species that do not have restrictions in place can be shipped home or delivered to the ship for Savour My Catch.

All participants aged 16 and older must purchase a fishing license in advance by following these steps:

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- > Choose "Shop as a Guest" and enter the required information
- > Choose "Fishing, Hunting, Trapping Licenses & Stamps"
- > Under Short-Term Products, use the drop-down menu to select the Sport Fishing License for the correct term (if you will fish on multiple days, purchase a term that will cover all

applicable dates)

- > Do not pre-purchase a king salmon stamp. At the start of the tour, consult with your guide if you are interested in fishing for salmon
- > Enter the date and time you will start fishing
- > Add to your cart and checkout
- > Bring a printed copy of your license and a screenshot as backup

In the event of tour cancellation, submit a written request to the Alaska Department of Fish & Game for a refund of your license fee.

## BEAR ENCOUNTER BY LAND & SEA



Duration: **Approximately 4¾ hours**

Departs at **8:45 am**

Price: Adult **\$399.95**; Child **\$359.95**

Ready for a genuine Alaskan bear encounter? This trip to Neets Bay offers beautiful scenery and a wealth of wildlife, including bears.

Your day begins with a narrated motorcoach ride to the pier. You'll board a 36-passenger **boat** and set out for adventure toward the **Neets Bay Bear Observatory**. Neets Bay is a pristine wilderness area limited to a small number of visitors annually. The splendor of the Tongass National Forest is breathtaking, offering numerous photo opportunities. Watch for whales, eagles and sea lions en route.

Southeast Alaska is home to thousands of **black bears**, who stake their claim near salmon-spawning streams. Near the base of such a stream, learn about the habitat you're about to explore and the bears you'll observe. Enjoy the serenity of the lush forest and a chance to spot

smaller woodland creatures from the well-maintained **forest trail** as you walk through the forest towards the stream.

Questions? Great! Your guide has all the answers about these majestic ursine mammals and will gladly share that knowledge. Breathtaking photo ops document your co-existence with these incredible creatures in their own habitat. You may even see the bears teaching their young to fish or relaxing after a meal of fresh pink salmon. Nothing compares to being near these beautiful creatures in the wild.

## Notes:

Bottled water and light snacks are included. Terrain includes even and uneven surfaces, gravel, dirt with roots, steps, rocks, and water channels. Wear sturdy non-skid walking shoes. Dress warmly in layers with a windproof and waterproof outer layer; bring a warm hat, gloves and a scarf. Bears have an acute sense of smell; do not wear strong scent or bring food of any kind. Pets and service animals are not allowed on tour. Not advisable for guests using a wheelchair or for those with mobility limitations. Wildlife sightings are likely but are not guaranteed. Seasonal ecosystem changes result in varying levels of wildlife activity, and there are times when bears will not be present; please keep this in mind when booking.

## CITY HIGHLIGHTS, TOTEMS & CREEK STREET BY TROLLEY



Duration: **Approximately 1¼ hours**  
Departs at **11:30 am**  
Price: Adult **\$69.95**; Child **\$39.95**

Learn the history and culture of **Ketchikan** as you travel aboard a **festive trolley**. You will be entertained by a lively guide while passing by

some of the city's most colorful landmarks.

Travel through downtown Ketchikan and pass the bustling boat harbor, lush City Park and beautiful Ketchikan Creek. Next, you can stretch your legs on a brief photo and shopping stop.

Photograph majestic **totems** up close, and shop at one of Ketchikan's finest stores to purchase authentic Native-made items and curios.

Finally, you're off to **Creek Street** -- Ketchikan's historic red-light district. You will have **free time** to explore Creek Street on your own. Your trolley driver will offer you a return ride to the ship, or you can enjoy the downtown area's many shops and eateries and make your own way back.

## Notes:

Not advisable for guests using a wheelchair.

## EAGLE ISLANDS SEA KAYAK



Duration: **Approximately 3½ hours**  
Departs at **8:00 am**  
Price: Adult **\$129.95**; Child **\$99.95**

Your paddle in the **Tongass National Forest** begins with a 25-minute ride to a private kayak center on a quiet waterway at Clover Pass.

Meet your **tandem kayak** and listen to a safety briefing from your guide. Gain confidence as you paddle out to **Eagle Islands**. The protected waters provide the opportunity to experience the tranquil, lush green setting of the Tongass National Forest.

You will learn about the natural and cultural history of the area while keeping a keen eye out



for bald eagles and their nests, seals, jumping salmon and sea stars when the tide conditions are right.

## Notes:

Minimum age is 6 years; maximum age is 85 years. Maximum weight is 265 lbs. Maximum height is 6' 7". Approximately 1.75 hours of paddling. Single and triple kayaks are available. Dress warmly in layers. Wear a hat or beanie; bring gloves and a scarf.

## EXCLUSIVE COASTAL CRUISE & OYSTER FARM WITH OCEAN-TO-TABLE TASTING



Duration: **Approximately 3¼ hours**

Departs at **8:30 am**

Price: **\$189.95**

Set out on this **small-group eco-tour** with a maximum of 14 privileged guests.

You're headed to the scenic **Tongass Narrows** -- one of the most picturesque locations in Alaska. Hump Island -- the only oyster farm in the state -- is located here. Your visit will tantalize your taste buds and showcase the natural wonders of the Alaska Archipelago. You do not need to be a fan of oysters to have a great time on this tour.

A narrated ride by **van** along a coastal road brings you to **Bonfire Bay**. Board a USCG-certified **boat** here, complete with heated indoor seating, for the short cruise to the **Hump Island Oyster Farm**. Keep an eye out for whales, seals, sea lions and eagles en route to your destination. The outside deck offers unobstructed views and fantastic photo opportunities.

The **oyster farm team** provides an engaging introduction to the facility, the oyster-growing process, and the cultivation of the shellfish from the width of a thumbnail to market size.

Get better acquainted with the thriving, prickly, smooth, slippery and slimy endemic marine wildlife of the clear and clean Southeast Alaska waters through the educational **hands-on touch tank**. Hear stories of life in a small Alaskan community. Footage from an underwater drone gives you a feel for the ecosystem surrounding the oyster rafts and the oysters' food sources.

Lead with your taste buds at the on-site **floating Oyster Bar**, where you will sample freshly-harvested oyster and kelp products in a true ocean-to-table experience.

Browse in the **gift shop** before returning to the ship by boat and van.

## Notes:

Minimum weight is 40 lbs. Wear sturdy non-skid walking shoes. Wildlife sightings are likely but are not guaranteed. Participants must be able to navigate multiple steps, uneven surfaces and a ramp that can be steep at low tide.

## EXCLUSIVE WILDERNESS ZODIAC QUEST



Duration: **Approximately 3½ hours**

Departs at **8:30 am**

Price: Adult **\$269.95**; Child **\$259.95**

Enjoy a scenic drive through historic downtown Ketchikan, past the totems of Saxman Native Village, and along the beautiful coastline of the Tongass Narrows.

Walk a rainforest trail to the Beaver Falls Salmon

Cannery. Here, you'll don rain gear, rubber boots and a life jacket and listen to a safety briefing. Get behind the wheel of a motorized Zodiac boat and take off on an exhilarating adventure through George Inlet Fjord. Follow the lead guide caravan style as you steer yourself on a route tailored to the day's conditions. This region has mountainous terrain, lush forest, and pristine scenery.

Your guide will share the rich stories of the loggers from the timber years and the nearby fishing camps. From the natural sounds of the flowing waterfalls to the hidden coves, keep your eyes open for active wildlife, including bald eagles, harbor seals, Sitka black-tail deer, black bears, and salmon streams.

Routes may vary upon the tide levels but can include a zip up to the mouth of Mahoney Glacial Cirque, Mahoney Asche Mine, Coon Cove, and White River Cove.

After cruising for 75 minutes, return to the cannery for a flight of locally crafted beers and a snack of cheese and reindeer sausage before returning to the ship.

## Notes:

Minimum age is 6 years; maximum age is 80 years. Minimum weight is 40 lbs; maximum weight is 300 lbs. Minimum age to drive is 25 years of age with a valid driver's license. Parties of one or two will share a boat with another party; at most two guests per zodiac will have a chance to drive. Route may change due to tide and weather. Minimum age to drink alcohol is 21 years with valid photo ID. Not advisable for guests using a wheelchair. Depending on weather conditions, the seas could become rough. Not suitable for guests who are pregnant or have a back or neck condition.

## FLIGHTSEEING & A TASTE OF

## ALASKA



Duration: **Approximately 3 hours**

Departs at **11:15 am**

Price: **\$429.95**

Combine Ketchikan's spectacular scenery with mountaintop flightseeing and an authentic Alaskan seafood feast at a five-star fishing resort.

A De Havilland Beaver or Otter floatplane aircraft roars to life, and you take off from the water with an individual headset and a guaranteed window seat. Glide over the Tongass Narrows, viewing bustling communities and Southeast Alaska's sprawling wilderness below.

Watch for remote indigenous communities, abandoned mining towns, high alpine lakes, breathtaking snowcapped mountains, the lush green Tongass National Forest, and the beautiful blue water of the Inside Passage.

The tour operator has an exclusive right to land at Salmon Falls Resort beside the tranquil waters of Clover Pass Inlet. Here, you'll step inside the lodge for a warm welcome. Photograph the famous waterfall, savor a delicious meal in the Timbers dining room with a salad, salmon lox crostini, local seafood including Dungeness crab cake, salmon and halibut, and an Alaskan beer or wine of your choice. Berry cobbler with streusel topping provides the perfect conclusion.

A beautiful 25-minute coastal drive provides a glimpse into Ketchikan's vibrant waterfront community as you return to the ship by road.

## Notes:

Guests weighing 250 lbs or more (fully clothed) will be assessed a weight surcharge of \$168. The surcharge can be paid in advance or directly to the tour operator just prior to the flight. This tour is accessible to guests with some mobility limitations -- visit the Shore Excursions team on board for details. Not advisable for guests using a wheelchair. Large bags/backpacks are not permitted inside the floatplane. Wildlife sightings are likely but are not guaranteed. Brunch is served on tours departing the ship before 10am, with fruit salad, mini salmon bagels, crab cake eggs benedict, and a berry yogurt parfait. Children up to and including the day prior to their second birthday can be added (at no cost) to the parent's weight if seated on the parent's lap (maximum weight remains at 250 lbs); each child aged 2 years or older is required by the FAA to occupy a paid seat. Tour sequence may vary. In the event the flight portion of the tour is canceled due to weather conditions, the tour will be operated with meal only; participants will receive a refund of \$270.

## GREAT ALASKAN LUMBERJACK SHOW & AXE THROW CHALLENGE

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Duration: **Approximately 2½ hours**

Departs at **11:30 am**

Price: Adult **\$69.95**; Child **\$39.95**

Just a brief stroll from the pier, experience the vibrant history of southeast Alaska's logging legacy in the **Great Alaskan Lumberjack Show** -- an exhilarating competitive show suitable for all ages.

This gripping showdown features Alaska's frontier lumberjacks facing off against British Columbia's top woodsmen, vying for the coveted title of Bull of the Woods. Marvel at world-champion athletes engaging in springboard chopping, buck sawing, axe

throwing, log rolling, and a thrilling 50-foot tree climb, while an entertaining host explains lumberjack folklore.

Capture memories with the lumberjacks during a post-show photo session.

Adrenaline flows and the excitement continues as **you participate in the axe-throwing competition**. Learn the art of hurling a seven-pound razor-sharp axe. After a bit of practice, go head-to-head in a thrilling competition against fellow participants.

Return to the ship at your own pace, rounding out a day filled with unforgettable experiences.

### Notes:

Minimum age is 10 years. Waiver must be signed, and medical conditions disclosed. Participants must be able-bodied and have full use of their arms. Wear closed-toe walking shoes. The axe-throwing area is lined with mulch and has three steps down to the area. Tour sequence may vary. Observers can purchase the Great Alaskan Lumberjack Show standalone tour at the same departure time. Tour operates rain or shine as you are seated in a heated and covered grandstand, but may be canceled by the operator in the event of extremely bad weather or unsuitable conditions. Tour sequence may vary. Video recording is not permitted, but still photos are allowed.

## HISTORIC WILDERNESS FLIGHTSEEING BY SEAPLANE

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Duration: **Approximately 2 hours**

Departs at **11:30 am**

Price: **\$399.95**

This **flight** aboard an authentic **Alaska seaplane** -



- a de Havilland Beaver or Otter -- offers some of Southeast Alaska's most spectacular scenery from a window seat.

Put on your headset to hear your pilot's pre-recorded narration as you soar over the historic downtown Ketchikan and waterfront community, the Tongass Narrows and Guard Island's colorful homes, and remote cabins.

Fly along Behm Canal and Back Island -- home to a US Navy nuclear acoustic measurement testing facility. Watch for Clover Pass Resort, Knudsen Cove, the Hump Island Oyster Farm and Salmon Falls Resort. View Escape Point, where Captain George Vancouver and the Native Americans once skirmished, and Traitor's Cove.

Head north over Neets Bay Salmon Hatchery -- a popular bear-viewing site -- and past glacier-carved canals, pristine mountain peaks, and silt-laden aqua waters. See Helm Bay, a former gold mine site, cascading waterfalls, jewel-like lakes, spruce, hemlock, cedar forests, and snowcapped peaks.

## Notes:

Guests weighing 250 lbs or more (fully clothed) will be assessed a weight surcharge of \$168. The surcharge is paid directly to the tour operator just prior to the flight. This tour can be canceled without penalty either on the day your voyage commences or up until 12 noon on Day 2 of your voyage. Cancellations thereafter are non-refundable. Dress warmly in layers with a wind- and waterproof outer layer; bring gloves, a scarf and a warm hat. The FAA requires passenger names and weights. This tour is accessible to guests with some mobility limitations. Not advisable for guests using a wheelchair or walking device. Large bags/backpacks are not allowed on board the

aircraft except for medical needs. All other bags will be stored for you. Wildlife sightings are likely but are not guaranteed. Infants up to and including the day before their second birthday can be considered a lap child and should be added to the parent's weight they will be sitting on and are at no cost. Thereafter, each child is required by the FAA to have a seat and will be charged accordingly.

## KETCHIKAN PHOTO SAFARI



Duration: **Approximately 3 hours**

Departs at **7:00 am; 8:00 am; 10:30 am; 11:30 am**

Price: Adult **\$144.95**; Child **\$114.95**

Set out on this excursion that is ideal both for photography enthusiasts and for those who just want to bring home the best possible holiday snaps. A **professional photographer** will mentor you, offering practical hints on framing the best shots of the fascinating architectural features you will see today.

Your professional photographer guide leads you to numerous sights and offers the best opportunities to use your photographic equipment to achieve iconic photos of the **Ketchikan area**, including some off-the-beaten-track locales. Flowers, totems, rain forest, beaches, mountains, creeks, waterfalls, and wildlife encounters entice you to explore.

Discover and discuss **photographic techniques** shared by your guide -- a source of narrated history, facts and stories as you travel from site to site through town and into the wild. Whether you're using a cell phone, a point-and-shoot, or a sophisticated DSLR camera, your inner photographer is waiting to be unleashed and to capture some impressive shots.

You can expect to visit six to eight separate photo sites, a **snack** of custom cookies, locally-brewed coffee and bottled water as you travel.

Your time invested in Ketchikan will be a talking point when you return home with some very nice images of your memorable day.

## Notes:

Maximum weight is 350 lbs. Participants must be able to negotiate steps to enter the vehicle. Wildlife sightings are likely but are not guaranteed.

## KETCHIKAN PUB CRAWL



Duration: **Approximately 1½ hours**

Departs at **11:30 am**

Price: **\$94.95**

Some would say the best way to get acquainted with **Ketchikan** is to drink with locals.

This fun, informative and entertaining **walking tour** takes you slightly off the beaten track to delve into the culture, and drinking culture, of Alaska's First City. Ketchikan is quite famous for 'doing business at the bar' -- a tradition dating back to rough-and-ready frontier times. Your guide shares tales of Prohibition-era bootlegging, speakeasies, and the antics that took place in the area.

Sample **beverages** at several of **Alaska's oldest pubs**, meeting the genuine characters of Ketchikan.

**Stroll** down historic streets and get a real sense of life in this remote rainforest town.

Guests wishing to stay in town to shop or explore independently are welcome to do so

but must make their own way back to the ship.

## Notes:

Minimum age is 21 years. Bring valid photo ID. Participants must be able to walk .75 miles over flat terrain. Wear layered clothing with a waterproof jacket. Route and bars visited will vary.

## KETCHIKAN BY PRIVATE HUMMER WITH DRIVER



Duration: **Approximately 4 hours**

Departs at **7:30 am**

Price Per Party: **\$729.95**

You'll begin your fully customizable adventure on the Ketchikan dock. Your transportation is by **Hummer H2** (a passenger vehicle modeled on the famous military HumVee) with a knowledgeable tour guide at your service.

You choose where you go, what you want to see, and how long you want to stay there. Among the many options are Saxman Native Village, Potlatch Park, and Totem Bight State Park, walks through the rain forest, a stop at Herring Cove to look for wildlife in season, waterfall viewing, hikes in the Tongass National Forest, and many more options.

All entrance fees to attractions listed above are included in the price. Bottled water is provided.

## Notes:

Private Hummers are ordered per vehicle (not per person), so only one person in the party needs to order the vehicle. Meals are not included. The Hummer can accommodate up to five (5) adults.

## LIGHTHOUSE, TOTEMS & EAGLES EXCURSION



Duration: **Approximately 3 hours**

Departs at **7:45 am**

Price: Adult **\$119.95**; Child **\$89.95**

Board a motorcoach for a **panoramic drive through Ketchikan**.

At a private dock, meet the captain and crew and step aboard a **boat** for a **scenic cruise on the Tongass Narrows**. Photo opportunities abound on this seafaring excursion. You will see eagles' nests with baby eagles in season. Harbor seals, pigeon guillemots and moon jellyfish are commonly spotted. A variety of sea birds are usually seen and sometimes even humpback or orca whales. Along the way, you'll hear of the area's maritime history, Alaska Native culture, the timber and fishing industries, and local lifestyle.

Relax in the heated main cabin or enjoy the open-air observation deck. You'll observe both secondary and old-growth areas of the Tongass National Forest and cruise past Guard Island Lighthouse, established in 1901 and still operating today.

View Totem Bight State Park from the water, where towering Tlingit and Haida totems and a clan house dominate the landscape. Colorful cabins and unique homes, many occupying private islands, showcase the Southeast Alaska lifestyle.

Your captain shares stories of Ketchikan's treacherous Danger Island. You will circumnavigate or have a clear view of as many as twelve islands on your tour route, many inhabited only by Alaska's wildlife.

Enjoy a **sampler plate** with locally-sourced **snacks** such as smoked salmon, salmon spread, crackers, bull kelp pickles and artisan chocolate with a hot beverage, cold water, or your favorite soft drinks. The on-board gift shop stocks some interesting souvenirs.

Afterward, walk back to the coach for a relaxed drive back to the pier.

### Notes:

Binoculars are provided. Suitable for guests using a wheelchair if able to manage three steps with assistance. Walking a short distance is required in the parking area and at the dock. The dock is accessed via a 70-foot ramp. Wheelchairs and scooters are securely stored in a locked dockside storage shed while the cruise is underway.

## LOCAL TABLE COOKING & DINING EXPERIENCE



Duration: **Approximately 2½ hours**

Departs at **7:00 am**

Price: **\$229.95**

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Savor the flavor of **wild-caught Alaskan salmon** and an immersive **cooking experience** where you'll learn how to prepare it.

You'll make three simple, yet delicious, salmon



dishes using locally caught fish and secret family recipes. Your instructor is a third generation fisherman and a registered dietitian. She will share stories surrounding the local fishing industry, the health benefits of salmon, and how to find the best seafood wherever you live.

This interactive experience includes **hands-on workstations where everyone is actively participating** in preparing the meal.

Devour what you made for **lunch** (or dinner) when you sit around the table with scenic views of the beautiful Tongass Narrows. Floatplanes, fishing boats, and wildlife provide a beautiful backdrop while you savor every delicious morsel.

## Notes:

Minimum age is 8 years. Tour requires an approximately ten-minute walk to the venue (each way). Tour operators rain or shine; bring a raincoat.

## OFF-ROAD UTV SAFARI, CRUISE, CRAB, & CRAFT BEERS



Duration: **Approximately 4½ hours**

Departs at **8:30 am**

Price: Adult **\$349.95**; Child **\$309.95**

From off-road to on the sea, this exciting half-day adventure combines thrills with some chill time on the water and a visit to beautiful **George Inlet Lodge** for a craft beer tasting and local delicacies. Begin with a scenic drive through Ketchikan to the **UTV Base Camp**, nestled in a protected rainforest property.

Listen to a safety briefing; then, don protective gear and head out caravan style into the wild terrain for a 60-minute, adrenaline-fueled,

guided trek. You'll travel over bridges, along old logging roads, and explore the George Inlet Fjords and the Mahoney Glacial Cirque.

Next, climb aboard a 46-foot enclosed **sightseeing vessel** and cruise seven miles along the coast to George Inlet Lodge, once an old cannery bunkhouse. Keep your eyes peeled for wildlife, especially eagles.

Upon arrival at this picturesque setting, begin a **craft beer-tasting** session. Enjoy five beers from two local breweries paired with crab chowder, smoked salmon dip, steaming hot Dungeness crab and a delicious piece of blueberry-topped cheesecake. Soak up the rustic charm of the lodge before returning to port after this memorably delicious day.

## Notes:

Minimum age is 8 years. Minimum age to drive is 18 years with a valid driver's license; 16-year-olds can drive with a valid driver's license and a parent/guardian in the UTV with them. Minimum age to drink alcohol is 21 years; photo ID required. Maximum weight is 300 lbs. Guests who are pregnant or have a heart, back or neck condition are not allowed to participate. Closed-toe shoes are required. Wear clothing you don't mind getting dirty. Helmets are provided and must be worn.

## RAINFOREST CANOE & NATURE TRAIL



Duration: **Approximately 3½ hours**

Departs at **7:00 am**

Price: Adult **\$134.95**; Child **\$104.95**

Begin today's adventure with a scenic motorcoach drive to a secluded **mountain lake**.

On the shoreline, you'll board a 37-foot Native-style **canoe** that is fast, stable and easy to maneuver. **Paddling** under the direction of an experienced guide, scan the shore for wildlife and learn about the natural and Native history of the Ketchikan area. The lake is ideal for canoeing and is surrounded by the **Tongass National Forest** -- the largest National Forest in the United States.

Step ashore at a remote base camp for a snack. Your knowledgeable guide will lead a short nature **walk**, highlighting the flora and fauna of the rainforest, including a carnivorous plant -- the sundew -- which uses tentacles with an adhesive 'dew' to ensnare small insects. If you choose not to go on the walk, the cook will keep you company at the remote shoreside camp.

Don't miss this rare opportunity to comfortably explore Southeast Alaska in the same way it was discovered by its original explorers and inhabitants.

## Notes:

Life jackets are provided and must be worn, along with rain gear (poncho) if needed. Dress warmly in layers with a windproof and waterproof outer layer; bring a warm hat, gloves and a scarf. Minimum weight is 40 lbs to fit into the required lifejacket for the canoe portion.

## RAINFOREST CANOPY & ZIPLINE ADVENTURE



Duration: **Approximately 3½ hours**

Departs at **8:30 am**

Price: Adult **\$234.95**; Child **\$189.95**

Live the thrill of gliding through the top of a rich **rain forest canopy** along a series of eight zip-lines with three aerial bridges suspended between tall spruce, hemlock and cedar trees bordering the magnificent Tongass National Forest. This major rain forest reserve embraces one of Alaska's richest salmon spawning streams and a pristine intertidal estuary. The abundant wildlife habitat here includes a high concentration of bald eagles, black bear, and a variety of other species.

At **Herring Cove**, an all-terrain custom **4x4 Unimog** will transport you up a steep rain forest hillside to the canopy chalet. Professionally trained guides will outfit you with state-of-the-art safety equipment and provide a detailed orientation before you mount the first platform.

Your rain forest canopy challenge features a 'flight' over nine **zip-lines**. Your guide will progressively ease you into the forest canopy along cables ranging from 100 feet to the 600-foot and as high as 100 feet above the ground. Eagles and bears are often seen from the platforms. Cross three hanging bridges offering breathtaking views of the virgin forest below. You will be up to 135 feet above the forest floor. Throughout this adventure, you are surrounded by the sights and sounds of the rain forest wildlife preserve. The final zip-line emerges from the rain forest and transports you over lush grassy wetlands to a viewing tower 55 feet above where you will gently descend to the forest floor.

Time permitting, explore the totem park and a historic sawmill, and watch a blacksmith at work. Stop by the General Store to see photos taken during your zip-line experience and to shop for mementos of your Alaska adventure.

Your excursion concludes with a scenic drive back to the ship.

## Notes:

Wildlife sightings are likely but are not guaranteed. Minimum weight is 90 lbs; maximum weight is 250 lbs. Minimum height is 57 inches. Guests who are pregnant or have a seizure, heart, back or neck condition are not allowed to participate. Waiver must be signed, and medical conditions disclosed. Not advisable for guests using a wheelchair or for those with mobility limitations. Wear closed-toe shoes (mandatory). Wear long pants. Dress warmly in layers. Rain jacket provided.

## RAINFOREST ISLAND NATURE WALK & SEAHAWK ADVENTURE



Duration: **Approximately 4 hours**

Departs at **7:00 am**

Price: Adult **\$194.95**; Child **\$139.95**

Take an exciting ride on a **rigid-hull inflatable vessel** -- an open, motorized ocean raft called a Seahawk. Your captain will point out marine life and interesting features along the coast of **Clover Passage**, including a bald eagle's nest, en route out to **Betton Island**. This is country rich with wildlife, and along the way, you might observe whales, Steller sea lions, harbor seals, bald eagles and migrating seabirds.

Landing on a beautiful, secluded beach, follow your guide **on foot** through the ancient **Tongass National Forest** -- the nation's largest National Forest with almost 17 million acres, of which approximately 5.7 million acres have been designated wilderness. It is home to many animals, including bears, eagles, salmon, sandhill cranes, wolves and trumpeter swans. You will learn about the many botanical species native to this region.

The trail you will take is mostly boardwalk, well-maintained, and about one mile long. Your guide will point out the great western red cedars and yellow cedars that early Natives depended on for spiritual enrichment, shelter and transportation. Hear about the beach life here -- perhaps sea stars or sea cucumber, or learn how the Natives used seaweed in their daily lives.

During your stay on the island, you'll enjoy a snack around the campfire and take in the beautiful vistas before returning to Ketchikan.

## Notes:

Wildlife sightings are likely but are not guaranteed. Bring binoculars. Rain gear and life jacket provided. Wear warm, waterproof clothing. Not advisable for guests using a wheelchair or for guests with back problems. Minimum weight is 40 lbs. Waiver must be signed, and medical conditions disclosed. Participants must be in moderate physical condition.

## RAINFOREST SANCTUARY WALK & TOTEM PARK



Duration: **Approximately 2¾ hours**

Departs at **11:30 am**

Price: Adult **\$134.95**; Child **\$89.95**

This eco-exploration includes a **guided nature hike**, an on-site totem park and a historic sawmill at an exclusive reserve in the forested mountains at rustic Herring Cove. A pristine natural environment, it is home to bald eagles, black bears, seals and a variety of birds and other species attracted by the major salmon runs in the abundant marine estuary.

A naturalist will guide you along an **improved**

**trail** through the heart of the dense forest, among tall stands of hemlock, spruce and cedar, stopping at strategically located viewing areas. At a protected, open estuary, you'll follow Eagle Creek along an elevated wooden boardwalk overlooking grassy wetlands. Major runs of salmon return to spawn here. Listen to the symphony of bird activity in this spectacular setting. Seasonal ecosystem changes result in varying levels of wildlife activity.

A .75-mile **trail walk** brings you to the historic Herring Bay Lumber Company sawmill.

Spend time in the carving center learning about Native culture and traditions before heading outside to view the amazing collection of **Tsimshian totems**. **Shopping** opportunities await you in the General Store before the scenic drive back to the ship.

## Notes:

Wildlife sightings are likely but are not guaranteed. Tour operates rain or shine but may be canceled by the operator in the event of extremely bad weather or unsuitable conditions. Dress warmly in layers with a windproof and waterproof outer layer. Rain ponchos are available for purchase. Wear comfortable walking shoes. Tour requires moderate walking at a steady pace. Distance covered is at least a mile in total. Participants must be able to walk and stand for 1.5 hours as there is nowhere to rest on the trail. Suitable for guests using a mobility device with a companion to assist. Mobility device tires must be minimum 1.5 inches thick for use on gravel. Terrain includes even and uneven surfaces, inclines, and gravel.

## RAINFOREST TRAIL E-BIKE & NATURE WALK



Duration: **Approximately 3 hours**

Departs at **7:30 am**

Price: **\$169.95**

Join an experienced Alaskan trail guide for an electric **mountain bike ride** through the unspoiled beauty of Ketchikan's coastal rainforest. The gently sloping historical trail weaves through the **Tongass National Forest** under cover of towering old-growth spruce and hemlock.

The throttle/pedal-assisted electric bike makes easy work of the three-mile-long trail that follows the historic wooden pipeline to the Connell Lake Dam, making the trip accessible for riders of all abilities and skill levels.

Gather by the warm campfire at a rustic **creek-side camp** to hear stories and enjoy an Alaskan-style **snack** of s'mores and hot beverages.

A guided **nature walk** highlights the flora and fauna of Southeast Alaska, including a carnivorous plant called the sundew, which uses tentacles with an adhesive 'dew' to ensnare small insects.

Saddle up for the ride along the Connell Lake Pipeline Trail to return your bike. Conclude with the scenic drive back to the pier, narrated by your guide.

## Notes:

Minimum age is 12 years. Minimum height is 5'0". Maximum weight is 275 lbs. Participants must be in good health and have no conditions that restrict or impede their ability to participate in riding a bicycle. Please realistically assess your physical fitness and ability prior to booking, as the biking and walking are over varied natural terrain, including dirt trails, exposed tree roots and rocks. Wear sturdy, closed-toe, non-skid walking shoes.



## SAXMAN NATIVE VILLAGE, DANCE PERFORMANCE & TOTEM PARK (WHEELCHAIR ACCESSIBLE)



Duration: **Approximately 2 hours**

Departs at **10:30 am**

Price: Adult **\$89.95**; Child **\$54.95**

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The Tlingits welcome you in the traditional style that defines the culture of Southeast Alaska. You will then enter the Beaver Clan House, where you are welcomed by song and dance. Visitors are encouraged to participate in the final dance.

At the Saxman Totem Park, discover one of the largest gatherings of totems in the world. Your guide will help unravel the mysteries of these towering, majestic poles. At the Village Carving Center, capable artisans pass on their skills to eager apprentices.

Fine Alaska Native art and small mementos are

for sale at the Village Store.

Notes:

The content of this tour is identical to Saxman Native Village & Totem Pole Park. Only guests using a wheelchair can book this tour, as it ensures accessible transportation. Due to the specialized nature of some lift-equipped vehicles, priority is given to guests using a wheelchair and one companion only; additional companions may be required to travel on the transportation provided for Saxman Native Village & Totem Pole Park. Bookings not marked with an accessibility requirement will be removed from the tour's inventory. Please complete the Special Services form at <https://book.hollandamerica.com/specialServices/login.action> ; this will ensure that suitable transportation is in place for your tour. Add the Great Alaskan Lumberjack Show for a great combination.

## SAXMAN NATIVE VILLAGE, DANCE PERFORMANCE & TOTEM PARK



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Departs at **11:30 am**

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Notes:

Suitable for guests using a wheelchair with a companion to assist. Add the Great Alaskan Lumberjack Show for a great combination.

## SAXMAN NATIVE VILLAGE, DANCE, TOTEMS & LUMBERJACK SHOW



Duration: **Approximately 3½ hours**

Departs at **8:30 am**

Price: Adult **\$129.95**; Child **\$79.95**

Don't be fooled by cheap imitations -- this Saxman tour provides exclusive access to the Beaver Clan House, a working Native carving center, and a chance to view the traditional Native dancers firsthand. You can't buy this tour elsewhere, so if you're going to Saxman Native

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Next, learn of the art of lumberjacking through a rollicking demonstration of good-natured competition and hard-earned skill. Treat yourself to an action-packed experience at the Great Alaskan Lumberjack Show, where the world's best lumberjacks go head-to-head in more than a dozen exciting events such as chopping, sawing, relay races, axe throwing, log rolling and a 50-foot speed climb. The colorful host will introduce the events and offer a historical view of the Alaskan timber industry, which has shaped this rugged land. Just a short walk from your cruise ship pier, this celebration of a bygone era is a rip-roaring good time and quality entertainment for all ages.

Notes:

There may be a short wait prior to the start of the Lumberjack Show. This time can be spent on your own or in the rustic company store located at the Lumberjack Show facility. Tour operates rain or shine in heated and covered

grandstands but may be canceled by the operator in the event of extremely bad weather or unsuitable conditions. Video recording is not permitted, but still photos are allowed. Suitable for guests using a wheelchair with a companion to assist. Tour sequence may vary.

## STATION ONE DISTILLERY SPIRIT INFUSION EXPERIENCE

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Duration: **Approximately 2 hours**

Departs at **10:15 am**

Price: **\$149.95**

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Head to **Uncharted Distillery**, set in a charming historic fire station. Here, you'll peek **behind the scenes of the distilling process**, and **sample spirits** made in-house.

Learn about flavor profiles, infusing and blending; then, you'll take that new knowledge upstairs to the lab. The fun continues with a **hands-on experience of blending spirits and infusing** them with an array of flowers, herbs, and spices to craft your own private reserve gin, vodka, whiskey or agave spirit.

Once your infusion is complete, bottle it and create a personalized label from an array of templates ranging from silly to suave to serious. Use this opportunity to present your own style because you'll be showing off your bottle to friends and family at home.

Your recipe will be kept on hand for re-orders for years to come.

### Notes:

Participants receive a 375ml bottle of their own blend, which is safety-sealed and corked. Tour operates rain or shine but may be canceled by the operator in the event of extremely bad weather or unsuitable conditions. Bring a raincoat. Tour requires walking to the distillery. There are 23 steps leading up to the classroom. Minimum age is 21 years with photo ID. Bring local currency or credit cards for optional gift shop purchases, additional bottles of locally distilled alcohol, and shipping.

## THE GREAT ALASKAN LUMBERJACK SHOW & CRAB FEAST

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Duration: **Approximately 3 hours**

Departs at **11:30 am**

Price: Adult **\$179.95**; Child **\$139.95**

**Ketchikan** is home to this dynamic experience that combines culture, history and cuisine. It takes place in scenic downtown Ketchikan's **historic Thomas Basin district**, where crab boats and the fishing fleet are moored.

At the adjacent **Spruce Mill** -- the largest Sitka spruce mill in the world -- the **Great Alaskan Lumberjack Show** pits world-champion athletes against each other. Fourteen rowdy, no-holds-barred competitive events include chopping, climbing, sawing, axe throwing, and log rolling, keeping you on the edge of your seat.

Just a few steps away, the Harbor Haus overlooks the marina filled with fishing boats. Experience a delicious **feast of Dungeness crab** here.

As you leave the venue, you're within walking distance of downtown Ketchikan, totems, the Creek Street historic district, a salmon stream, and fantastic shopping opportunities.

## Notes:

Tour operates rain or shine as you are seated in a heated and covered grandstand, but may be canceled by the operator in the event of extremely bad weather or unsuitable conditions. Tour sequence may vary. Video recording is not permitted, but still photos are allowed. Vegetarian and non-crab options are available at lunch. One beverage is included; additional glasses can be purchased at your own expense.

## THE GREAT ALASKAN LUMBERJACK SHOW



Duration: **Approximately 1¼ hours**

Departs at **11:30 am**

Price: Adult **\$43.00**; Child **\$23.00**

Treat yourself to an action-packed fun time at the **Great Alaskan Lumberjack Show**. Just a short walk from the pier, this is where the world's best lumberjacks go head-to-head in more than a dozen exciting events such as chopping, sawing, relay races, axe throwing, log rolling and a 50-foot speed climb.

Your colorful host will introduce the events and offer a historical view of the Alaskan timber industry, which has shaped this rugged land.

Don't miss this celebration of a bygone era. It's a rip-roaring good time and quality entertainment for all ages -- a perfect choice if you want to experience Ketchikan history at a fun, family-friendly event and still have time for shopping.

## Notes:

This show operates rain or shine in heated and covered grandstands. The venue is in the downtown core and, depending upon the ship's berth, may require either a short walk of approximately 200 yards or a longer walk of up to approximately 800 yards. Either route is suitable for guests using a wheelchair. This is an excellent choice to combine with any other tour. Video recording is not permitted, but still photos are allowed.

## TOTEM BIGHT STATE PARK & KETCHIKAN HIGHLIGHTS



Duration: **Approximately 2½ hours**

Departs at **11:30 am**

Price: Adult **\$64.95**; Child **\$39.95**

Begin your journey with a scenic drive along the Tongass Narrows to **Totem Bight State Park**, home to one of the world's largest stands of totems.

Stroll the Totem Bight trail under a canopy of majestic hemlock and cedar trees. At the end of the trail, you will find the **totems**. Through lively stories you will learn about the culture and lifestyles practiced by the Northwest Coastal Natives.

Step inside an **authentic Native clan house**. After a brief stop at the quaint **Alaska Totem Trading Store**, an entertaining city tour shows you the industries that have made Ketchikan the Salmon Capital of the World. Returning to the pier, catch a glimpse of Ketchikan's colorful past as you drive past the Creek Street historic red light district.



## Notes:

Dress warmly in layers with a windproof and waterproof outer layer; bring a warm hat, gloves and a scarf.

## TOTEM BIGHT STATE PARK & LUMBERJACK SHOW



Duration: **Approximately 4 hours**

Departs at **8:30 am**

Price: Adult **\$89.95**; Child **\$64.95**

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Then, begin your land journey with a scenic drive along the Tongass Narrows to **Totem Bight State Park**. **Stroll** the Totem Bight Trail under a canopy of majestic hemlock and cedar trees. At the trail's end, you will find an extensive collection of **totems**. Through lively stories, you will learn about the culture and lifestyle practiced by the Northwest Coastal Natives and have a chance to enter an **authentic Native clan house**. After a brief stop at the quaint **Alaska Totem Trading Store**, an entertaining **city tour** shows you the industries that made Ketchikan the Salmon Capital of the World. Returning to the pier, catch a glimpse of Ketchikan's colorful past as you drive past the Creek Street historic

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## TOWN & HARBOR BY DUCK



Duration: **Approximately 1½ hours**

Departs at **11:30 am**

Price: Adult **\$84.95**; Child **\$49.95**

Begin your **Duck** adventure with a 'splash' as this remarkable amphibian vehicle will take you through the **rustic streets of Ketchikan** and into the scenic harbor for a fun-filled **on-the-water adventure**.

See picturesque Whale Park and the salmon ladder; then, stop at Creek Street to learn of Ketchikan's colorful past and salty beginnings.

Next, you will literally **drive into Ketchikan's bustling harbor** for up-close views of local canneries, seaplane docks and Ketchikan's waterfront community aboard a Coast Guard-certified and -inspected amphibian that doubles as both a boat and a bus.

## ULTIMATE SAXMAN EXPERIENCE: CULTURAL SHOWCASE, NATIVE CRAFTS & CULINARY TASTING (WHEELCHAIR ACCESSIBLE)



Duration: **Approximately 3¾ hours**

Departs at **8:30 am**

Price: Adult **\$159.95**; Child **\$139.95**

Join this exclusive experience that includes a hands-on Native crafts session, a culinary tasting, and a guided tour of Saxman Native Village.

Learn about Tlingit form-line drawing as a local artist shows you how to **design your own native ornament**. Select from a raven or eagle template and paint them using authentic colors.

Treat your taste buds as you learn about Alaskan ingredients and their uses in a modern cooking environment. This **food tasting** enhances your culinary knowledge and expands your palate with authentic Alaskan elements. This three-course tasting meal starts with kelp salsa and tortilla chips followed by a demonstration of smoked salmon dip. Alaskan crab chowder and wild game links are served as the main course. Be sure to leave room for a s'more parfait for dessert. All these items pair deliciously with local **wine and beer**.

Discover a cultural showcase of **Alaska Native art**, clothing, and tools. These artifacts include traditional hand-carved pieces by Master Carver Nathan Jackson and other items from the original Village of Cape Fox.

Your local tour host will teach you Tlingit customs, traditions, and stories of the Elders as they guide you through the exhibits and totem park. The highlight will be watching the **Cape Fox dancers** perform a playlist of Tlingit songs and dances in the Beaver Clan House.

## Notes:

Wear comfortable walking shoes. Dress warmly in layers with a windproof and waterproof outer

layer; bring a warm hat, gloves and a scarf. Tour sequence may vary. The content of this tour is identical to Ultimate Saxman Experience: Cultural Showcase, Native Crafts & Culinary Tasting. Only guests using a wheelchair can book this tour, as it ensures accessible transportation. Due to the specialized nature of some lift-equipped vehicles, priority is given to guests using a wheelchair and one companion only; additional companions may be required to travel on the transportation provided for Ultimate Saxman Experience: Cultural Showcase, Native Crafts & Culinary Tasting. Bookings not marked with an accessibility requirement will be removed from the tour's inventory. Please complete the Special Services form at <https://book.hollandamerica.com/specialServices/login.action> ; this will ensure that suitable transportation is in place for your tour.

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## WATERFRONT & WILDLIFE CRUISE



Duration: **Approximately 2 hours**

Departs at **11:30 am**

Price: **\$129.95**

Ketchikan's dynamic waterfront is perhaps best seen from the deck of a deluxe, Alaska-built **expedition vessel**. Notice the town's waterfront on pilings and colorful homes that cling to the rainforest mountainside.

In the **South Tongass Narrows**, you'll see Creek

Street -- the former red-light district -- and cruise by Ketchikan's oldest working cannery and the US Coast Guard station.

Pause for photos of Saxman Native Village and the world's most extensive collection of totems.

You will explore the boundary of the Metlakatla Indian Reserve -- an area teeming with wildlife.

Plying the waters of Nichol's Passage, the captain will maneuver the boat to give the best possible views of any whales, seals, porpoises or bald eagles sighted here.

Learn about Ketchikan's notorious rum runners and fish pirates as you pass Whiskey Cove, Alaska's busiest port, and several seaplane bases. Your cruise ship provides the best photo backdrop.

## Notes:

Tour operates rain or shine but may be canceled by the operator in the event of extremely bad weather or unsuitable conditions. Dress warmly in layers with a windproof and waterproof outer layer; bring a warm hat, gloves and a scarf. Wildlife sightings are likely but are not guaranteed.

## WILDERNESS CRUISE & SILVERKING LODGE SEAFOOD FEAST



Duration: **Approximately 3¾ hours**

Departs at **8:00 am**

Price: Adult **\$204.95**; Child **\$129.95**

This tour combines three activities into one exciting and delicious expedition.

Your tour starts as you board your motorcoach and enjoy a narrated tour of Ketchikan en route

to **Clover Pass Resort**, the oldest continuously operating fishing resort in the State of Alaska. At Clover Pass, you'll meet your crew, board the **adventure boat**, and head out in search of excitement.

Pause to view a nearby **active eagle's nest** and learn about 'America's bird.' You may even spot hatchlings in the nest. Your skipper will navigate through bays and inlets while the narrator offers insights into the land, air and sea. Learn about the timber industry and how it shaped the development of Alaska, and get a feeling for life on the island.

Venture past the **Back Island Naval Testing Facility** -- home to some of the most sensitive ears on the planet. Learn about their work on cruise ships and Navy vessels, including nuclear submarines. Keep your eyes open for wildlife, as porpoises and seals are frequent visitors. During May and September, whales are often sighted inside Clover Passage.

Your final stop is at **Silverking Lodge**, in the heart of **Grant Island State Marine Park**. Walk the elevated boardwalk into the heart of the rain forest for an up-close look at the flora and fauna of Southeast Alaska, and take your picture next to the largest known red cedar in the **Tongass National Forest**.

Finish off your tour under the covered gazebo as you dine on a fabulous **seafood meal** of Dungeness crab, shrimp, clams, mussels, potatoes, onions, garlic, corn, and sausage -- all cooked in one delicious pot and served at your table. Top off your meal with dessert.

Use your last few minutes to take photos, grab a souvenir from the gift shop, or soak up the atmosphere around the lodge before returning to Clover Pass Resort and the ship.

## Notes:

Wear comfortable walking shoes. Dress warmly in layers with a windproof and waterproof outer layer; bring a warm hat, gloves and a scarf.

## WILDERNESS EXPLORATION CRUISE & CRAB FEAST



Duration: **Approximately 4 hours**

Departs at **7:30 am**

Price: Adult **\$209.95**; Child **\$169.95**

This is a truly Alaskan experience. It features pulling Dungeness crab pots from a wilderness estuary and a crab feast held in a historic cannery building converted into an elegant oceanside lodge.

You will leave downtown Ketchikan and embark on a fully narrated drive following the scenic coastline past a cannery, an old sawmill, totems and waterfalls.

At **George Inlet Lodge**, board a 46-foot, enclosed **sightseeing vessel**. On your cruise up the fjord, you will pass the old George Inlet Cannery and learn about the fish traps and 'pirates' that plagued the area years ago. View the Mahoney Glacial Cirque, with snow-capped mountains and 2,000-foot waterfalls site of an abandoned short-seam silver mine. Below the cirque, the Mahoney River Valley is home to bears, eagles, and salmon that return to spawn annually. Orca whales, sea lions, and seals frequently visit the area for an abundant food supply.

Cross the fjord to a remote crab estuary and witness the awe-inspiring grandeur of the Tongass National Forest -- the largest temperate rainforest in the world. This isolated cove is home to hundreds of Dungeness crabs. A crab



pot will be pulled up for everyone to view and gain knowledge for a hands-on opportunity to see the crab up close. Learn about their anatomy and life cycle before the crab is set free.

Once the pots are reset, it's back to the warm and inviting George Inlet Lodge, where an all-you-can-eat delicious Dungeness crab meal awaits you. Relax amid Alaskan hospitality and the rustic charm of the lodge while you learn about its origins as a cannery bunkhouse. After a quick lesson in the art of crab cracking, you will enjoy the succulent delicacy of this Alaskan favorite with a **crab feast**. Your banquet will include a beverage, fresh salad, Dungeness crab with butter, and, for dessert, cheesecake smothered in Alaska blueberries.

## Notes:

Tour sequence may vary. Come hungry as the food is plentiful. Wear sturdy non-skid walking shoes. Dress warmly in layers with a windproof and waterproof outer layer; bring a warm hat, gloves and a scarf. The lodge is accessed by numerous stairs. A van is available to transport guests unable to navigate the steps. Vegetarian and non-crab options can be substituted.

# Juneau, Alaska, US

Wednesday,  
July 22, 2026

Located at the foot of grand mountain peaks on the Gastineau Channel, the town of Juneau has the massive Mendenhall Glacier and the immense Juneau Icefields at its back door. Juneau is the place to let your imagination run wild. Explore the lush Tongass National Forest. Visit the rustic shops in town. Or get out and kayak, dogsled, raft, hike, whale watch, flightsee or fish. There's no end to the adventure because of the long daylight hours. Climb aboard the Mt. Roberts Tramway for a great spot to hike and shoot a souvenir photo.

## ALASKA SALMON BAKE



Duration: **Approximately 1½ hours**

Departs at **10:30 am**

Price: Adult **\$79.95**; Child **\$64.95**

This excursion has been grilled to perfection for nearly 40 years. Listen to Alaska-style folk music while you dine under translucent, heated domes shielding you from the elements.

Enjoy an **all-you-can-eat salmon bake feast**. Savor Alaskan-caught wild salmon barbecued over an open alderwood fire served with a tasty secret sauce. The salmon is accompanied by barbecue ribs, cheesy au gratin potatoes, baked beans with reindeer sausage, wild rice pilaf, a variety of salads, cornbread, lemonade, coffee, tea, hot apple cider, hot chocolate, and blueberry cake for dessert. Beer, wine and soda are available for purchase.



Stroll through the woods and **roast marshmallows over the campfire** after your meal.

Take the short **walk** along Salmon Creek -- a salmon spawning stream -- to a waterfall where you can also explore the remains of the historic Wagner Mine and try your hand at **gold panning**. Shuttle buses run regularly; return to the pier at your leisure.

### Notes:

Not advisable for guests using a wheelchair. Bring a warm jacket. Restrooms are available on site. Menu is subject to change.

## ALASKA'S WHALES & MENDENHALL GLACIER TRAIL (A SMALL-GROUP TOUR)



Duration: **Approximately 5 hours**

Departs at **10:30 am; 10:35 am; 11:15 am; 12:15 pm; 12:45 pm**

Price: Adult **\$259.95**; Child **\$199.95**

View **Alaska's humpback whales** and the **Mendenhall Glacier** on a small-group excursion (capacity is limited to 20 travelers) tailored for sensational encounters with nature. On a custom-built safari vessel, you'll seek out marine wildlife and step away from the crowds on a

secluded rain forest trail -- two pristine habitats to explore on a single tour. On this trip, you will learn about the interdependence of species and the many connections between the land and sea. This exploration introduces you to this pristine wilderness in an intimate setting with a certified naturalist guide as your leader.

Your trip begins with your guide sharing stories and perspectives as you travel to **Mendenhall Glacier**. A short, **guided hike** gives you exclusive access along a **wooded path**, once completely covered by the massive glacier. Spend an hour exploring amid forested moraines and sweeping glacial landscapes, track the glacier's recession over the past 100 years, and perhaps glimpse wildlife from the Steep Creek viewing platforms. This small corner of the **Tongass National Forest** is home to beavers, salmon, Arctic terns, porcupines and even black bears.

Following a short drive, you'll climb aboard a covered, heated **safari vessel**. This specialized watercraft has large, opening panel windows and an open bow and stern for viewing the wildlife that thrives in these protected waters.

Humpback whales, orcas, sea lions, porpoises, seals and sea birds are commonly seen.

Stephens Passage is a renowned whale watching and wildlife refuge, and your experienced Coast Guard-certified captain will guide you to the action. Keep your camera handy as you travel from place to place or drift quietly to witness the behaviors and antics of the area's notable marine residents. This tour is locally owned and operated.

## Notes:

The operator of this tour **guarantees that a whale will be sighted** on this excursion from May 15th through September 15th, with participants receiving a \$100 cash refund from the tour operator after the tour if a whale is not

sighted. A guarantee is not offered outside of these dates; however, the tour operator's whale-sighting remains highly likely. Other wildlife sightings are likely but are not guaranteed. The small group size of this tour ensures a personalized and interactive atmosphere, making the most of your one-of-a-kind Alaska experience. Participants must be able to walk approximately one mile on level, improved gravel trails. Rain ponchos on the trail and binoculars on the boat are available for use. Water and a snack are provided. Infants up to and including the day before their second birthday can be considered a lap child and may participate at no cost. If you are traveling with an infant, please notify the shore excursions staff once onboard the ship. Not advisable for guests using a wheelchair. Dress warmly in layers and wear sturdy, comfortable walking shoes. Tour operates in all weather conditions. Tour sequence may vary. Each guest receives access to a digital publication as a memento of the trip. All tour participants on this excursion are eligible to enter to win cash prizes in the tour operator's Capture Juneau Photo Contest. Waiver must be signed and medical conditions disclosed. Other wildlife sightings are likely but are not guaranteed. The small group size of this tour ensures a personalized and interactive atmosphere, making the most of your one-of-a-kind Alaska experience. Participants must be able to walk approximately one mile on level, improved gravel trails. Rain ponchos on the trail and binoculars on the boat are available for use.

## ALL-INCLUSIVE LUXURY WHALE WATCH (A SMALL-GROUP TOUR)



Duration: **Approximately 4 hours**

Departs at **10:30 am**

Price: **\$524.95**

Luxury makes a difference. Your time on this

wonderful adventure is carefully curated to ensure that a small handful of privileged guests experience the best of **Juneau** and the **Inside Passage**.

Meet your driver shipside and relax as a **Mercedes Sprinter van** conveys you to **Auke Bay**, just 25 minutes from Juneau. Here, your skipper welcomes you aboard the **only luxury whale-watching day yacht in Alaska**. Set off for a morning or afternoon on the waters surrounding Juneau -- perhaps the best place in the world to observe humpback whales in the summer. Keep an eye out for other wildlife, such as orca whales, bald eagles, harbor seals, Steller sea lions, and even the occasional brown or black bear.

## Notes:

The yacht accommodates a total of eight guests. The operator **guarantees that a whale will be sighted** on this excursion from May 15 through September 15, with participants receiving a \$100 cash refund from the tour operator after the tour if a whale is not sighted. A guarantee is not offered outside of these dates; however, a whale sighting remains highly likely. Dress warmly in layers with a windproof and waterproof outer layer; bring a warm hat, gloves and a scarf. Minimum age is 6 years old, Maximum weight is 300 lbs.

## ALPINE MEADOW TRAIL SEGWAY RIDE



Duration: **Approximately 3 hours**

Departs at **10:30 am**

Price: **\$179.95**

Embark on a sightseeing tour as unusual as your destination -- by Segway. Far away from traffic and crowds, explore a scenic alpine meadow

trail by eco-friendly transport.

A 20-minute van ride transports you to picturesque Fish Creek Valley at Eaglecrest, Juneau's wintertime ski resort. A short training session will help acquaint you with your **Segway X2** before gearing up and heading out on a **Nordic ski trail**, gliding through serene alpine meadows in the shadow of snow-capped peaks.

The Segway's fat tires are ideally suited for the groomed gravel trail and provide a cushioned ride. Your guide will provide interesting facts about the flora and fauna endemic to Alaska.

Several short stops will be made along the way for **photos** and to stretch your legs. The halfway point is beautiful Fish Creek and its crystal clear, snow-melt waters.

Enjoy a **light snack** before the Segway ride back to base camp.

Following your Segway adventure, return to the pier.

## Notes:

Minimum age is 14 years. Maximum age is 70 years. Minimum height is 4'0". Minimum weight is 100 lbs. Maximum weight is 250 lbs. Guests who are pregnant or have a balance concern are not allowed to participate. Terrain includes stairs and/or uneven surfaces. Not advisable for guests using a wheelchair or for those with mobility limitations. Prior experience not required; beginners are welcome. Helmets are provided and must be worn. Stamina to use ankle and leg movements to control the Segway and ability to stand for the duration of the tour are required. Participants must remain alert to their surroundings, the condition of the terrain,



and possible traffic.

## ALPINE ZIP-LINE ADVENTURE & AXE THROWING



Duration: **Approximately 3½ hours**

Departs at **11:00 am**

Price: Adult **\$239.95**; Child **\$179.95**

Experience the thrill of 'flying' through the Alaska rain forest on this incredible eco-adventure.

Journey to the heart of the **Tongass National Forest** and the **Eaglecrest ski area**. Explore this beautiful, remote rain-forest setting, surrounded by mountain views and rushing streams. Your guide is a **naturalist**, ready to share an extensive knowledge of the local flora and fauna.

Gear up with a harness and navigate a series of **zip-lines** and across a suspension bridge, never leaving the treetops. Top-of-the-line gear is supplied, and no hand-braking is required, allowing your hands to be free to take photos or video while you zip. Beneath you is the wide-open wilderness and old-growth forest.

Next up is some good, old-fashioned **axe-throwing** -- a favorite Alaska pastime and a heap of fun.

Return to the ship with fantastic memories of this tour that's entertaining for all and a great way to experience Juneau.

### Notes:

Minimum age is 12 years. Minimum weight is 70 lbs; maximum weight is 250 lbs. Participants must be comfortable with heights, able to walk up 50 steps, and be on their feet for several hours. Guests who are pregnant or have a

seizure, back or neck condition are not allowed to participate. Waiver must be signed and medical conditions disclosed. Not advisable for guests using a wheelchair or for those with mobility limitations. Terrain includes gravel trails, many steps and uneven surfaces. Dress warmly in layers with a windproof and waterproof outer layer; bring a warm hat, gloves and a scarf. Wear closed-toe hiking/walking shoes (mandatory); sandals and slip-on shoes are not allowed. An adult is required to actively accompany minors on the zip-line course. Space permitting, a ride-along observer ticket can be purchased on board for additional guests wishing to accompany family or friends but not wishing to participate in the zip-line activity.

## BEST OF JUNEAU: WHALE WATCHING, MENDENHALL GLACIER & ORCA POINT LODGE MEAL



Duration: **Approximately 6¾ hours**

Departs at **10:30 am**

Price: Adult **\$299.95**; Child **\$229.95**

Experience Juneau's highlights on this ultimate combination tour.

Start with a visit to the **Mendenhall Glacier Visitor Center** to see Alaska's best-known river of ice, talk with Forest Service interpreters and, through interactive exhibits, learn about the tremendous force of glaciers.

Take a motorcoach ride to scenic **Auke Bay** and board a **water-jet-powered expedition vessel** designed for wildlife viewing. Relax in the warm, comfortable cabin surrounded by large windows as you ply the island-studded waters of **Stephens Passage**. This area is world-renowned as a favored summer feeding ground for **humpback whales**. Once whales have been sighted, your captain will gently maneuver the

vessel to allow exceptional viewing and photo opportunities as these graceful ocean giants slowly arc their massive tail flukes into the air. The whales are often close enough to hear them breathe.

An onboard **naturalist** will explain the behavior and habitat of the humpback whale and **other wildlife** you may encounter, including killer whales, Steller sea lions, Dall's porpoise, harbor seals, bald eagles and Sitka black-tail deer.

Take a break from cruising to step ashore at **Orca Point Lodge** on Colt Island to enjoy a **surf-and-turf feast** that includes fresh grilled wild-caught Alaska fish, Alaska game meat and a variety of delicious side dishes and desserts. The lodge offers peaceful seclusion with modern comforts in a remote wilderness setting.

Visit the marine life viewing tank or stroll along the beach before the return cruise to Auke Bay.

## Notes:

Bring a warm jacket to wear on the topside observation deck. The operator **guarantees that a whale will be sighted** on this excursion in June, July and August, with participants receiving a \$100 cash refund from the tour operator if a whale is not sighted. In all other months, no guarantee is offered; however, the tour operator's whale-sighting success rate remains at 99%. The vessel is restroom-equipped. Restrooms are available at all venues. Wear comfortable walking shoes. Not advisable for guests using a wheelchair due to the number of stops requiring (dis)embarkation of transportation equipment and uneven terrain. Tour sequence may vary.

The Mendenhall Glacier Visitor Center's 2025

opening hours are 10am-5pm Sunday through Friday; closed on Saturdays. It may be closed during your visit. Restrooms are open every day.

## BIKE & BREW GLACIER VIEW



Duration: **Approximately 4 hours**

Departs at **10:30 am**

Price: Adult **\$154.95**; Child **\$124.95**

This value-priced excursion offers three experiences in one -- biking, seeing Mendenhall Glacier, and tasting Alaska microbrewery beers. It's a chance to experience the beauty surrounding Juneau at a slower pace with a friendly, knowledgeable local guide.

On the **van ride** to the bike departure point, you will hear about Juneau's history and some interesting information about the city and its surroundings.

Gear up with a **bike and helmet**, and listen to a safety briefing. You'll set out from the east side of the Mendenhall Glacier. Bike past a beautiful view of the glacier, over a beaver dam, and across the **Mendenhall River** bridge.

Continue via the Juneau road system and bike path to the west side of **Mendenhall Glacier** for a **beach stop**. On the east side of Mendenhall Glacier, you will ride along a one-mile trail through the **rainforest**.

Next, travel by van to **Merchants Wharf** -- an old seaplane hangar in downtown Juneau and a landmark in aviation history. Here, you will **taste award-winning beers** from microbreweries around Alaska.

## Notes:

The ride covers approximately eight miles.

Terrain is a mostly flat road with some rolling hills. Minimum height is 56 inches. Minimum age is 10 years. Minimum age to participate in the beer tasting is 21 years, with photo ID. Guests who are pregnant may participate during the first trimester only. Waiver must be signed and medical conditions disclosed.

## DISCOVER ALASKA'S WHALES (A SMALL-GROUP TOUR)



Duration: **Approximately 3¾ hours**

Departs at **10:30 am; 10:45 am; 1:15 pm**

Price: Adult **\$234.95**; Child **\$179.95**

What a great way to put into practice your personal travel ethos and leave the beautiful State of Alaska even better than you found it!

This **small-group outing** (maximum 20 privileged guests) will travel aboard a fully-permitted **research vessel** for a closer look into the habitat of **humpback whales**. The boat has a heated cabin, a low-to-the-water build, large opening panel windows, and an open bow and stern -- features specifically designed to meet the challenges of observing wildlife here in Alaska.

As you head out from the quaint harbor at Auke Bay, your guide will share the current understanding of humpback whale research and what is known about activities and feeding patterns here in Alaska. **A whale sighting is guaranteed in peak season**, and you're also likely to see seals, porpoise, sea lions and other marine animals, all while doing some significant good as you contribute to a whale research program.

You'll explore the foundation of the food chain by looking at live sea animals in a touch tank, and using a GPS camera to identify whale species while recording their various behaviors.

You will also have the satisfaction of being a marine scientist for a day and knowing your efforts have contributed to understanding the delicate marine environs of Southeast Alaska and the whales' interaction with their habitat. Water and a **snack** are provided.

### Notes:

All activities on this tour are operated by permit and regulation through the ADFG and NOAA in support of the University of Alaska and the Alaska Sea Grant Marine Advisory Program. The operator of this tour **guarantees that a whale will be sighted** on this excursion from May 15th through September 15th, with participants receiving a \$100 cash refund from the tour operator after the tour if a whale is not sighted. A guarantee is not offered outside of these dates; however, a whale sighting remains highly likely. The small group size of this tour ensures a personal and interactive atmosphere making the most of this authentic Alaska experience. Participants should be old enough and agile enough to walk up to 200 yards, including down a sloped ramp to the boat harbor and back. Not advisable for guests using a wheelchair. Dress warmly in layers with a wind- and waterproof outer layer; bring gloves, a scarf and a warm hat. Binoculars are available for your use. Tour operates rain or shine but may be canceled by the operator in the event of extremely bad weather or unsuitable conditions. Each guest receives **access** to a **digital** publication as a memento of the trip. Participants are eligible to enter to win cash prizes in the tour operator's Capture Juneau Photo Contest. Waiver must be signed and medical conditions disclosed.

## DOG SLED SUMMER CAMP



Duration: **Approximately 2¼ hours**

Departs at **10:30 am**

Price: **\$209.95**

Learn what it takes to be a musher in the great Iditarod dog sled race with a trip to a **dog sled camp**.

Your adventure begins as you embark on a van ride into the remote and scenic **Sheep Creek Valley**. You're headed to the home of some of the state's foremost athletes.

Upon arrival, you will be greeted by an experienced professional musher and their dog team. You'll tour the camp, visit the **replica Iditarod race checkpoint**, and go through the steps the mushers perform, as if you're traveling the route with them.

Climb aboard a comfortable **wheeled sled** (no snow) and relax as a sled dog team whisks you along the 1.5-mile trail through the beautiful landscape.

Returning to camp, visit with the dogs, pet the puppies, and learn what it's like to live amid 120 happy sled dogs.

#### Notes:

Tour requires walking a maximum of 50 yards. Dress warmly in layers with a windproof and waterproof outer layer. Wear sturdy non-skid walking shoes. Professional photographs are available for purchase. The transportation is not wheelchair-accessible and wheelchairs/scooters cannot be accommodated on the transportation. (Dis)embarking the vehicle includes a 12-inch step. Animals of any kind, including service animals, are not allowed on tour.

## DOG SLEDDING & GLACIER ADVENTURE BY HELICOPTER

**M**

Duration: **Approximately 3¼ hours**

Departs at **1:00 pm**

Price: **\$749.95**

This genuinely Alaskan adventure offers the rare opportunity to **mush your dog sled team** across a **snow-covered glacier**.

Helicopter to an exclusive **dog sled camp** located on the picturesque middle branch of the **Norris Glacier**. On your way there, you will be amazed by a beautiful heli-flightseeing trip over the vast **Juneau Icefield**. Watch for the largest glacier on the Icefield -- the advancing Taku Glacier. View spectacular icefalls, rock formations, and untamed wilderness. Accessible only by air, this region is filled with lush forests, glassy alpine lakes, jagged mountain peaks, and awe-inspiring glaciers.

From here on, it all goes to the dogs. You'll land at the dog-sledding base on the glacier and learn the tricks of the trade from seasoned veterans of the legendary Iditarod Race. Master the all-important commands of Hike! Gee! and Haw! Then, armed with your new vocabulary, experience the thrill of zipping across a pristine glacier pulled by a team of friendly Alaskan sled dogs. There may be no better way to enjoy the fresh mountain air and scenic vistas.

Enjoy approximately 30 to 35 minutes of **helicopter** time and one hour at the dog base.

#### Notes:

A veteran dog sled musher will lead you on your sled adventure. Overboots are provided for glacier landings. Minimum age is 2 years. Guests weighing 250 lbs or more (fully clothed) pay an additional surcharge over the published fare. Guests' weights will be verified during check-in. The tour operator will endeavor to be discreet



during this process, but please be aware that individual circumstances may not allow for complete privacy. Seating is determined by the weight and balance of the aircraft. The tour operator will do their best to keep groups together, but groups may be separated. Not advisable for guests using a wheelchair. Tour operates subject to meeting a minimum number of participants. This tour can be cancelled without penalty on the day your voyage commences. Cancellations thereafter are non-refundable. Waiver must be signed and medical conditions disclosed. Flight time, route and time on the glacier may vary due to weather conditions. Carry-on bags are not allowed, and the heliport has limited secure storage. iPads, iPad minis, tablets, drones, Go-Pro Sticks, or other extendable items are not permitted on tour. Oxygen for personal use is allowed but must be in the form of an FAA-approved portable oxygen concentrator that can be secured to the user's body.

## DOG SLEDDING ON MENDENHALL GLACIER BY HELICOPTER

M

Duration: **Approximately 2¾ hours**

Departs at **10:30 am**

Price: **\$744.95**

When you visit Southeast Alaska, combine the thrill of a **helicopter flightseeing tour** with a **glacier dog sled camp**, and you'll have an unforgettable experience.

Listen to a safety briefing and gear up with glacier boots; then, fly over lush rain forest, deep blue crevasses and glacier-carved peaks as your pilot gives you a spectacular flightseeing tour to the **dogsled camp** on Mendenhall Glacier.

Professional mushers will have you **help drive**

**the team** or relax in the sled as you take in the awe-inspiring scenery of the glacier's surface. You will have time to talk with the mushers or take pictures with the dogs before your helicopter takes you back to the base and civilization. This is a must-do, totally memorable Alaskan activity.

### Notes:

Tour can be canceled without penalty on the day your voyage commences. Cancellations thereafter are non-refundable. Dress warmly in layers with a windproof and waterproof outer layer; bring a warm hat, gloves and a scarf. Glacier boots are provided. Each sled carries four guests, with an opportunity to swap places during the ride. Time spent on the glacier is approximate and may vary due to weather and ice conditions. All timings are approximate. Not advisable for guests using a wheelchair. Waiver must be signed and medical conditions disclosed. Guests weighing 250 lbs or more (fully clothed) pay an additional surcharge over the published fare. Every guest is weighed at check-in. The tour operator endeavors to be discreet, but individual circumstances may not allow for complete privacy. The pilot alone decides if weather conditions are suitable for flightseeing. If the flight is canceled due to weather conditions, you will receive a full refund. The pilot decides where each guest sits based on weight and balance requirements. Bags cannot be taken on the flight; a secure location is provided for storing personal items. iPads, iPad minis, tablets, drones, and selfie sticks or other extendable items are not permitted. For optimal photography and views, wear darker-colored clothing to reduce window reflections. Participants must be able to take two 18-inch steps into and out of the helicopter and walk approximately 100 yards. Employees can give a helping hand into and out of the helicopters but are not allowed to lift or carry a

guest. Service animals are not allowed on the aircraft. Children up to and including the day prior to their second birthday can be added (at no cost) to the parent's weight if seated on the parent's lap (maximum weight remains at 250 lbs); each child aged 2 years or older is required by the FAA to occupy a paid seat.

## EVENING WHALE QUEST FEATURING ALASKA CUISINE (WHEELCHAIR ACCESSIBLE)



Duration: **Approximately 3½ hours**

Departs at **5:00 pm**

Price: Adult **\$239.95**; Child **\$189.95**

Enjoy a magical evening cruise that features great food, a relaxing ambience and **guaranteed whale viewing**.

A short motorcoach ride brings you to scenic **Auke Bay**, where you'll board a **deluxe catamaran** designed for wildlife viewing. Relax in the warm, spacious main cabin as you set out to explore **Stephens Passage**, a pristine marine wilderness surrounded by snow-capped peaks and glaciers.

This area is world-renowned as a favored summer feeding ground for **humpback whales**. As whales are sighted, your skilled captain gently maneuvers the vessel to allow exceptional viewing opportunities. You'll be amazed by the gracefulness of these ocean giants as they slowly arc their massive tail flukes into the air. The whales are often close enough to hear them breathe.

An **onboard naturalist** will explain the behavior and habitat of the humpback whale and other wildlife you may encounter, including killer whales, sea lions, porpoise, harbor seals and bald eagles.

Throughout the voyage, the culinary experience highlights **locally-sourced cuisine**. The menu includes white fish Olympia, reindeer sausage cassoulet, meat-and-cheese trays and locally grown vegetables. A dessert bar features Alaska wildberry brownies, barley chocolate chip cookies and s'mores.

### Notes:

Bring a warm jacket to wear on the topside observation deck. The operator of this tour **guarantees that a whale will be sighted** on this excursion in June, July and August, with participants receiving a \$100 cash refund from the tour operator if a whale is not sighted. In all other months, no guarantee is offered; however, the tour operator's whale-sighting success rate remains at 99%. This tour is only available on ships staying in Juneau for the evening. The selection of food includes vegetarian and gluten-free options. Hot meal items will be available during the first 1.5 hours of the cruise. Cold food items and desserts will be available as supplies last. The vessel is restroom-equipped. The content of this tour is identical to Evening Whale Quest Featuring Alaska Cuisine. Only guests using a wheelchair can book this tour, as it ensures accessible transportation. Due to the specialized nature of some lift-equipped vehicles, priority is given to guests using a wheelchair and one companion only; additional companions may be required to travel on the transportation provided for Evening Whale Quest Featuring Alaska Cuisine. Bookings not marked with an accessibility requirement will be removed from the tour's inventory.

Please complete the Special Services form at <https://book.hollandamerica.com/specialServices/login.action> ; this will ensure that suitable transportation is in place for your tour.

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Throughout the voyage, the culinary experience highlights **locally-sourced cuisine**. The menu includes white fish Olympia, reindeer sausage cassoulet, meat-and-cheese trays and locally grown vegetables. A dessert bar features Alaska wildberry brownies, barley chocolate chip cookies and s'mores.

### Notes:

Dress warmly in layers with a windproof and waterproof outer layer; bring a warm hat, gloves and a scarf. The operator of this tour **guarantees that a whale will be sighted** on this excursion in June, July and August, with participants receiving a \$100 cash refund from the tour operator if a whale is not sighted. In all other months, no guarantee is offered; however, the tour operator's whale-sighting success rate remains at 99%. This tour is only available on ships staying in Juneau for the evening. The selection of food includes vegetarian and gluten-free options. Hot meal items will be available during the first 1.5 hours of the cruise. Cold food items and desserts will be available as supplies last. The vessel is restroom-equipped.

## FIVE GLACIER SEAPLANE EXPLORATION



Duration: **Approximately 1¼ hours**

Departs at **Noon**

Price: Adult **\$329.95**; Child **\$299.95**

The grandeur of Alaska's epic glaciers will thrill and delight you on Juneau's only five-glacier flightseeing tour. Seeing glaciers from the air is an Alaskan must-do, and doing so by authentic Alaskan seaplane (also known as a **floatplane**) is the quintessential Alaskan experience. One of Alaska's most important modes of transportation is the seaplane, allowing you to escape into the true Alaskan wilderness within minutes of leaving the ship.

Your seaplane exploration begins as your aircraft gently takes off from the historical downtown Juneau waterfront, carrying you over the remnants of Juneau's mining past.

You will soar over the lush wilderness of the Tongass National Forest to catch your first glimpse of five distinctly different, absolutely majestic glaciers making up a section of the 1,500-square-mile Juneau Ice Field. Glide over the deep crevasses and azure blue meltwater pools of the Norris, Hole-In-The-Wall, East and West Twin Glaciers, plus the famous five-mile-wide Taku Glacier. Of the 36 named glaciers comprising the Juneau Ice Field, the Taku Glacier is the largest.

## Notes:

This tour can be cancelled without penalty on the day your voyage commences. Cancellations thereafter are non-refundable. Maximum weight is 300 lbs. All participants enjoy a window seat for enhanced viewing and a headset for continuous narration. Narration is in English but can be provided in writing in Mandarin, Spanish, Catalan, German, Japanese, Dutch, Portuguese, Italian and French.

## GLACIER VIEW SEA KAYAKING



Duration: **Approximately 3½ hours**

Departs at **10:30 am**

Price: Adult **\$154.95**; Child **\$119.95**

Travel in the style of Native Alaskans and explore the spectacular **coastal waterways and Mendenhall wetlands** by **kayak**. Never paddled before? No worries! Your experienced guide will make sure you are comfortable.

This glorious half-day excursion along Juneau's coast begins with a short drive by bus to **North Douglas Island**, where you will enjoy scenic views of Mendenhall Glacier.

An experienced, friendly guide will hand out life jackets and rain gear before teaching you some

paddling techniques. Then, hop into a two-person **kayak** with a new friend or traveling companion. This breathtaking trip is designed to give you a sense of how the Aleut Natives traveled the coastal waterways of Alaska in search of pelts for the Russian fur trading companies. Your stable yet nimble kayak will allow you to silently observe any wildlife in the area, including porpoise, seals, sea lions, eagles, herons, or even whales.

Explore the **Mendenhall Wetlands**, where you can view the spectacular Mendenhall Glacier from an ocean explorer's point of view. This view of the glacier is from about six miles away, so (weather/cloud conditions permitting) you'll see how the massive river of ice winds up through the mountain peaks for miles -- truly one of the best views of Mendenhall Glacier.

Along the way, your guide will entertain you with stories about Smugglers Cove and the surrounding area's history and point out any local flora and fauna. This kayak trip is perfect for all levels of experience -- participants are grouped into like abilities so that you can travel at a comfortable pace. The tail-end boat captain will ensure that your experience is fun.

Back at the kayak base, enjoy a snack and receive a souvenir pin before the bus journey back to port.

## Notes:

Minimum weight is 40 lbs.; kayak cockpit is 10.5" X 16.5". Guests weighing more than 250 lbs may not fit comfortably in the kayak. Guests taller than 6'3" will not be able to steer with foot pedals and must sit in front. Waiver must be signed and medical conditions disclosed.

## GOLD PANNING & UNDERGROUND MINE EXPLORATION CURATED WITH THE HISTORY CHANNEL

## (WHEELCHAIR ACCESSIBLE)



Duration: **Approximately 2¼ hours**

Departs at **10:30 am**

Price: Adult **\$89.95**; Child **\$79.95**

Explore Juneau's Mining Legacy with the History Channel

In partnership with the History Channel, journey into Juneau's rich mining heritage at the site of what was once the world's largest gold-producing mill.

Begin with a visit to the Alaska Gastineau Mill, constructed in 1913, a revolutionary plant that transformed mining technology in Alaska. Hear the compelling story of this mine, the lifeblood of Juneau's early economy. Venture underground into a 360-foot-long conveyer tunnel, donning a hard hat as experienced miners demonstrate hard rock mining techniques, bringing the past to life.

Back at the mill site, learn how its unique processes revolutionized gold extraction. Afterward, pan for gold and garnets from the mine's tailings—guaranteed “pay dirt” awaits, and you can keep your finds.

View artifacts, including the first locomotive used for mining in Alaska, and explore the museum and gift shop before returning to town, enriched by the legacy of Alaska's gold rush era.

Notes: The mine is usually cold and damp inside. Dress warmly in layers with a windproof and waterproof outer layer; bring a warm hat, gloves and a scarf.

The content of this tour is identical to

Underground Mine & Gold Panning. Only guests using a wheelchair can book this tour, as it ensures accessible transportation. Due to the specialized nature of some lift-equipped vehicles, priority is given to guests using a wheelchair and one companion only; additional companions may be required to travel on the transportation provided for Underground Mine & Gold Panning. Bookings not marked with an accessibility requirement will be removed from the tour's inventory. Please complete the Special Services form at <https://book.hollandamerica.com/specialServices/login.action>; this will ensure that suitable transportation is in place for your tour.

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## GOLD PANNING ADVENTURE & ALASKA SALMON BAKE



Duration: **Approximately 3 hours**

Departs at **10:30 am**

Price: Adult **\$134.95**; Child **\$99.95**

The year was 1880, and two prospectors, Joe Juneau and Richard Harris, found 'large pieces of quartz, of black sulfite and galena all spangled over with gold' in Gold Creek. Thus began Alaska's first gold rush, 16 years before the Klondike version. It set the stage for a colorful period in Alaska's history and for your very own opportunity to catch gold fever on today's tour.

A **costumed guide** will escort you on the scenic and entertaining 20-minute ride to **Last Chance Basin**. Here, a prospector provides a lively **gold-panning demonstration** and narration about the gold rush days. Feel the thrill of discovery as, with expert instruction and a little **luck** of your own, you find guaranteed gold in the bottom of your pan. Not only will you keep what you find, you'll also receive a Gold Claim Certificate as a fun memento. The gold-panning portion of the

tour takes place in a serene setting where gold is plentiful. You're likely to see local residents panning for gold here, too.

Gold panning is hungry work, and the folks at the **Alaska Salmon Bake** have created the ideal setting for an all-you-can-eat outdoor Alaska feast. A 20-minute transfer will deliver you to your dining venue. The setting is serene -- a lush rain forest creek, tables under translucent, heated domes, wild salmon grilling slowly over an alderwood fire. Your meal includes grilled salmon, barbecue ribs, baked beans with reindeer sausage, wild-rice pilaf, potatoes and a robust selection of other sides and salads. Beverages are available for purchase, and there's blueberry cake for dessert.

After dinner, roast marshmallows over the **campfire**, stroll to the lovely **Salmon Creek waterfall** and view the Wagner Mine ruins. **Pan for more gold** before souvenir hunting at the trading post.

Shuttle buses depart regularly so you can set your own time to return to your ship with a motherlode of memories. Tour has a maximum of 24 participants; your prospector guide escorts you from start to finish.

### Notes:

Due to a temporary road closure for repairs, the gold panning portion will move from Gold Creek in Last Chance Basin to the site of the old Wagner Mine for the beginning of the season. Terrain is uneven. Not advisable for guests using a wheelchair. Menu is subject to change.

## GOLD PANNING ADVENTURE



Duration: **Approximately 1½ hours**

Departs at **10:30 am**

Price: Adult **\$94.95**; Child **\$64.95**

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## HELICOPTER GLACIER TREK



Duration: **Approximately 4¼ hours**

Departs at **1:00 pm**

Price: **\$584.95**

Begin your adventure with a helicopter ride and then enjoy a **two-hour hike** in a **glacial icescape**.

Take off from Juneau by **helicopter** and soar over the Juneau Ice Field to the glacier.

Upon landing on the glacier, listen to your guide, as there is an early emphasis on learning

the proper use of the mountaineering gear (waterproof and windproof outerwear, gloves, boots, ice axe, crampons, harness, helmet) and understanding the glacier features and hazards so that remote areas of the glacier can be accessed during the trek.

The trek includes more physical activity than the Glacier Walkabout, interspersed with detailed explanations of the glacial environment and surrounding area. It is both adventurous and informative -- no prior experience is required.

### Notes:

Participants should be comfortable hiking for two hours (about two miles) over uneven and sometimes steep terrain. This tour can be canceled without penalty on the day your voyage commences; cancellations thereafter are non-refundable. Dress warmly in layers with a windproof and waterproof outer layer; bring a warm hat, gloves and a scarf. Wear sunglasses. Not advisable for guests using a wheelchair. Minimum age is 12 years. Guests weighing 250 lbs or more (fully clothed) pay an additional surcharge over the published fare. Guests' weights will be verified during check-in. The tour operator endeavors to be discreet, but individual circumstances may not allow for complete privacy. Seating is determined by the weight and balance of the aircraft. The tour operator will do their best to keep groups together, but groups may be separated. The pilot alone decides if weather conditions are suitable for flightseeing. The pilot decides where each guest sits based on weight and balance requirements. Bags cannot be taken on the flight; a secure location is provided for storing personal items. iPads, iPad minis, tablets, drones, and selfie sticks or other extendable items are not permitted. For optimal photography and views, wear darker-colored

clothing to reduce window reflections. Waiver must be signed and medical conditions disclosed.

## HELICOPTER GLACIER WALKABOUT



Duration: **Approximately 3¼ hours**

Departs at **10:30 am**

Price: **\$549.95**

No experience is necessary for this non-strenuous, one-hour interpretive **glacier walk**.

Take off from Juneau by **helicopter** and soar over the Juneau Ice Field to the glacier.

Upon landing at the trekking site on the Mendenhall Glacier, your guide will provide detailed explanations of the glacier environment and the surrounding area, and teaches proper use of the equipment provided. There is plenty of time for photo opportunities.

### Notes:

The amount of walking required is moderate, over relatively flat to rolling terrain. Dress warmly in layers with a windproof and waterproof outer layer; bring a warm hat, gloves and a scarf. Wear sunglasses. Waterproof and windproof outerwear, boots, and gloves are provided. Minimum age is 8 years. This tour can be canceled without penalty on the day your voyage commences; cancellations thereafter are non-refundable. Not advisable for guests using a wheelchair. Guests weighing 250 lbs or more (fully clothed) pay an additional surcharge over the published fare. Guests' weights will be verified during check-in. The tour operator endeavors to be discreet, but individual circumstances may not allow for complete privacy. Seating is determined by the weight and balance of the aircraft. The tour operator will do

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## INTERACTIVE SELF-GUIDED JEEP ADVENTURE - PRIVATE 2 DOOR



Duration: **Approximately 4½ hours**

Departs at **10:30 am**

Price Per Party: **\$369.95**

Venture out in a comfortable, two-door, automatic-transmission **Jeep Wrangler®** to explore the Juneau area on your own. With the help of a handy, user-friendly Navigator GPS, you choose where you go and what you want to see.

The **four-hour tour** is pre-programmed to guide you to Mendenhall Glacier, the Shrine of St Therese, Eagle Beach, and a beautiful scenic drive along Douglas Island for a chance to take amazing photos. But, of course, you're free to explore your own way, at your own pace, wherever your travels take you. Your GPS-integrated vehicle will play audio over the speakers, providing you with historical information and interesting facts about your destination and Alaska's vast ecosystem.

### Notes:

Minimum age to drive is 25 years with a valid

driver's license. Unlimited mileage, fuel, ponchos, and digital GPS guide are included. The pre-programmed tour is subject to change. Insurance is included. Entrance fees for attractions are not included. Price is per vehicle (not per person), so only one person in the party needs to order the vehicle. The Jeep accommodates up to four adults but is recommended for two guests as the rear seats are only accessible by climbing over the front seats, and most child car seats are too large for this vehicle type. Vehicles have easy-lift soft-top roofs that can be positioned up or down depending on guest preference. Jeep and Jeep Wrangler are registered trademarks of Chrysler Group LLC.

## INTERACTIVE SELF-GUIDED JEEP ADVENTURE - PRIVATE 4 DOOR



Duration: **Approximately 4½ hours**

Departs at **10:30 am**

Price Per Party: **\$469.95**

Venture out in a comfortable, four-door, automatic-transmission **Jeep Wrangler®** to explore the Juneau area on your own. With the help of a handy, user-friendly Navigator GPS, you choose where you go and what you want to see.

The **four-hour tour** is pre-programmed to guide you to Mendenhall Glacier, the Shrine of St Therese, Eagle Beach, and a beautiful scenic drive along Douglas Island for a chance to take amazing photos. But, of course, you're free to explore your own way, at your own pace, wherever your travels take you. Your GPS-integrated vehicle will play audio over the speakers, providing you with historical information and interesting facts about your destination and Alaska's vast ecosystem.

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## JUNEAU CULINARY WALK



Duration: **Approximately 2½ hours**

Departs at **10:30 am**

Price: **\$159.95**

Foodies unite! This is your golden opportunity to discover a side of Alaska that is a feast for both the eyes and the stomach. According to *Food & Wine* magazine, the food in Juneau is as much an attraction as the world-class scenery, thanks to a proliferation of culinary talent and creativity.

America's last frontier is home to a wealth of fresh seafood and other delicacies, which you'll discover on this 2.5-hour guided walking tour. Much of the best food in this compact town is within easy distance of the pier.

Begin at the **Fisherman's Memorial**, honoring

those who pioneered the industry that has brought the bounty of the sea to the world. It's a salute to the economic and social importance of fishing within Alaska.

From there, explore a variety of eating establishments in the downtown area, each chosen to highlight the edible specialties of Southeast Alaska.

After learning about the importance of the seafood industry, stroll to **Taku Smokeries** for a quick nibble of smoked halibut spread and grab your included bottle of water.

Easily Juneau's most famous restaurant, **Tracy's King Crab Shack** -- firmly in the casual-dining orbit -- welcomes you with its award-winning crab bisque. This popular spot is known for its iconic crab-based menu and relaxed dining vibe.

A stop at **Taste Alaska!** features a delicious Alaska snack plate of smoked salmon dip, kelp salsa and chips, spruce tip jelly and more.

Next, you'll head to **Deckhand Dave's** -- a taco truck with an Alaska twist. You'll be treated to a rockfish taco paired with a beer.

At **Harbor Tea & Spice**, sample herbal tea from locally sourced botanicals and browse the selection of custom teas and spice blends in this unique shop.

A blueberry mojito will wrap up your experience at the **Cyrstal Saloon** -- a historical bar and music hall.

Guests wishing to stay in town to shop or explore independently are welcome to do so but must make their own way back to the ship.

## Notes:

Come hungry -- there are plenty of food samples best enjoyed on a relatively empty stomach. Specific food venues are subject to change depending on availability. Minimum age is 15 years; minimum age to participate in beer and wine tasting is 21 years. Participants must be able to walk the distance to each venue with ease; however, total distance covered is less than one mile. Wear comfortable walking shoes. Surfaces are paved sidewalks and streets with some inclines and stairs. The tour operator reserves the right to substitute establishments; comparably delicious food samples will be offered at alternative site(s). Bring a rain jacket.

## JUNEAU GOLDBELT TRAM ON YOUR OWN



Duration: **Approximately 2½ hours**

Departs at **Available**

Price: Adult **\$68.25**; Child **\$52.50**

You've already booked your helicopter, sightseeing, or outdoor adventure in Juneau; now, how about a great introduction to Alaska's capital or a fond farewell with a ride on **Juneau Goldbelt Tram**? Buy in advance through Holland America Line to avoid the ticketing lines.

Enjoy an exhilarating tramway ride through the Alaska rainforest up **Mount Roberts** to 1,800 feet above Juneau. Take in the beautiful views with the Chilkat Mountains to the north, Stephens Passage to the south, Douglas Island to the west and, in the east, Silver Bow Basin, where gold was discovered in 1880. Watch for wildlife and birds on your way to the bear-viewing platforms.

Visit **Goldbelt Tram Gifts & Gallery** at the



Mountain House. This is not just a gift shop -- it's an educational experience because you can watch local artisans crafting traditional objects. The store carries everything from comfortable, affordable clothing and charming souvenirs to exquisite crystal and museum-quality handcrafted Native artworks, both traditional and modern.

Stop in the gallery for the finest traditional weaving, carving, and Native art prints.

Enjoy the award-winning film, *Seeing Daylight* on the history and culture of the Tlingit people. Dine with a view at the Timberline Bar & Grill on fresh seafood (at your own expense).

#### Notes:

Children aged 2 years and younger participate free of charge. There is no risk to purchasing tickets before the call at Juneau, as a full refund is given for any unused tickets; however, you must see the Shore Excursions team on board the ship before the end of the day to process the refund.

## JUNEAU HIGHLIGHTS: GLACIER GARDENS & WHALE PARK



Duration: **Approximately 2½ hours**

Departs at **10:30 am**

Price: Adult **\$94.95**; Child **\$69.95**

Enter **Glacier Gardens'** unbelievable world of upside-down trees, with beautiful plants from around the world and a sanctuary of flowers. Here, you will find the original flower towers, inspired by a happy mistake, and take a guided **tram** ride up the mountainside through the **Tongass National Forest** to view Juneau from 600 feet asl. Heading back down through the forest, step into the pleasingly aromatic

atmosphere of flowers in the main pavilion.

Take some time to browse in the Glacier Gardens **gift shop**.

Travel by coach to **Overstreet (Whale) Park**. A life-size breaching whale statue and fountain makes for an impressive centerpiece. Take in the panoramic views of Gastineau Channel and check out Native culture in the form of **totems**. These are dotted about the park and along the adjacent seawalk. Stroll the seawalk for terrific views of Juneau's city waterfront.

#### Notes:

Tour is accessible to guests using a collapsible wheelchair. Tour requires walking short distances. Terrain includes a few steps (up and down). Dress warmly in layers with a windproof and waterproof outer layer; bring a warm hat, gloves and a scarf.

## MENDENHALL GLACIER & GLACIER GARDENS



Duration: **Approximately 4 hours**

Departs at **10:30 am**

Price: Adult **\$124.95**; Child **\$99.95**

Savor the rich beauty of Glacier Gardens and visit Juneau's top natural attraction, the Mendenhall Glacier.

From downtown Juneau, it's a short ride to **Glacier Gardens**. Meet your tour guide and transfer to a covered shuttle for an intimate look at this natural wonderland of colorful plants, trees and flowers. The brilliant palette creates a dazzling contrast to the lush green forest backdrop. You will be amazed at the diversity of the rain forest as you wind along pathways carved into the mountainside, heading

toward the upper regions of the forest. Visit a one-of-a-kind Alaska garden featuring towering 'upside-down trees' covered with planted flowers. From the viewing platform at the 580-foot level, capture images of the Gastineau Channel, Douglas Island and the Chilkat Mountains. Explore deeper into the forest on your return trip.

Continue to visit Juneau's grandest monument - **Mendenhall Glacier**. This meandering river of compressed blue ice is the largest glacier accessible by road in Southeast Alaska. It is a half-mile wide, hundreds of feet deep and fed by the 1,500-square-mile Juneau ice field. US Forest Service staff offer a wealth of information on glaciers during your 90-minute visit. The **Visitor Center** features exhibits, interactive videos and a panoramic view of the glacier -- the perfect vantage point for photos of this world-famous attraction. There are also numerous self-guided walking trails from which to experience the special beauty of Tongass National Forest and ever-changing glimpses of the glacier.

## Notes:

This tour operates under a Special Use Permit issued by the US Forest Service. Time at the glacier is approximately 90 minutes. The Mendenhall Glacier Visitor Center's 2025 opening hours are 10am-5pm Sunday through Friday; closed on Saturdays. It may be closed during your visit. Restrooms are open every day.

## MENDENHALL GLACIER & JUNEAU TRAM



Duration: **Approximately 4 hours**

Departs at **10:30 am**

Price: Adult **\$139.95**; Child **\$84.95**

This tour visits Juneau's hallmark attractions -- **Mendenhall Glacier** and Juneau Tram.

Your journey begins with a narrated tour of **downtown Juneau** and the city's highlights en route to Mendenhall Valley -- home of the mighty glacier. Your guide will point out many of the attractions that you'll want to see during your approximate 1.5-hour stay at the **Mendenhall Glacier** area. Scenic Photo Point and the **Visitor Center** are well worth a visit. The area boasts several self-guided scenic trails that allow you to learn about the role the glacier had in carving the landscape. Each of these trails offers a different view of the Mendenhall through trees or along the shores of Mendenhall Lake.

Return to downtown Juneau for a ride on the **Juneau Goldbelt Tram**. You can either head straight up the mountain or detour into town and ride the tram at your leisure -- your ticket is good all day. You'll want at least 90 minutes to take in the beauty of Mt Roberts. On the ride up to 1,800 feet, take in the beautiful views with the Chilkat Mountains to the north, Stephens Passage to the south, Douglas Island to the west and, in the east, Silver Bow Basin, where gold was discovered in 1880. At the top, explore the area trails and visit Goldbelt Tram Gifts at the Mountain House -- an educational experience because you can watch local artisans crafting traditional objects. Looking out at the surrounding mountains and islands that make up the Tongass area, it is easy to understand why Juneau-ites feel so isolated from the rest of Alaska.

Your guide will explain your options and tell you how to return to the ship from the tram terminal.

**Notes:** The Mendenhall Glacier Visitor Center's 2025 opening hours are 10am-5pm Sunday

through Friday; closed on Saturdays. It may be closed during your visit. Restrooms are open every day.

## MENDENHALL GLACIER & WHALE QUEST



Duration: **Approximately 5½ hours**

Departs at **10:30 am**

Price: Adult **\$264.95**; Child **\$169.95**

Experience Alaska's glaciers and wildlife from two very different vantage points -- by land and by sea.

A narrated motorcoach tour takes you to view and photograph Alaska's most famous river of ice, the **Mendenhall Glacier**. At the **Visitor Center**, you'll have the opportunity to talk with Forest Service interpreters and, through interactive exhibits, learn about the tremendous force of glaciers.

Back aboard the motorcoach, you'll take the scenic route through the Mendenhall Valley to **Auke Bay**, where you'll board a **water-jet-powered expedition vessel** specifically designed for wildlife viewing. Relax in the warm, comfortable cabin surrounded by large windows as you ply the island-studded waters of **Stephens Passage** -- world-renowned as a favored summer feeding ground for **humpback whales**.

Once whales have been sighted, your captain will gently maneuver the vessel to allow exceptional viewing and photo opportunities as these graceful ocean giants slowly arc their massive tail flukes into the air. The whales are often close enough to hear them breathe.

An **on-board naturalist** will explain the behavior and habitat of the humpback whale and **other**

**wildlife** you may encounter, including killer whales, Steller sea lions, Dall's porpoise, harbor seals, bald eagles and Sitka black-tail deer.

### Notes:

Bring a warm jacket to wear on the topside observation deck. The operator of this tour **guarantees that a whale will be sighted** on this excursion in June, July and August, with participants receiving a \$100 cash refund from the tour operator if a whale is not sighted. In all other months, no guarantee is offered; however, the tour operator's whale-sighting success rate remains at 99%. The vessel is restroom-equipped. Time at the glacier is approximately 75 minutes. Tour sequence may vary. The Mendenhall Glacier Visitor Center's 2025 opening hours are 10am-5pm Sunday through Friday; closed on Saturdays. It may be closed during your visit. Restrooms are open every day.

## MENDENHALL GLACIER EXPLORER (WHEELCHAIR ACCESSIBLE)



Duration: **Approximately 3 hours**

Departs at **10:30 am**

Price: Adult **\$79.95**; Child **\$49.95**

Your journey begins with a narrated tour of downtown Juneau and the city's highlights en route to Mendenhall Valley -- home of the mighty **Mendenhall Glacier**.

Your guide will point out many attractions you'll want to see during your approximately two-hour stay at the glacier area. Scenic Photo Point and the Mendenhall Glacier **Visitor Center** are well worth a visit. The area boasts several self-guided scenic trails that allow you to learn about the glacier's role in carving the landscape. Each of these trails offers a different view of the

Mendenhall through trees or along the shores of Mendenhall Lake. The Nugget Falls trail takes you to the base of a long glacier-fed waterfall and offers the closest views of Mendenhall Glacier. Meander through the **Tongass National Forest** as you explore the Moraine Ecology Trail and the Steep Creek Trail -- the latter offers multiple views of wild sockeye salmon during the mid- to late-summer months.

## Notes:

This tour operates under a Special Use Permit issued by the US Forest Service. Due to occasional bear activity, food consumption is prohibited in the Mendenhall Glacier area. The content of this tour is identical to Mendenhall Glacier Explorer. Only guests using a wheelchair can book this tour, as it ensures accessible transportation. Due to the specialized nature of some lift-equipped vehicles, priority is given to guests using a wheelchair and one companion only; additional companions may be required to travel on the transportation provided for Mendenhall Glacier Explorer. Bookings not marked with an accessibility requirement will be removed from the tour's inventory. The Mendenhall Glacier Visitor Center's 2025 opening hours are 10am-5pm Sunday through Friday; closed on Saturdays. It may be closed during your visit. Restrooms are open every day.

Please complete the Special Services form at <https://book.hollandamerica.com/specialServices/login.action> ; this will ensure that suitable transportation is in place for your tour.

## MENDENHALL GLACIER EXPLORER



Duration: **Approximately 3 hours**  
Departs at **1:30 pm**

Price: Adult **\$79.95**; Child **\$49.95**

Your journey begins with a narrated tour of downtown Juneau and the city's highlights en route to Mendenhall Valley -- home of the mighty **Mendenhall Glacier**.

Your guide will point out many attractions you'll want to see during your approximately two-hour stay at the glacier area. Scenic Photo Point and the Mendenhall Glacier **Visitor Center** are well worth a visit. The area boasts several self-guided scenic trails that allow you to learn about the glacier's role in carving the landscape. Each of these trails offers a different view of the Mendenhall through trees or along the shores of Mendenhall Lake. The Nugget Falls trail takes you to the base of a long glacier-fed waterfall and offers the closest views of Mendenhall Glacier. Meander through the **Tongass National Forest** as you explore the Moraine Ecology Trail and the Steep Creek Trail -- the latter offers multiple views of wild sockeye salmon during the mid- to late-summer months.

## Notes:

This tour operates under a Special Use Permit issued by the US Forest Service. Due to occasional bear activity, food consumption is prohibited in the Mendenhall Glacier area. The Mendenhall Glacier Visitor Center's 2025 opening hours are 10am-5pm Sunday through Friday; closed on Saturdays. It may be closed during your visit. Restrooms are open every day.

## MENDENHALL GLACIER FLOAT TRIP



Duration: **Approximately 3½ hours**  
Departs at **10:30 am**  
Price: Adult **\$209.95**; Child **\$154.95**

Your outing begins with a scenic, narrated motorcoach ride and tour to beautiful

**Mendenhall Lake.** There, you'll be treated to an excellent view of the glacier -- a half-mile wide and more than one hundred feet tall at the face.

Arriving at the lake, gear up, board a **raft**, and take off on an unforgettable adventure where you can get out into nature, learn about the area, and see the glacier, icebergs and some wildlife.

Your experienced guide will steer you across the serene waters of the lake, maneuvering past floating icebergs to the river beyond. The speed of the water and level of the rapids vary depending on the weather. You will be **rafting a five-mile stretch of river** from Mendenhall Lake in the Tongass National Forest downstream towards Juneau Harbor.

Your guide explains the natural phenomena at work in this scenic valley. Marvel at the spectacular glacier views and towering peaks as you float downstream. Watch for the local wildlife, which may include -- arctic terns, eagles, goats, salmon, otters, bears and more.

Back ashore, you'll enjoy a **snack** with a warm beverage and, if you wish, purchase a photo of your rafting experience before reboarding your motorcoach for the short ride back to your ship.

## Notes:

Tour is mainly a scenic experience with a short section of rapids where the guide takes complete charge of the raft. Guests interested in a higher level of activity, following the guide's commands and powering the raft through the troughs of the rapids (one mile of Class III rapids), should ask to be seated in a paddle raft. Wildlife sightings are likely but are not

guaranteed. Minimum weight is 50 lbs; maximum weight is 350 lbs. Maximum chest size is 58". Waiver must be signed and medical conditions disclosed. Bring only a disposable or waterproof camera.

## MENDENHALL GLACIER GUIDE'S CHOICE HIKE



Duration: **Approximately 4½ hours**

Departs at **10:30 am**

Price: Adult **\$129.95**; Child **\$99.95**

Put on your hiking boots and fill your lungs with fresh air as you experience a **day of world-class hiking**. With more miles of trails than roads, Juneau is the place for an adventurous day hike. Your small group (limited to 12 people per guide) is led by a certified interpretive guide who chooses the trail to best suit the group's ability and the day's hiking conditions.

Hike in the **Mendenhall Glacier National Recreation Area** on a secluded trail with several glacier views. Witness cascading waterfalls, serene meadows, and quiet forest glens -- just a few of the treasured places that can be reached only on foot. Your experienced guide will provide stories and insights on the **Tongass National Forest** -- the world's largest remaining temperate rain forest -- its fascinating wildlife, glacially-carved landscapes and lush foliage. A variety of animal species inhabit this place, and your guide will help you keep a lookout for any sign along the trail; perhaps you will discover a shy porcupine or pause to listen to the call of an Arctic tern.

Expect a refreshing outing at a moderate pace with many opportunities for photography and lasting memories of Alaska.

## MENDENHALL GLACIER HELICOPTER



## & GUIDED WALK



Duration: **Approximately 2¼ hours**

Departs at **10:30 am**

Price: **\$434.95**

Travel back to the Ice Age on this excursion that was featured on *Good Morning America* as Juneau's top-rated excursion.

Board a modern turbine-powered **helicopter** to enjoy breathtaking vistas of thriving rain forests, alpine ridges, and mountain peaks.

Your destination is the world-famous **Mendenhall Glacier**. The flight path takes you over the glacier, giving you an eagle's-eye view of its icy spires, deep blue crevasses and meltwater pools. Descending towards the landing site, you may fly past the Mendenhall Towers -- rock sentinels that soar to more than 7,000 feet. A gentle landing brings you to your close encounter with the ice itself.

Step out onto the ice to explore the **glacier's surface** with an experienced, knowledgeable guide -- an opportunity to take once-in-a-lifetime photos.

### Notes:

This tour can be cancelled without penalty on the day your voyage commences. Cancellations thereafter are non-refundable. Wear sunglasses. Glacier boots are provided. <a>Guests weighing 250 lbs or more (fully clothed) pay an additional surcharge over the published fare. Every guest is weighed at check-in. The tour operator endeavors to be discreet, but individual circumstances may not allow for complete privacy. The pilot alone decides if weather conditions are suitable for flightseeing. If the flight is canceled due to weather

conditions, you will receive a full refund. The pilot decides where each guest sits based on weight and balance requirements. Bags cannot be taken on the flight; a secure location is provided for storing personal items. iPads, iPad minis, tablets, drones, and selfie sticks or other extendable items are not permitted. For optimal photography and views, wear darker-colored clothing to reduce window reflections. Mobility devices of any kind cannot be brought onto the aircraft. Participants must be able to take two 18-inch steps into and out of the helicopter and walk approximately 100 yards. Employees can give a helping hand into and out of the helicopters but are not allowed to lift or carry a guest. Mobility devices of any kind cannot be brought onto the aircraft. Infants up to and including the day before their second birthday can be considered a lap child and should be added to the parent's weight they will be sitting on and are at no cost. Thereafter, each child is required by FAA to have a seat and will be charged accordingly.

## MENDENHALL GLACIER KAYAK & SALMON BAKE



Duration: **Approximately 5 hours**

Departs at **10:30 am**

Price: Adult **\$284.95**; Child **\$234.95**

Head to Mendenhall Lake, where an experienced guide will teach you some kayaking techniques. Then, hop into your two-person kayak with either a traveling companion or a new friend, and set off as one of the lucky few to experience the majestic **Mendenhall Glacier** up close and by kayak.

Paddle across **Mendenhall Lake**, navigating the iceberg-studded waters -- one of the jewels of the **Tongass National Forest**. Your knowledgeable guide will explain the

breathhtaking nature surrounding you, pointing out native wildlife and fascinating you with the history and ecology of the spectacular Mendenhall Glacier. Venture within a safe distance of the massive, awe-inspiring face of the glacier and skirt the base of the beautiful and mighty Nugget Falls.

On dry land, head to the **Gold Creek Salmon Bake** to refuel with an all-you-can-eat feast. Beverages are available for purchase. With a marshmallow-roasting fire pit, majestic waterfall, mining relics and a totem carver on site, there's something for everyone -- a great way to end this one-of-a-kind adventure.

#### Notes:

This tour operates under a Special Use Permit issued by the US Forest Service. Rain gear and life jackets are provided. Return transfer is by shuttle bus service departing every 20-30 minutes. Maximum height is 6'3". Minimum weight is 40 lbs; maximum weight is 275 lbs based on approximate waist size to fit in the kayak cockpit. Not suitable for guests with a back condition. Dress warmly in layers with a windproof and waterproof outer layer; bring a warm hat, gloves and a scarf. Bring an extra pair of socks.

## MENDENHALL GLACIER NATIVE CANOE ADVENTURE



Duration: **Approximately 4 hours**

Departs at **10:30 am**

Price: Adult **\$239.95**; Child **\$184.95**

Count yourself among the select few to travel by **canoe** for an encounter with majestic **Mendenhall Glacier**. This **small-group** outing includes a maximum of 19 privileged guests.

You will paddle a traditional **Tlingit-style canoe** - a stable 38-foot watercraft with modern safety gear supplied. **Paddle across Mendenhall Lake**, navigating past icebergs, surrounded by one of the richest microcosms of Alaskan wildlife you'll find anywhere. Venture within a safe distance of the massive, awe-inspiring face of the living Mendenhall Glacier and keep an eye out for wildlife, including bald eagles, Arctic terns, goats, salmon, otters, bears, and more.

Grab a thrill ride by skirting the base of beautiful and mighty Nugget Falls, where you will go ashore to refuel with a **snack** of Alaskan-style fare for the return trip.

#### Notes:

Dress warmly in layers with a windproof and waterproof outer layer; bring a warm hat, gloves and a scarf. Bring extra socks. Minimum weight is 40 lbs. Waterproof rain gear is provided. Waiver must be signed and medical conditions disclosed. This is a hands-on activity that requires participants to paddle for extended periods.

## MENDENHALL GLACIER, HATCHERY & SALMON BAKE



Duration: **Approximately 4½ hours**

Departs at **2:15 pm**

Price: Adult **\$144.95**; Child **\$99.95**

Travel through **Juneau's picturesque downtown** to the mighty **Mendenhall Glacier**, a moving river of ice with rugged crevasses. Visit the **Macaulay Salmon Hatchery** and learn about the importance of Alaska's salmon and the impact these clever fish have on the environment and economy of the 49th state.

Enjoy excellent eagle viewing and the variety of

local marine life in aquariums. Then you'll board a motorcoach and head to the traditional Alaskan **salmon bake at Salmon Creek**. An Alaskan feast, this salmon bake features Alaskan-caught wild salmon grilled over an open alderwood fire. Also enjoy barbecue ribs, cheesy au gratin potatoes, baked beans with reindeer sausage, wild-rice pilaf, fresh salads, cornbread and lemonade, coffee or tea. Beverages are available for purchase.

Dine beside Salmon Creek in **Southeast Alaska's rainforest** and listen to a local musician. A translucent roof protects you, rain or shine. After dining, toast marshmallows over a crackling campfire and **walk** to view the beautiful **Salmon Creek waterfall**. Remnants of the historic Wagner Mine are evident here. Return to the ship by shuttle bus.

#### Notes:

Terrain is uneven. Not advisable for guests using a wheelchair. Dress warmly in layers with a windproof and waterproof outer layer; bring a warm hat, gloves and a scarf. Restrooms are available. Time at the glacier is approximately 75 minutes. Menu is subject to change. Terrain is uneven. Not advisable for guests using a wheelchair. Dress warmly in layers with a windproof and waterproof outer layer; bring a warm hat, gloves and a scarf. Restrooms are available. Time at the glacier is approximately 75 minutes. Menu is subject to change. The Mendenhall Glacier Visitor Center's 2025 opening hours are 10am-5pm Sunday through Friday; closed on Saturdays. It may be closed during your visit. Restrooms are open every day.

## PILOT'S CHOICE GLACIER EXPLORER BY HELICOPTER (WITH TWO LANDINGS)



Duration: **Approximately 2¾ hours**

Departs at **10:30 am**

Price: **\$579.95**

Marvel at vistas seen by few -- high alpine lakes, icefalls hanging from sheer cliffs, and some of the most remote peaks and glaciers on the **Juneau Ice Field**.

Your pilot will create the best possible flightseeing based on the weather and glacier conditions.

You'll **land in two different locations**, leaving the helicopter for a brief glacier stroll. During these two landings, you will learn about the environmental and geological processes at work, creating moraines, crevasses, seracs, and the glaciers themselves.

#### Notes:

Time spent on the glacier is approximate and may vary due to weather and glacial conditions. Tour requires walking approximately 30 yards from the building to the helicopter. This tour can be cancelled without penalty on the day your voyage commences. Cancellations thereafter are non-refundable. Wear sunglasses. Glacier boots are provided. Guests weighing 250 lbs or more (fully clothed) pay an additional surcharge over the published fare. Every guest is weighed at check-in. The tour operator endeavors to be discreet, but individual circumstances may not allow for complete privacy. The pilot alone decides if weather conditions are suitable for flightseeing. If the flight is canceled due to weather conditions, you will receive a full refund. The pilot decides where each guest sits based on weight and balance requirements. Bags cannot be taken on the flight; a secure location is provided for storing personal items. iPads, iPad minis, tablets, drones, and selfie sticks or other extendable items are not permitted. For optimal photography and views, wear darker-colored

clothing to reduce window reflections. Mobility devices of any kind cannot be brought onto the aircraft. Participants must be able to take two 18-inch steps into and out of the helicopter and walk approximately 100 yards. Employees can give a helping hand into and out of the helicopters but are not allowed to lift or carry a guest. Mobility devices of any kind cannot be brought onto the aircraft. Infants up to and including the day before their second birthday can be considered a lap child and should be added to the parent's weight they will be sitting on and are at no cost. Thereafter, each child is required by FAA to have a seat and will be charged accordingly.

## PRIVATE WHALE WATCHING (UP TO 6 GUESTS)



Duration: **Approximately 3½ hours**

Departs at **10:45 am**

Price Per Party: **\$1,399.95**

Experience Juneau's star attractions at sea on a **private whale-watching tour**. This outing includes whale and wildlife viewing based on your group's preferences. Because this is a private tour, the amount of time engaged in each activity is up to you. You might include watching for humpback whales, orcas, sea lions, eagles, harbor seals, lighthouses, glaciers in the distance and possibly even bears. So plentiful is the wildlife in these nutrient-rich waters that your tour offers a **whale sighting guarantee in peak season**.

Your skipper is familiar with wildlife habitats and movement patterns and can guide you to the best possible areas for viewing and photography. Your **boat** has an enclosed, heated cabin, comfortable seating, plenty of viewing space, snacks and a restroom. Each group will receive an Alaska gift bag with local

goodies.

### Notes:

Price is per vessel -- only one guest per party needs to book this excursion. The boat can accommodate up to **six** guests. Due to the very limited capacity and highly specialized nature of this excursion, it is non-refundable unless canceled before the day your voyage commences. The boat is exclusive to your party; the transportation to and from the private boat may be shared with other tour participants. The operator **guarantees that a whale will be sighted** on this excursion from May 15th through September 15th. A guarantee is not offered outside of these dates; however, a whale sighting remains highly likely.

## RAINFOREST E-BIKE ADVENTURE



Duration: **Approximately 3 hours**

Departs at **10:30 am**

Price: **\$164.95**

Boost your Alaskan adventure and your pedal power at the same time with this **e-bike ride** suitable for any fitness level. Not sure how an e-bike works? No worries! A short training will bring you up to speed on the latest biking technology, making long distances and uphill slopes feel effortless.

A scenic 20-minute **panoramic drive** by van transports you to **Fish Creek Park** on **North Douglas Island**. Set out single-file along the shoreline of North Douglas Island on a paved dedicated bike lane with fresh ocean breezes and stunning views.

Stops include the spectacular **view of Mendenhall Glacier**, a waterfall, an old-growth forest and a short walk through the world's

northernmost rainforest. Learn about Alaska's history, flora and fauna and enjoy a favorite local beach, enjoy a **snack** and head back to Fish Creek Park before returning to the ship.

## Notes:

Guests must be in good health with overall good balance and mobility. Guests with vertigo, or a hip, leg, hand or shoulder condition should not book a tour. Participants must be able to ride a bike. Minimum age is 12 years. Maximum age is 78 years. Dress warmly in layers with a wind- and waterproof outer layer; bring gloves and rain pants. Minimum height is 4'0". Tour does not operate on Sundays.

## SALMON FISHING



Duration: **Approximately 5 hours**

Departs at **10:30 am**

Price: **\$314.95**

Get serious about fishing with four hours on the water and a knowledgeable Coast Guard-licensed skipper. This **premium Alaskan salmon-fishing charter** is a chance to learn all about the migration patterns of the salmon as well as the most effective way to catch them. Your skipper takes you to some of the best local hotspots to fish for a once-in-a-lifetime fishing adventure -- it's designed for all experience levels and suitable for all ages. The boat has an enclosed, heated cabin, comfortable seating, plenty of viewing space and a restroom. **Snacks and bottled water** are provided.

You'll troll specific areas for **seasonal salmon fishing**. Target one species or, depending on the time of year, go for the grand slam and attempt to catch all five -- king, silver, sockeye, pink and chum.

Catch a fish? Now enjoy every bite, perfectly prepared on board the ship and expertly served at your dinner table through the **Savour My Catch** program. This is a true ocean-to-fork experience available with this fishing adventure. Alternatively, the fish you catch can be professionally processed locally (flash-frozen) and shipped to your home for an additional charge.

## Notes:

Party size is limited to six guests. Tidal conditions can make the dock ramp very steep. Trolling involves using a downrigger to lower the bait to a specific depth. There are two downriggers that hold up to four fishing lines; when conditions allow, two more lines will be used for a potential of six fishing lines out at once. Fishermen are rotated or assigned rods depending on number of lines so that everyone has a fair chance to catch a fish. A light snack and water are provided. Minimum age is 5 years. Dress warmly in layers with a windproof and waterproof outer layer; bring gloves, a scarf and a warm hat. Guests who choose to have their fish processed and sent home (to the USA only) will need to bring their credit card to pay for processing. A catch is likely but is not guaranteed. Although this tour is included in the Savour My Catch program; there is no guarantee that your catch will meet the required food safety standards (temperature, condition, color, etc) upon delivery to the ship; the ship's food preparation staff will assess your catch's suitability. The Alaska Department of Fish & Game implements conservation measures to protect king salmon; restrictions on keeping your catch may apply. Please check directly with the Alaska Department of Fish & Game for restrictions specific to your tour date. Only fish species that do not have restrictions in place can be shipped home or delivered to the ship for Savour My Catch. All participants aged



16 and older must purchase a fishing license in advance by following these steps:

- > Visit <https://store.adfg.alaska.gov/>
- > Choose "Shop as a Guest" and enter the required information
- > Choose "Fishing, Hunting, Trapping Licenses & Stamps"
- > Under Short-Term Products, use the drop-down menu to select the Sport Fishing License for the correct term (if you will fish on multiple days, purchase a term that will cover all applicable dates)
- > Add a king salmon stamp (May through July)

> Enter the date and time you will start fishing

> Add to your cart and checkout

> Bring the email containing your license and a screenshot as a backup

In the event of tour cancellation, submit a written request to the Alaska Department of Fish & Game for a refund of your license fee.

## SENTINEL ISLAND LIGHTHOUSE & WHALE WATCHING CRUISE



Duration: **Approximately 4½ hours**

Departs at **10:30 am**

Price: **\$239.95**

Embark on a **whale-watching adventure** to the historic **Sentinel Island Lighthouse**. Relax in a heated cabin with a cup of hot coffee and enjoy outside viewing areas while watching for

humpback whales, Steller sea lions, Dall's porpoise, bald eagles and other marine animals. During your cruise, learn about whales and the history of area lighthouses. While on board, enjoy locally-made Alaska fudge, granola bars, caribou sausage sticks, coffee/tea and bottled water.

Upon arrival at **Sentinel Island**, you will take a scenic walk with amazing views of Lynn Canal and the surrounding islands and waterways. As you approach the lighthouse, reflect on its long role in maritime history since its construction in 1902. **Climb the tower** to inspect the beacon and take in the vista across Lynn Canal. Imagine the isolated life of a "wickie" -- a lighthouse keeper -- and consider that the usual stint here was at least a few years.

Back on the boat, it's a short ride to Yankee Cove, where you will meet up with your driver and enjoy a narrated trip. View Mendenhall Glacier from the **Brotherhood Bridge viewpoint** to bring together Alaska's history, wildlife and epic scenery.

### Notes:

Tour sequence may vary. The operator of this tour **guarantees that a whale will be sighted** on this excursion from May 15 through September 15 with participants receiving a \$50 cash refund from the tour operator after the tour if a whale is not sighted. A guarantee is not offered outside of these dates; however, a whale sighting remains highly likely. Due to ongoing remodeling, access inside the lighthouse may be limited. Views of Mendenhall Glacier are weather-dependent. Weather and atmospheric conditions vary; no guarantee is offered with regard to visibility or views on any particular day.

## SHORESIDE SALMON FISHING

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Duration: **Approximately 3½ hours**

Departs at **10:30 am**

Price: **\$169.95**

Fish for wild salmon without getting on a boat. From the shoreline, you'll learn to use a rod and reel to cast. Suitable for children eight and up, this is a great introduction to salmon fishing.

Transfer from the pier to the Macaulay Salmon Hatchery, where you'll tour the facility. Watch the salmon swim upstream via a fish ladder provided by people, and learn more about the lifecycle of salmon and the role this fish plays in Alaska's history and cuisine.

Experience the thrill of catching salmon from the shore, fishing from a picturesque spot with dock and shoreline access and the help of knowledgeable guides.

Salmon are abundant in these waters, but varieties are seasonal. King salmon are available in May and June, keta (chum) salmon in June and July, and pink and silver salmon from August through September.

Arrangements can be made to ensure that your catch is shipped home, or you can release it back into the wild. The salmon are plentiful -- keep your net and camera ready.

### Notes:

Minimum age is 8 years. Dress warmly in layers with a windproof and waterproof outer layer; bring a warm hat, gloves and a scarf. A catch is likely but is not guaranteed. Raingear, boots, nets, poles and lures are supplied. Some early morning or early evening departures may not visit the interior of the hatchery; you will still see the fish ladder and learn about the hatchery operations. Specific fishing location may change

depending on fish availability; fishing from the beach requires traversing rocky terrain and standing for the duration. Guests choosing to have their fish processed and sent home (to the US only) will need to bring their credit card to pay for processing. The Alaska Department of Fish & Game implements conservation measures to protect king salmon; restrictions on keeping your catch may apply. Please check directly with the Alaska Department of Fish & Game for restrictions specific to your tour date. Only fish species that do not have restrictions in place can be shipped home. A fishing license is required by the State of Alaska and should be purchased in advance of your tour. Children aged 15 years and younger are not required to purchase a license. All participants aged 16 and older must purchase a fishing license in advance by following these steps:

- > Visit <https://store.adfg.alaska.gov/>
- > Choose "Shop as a Guest" and enter the required information
- > Choose "Fishing, Hunting, Trapping Licenses & Stamps"
- > Under Short-Term Products, use the drop-down menu to select the Sport Fishing License for the correct term (if you will fish on multiple days, purchase a term that will cover all applicable dates)
- > Add a king salmon stamp (May through July)
- > Enter the date and time you will start fishing
- > Add to your cart and check out
- > Bring the email containing your license and a screenshot as a backup

In the event of tour cancellation, submit a written request to the Alaska Department of Fish & Game for a refund of your license fee.

## SLED DOG DISCOVERY & MUSER'S CAMP



Duration: **Approximately 2¼ hours**

Departs at **10:30 am**

Price: Adult **\$199.95**; Child **\$179.95**

Visit a **musher's camp** to experience a true Alaskan adventure and support the state sport of dog mushing. You will have a blast on an authentic dog sled ride, meeting and learning from knowledgeable mushers and dog handlers and playing with the husky puppies.

Your journey begins with a scenic drive deep into the **Tongass National Rain Forest** on **Douglas Island**. At the camp, you will be greeted by a musher and a team of Alaskan huskies who seem like they're about to burst with excitement. The dogs know that once you board the custom-designed wheeled summertime training sled, they get to run.

Feel the thrill of being pulled by these strong huskies, and soak in the inspiring beauty as you race down a one-mile trail surrounded by giant spruce and hemlock trees.

After your ride, meet up with a knowledgeable dog handler and a retired sled dog. Together they will demonstrate the impeccable care sled dogs receive from their mushers and

veterinarians.

Walk across the suspension bridge overlooking Fish Creek and step into Alaska's wilderness.

Enjoy an interactive presentation about the adventurous races and the equipment required for dog sledding. And last but certainly not least, meet the adorable husky puppies. The attention you give them is important because it helps socialize them, which is essential to their future success as athletes.

### Notes:

The sled ride takes place on dry ground, not on snow. Waiver must be signed and medical conditions disclosed. Participants must be able to walk short distances and lift their knees eight inches to accommodate steps into and out of vehicles.

## TAKU GLACIER HELICOPTER LANDING & AIRBOAT ADVENTURE



Duration: **Approximately 3¼ hours**

Departs at **10:30 am**

Price: **\$724.95**

Thrills abound on this tour offering a small-group **glacier adventure** by helicopter and airboat in the untouched, remote Taku Glacier and River area. Hop aboard a shuttle van for a ride through Juneau to a private heliport on Douglas Island.

Listen to a pre-flight safety briefing; then, it's time to board a **helicopter** for a flight high above Juneau, the Tongass National Forest, the Juneau Ice Field, Gastineau Channel, and the Taku River -- stunning scenery all around.

The helicopter lands on the airboat deck at

**Taku Point.** The friendly staff will greet you and give you a flotation jacket and hearing protection. You'll hear a safety briefing about the airboat and plenty of interesting local history. Snap some pictures of the pristine **Taku River basin** and the Taku Glacier spread out before you.

Descend two flights of stairs to the dock below and board the waiting **airboat**. You'll sit comfortably aboard the covered airboat, with open sides, for the best possible views and photo opportunities. The airboat captain will help you board, and your adventure continues by water. On the river, you'll cruise the five-mile face of **Taku Glacier** -- the only advancing glacier in the Juneau Ice Field. You'll come within arm's length of the ice and gain an understanding of the immense size of the glacier from the level of the river. The airboat captain will stop the boat in various locations for incredible photos and talk about the glacier and the river basin it has carved over the years.

Back at Taku Point, you'll leave the airboat to rejoin the helicopter that will take you up to **the top of Taku Glacier for a glacier landing**. Step out of the helicopter and set foot on the 4,500-foot-thick ice. You'll have time for more photos, and your pilot will give you details about the Ice Field and facts specific to the Taku Glacier.

The helicopter will return you to the heliport in Juneau with a van transfer back to the pier.

## Notes:

This tour can be canceled without penalty on the day your voyage commences; cancellations thereafter are non-refundable. Minimum age is 7 years. Duration is approximately two hours from lift-off at the heliport to return to the helicopter base. Guests weighing 250 lbs or more (fully clothed) pay an additional surcharge over the

published fare. Every guest is weighed at check-in. The tour operator endeavors to be discreet, but individual circumstances may not allow for complete privacy. The pilot alone decides if weather conditions are suitable for flightseeing. If the flight is canceled due to weather conditions, you will receive a full refund. The pilot decides where each guest sits based on weight and balance requirements. Bags cannot be taken on the flight; a secure location is provided for storing personal items. iPads, iPad minis, tablets, drones, and selfie sticks or other extendable items are not permitted. For optimal photography and views, wear darker-colored clothing to reduce window reflections.

## TAKU LODGE, FEAST & FIVE GLACIER SEAPLANE DISCOVERY



Duration: **Approximately 3½ hours**

Departs at **11:00 am**

Price: Adult **\$484.95**; Child **\$424.95**

You're in for the journey of a lifetime -- seaplane-only access to Alaska's famous Taku Glacier Lodge; a ride on a classic, powerful aircraft; an authentic wilderness setting; five massive glaciers; bears; a perspective on Alaska's vivid history with dog sledding roots; a seafood feast; and exclusive glacier-view dining.

Fly in a classic de Havilland seaplane (**floatplane**) over five breathtaking glaciers flowing from the Juneau Ice Field, deep blue crevasses, snow-capped mountains and the lush Tongass National Forest. Seeing glaciers from the air is an Alaska must-do, and doing so by authentic bush plane is the quintessential Alaskan experience.

The Taku River will be your 'runway' as you land at the elegantly rustic and historic **Taku Lodge**, built in 1923 and located across the river from

the five-mile-wide Taku Glacier. Of the 36 named glaciers comprising the Juneau Ice Field, the Taku Glacier is the largest.

Savor a **feast** of fresh, wild Alaska salmon grilled to perfection (chicken alternative available), Taku baked beans, coleslaw, pioneer fruit compote, fresh herb biscuits and sourdough bread, all made from scratch. Drinks are chilled and served with authentic glacier ice and special-recipe ginger cookies to complete the meal.

The aroma of the alderwood grill attracts not only human visitors but also wild black bears. Take a guided interpretative nature walk, stroll the trails or soak in the serenity of a place barely touched by time before your return flight to Juneau. You can do it all with this exclusive combination tour of the Juneau area's premier attractions.

## Notes:

This tour can be canceled without penalty on the day your voyage commences; cancellations thereafter are non-refundable. Maximum weight is 300 lbs. All participants enjoy a window seat for enhanced viewing and a headset for continuous narration. Wildlife sightings are likely but are not guaranteed. Narration can be provided in writing during the flight in Mandarin, Spanish, Catalan, German, Japanese, Dutch, Portuguese, Italian and French.

## TRACY ARM FJORD & GLACIER EXPLORER



Duration: **Approximately 7¼ hours**

Departs at **10:30 am**

Price: Adult **\$359.95**; Child **\$279.95**

Travel by **deluxe jetboat** to explore the best of

the **Tracy Arm Wilderness Area**, including exciting close-up views of the majestic **Sawyer Glaciers**.

Relax in the warm, spacious cabin as your experienced skipper guides you through scenic passages and into the heart of a wild place that has, until recently, been buried by glacial ice. Here, the extraordinary maneuverability of your vessel will allow you to glide quietly past curious seals and bobbing icebergs to get as close as possible to the ever-changing face of **South Sawyer Glacier**.

Spend time on the topside observation deck, where you can appreciate this unforgettable experience with all your senses. At times, you can even feel the 'white thunder' as immense spires of ice break from the glacier and crash into the sea.

Before heading away from the ice pack, you will also view beautiful **North Sawyer Glacier**, which cannot be approached by large cruise ships. While exploring the length of this ice-carved fjord, you will cruise beneath cliffs that rise 4,000 feet above the jade-colored sea and feel the mist on your face as the vessel glides near a plunging waterfall. There will be stops to view and photograph wildlife -- bald eagles, harbor seals and mountain goats. Encounters with bears and whales are not uncommon. The **on-board naturalist** will provide a wealth of information about the area, which naturalist John Muir called 'one of the most dramatically stunning fjords of Southeast Alaska.'

Enjoy a **picnic-style lunch** and a variety of snacks and beverages served by your friendly Alaskan crew as you trace the rugged shores of **Stephens Passage** on the cruise north to Juneau.

You'll make many detours and stops to view and



photograph cobalt-blue icebergs, spectacular cliffs, thousand-foot waterfalls and abundant wildlife.

## Notes:

In the event unpredictable and ever-changing ice conditions preclude the vessel from entering Tracy Arm Fjord, the tour will be modified to explore Endicott Arm, a fjord and tidewater glacier of equal beauty. Ice conditions may preclude the vessel from visiting both glaciers in Tracy Arm; if one glacier is not traversable, extended time will be spent exploring the fjord at the other glacier. Dress warmly in layers with a windproof and waterproof outer layer; bring a warm hat, gloves and a scarf. The vessel is equipped with deluxe seating, a galley and a restroom. Wildlife sightings are likely but are not guaranteed.

## TREADWELL: LIVING HISTORY WALK OF THE GOLD RUSH ERA

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Duration: **Approximately 2 hours**

Departs at **2:00 pm**

Price: **\$89.95**

This is a guided **walking tour** among the ruins of the historic **Treadwell** mining town -- Southeast Alaska's most expansive set of 1880-1920 structural remnants and machinery.

Through a special iPad (provided) app, you'll see the town as it was, from the discovery of gold in 1880 to the tragic cave-in of 1917. **Augmented reality technology** brings the ruins, town and mine to life so you can understand the unique triumphs and challenges of the era and a town in the throes of a gold rush.

Each of the **eleven augmented reality stories** is focused on one of three categories, and the

modeling is mostly at-scale.

The **MiningStories** show visitors how ore material was pulled from the ground, processed, and moved by stamp mills and trains.

The **City stories** show what daily life was like in SE Alaska include a full recreation of the original 500-foot wharf complex, an interactive 3-D map of all 200 miles of mine tunnel, and a life-size model of a 1910 steamship, among others.

The allow you to "shop" at the original 1900-era General Store, watch horse racing and ice skating at Treadwell Plaza, and view a representation of what happened the night of the cave-in, when 80 miles of mine tunnel collapsed and half the town imploded. The **Civic Life Stories** allow you to "shop" at the original 1900-era General Store, watch horse racing and ice skating at Treadwell Plaza, and view a representation of what happened the night of the cave-in, when 80 miles of mine tunnel collapsed and half the town imploded.

Your guide tells of the rise and fall of Alaska's original boomtown, which was the origin of the city of Juneau today.

## Notes:

Wear comfortable walking shoes.

## WHALE WATCHING & WILDLIFE QUEST (WHEELCHAIR ACCESSIBLE)

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Duration: **Approximately 4 hours**

Departs at **10:30 am**

Price: Adult **\$214.95**; Child **\$139.95**

This sightseeing cruise features **guaranteed whale watching in peak season**. Following a short motorcoach ride to scenic Auke Bay,

you'll board a **waterjet-powered catamaran** designed for wildlife viewing.

Relax in the warm, comfortable cabin surrounded by large windows as you ply the island-studded waters of **Stephens Passage**. This area is world-renowned as a favored summer feeding ground for **humpback whales**.

Once whales have been sighted, your skipper will gently maneuver the vessel to allow exceptional viewing and photo opportunities as these graceful ocean giants slowly arc their massive tail flukes into the air. The whales are often close enough to hear them breathe. An **onboard naturalist** will explain the behavior and habitat of the humpback whale and other wildlife you may encounter, including killer whales, Steller sea lions, Dall's porpoise, harbor seals, bald eagles and Sitka black-tail deer.

#### Notes:

Dress warmly in layers with a wind- and waterproof outer layer; bring gloves, a scarf and a warm hat. The operator of this tour **guarantees that a whale will be sighted** on this excursion in June, July and August, with participants receiving a \$100 cash refund from the tour operator if a whale is not sighted. In all other months, no guarantee is offered; however, the tour operator's whale-sighting success rate remains at 99%. The vessel is restroom-equipped. The content of this tour is identical to Whale Watching & Wildlife Quest. Only guests using a wheelchair can book this tour, as it ensures accessible transportation. Due to the specialized nature of some lift-equipped vehicles, priority is given to guests using a wheelchair and one companion only; additional companions may be required to travel on the transportation provided for Whale Watching & Wildlife Quest. Bookings not marked with an accessibility requirement will be

removed from the tour's inventory.

Please complete the Special Services form at <https://book.hollandamerica.com/specialServices/login.action> ; this will ensure that suitable transportation is in place for your tour.

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## WHALES & MENDENHALL GLACIER PHOTO SAFARI (A SMALL-GROUP TOUR)



Duration: **Approximately 5 hours**

Departs at **10:30 am; 12:15 pm**

Price: **\$264.95**

Capture everything from glaciers to whales on this excursion that features a **professional naturalist photography guide**. Whale sightings are guaranteed. Step off the beaten track and explore the hidden places on this specialty tour, tailored to engage **photo enthusiasts of all levels**.

Your small group (limited to 14 participants) will travel in a media-equipped shuttle bus and cruise aboard a custom-built safari vessel. Throughout the tour, your guide provides expert interpretation while sharing tips and techniques to enhance your images. By land, you'll visit the **Mendenhall Glacier** area and walk along a secluded rainforest trail. This gentle path leads to beaver dams, salmon streams and remarkable glacier panoramas -- sites to inspire your creative photography.

Learn about the glacier's route over the last 100 years with historical images to compare with today's landscape.

By sea, board a covered **safari vessel** for an unforgettable journey through the pristine

waters of Stephens Passage. Large panel windows open to give you unrestricted views while your captain skillfully maneuvers to provide you with the best angle on the shot. This excursion has never had a trip without a star-studded cast -- often including humpback whales, orcas, sea lions, harbor seals, porcupines, eagles, salmon or even black bears. See more of Alaska's natural wonders as you strive to capture that 'magical moment' in a medium worth a thousand words.

### Notes:

Minimum age is 10 years. The operator of this tour **guarantees that a whale will be sighted** on this excursion from May 15 through September 15, with participants receiving a \$100 cash refund from the tour operator after the tour if a whale is not sighted. A guarantee is not offered outside of these dates; however, a whale sighting remains highly likely. Other wildlife sightings are likely but are not guaranteed. Group size is limited to ensure a comfortable and interactive atmosphere. Participants must be willing and able to walk approximately .75 of a mile on a paved path and mostly level, improved gravel trail. The 34-foot safari vessel is based on a stable US Coast Guard design and is equipped with a comfortable covered cabin, an open bow, perimeter seating and a marine head. All tour participants on this excursion are eligible to enter to win cash and prizes in the tour operator's Capture Juneau Photo Contest. Each guest receives a passcode for an online photography tutorial, a slideshow, historical images and a printable tip sheet. Rain ponchos, umbrellas, camera towels, bottled water and a snack pack are included. Infants up to and including the day before their second birthday can be considered a lap child and participate at no cost. If you are traveling with an infant, please notify the Shore Excursions team on board the ship. Tour operates rain or shine but

may be canceled by the operator in the event of extremely bad weather or unsuitable conditions. Waiver must be signed and medical conditions disclosed.

# Skagway, Alaska, US

Thursday,  
July 23, 2026

The sidewalks are all but rolled up in Skagway come winter, so you can only imagine the frightful conditions endured by the gold prospectors who passed through en route to the Yukon, with a mandatory ton of supplies to be hauled with them over the steep and treacherous Trail of '98. Today, summertime visits to Skagway require nothing of the sort, but you can still ride the antique White Pass & Yukon narrow-gauge railway up through silvery-purple rock faces, past Deadhorse Gulch, to see what it was like back then.

Take your time and poke into every little store from the Trail Bench to Lynch & Kennedy's Dry Goods. The Red Onion Saloon, with its honky tonk piano and costumed barmaids, is a treasure trove of memorabilia featuring pictures of Klondike Kate, Peahull Annie and other vintage characters. To complete the picture of those rip-roaring days, visit the nostalgic Trail of '98 Museum. The Klondike Gold Rush National Historical Park boasts restored buildings and wooden boardwalks that invite you to take a stroll into the past.

## ADVENTURE PARK ZIP-LINING & ROPES COURSE



Duration: **Approximately 3½ hours**

Departs at **8:30 am**

Price: Adult **\$144.95**; Child **\$114.95**

Your journey begins at the dock, where you'll



board a van for a 20-minute narrated drive through historic downtown Skagway and up the **Klondike Highway**.

A short **walk** on a **rainforest trail** brings you to the spectacular adventure park, where expert guides will outfit you with the proper safety equipment and instructions. Then you're off to enjoy the thrill of the **ropes course** and **zip-line** experience.

Start by entering an incredible series of ropes course crossings, including Burma loops, a suspension bridge, and a raised balance beam. Next up is a fantastic series of six zip-lines through the lush Alaska forest canopy. As you zip from platform to platform, fellow participants cheer you on. Your heart will be pumping as you prepare for the Walk the Plank segment, soaring high above the ground through the treetops. You'll have approximately 2.5 hours to enjoy this adventure featuring stunning mountain views.

Afterward, enjoy a quick **snack** of hot cocoa, coffee and trail mix before heading back to the pier.

### Notes:

Minimum age is 6 years. Minimum weight is 50 lbs. Maximum weight is 300 lbs. Maximum waist size is 52". Participants must be able to walk for 5 to 10 minutes. This is a physical activity. Please realistically assess your physical and



mental fitness and ability before booking, as the walk is uphill, over unpaved, rough walking tracks with many steps. Wear warm, comfortable clothing and closed-toe shoes. Waiver must be signed and medical conditions disclosed. Guests who are pregnant or have a back or neck condition are not allowed to participate.

## ALASKA WILDLIFE CANOE SAFARI



Duration: **Approximately 6¼ hours**

Departs at **8:00 am**

Price: Adult **\$249.95**; Child **\$199.95**

Your day out in **Haines** begins with a 45-minute **catamaran ride** from Skagway. Along the way, the knowledgeable **naturalist** on board points out wildlife and talks about the geography, history and people of Southeast Alaska.

On arrival in Haines, meet up with your guide, board the transportation, and explore some of the town. A scenic drive out of town takes you past Lutak Inlet and into the **Chilkoot River Valley** for incredible wildlife viewing. Brown bears, eagles, mountain goats, and spawning salmon are commonly sighted.

On the shores of **Chilkoot Lake**, step into a **Voyager canoe** -- a stable, comfortable and quiet craft, perfect for observing nature's splendor. This motor-assisted canoe resembles those used by trappers and gold miners at the turn of the 20th century.

**Paddle** across Chilkoot Lake with about 1.5 hours out on the water, exploring inlets, coves, salmon spawning streams and numerous waterfalls.

Return to Haines for a **picnic-style lunch** at a beach location and return to Skagway on the

fast ferry.

### Notes:

Transportation is by basic bus. Dress warmly in layers with a windproof and waterproof outer layer; bring a warm hat, gloves and a scarf. Guests who are pregnant past 20 weeks' gestation are not allowed to participate. The picnic-style lunch includes a wrap, chips, and cookies. Minimum age is 6 years. Maximum weight is 300 lbs.

## BEST OF SKAGWAY: RAIL, SALMON BAKE & SALOON



Duration: **Approximately 7 hours**

Departs at **8:45 am**

Price: Adult **\$299.95**; Child **\$204.95**

Ascend into the beautiful mountains on the narrow-gauge **White Pass & Yukon Route Railroad**. From an old-fashioned railcar, you will see incredible scenery as your tour guide shares the history of the Klondike Gold Rush.

In **Fraser, British Columbia**, embark a deluxe motorcoach to travel the spectacular **Klondike Highway**, taking in the sights of Tormented Valley and Pitchfork Falls along the way.

At the foot of the pass, next to a waterfall, you'll find the **Liarsville Gold Rush Trail Camp & Salmon Bake**. A cast of sourdoughs and dancehall girls will entertain you with a **hilarious melodrama** and poetry by Robert Service and teach you the art of **gold panning**. Then, you will be set free in the **Liarsville** gold area, where you are guaranteed to find that precious metal.

**Lunch** consists of grilled wild Alaska salmon, chicken, baked beans, a variety of salads, cornbread, coffee, lemonade and dessert. After

your meal, wander over to the camp and enjoy the waterfall and sights of Liarsville and have your picture taken with one of the dancehall girls.

Back in Skagway, you will visit the world-famous **Red Onion Saloon** and brothel in historic Skagway. The Red Onion's Madams will fill your glass for a champagne toast and entertain you with tales of the girls who used to work in these historic rooms. See the priceless silver dress worn by the Onion's first Madam and many other original artifacts left by the 'soiled doves.'

## Notes:

This tour visits a brothel museum with some brothel images and content. Parental discretion advised. This adventure crosses the US/Canadian border; US and Canadian citizens must carry a passport and ship ID. All other nationalities must have a valid passport, visa and ship ID. The brothel museum is not wheelchair accessible.

## CHILKOOT TRAIL HIKE & FLOAT



Duration: **Approximately 4¼ hours**

Departs at **8:00 am**

Price: Adult **\$174.95**; Child **\$139.95**

**Hike** the historic **Chilkoot Trail**, the centerpiece of **Klondike Gold Rush National Historical Park**. This world-famous trail was the main route to the riches of the Klondike during the gold rush era.

Enjoy a bit of exercise, fresh air, beautiful scenery, pristine forests and history as the trail takes you on the uneven terrain that gold-hungry stampedeers once forged.

Where the trail reaches the banks of the **Taiya**

**River**, you will board an 18-foot inflatable **raft** for a **scenic float** (no white water) back down the tidal estuary. Forest gives way to fields of beach greens and wild iris, and the granite walls of the fjord rise steeply to the snow-capped peaks and hanging glaciers.

Savor a riverside **snack** and countless picture-perfect moments before making the return journey back to your ship.

## Notes:

Maximum weight is 350 lbs. Minimum age is 7 years. Pregnant guests past 20 weeks' gestation are not allowed to participate. Waiver must be signed and medical conditions disclosed. Elevation gain is 350 feet.

## EASY SKAGWAY, KLONDIKE HIGHWAY & THE DAYS OF '98 SHOW (WHEELCHAIR ACCESSIBLE)



Duration: **Approximately 3¼ hours**

Departs at **12:45 pm**

Price: Adult **\$84.95**; Child **\$54.95**

This thrilling introduction to gold-rush history begins with a **panoramic drive** through historical **Skagway**. This town was the very hub of the Klondike Gold Rush of 1897-1898. Sense the excitement and nostalgia around every corner as you drive to the **Gold Rush Cemetery**. The lives, loves, dirt and deeds of Skagway's colorful gold rush characters and call girls, stampedeers, and swindlers are all laid to rest here.

Journey by motorcoach along the Klondike Highway, paralleling the famed **White Pass & Yukon Route Railroad**. Your guide tells many stories of yesteryear as you trace the fortune-seekers' footsteps along the Denver Valley, Brackett's Wagon Road and Dead Horse Gulch.

It all comes together at *The Days of '98 show* -- the longest-running theatrical production in Alaska. The show places you right in the heart of Skagway's history with singing and dancing, love and rejection, drama and laugh-out-loud comedy.

**Notes:** Tour sequence may vary. Guests wishing to stay in town to shop or explore independently are welcome to do so but must make their own way back to the ship. The content of this tour is identical to Easy Skagway, Klondike Highway & The Days of '98 Show. Only guests using a wheelchair can book this tour, as it ensures accessible transportation. Due to the specialized nature of some lift-equipped vehicles, priority is given to guests using a wheelchair and one companion only; additional companions may be required to travel on the transportation provided for Easy Skagway, Klondike Highway & The Days of '98 Show.

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## EXPERIENCE THE YUKON & SUSPENSION BRIDGE



Duration: **Approximately 8¼ hours**

Departs at **8:30 am**

Price: Adult **\$184.95**; Child **\$124.95**

Experience majestic White Pass and Canada's legendary Yukon region. Breathtaking scenery, a picturesque Native town, and a delicious barbecue lunch make this an exhilarating day.

Travel by air-conditioned motorcoach on a narrated drive through historic downtown Skagway. You're headed to the Yukon by way of **a scenic drive up the Klondike Highway**. The road parallels the White Pass & Yukon Route railroad and peaks at 3,290 feet above sea level. Marvel as the scenery changes dramatically from lush rain forest to stark granite. All around

you, mountains tower and lakes of all sizes dot the valleys. Photo stops allow you to capture some amazing images. Your driver tells stories of the gold rush that shaped this region.

Continue to the **Yukon Suspension Bridge**, located above the whitewater rapids of the Tutshi River. It's a dramatic walk across the bridge in fresh mountain air with the river raging beneath you. Learn about the area's natural and human history at the interpretive exhibits of this outdoor museum.

At the **Caribou Crossing Trading Post**, satisfy your wilderness appetite with a delicious chicken barbecue **lunch** and all-you-can-eat homemade donuts.

The Yukon's most extensive **Wildlife Museum** awaits you. Stroll among creatures of Yukon's past and present, with favorites including a steppe bison, grizzly bears, monster moose, a woolly mammoth and the world's largest mounted polar bear.

Absorb some authentic Canadian culture at Caribou Crossing's newest exhibit -- the **Royal Canadian Mounted Police Heritage Center**. This interpretive display focuses on the history of Canada's Mounties and highlights their role during the Klondike Gold Rush.

Visit the **Dog Mushers' Village** to meet Iditarod dog handlers. Pictures with the sled dogs and husky puppies are undeniably cute. For an extra fee (at your own expense), join them for a dog-cart ride. Kids of all ages will enjoy the petting farm.

Do some sightseeing and souvenir **shopping** in the Native town of Carcross (Caribou Crossing) before heading back down the highway to the ship.

## Notes:

This adventure crosses the US/ Canadian border; US and Canadian citizens must carry a passport and ship ID. All other nationalities must have a valid passport, visa and ship ID. A vegetarian lunch is available; please notify the Shore Excursions team at least 24 hours prior to the tour. Crossing the suspension bridge is optional.

## GHOSTS & GOODTIME GIRLS WALKING TOUR



Duration: **Approximately 2 hours**

Departs at **9:00 am; 3:30 pm**

Price: **\$64.95**

**Guests joining the ship in Skagway can select any departure from 1pm; departures prior to 1pm may conflict with the embarkation process.**

Stroll the streets of Skagway with one of the fun and informative madams of the Red Onion Saloon. Lavishly costumed and highly entertaining, she will greet you at your ship with a souvenir garter and guide you on a historical walking tour through the back alleys and former red-light districts of Skagway. This is where ladies of the evening rubbed elbows with notorious characters such as Soapy Smith and Frank Reid. Stories of Klondike Kate, Cad Wilson and Diamond Lil depict the lusty, adventurous, and sometimes tragic stories of the women who stampeded north. You will pass historic and haunted Gold Rush buildings as you learn of Skagway's rich history. Your experience ends with a stop at the world-famous Red Onion Saloon's restored **Brothel Museum**. Here, join in a **champagne toast** and explore the hallways and bedrooms of this celebrated brothel, observing

original relics and images of the ladies who worked there. You may even catch a glimpse of Lydia -- the resident ghost.

## Notes:

Minimum age is 14 years. Guests joining the ship in Skagway can select any departure from 1pm; departures prior to 1pm may conflict with the embarkation process.

## GLACIER DISCOVERY BY HELICOPTER



Duration: **Approximately 2 hours**

Departs at **8:15 am**

Price: **\$449.95**

Leave all traces of civilization behind and experience the infinite beauty of **Alaska's remote glaciers**.

Lift off by **helicopter** from the historic Skagway waterfront and head into a rugged region of sheer mountains, majestic valleys and massive glaciers. Jagged peaks towering over the Chilkat Glacier, cascading waterfalls surrounding the Ferebee Glacier, or the spectacular 'river of ice' known as the Meade Glacier may be among the wonders you encounter. Flight routes and landing zones are selected daily to ensure you receive the best the area offers.

Once you have reached your destination, you will have the rare opportunity to explore one of nature's greatest marvels. Enjoy the **walking** tour of a lifetime -- over the **surface of the glacier** -- as your guide answers all your questions and explains the tremendous forces at work.

## Notes:

This tour can be cancelled without penalty

either on the day your voyage commences or up until 12 noon on Day 2 of your voyage. Cancellations thereafter are non-refundable. Tour operates rain or shine but may be canceled by the operator in the event of extremely bad weather or unsuitable conditions. Dress warmly in layers with a wind- and waterproof outer layer; bring gloves, a scarf and a warm hat. Wear sunglasses and closed-toe shoes. Glacier boots are provided to be worn over your shoes. Guests weighing 250 lbs or more (fully clothed) pay an additional surcharge over the published fare. You must be able to walk up to 200 feet and navigate two 18-inch-tall steps to get into the helicopter; participants must be able to board the helicopter with little to no assistance. Seating in the helicopter is determined by weight and balance and is at the sole discretion of the pilot. Time spent on the glacier is approximate and may vary due to weather and glacial conditions. Tour includes walking on slick, uneven surfaces of the glacier for up to quarter of a mile. Every guest may be weighed during the check-in process. The tour operator will endeavor to be discreet during this process, but please be aware that individual circumstances may not allow for complete privacy. Not advisable for guests using a wheelchair. Carry-on bags are not allowed, and the heliport has limited secure storage. iPads, iPad minis, tablets, drones and Go-Pro sticks or other extendable items are not permitted on tour to ensure a full field of vision for pilots and guests alike. Wear warm, layered clothing; bring a hat, gloves, and sunglasses.

## GLACIER POINT WILDERNESS SAFARI



Duration: **Approximately 6 hours**

Departs at **7:30 am**

Price: Adult **\$324.95**; Child **\$314.95**

This outstanding **wilderness expedition** takes



you through fjords, rainforests, colorful wildflowers, and towering mountain scenery to the spectacular Davidson Glacier.

Your adventure begins with a 70-minute journey through North America's deepest fjord aboard a high-speed 26-passenger expedition boat. Watch for whales, seals, sea lions, and cascading waterfalls along the way to a remote beach at **Glacier Point** -- one of the most beautiful places in Alaska. After a short, adventurous drive along the forested glacial moraines and a quarter-mile walk, the forest suddenly opens to a breathtaking view of the glacier.

The brilliant blue ice tumbles from the jagged peaks into a pristine lake, where a 31-foot **voyager canoe** waits to take you to the very face of the glacier. Throughout your tour, expert guides share their extensive knowledge of this fantastic area. A **picnic lunch** at the beach, amid fields of wild strawberries and irises, tops off your Glacier Point adventure.

## Notes:

Minimum age is 7 years. Participants must be in good general health and able to hike over uneven terrain. Dress warmly in layers; wear sturdy, comfortable walking shoes. Guests who are pregnant are not allowed to participate. Minimum weight is 50 lbs; maximum weight is 350 lbs. The canoe's proximity to the glacier is determined by the water level and glacier conditions on the day.

## GLACIER SLED DOG EXPERIENCE BY HELICOPTER



Duration: **Approximately 2 hours**

Departs at **9:00 am**

Price: **\$719.95**

Dog lover? Adventure seeker? Always curious? Whichever is you, this heli-tour is the ideal combination of a helicopter glacier getaway and an introduction to dog sledding.

Take off from Skagway's waterfront for **helicopter flightseeing** above the Southeast Alaska wilderness. Raw natural beauty makes itself known as you pass over Taiya Inlet and head into the green-and-white wonderland of the mountains.

Kaleidoscopic hues of icy blue and gray greet you as you **land on Denver Glacier**. Step out of the helicopter and meet an experienced dog musher who introduces you to a team of gorgeous (and very excited) **sled dogs**. These are the same dogs that have made the Iditarod famous, and one of the more endearing aspects of the day is learning about the training and bonding process between mushers and dogs.

See the dog sledding equipment and hear personal race stories. Interact with the dogs as you learn how to prepare a sled dog team, from harnessing the eager pups to understanding their individual personalities and requisite training techniques. Watch a **demonstration of mushing** -- nobody loves this more than the dogs!

Meet some future Iditarod champions, too -- unbelievably cute sled dog **puppies**. You'll be tempted to zip one into your backpack and make a run for it, but you will instead have to settle for puppy cuddles, adorable photos, and the dazzling landscape of the glacier.

Loading back into the **helicopter**, you'll return to Skagway.

## Notes:

Tour includes approximately 30 minutes of

helicopter time and approximately one hour on Denver Glacier with the musher and sled dog team. Tour does not include a ride on the sled. You will watch a safety video and gear up in glacier boots and a safety vest. Waiver must be signed. Dress warmly in layered clothing with gloves, a scarf, and a hat; outer layer should be windproof and waterproof. Tour operates rain or shine but may be canceled by the operator in the event of extremely bad weather or unsuitable conditions. Participants are required to enter the aircraft with little to no assistance, be able to walk a minimum of about 100 feet and navigate two 18-inch steps into the aircraft. Terrain includes the glacier surface, which is snowy, uneven, and slick. Tour includes walking up to 200 yards in snow. Guests weighing 250 lbs or more (fully clothed) pay an additional surcharge over the published fare. Every guest is weighed at check-in. The tour operator endeavors to be discreet, but individual circumstances may not allow for complete privacy. The pilot alone decides if weather conditions are suitable for flightseeing. If the flight is canceled due to weather conditions, you will receive a full refund. Seating on the helicopter is assigned and based on weight and balance requirements. Bags cannot be taken on the flight; a secure location is provided for storing personal items. iPads, iPad minis, tablets, drones, and selfie sticks or other extendable items are not permitted. For optimal photography and views, wear darker-colored clothing to reduce window reflections. Children up to and including the day prior to their second birthday can be added (at no cost) to the parent's weight while seated on the parent's lap (maximum weight remains at 250 lbs); each child aged 2 years or older is required by the FAA to occupy a paid seat. Lap children cannot occupy front-row seats. Aircraft fly no higher than 7,000 feet. Oxygen for personal use is allowed but must be in the form of an FAA-approved portable oxygen concentrator that

can be secured to the user's body.

## **GOLD FEVER EXPERIENCE: GOLD PANNING & ALASKA SLED DOGS (WHEELCHAIR ACCESSIBLE)**



Duration: **Approximately 3 hours**

Departs at **9:15 am**

Price: Adult **\$124.95**; Child **\$94.95**

Experience life as a prospector on this fun-filled family tour that takes you back in time to the excitement of the Klondike Gold Rush. Your adventure begins as you meet your costumed guide and journey through the historic streets of downtown Skagway past wooden walkways to **Dredge Town**.

Learn about the state sport of dog mushing and its origins as an early and vital transport system in Alaska. Meet and interact with the **Iditarod sled dogs** and their puppies, stopping first at the checkpoint tent with your musher. See all the gear a musher and dog team take with them on a long-distance race such as the Iditarod. Your musher will introduce you to the dog team; then (s)he will hook the dogs to a sled so you can watch a **demonstration run**. Upon the musher's return, you're invited to interact with the dogs and hold the puppies.

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Your Gold Rush experience isn't complete until you cure the fever by claiming your own fortune. Learn the art of **panning for gold** with a

humorous and educational show while you practice your technique in warm-water troughs. You can count on striking gold. Haul your swag into the Assayers' Office and have it weighed -- you can keep whatever you find. Then, take advantage of some **free time** to browse in the Gold Parlor for fine jewelry and gold nuggets. The Gold Shack offers fresh-baked sweets (at your own expense) and gifts galore. You'll have time to purchase a snack and beverage (at your own expense) or just relax enjoying the mountain views.

Your tour concludes as you reboard your motorcoach, a little bit richer after gold panning, for the short ride back to the ship.

## Notes:

The content of this tour is identical to Gold Fever Experience: Gold Panning & Alaska Sled Dogs. Only guests using a wheelchair can book this tour, as it ensures accessible transportation. Due to the specialized nature of some lift-equipped vehicles, priority is given to guests using a wheelchair and one companion only; additional companions may be required to travel on the transportation provided for Gold Fever Experience: Gold Panning & Alaska Sled Dogs. Bookings not marked with an accessibility requirement will be removed from the tour's inventory.

Please complete the Special Services form at <https://book.hollandamerica.com/specialServices/login.action> ; this will ensure that suitable transportation is in place for your tour.

## GOLD FEVER EXPERIENCE: GOLD PANNING & ALASKA SLED DOGS



Duration: **Approximately 3 hours**  
Departs at **9:15 am**

Price: Adult **\$124.95**; Child **\$94.95**

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## GRIZZLY FALLS ZIP-LINE EXPEDITION



Duration: **Approximately 4 hours**

Departs at **8:00 am**

Price: Adult **\$244.95**; Child **\$204.95**

Listed as the #1 excursion on Trip Advisor for Skagway, this fast, fun, and exhilarating adventure will surely excite nature lovers and thrill seekers.

First, an entertaining tour takes you through historical Skagway and along nine miles of stunning coastline en route to Dyea (pronounced 'die-ee'). At the **zip-line** base in Dyea, you will hop into a customized **Unimog** -- an all-wheel-drive vehicle -- to ascend the rugged mountain road. On the way up, check out the impressive rain forest -- you're about to fly over this wild landscape.

At the top of the mountain, suit up in gear that meets the highest industry standards while your expert guide tells you what to expect and how to navigate the course safely. At the take-off zone, clip in and get a running start on solid ground before you take flight into the treetops of the Alaskan rain forest. Fly over a course of 10 zip-lines and four suspension bridges. The lines will place you directly above glacially-fed waterfalls. The series includes the Pipeline -- a line that's longer than two football fields!

This extraordinary adventure is sure to inspire and invigorate you. Exhilarating stories and breathtaking photos are your take-home prizes

on this excursion of a lifetime.

### Notes:

Minimum weight is 50 lbs; maximum weight is 265 lbs. Minimum age is 6 years. Participants must be in good physical condition. Guests who are pregnant or have a seizure, back or neck condition or recurring medical conditions are not allowed to participate. Dress in layers; wear closed-toe footwear suitable for outdoor activity.

## HAINES EAGLE PRESERVE FLOAT & WILDLIFE QUEST



Duration: **Approximately 6½ hours**

Departs at **9:00 am**

Price: Adult **\$279.95**; Child **\$224.95**

Your tour begins as you board a high-speed **catamaran** for a scenic cruise through North America's deepest fjord. Watch for whales, seals, and spectacular waterfalls as you cruise Lynn Canal to the picturesque village of Haines.

Board a motorcoach for a beautiful 40-minute drive up the **National Scenic Byway**. You'll see Haines and historic Fort Seward on this narrated drive. Watch for moose and swans in the marshlands as you head up the **Chilkat River Valley**.

At the **Chilkat Bald Eagle Preserve**, experienced guides await to begin your rafting adventure (not white water). You'll float silently down the river aboard an 18-foot inflatable raft -- the best way to observe the eagles drawn to feed on the plentiful salmon. Bears and wolves are also frequent guests at the feast. Rich in wildlife, the preserve is also a place of incredible beauty with towering mountains, hanging glaciers and lush forests.

After your float, enjoy a **riverside picnic**.

Your tour concludes with a return cruise aboard the **catamaran** back to Skagway. With Haines behind you, you'll take with you a wealth of unforgettable memories.

## Notes:

Maximum weight is 350 lbs. Minimum age is 7 years. Guests who are pregnant past 20 weeks' gestation are not allowed to participate. Participants must be in good health and able to walk over loose gravel and dry river delta to board the rafts. Waiver must be signed and medical conditions disclosed. Life jackets, rubber boots and a poncho are supplied for the rafting portion of the tour. Dress comfortably in layers and bring an extra pair of socks. This is a float trip with no white water. Lunch may be served before or after the float, depending on the time of the day. Wildlife sightings are likely but are not guaranteed.

## HAINES WILDERNESS ODYSSEY BY JET BOAT



Duration: **Approximately 6½ hours**

Departs at **8:00 am**

Price: Adult **\$254.95**; Child **\$194.95**

Board a fast **ferry** for a 45-minute cruise down Lynn Canal to the town of **Haines** -- a great opportunity to visit two ports in one day. Keep a watchful eye for marine life and bald eagles dotted along the shoreline. Mountain peaks rise from the ocean to 6,000 feet, with cascading waterfalls making for fabulous photos of Alaska and its rugged terrain.

In Haines, meet your guide and board a bus for a ride along the **Haines Scenic Byway**. Where

the road ends, the real Alaska begins, and so does your adventure.

Part company with civilization as you board a boat and traverse many channels of the silt-laden Chilkat River. You'll travel at least 20 miles into the **Chilkat Bald Eagle Preserve** to view bald eagles and their massive nests in their natural habitat. This roadless wilderness area boasts the best moose territory in the valley. Your chances of spotting moose or a bear are very good.

Enjoy a sack **lunch** of chicken Caesar wrap, chips, a homemade cookie and bottled water on your return bus trip to Haines.

The fast **ferry** returns you to Skagway.

## Notes:

Tidal conditions can make the dock ramp very steep. Not advisable for guests with mobility limitations. Wheelchairs and electric scooters cannot be accommodated. Dress warmly in layers with a wind- and waterproof outer layer; bring gloves, a scarf and a warm hat. Wildlife sightings are likely but not guaranteed.

## KITCHEN SCIENCE ALASKA: GARDEN-TO-TABLE SKAGWAY



Duration: **Approximately 2½ hours**

Departs at **8:30 am**

Price: **\$114.95**

Meet local Alaskans and understand how and why everything about food differs in the 49th state.

Begin with a brief narrated **panoramic drive** through Skagway's historic district; then, meet an experienced chef and the owner of the **Historic Skagway Inn & Olivia's Restaurant**. In



this historic building that was once a brothel, your hosts will share how food preservation technology from the time of the Gold Rush is still used today. Go behind the scenes for a look at the Inn's **organic kitchen garden** and learn how the sun and temperature affect greens grown in this Northern Garden,

The science of artfully blending old and new cooking skills transforms garden and seafood items into delicious meals and local food favorites. Watch professional knife handling and pick up some tips on selecting and using the best knives. You will learn how to smoke Alaskan halibut or salmon and peek into making sourdough bread as part of the Alaska food story.

Now, enjoy a **foodie tasting** of smoked fish, vegetables from the garden, and sourdough bread. Finish up by making (and devouring) a **surprise dessert** with a tie to Alaska.

## Notes:

Tour is wheelchair accessible. Wear comfortable walking shoes.

## KLONDIKE ROCK CLIMB & RAPPEL



Duration: **Approximately 3¼ hours**

Departs at **8:00 am**

Price: Adult **\$124.95**; Child **\$104.95**

Join a professional mountain guide for an exciting climbing adventure on the smooth granite walls of fabulously scenic White Pass.

From the Klondike Highway, a **short hike** over a beautiful **nature trail** will bring you to the base of the spectacular rock face. Here you will don rock climbing shoes, helmets and harnesses and rope up to **climb** the clean granite.

There are more than a dozen routes from which to choose, perfect for all abilities. Each climb ends with a stunning view of the Skagway River, the White Pass & Yukon Route Railroad and the surrounding wilderness.

Try **rappelling down the high cliffs** -- an adventure perfect for those looking for a first climbing experience or experienced climbers looking for a challenge.

None of the climbing is mandatory; everyone will enjoy the cliffside **snack** and stunning views.

## Notes:

Participants must be able to hike for a few minutes over uneven terrain. Dress in warm, layered clothing that allows for good flexibility. Minimum age is 6 years. Minimum weight is 50 lbs. Maximum weight is 300 lbs. Maximum waist size is 52". Not advisable for guests using a wheelchair. Pregnant women are not allowed to participate. Climbing shoes, helmets and harnesses are provided. Includes a small snack or tasting of local specialties. The snack is not a meal. Observer rates can be booked on board.

## LEGENDS & LIES: A GOLD RUSH SALOON EXPERIENCE WITH BOOMTOWN FOOD



Duration: **Approximately 2½ hours**

Departs at **12:30 pm; 4:00 pm**

Price: **\$134.95**

A 30-minute tour of **Skagway**, including the **Gold Rush Cemetery**, kicks off this fascinating glimpse of a bygone era when rough-and-ready characters roamed the streets, and Paradise Alley was anything but the highway to heaven its name implies.

You're headed to the **Historic Skagway Inn**, located on Paradise Alley -- the largest brothel in Skagway during the Gold Rush era. The inn is the perfect backdrop for this highly entertaining, hands-on tour. Step into the Saloon Dining Room to **meet costumed characters from the past**. They'll treat you to their own colorful 'biographies,' as well as stories and songs from the Gold Rush.

You'll **learn to make a classic stampeder libation** (with or without alcohol) -- a beverage that warmed the hearts of the prospectors, both lucky and downtrodden -- using ingredients straight from the inn's kitchen garden. Enjoy a **heartly meal** of chicken pot pie or vegetarian stew.

Hear stories of the Great Stampede of 1897 and finish with a Prohibition-era Shrub and Iceworm toast to your induction into the Order of the Sourdough.

Leave with a signature saloon glass, drinks recipes, and a host of wonderful memories as you return to the ship.

## Notes:

Minimum age is 16 years; minimum age to sample the beverages is 21 years. Persons under 21 must be accompanied by a legal guardian aged 21 years or older. Photo ID required.

## MUSHER'S CAMP & SLED DOG EXPERIENCE

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Duration: **Approximately 3¼ hours**

Departs at **8:30 am**

Price: Adult **\$224.95**; Child **\$184.95**

On this **dry land (no snow)** adventure, you will

take an exhilarating **sled ride** pulled by a team of powerful Alaskan huskies. Learn about the adventurous sport of dog mushing from genuine mushers. Each summer, this camp is home to many mushers who bring their dogs to train for various winter activities. In fact, all the dogs at the camp are owned by year-round mushers, some of whom have competed in world-renowned races such as the Iditarod and the Yukon Quest.

Your journey begins with an entertaining historic tour through downtown Skagway and along nine miles of stunning coastline to the **musher's camp** in **Dyea**. Next, hop into a specialized **Unimog** for an exciting ride up a rugged mountain road surrounded by glacially-fed streams and waterfalls.

At the top, a musher will greet you with a custom-designed wheeled **summertime sled** and a team of very excited **Alaskan huskies**. Feel the power of these strong dogs as they whisk you down a mile-long, zigzagging trail deep in the **Tongass National Forest**.

Spend some time with the dog team; then, climb back into the Unimog and enjoy the adventurous ride to a breathtaking viewpoint overlooking the Dyea tidal flats. Depending on the time of year, you might see eagles, bears, seals, horseback riders, wildflowers, and snow-capped mountains.

The Unimog will then bring you to the **Kennel Talk**. This is where mushers share their passion for dog sledding and answer the most frequently asked questions about the sport. At the Kennel Talk, you'll hear all the fascinating answers and have plenty of time to play with the **puppies**. Your handling them and showing them affection helps to socialize these future athletes, which is essential to their racing success.

A crackling fire and a fun **gift shop** round out your visit to this spectacular Alaskan setting.

## Notes:

Wear clothing that is easy to clean as the dogs can be enthusiastic in their greetings, and clothing can get dirty. Terrain includes uneven surfaces, gravel, grass, and steps. Participants must be able to climb several 12-inch steps without assistance. Wear comfortable walking shoes. Ride will be bumpy; guests with a back or neck condition are not allowed to participate.

## MUSHERS' CAMP & S'MORES ROASTING



Duration: **Approximately 2¾ hours**

Departs at **9:00 am**

Price: Adult **\$154.95**; Child **\$114.95**

Adventure, history and awe-inspiring wilderness await you on this outing with a locally-owned and -operated company with guides whose passion for mushing and for Alaska are self-evident.

Your journey begins with an entertaining ride with a knowledgeable guide through downtown Skagway and along nine miles of Lynn Fjord coastline. You're headed west to the Adventure Camp set in the former Dyea area. The town of Dyea is long gone -- a casualty of the end of the gold rush -- but the potential for adventure here remains alive and well.

Kick off your visit with a '**Musher Talk**,' which shares the fascinating answers to all of your questions. Your hosts have been sharing their passion for dog-sledding for years. Of course, you'll also have plenty of time to **play with the puppies**. Your affection and interaction help to socialize these future athletes -- essential to

their racing success -- so you are shaping the sled dogs of the future.

Next, enjoy some time around the **campfire** and learn how to create the perfect, delicious outdoor treat as your guide teaches you the fine art of **s'mores roasting**. The vital steps include perfectly toasting the graham cracker, warming the chocolate, and roasting the perfect marshmallow, then combining it all for the most astounding s'more. It's hard work, but someone has to do it!

Take a self-guided **nature hike** through dense Alaskan forest to see some beautiful waterfalls, or browse in the gift shop and relax in the saloon with a deck overlooking a picturesque stream.

## Notes:

Wear clothing that is easy to clean as the dogs can be enthusiastic in their greetings, and clothing can get dirty. Terrain includes uneven surfaces, gravel, grass, and steps. Participants must be able to climb several 12-inch steps without assistance. Wear comfortable walking shoes. Ride will be bumpy; guests with a back or neck condition are not allowed to participate.

## OCEAN RAFT ADVENTURE



Duration: **Approximately 2 hours**

Departs at **10:00 am**

Price: **\$189.95**

Explore the breathtaking **Lynn Canal** -- North America's deepest and longest fjord -- from an **ocean raft** on this adrenaline-fueled adventure. A comfortable exposure suit keeps you dry throughout the excursion, with gloves and goggles if you wish.

The fast, easily-maneuverable vessel provides excellent access to the dramatic waterfalls, hidden coves and abundant wildlife that abound. As you get extra close to points of interest, your captain provides interesting commentary at the many photo stops. Seals, whales, sea lions, eagles, sea birds and mountain goats often come out to play. The captain will occasionally cut the engines so you can experience the sights, sounds and serenity of Alaska's wilderness.

After your thrilling day, return to port. Guests wishing to stay in town to shop or explore independently are welcome to do so but must make their own way back to the ship.

## Notes:

Minimum age is 10 years. Minimum height is 4'0". Maximum weight is 350 lbs. Guests who are pregnant or have a back or neck condition are not allowed to participate. Survival suits are provided to be worn over your clothing. Bring gloves, sunglasses, and a warm hat that will not fly off in the wind. Wildlife sightings are likely but are not guaranteed.

## RAIN FOREST BY BICYCLE



Duration: **Approximately 2¾ hours**

Departs at **8:00 am**

Price: Adult **\$124.95**; Child **\$104.95**

Leave the crowds behind, get some mild exercise, and take in the natural wonders of Alaska on a bicycle -- the perfect way to experience the natural beauty and history of the **Taiya River Valley**.

This scenic tour starts with an informative van tour along the spectacular **coastal inlets** west of Skagway. Your professional guides will tell you

about the gold rush of '98 and inform you about the ecology of this rich area.

After a bicycle and safety orientation, your guide will lead your small group on a **bike route** that covers **five miles** of flat terrain for easy pedaling. You will ride through the lush **rain forest**, visit historic ruins, see the Chilkoot trailhead, and venture out to the coastal tidal flats where eagles, salmon, colorful wildflowers, and dazzling mountains are often in view. Keep your eyes open for bears as well.

Where the river meets the sea, look for remnants of the town of Dyea. Dyea was Skagway's rival city during the Gold Rush, booming with 10,000 people. Now nature has reclaimed the land, leaving only ghosts of its gold rush past.

## Notes:

Participants must be confident riding a bicycle with handbrakes along approximately five miles of flat dirt roads. Minimum age is 10 years. Minimum height is 4'6". Maximum weight is 270 lbs. Wear sports shoes and layered clothing. Helmets and outerwear are provided. Waiver must be signed and medical conditions disclosed. Wildlife sightings are likely but are not guaranteed.

## SKAGWAY STREET CAR CITY TOUR



Duration: **Approximately 1½ hours**

Departs at **8:30 am; 10:30 am; 1:15 pm; 3:15 pm**

Price: Adult **\$54.95**; Child **\$34.95**

Guests joining the ship in Skagway can select any departure from 1pm; departures prior to 1pm may conflict with the embarkation process.

Don't miss the **Skagway Street Car** for a complete understanding of the city and its colorful century of history. This is your chance to experience Skagway with Alaska's original historical city tour to 'All Points of Interest' -- an informative and fun-filled 90 minutes.

Skagway character Martin Itjen came north looking for Klondike gold in 1898 and instead became the town's most celebrated storyteller. The first passenger Martin took on his Skagway Street Car tour was US President Warren G. Harding. Back then, in 1923, he claimed that there was "nothing like it in the world." He went on to delight visitors with his motorized sightseeing tour and tall tales for many decades. Today, Martin's tour lives on in Skagway.

You'll board a yellow **1927 sightseeing bus** with a costumed driver and sit back and relax as your conductor passes on a century of history, behind-the-scenes tales, and stories of life in small-town Alaska.

Explore the waterfront and National Park Historic District, enjoy the panoramic views from the scenic overlook, and have your camera ready for the re-telling of Soapy Smith's gunfight at the Gold Rush Cemetery. To capture the history of this gold rush town and the pioneer families that built it, you will motor through the residential neighborhoods of Skagway, famous for their flower gardens, and pass the early-childhood home of Alaska's former Governor, Sarah Palin.

Guests wishing to stay in town to shop or explore independently are welcome to do so but must make their own way back to the ship.

## Notes:

The award-winning Skagway Street Car excursion is an old-fashioned city tour and combines well with a second excursion. Ideal for guests with mobility limitations. Wheelchairs and scooters cannot be accommodated on the vintage street cars; participants must be able to climb three steps to (dis)embark the bus. Guests joining the ship in Skagway can select any departure from 1pm; departures prior to 1pm may conflict with embarkation process.

## SKAGWAY IN FOCUS: GUIDED PHOTOGRAPHY ADVENTURE



Duration: **Approximately 3 hours**

Departs at **4:00 pm**

Price: **\$114.95**

This tour provides a rare opportunity to focus on **photographing** the stunning scenery of Skagway and the surrounding area with a local, professional photography guide.

Your guide will select his favorite locations and provide you with ample time to set up the best shots. Depending on conditions, you may be shooting the dramatic scenery of the White Pass summit -- a wonderland of azure lakes and stunted forests. Alternatively, you may travel along the scenic coastline towards the former gold rush town of Dyea.

The emphasis is on learning and taking time for excellent photography rather than the photography being incidental. Your guide will suggest shots and help you get the most out of your camera or smartphone. He will discuss issues such as composition, exposure, and depth of field. Even a simple point-and-shoot camera or a phone can take great photos.

The goal is to identify your present level of photography and introduce and advance you to



the next level. The theme is flexibility rather than adherence to a rigid schedule.

## Notes:

Not advisable for guests using a wheelchair or for those with mobility limitations. Terrain includes uneven and rough services and inclines. This adventure crosses the US/Canadian border; US and Canadian citizens must carry a passport and ship ID. All other nationalities must have a valid passport, visa and ship ID. This is a guide's-choice tour, so the above outline is an example of how the tour will be run. Any type of camera or smartphone is welcome.

## SUNRISE SALOON: EXCLUSIVE RED ONION BROTHEL MUSEUM & CITY TOUR



Duration: **Approximately 2½ hours**

Departs at **7:45 am**

Price: Adult **\$99.95**; Child **\$79.95**

Relive the edgy days of saloons, dance halls, shootouts, ladies of the night, and cancan girls on a visit to Skagway's most prestigious bordello.

Board a motorcoach for a narrated **panoramic drive** through historic **downtown Skagway**.

At the **Red Onion Saloon**, a splendidly costumed Madam greets you with a **mimosa or coffee** and souvenir garter. On a rare glimpse behind the velvet curtains, hear the stories of courageous women, past and present -- Klondike Kate, Diamond-Tooth Lil and others. You will learn about the many iterations of the Red Onion since its 1898 opening and its distinct role in Skagway's gold rush and more recent (but no less intoxicating) history. Have

your photo taken with one of the Madams before the bustling bar opens to the public.

Head upstairs to the celebrated **Brothel Museum** and explore the hallway, bedrooms, and artifacts left behind by the 'soiled doves' of yesteryear.

Journey over to the **Gold Rush Cemetery** -- final resting place of some of the more colorful characters of the Klondike Gold Rush.

From the **Lookout**, photograph the sweeping view of the Skagway Valley, glacier-clad mountains, Lynn Canal, and your cruise ship.

## Notes:

Minimum age to consume alcohol is 21 years old with photo ID. Recommended minimum age is 14 years. Parental discretion is advised. Terrain includes 25 steps up and down to visit the brothel museum.

## TO THE KLONDIKE SUMMIT



Duration: **Approximately 1½ hours**

Departs at **10:30 am; 3:15 pm**

Price: Adult **\$54.95**; Child **\$44.95**

Follow the original Gold Rush **Trail of '98** up one of North America's most breathtaking mountain roads.

As you drive along the scenic **Klondike Highway**, the large picture windows of your minibus afford spectacular views. Your route parallels the historic White Pass & Yukon Route Railroad as your guide's narrative brings the area's history to life. There are many sights along the way, including Dead Horse Trail, the old Brackett Wagon Road, Pitchfork Falls and Moore Bridge.

Reach the **West White Pass summit** at a lofty 3,290 feet. The pristine air is invigorating, and the vast silence is broken only by the wind whistling across the rugged landscape of the St Elias range.

## Notes:

Dress warmly in layers with a wind- and waterproof outer layer; bring gloves, a scarf and a warm hat. This adventure crosses the US Customs and Border Protection Skagway Port of Entry; US and Canadian citizens must carry a passport and ship ID. All other nationalities must have a valid passport, visa and ship ID. Children not accompanied by both parents must have a letter of authorization signed by the absent parent. Wheelchairs and scooters cannot be accommodated on the vintage street cars; participants must be able to climb three steps to (dis)embark the bus.

## ULTIMATE MUSER'S CAMP EXPERIENCE: DOG SLED RIDE, GOLD PANNING & S'MORES



Duration: **Approximately 4 hours**

Departs at **9:00 am**

Price: Adult **\$284.95**; Child **\$244.95**

Take a scenic transfer from the ship by **bus**, heading out through Skagway. Your guide will acquaint you with both its gold rush history and present-day community.

Journey to the northernmost point of Lynn Canal, past the head of the famous Chilkoot Trail.

A family-friendly **dog musher's camp** awaits you. Discover an authentically northern pastime

while learning all about sled dogs and their mushers.

Take a 4X4 Unimog ride to the kennels for a **thrill ride with the dogs in action** as you participate in an approximately 1 mile summertime ride aboard a **custom-built wheeled sled** (no snow). Your husky team rockets along a scenic wooded trail, past spruce and hemlock trees and glacier-fed waterfalls with views of the Taiya Inlet tidal flats.

Return to the dog camp for time to interact with the dogs and puppies. Learn about the equipment and the tremendous husky strength that goes into the life of dog sledding in the wild and rugged North. **Pan for gold** and try to find "pay dirt" from your very own gold pan. Enjoy **roasting s'mores over an open fire**, then set off on a short hike (optional) to a beautiful waterfall.

## Notes:

Dress warmly in layers with a wind- and waterproof outer layer. The dog sledding is not on snow; it is a wheeled sled. Terrain includes uneven surfaces, gravel, grass, and steps. Participants must be able to climb several 12-inch steps without assistance. Wear comfortable walking shoes. Ride will be bumpy; guests with a back or neck condition are not allowed to participate.

## WHITE PASS & YUKON ROUTE RAILROAD: A LUXURY TRAVEL EXPERIENCE



Duration: **Approximately 2¾ hours**

Departs at **1:00 pm**

Price: **\$419.95**

Experience the dramatic beauty of Southeast

Alaska while traveling aboard the **White Pass & Yukon Route Railroad's premier luxury parlor car**.

The White Pass Legacy Club is the ideal way to relish this historic narrow-gauge rail adventure. As you ascend from sea to summit, revel in a **superior level of comfort** in custom-made leather seating. Enjoy **all-inclusive beverages and regionally sourced appetizers** while sharing the unforgettable and exclusive experience with your travel companions. Round out this first-class excursion with a private guide who will highlight all the scenic viewpoints while sharing the incredible story of the construction of the railroad.

The White Pass & Yukon Route itself is unlike any other railroad. Against all odds, the iron trail was carved through some of the North's most rugged terrain in 1898. Built during the Klondike Gold Rush, this engineering wonder is an International Historic Civil Engineering Landmark -- an honor shared with the Eiffel Tower, the Panama Canal and the Statue of Liberty. Considered an impossible feat, the railway was completed in 26 months by blasting through the mountains with 450 tons of explosives. The 110-mile railroad was officially completed when a final golden spike was hammered into place on July 29, 1900, in Carcross, Yukon.

Your exclusive luxury car, pulled by a vintage diesel locomotive, climbs nearly 3,000 feet over 20 miles of steep grades and around cliff-hanging turns. You will retrace the original route to the **White Pass summit**, passing Bridal Veil Falls, Inspiration Point and Dead Horse Gulch. Take in the breathtaking panorama of mountains, glaciers, gorges, waterfalls, tunnels, trestles and historical sites from your large picture window and comfortable custom seating. As you travel, your private guide will

serve refreshments and recount the fascinating tales of Gold Rush history. You'll even see the original Klondike Trail of '98 worn into the rocks -- a permanent tribute to the thousands of souls who passed this way in search of fortune.

After your excursion, a convenient dockside service returns you directly to the ship.

## Notes:

Not advisable for guests using a wheelchair.  
Minimum age is 21 years.

## WHITE PASS RAIL & KLONDIKE HIGHWAY BY BIKE



Duration: **Approximately 4½ hours**

Departs at **9:00 am**

Price: **\$239.95**

Experience the incredible Northern outdoors, get some fresh air and go biking with Alaska's original bicycle company on this combination of two great excursions -- a fun way to tour Skagway and the surrounding area.

First, you'll board the historic **White Pass & Yukon Route** narrow-gauge railroad for an incredible 1.5-hour trip through the coastal mountains to British Columbia, Canada.

Meet your professional guide, versed in the ecology and history of the area, who will then take you for a short van ride along the scenic Klondike Highway to the summit of the White Pass.

After a bicycle and safety orientation, it is **15 scenic miles downhill** from the summit to the sea. As you coast along the paved **Klondike Highway** on this 1.5-hour bike ride, you will make multiple stops for photos of the historic

White Pass & Yukon Route Railroad, cascading waterfalls, awe-inspiring glaciers, majestic mountains, and other historic sites. Your senses will awaken to the sights and sounds of Alaska that can only be experienced on two wheels. You will even ride your bike across the US/Canadian border.

After this thrilling ride, enjoy some **free time** in historic **downtown Skagway** before heading back to the ship.

## Notes:

Participants must be confident on a bicycle with handbrakes, coasting downhill at speeds between 15 and 25 mph. The bicycle portion of the tour is on a public highway with vehicle traffic. As this adventure crosses the US/Canadian border, US and Canadian citizens must carry a passport and bring their ship ID. All other nationalities must have a valid passport, visa and ship ID. Helmets must be worn. Minimum age is 13 years. Minimum height is 4'6". Maximum weight is 270 lbs. Wear sports shoes and layered clothing. Helmets, rain jackets, pants, and fleece gloves are provided. The ride is approximately 15 miles. Tour time may vary depending on Customs. Waiver must be signed and medical conditions disclosed.

## WHITE PASS RAIL & KLONDIKE HIGHWAY: MULTILINGUAL



Duration: **Approximately 3¾ hours**

Departs at **12:30 pm; 1:30 pm**

Price: Adult **\$204.95**; Child **\$149.95**

Presented in multiple foreign languages simultaneously, this excursion combines a trip over the Klondike Highway with a ride on the White Pass & Yukon Route Railroad. It leaves you with plenty of time for shopping or other

adventures while visiting Skagway -- the most famous gold rush city in Alaska.

Your experience begins on board a comfortable **minibus** whose large picture windows afford spectacular views as you travel through historical Skagway. You're headed north along the **Klondike Highway** and up through the West White Pass of the St Elias Range. This is the tallest coastal range in the world, and you are traveling one of North America's most scenic mountain roads.

Your guide imparts a century's worth of White Pass stories as you pass numerous landmarks, including the Dead Horse Trail, the old Brackett Wagon Road, Pitchfork Falls and Moore Bridge. Opportunities to snap photos of stunning peaks and glaciers abound on this route. You'll travel from the coastal rain forest through the sub-Arctic taiga and ascend to the summit. At an elevation of 3,290 feet, the vast silence is broken only by the sound of the wind blowing across this veritable moonscape of rock -- barren except for stunted alpine flora and dotted with small lakes. Your guide will gladly take your picture here as a memento of your trip.

Upon arrival at Fraser, BC, you'll board a **vintage narrow-gauge railcar** for your trip aboard the world-famous **White Pass & Yukon Route Railroad**, retracing the Trail of '98 from an entirely different perspective. The train takes you along the opposite side of the pass and down into the canyon, with new and breathtaking panoramas of mountains, glaciers, and waterfalls. Disembark in **Skagway** and make the most of some **free time** for exploring, shopping and catching gold fever.

Guests wear comfortable headphones that deliver the complete tour narration in their chosen language: Spanish, German, French,

Portuguese, Dutch, Japanese, Mandarin and English. Tour sequence may vary.

## Notes:

This adventure crosses the US/ Canadian border; US and Canadian citizens must carry a passport and ship ID. All other nationalities must have a valid passport, visa and ship ID. Children not accompanied by both parents must have a letter of authorization signed by the absent parent. Wheelchairs and scooters cannot be accommodated on the minibus; participants must be able to climb three steps to (dis)embark the bus. Tour and transportation sequences may vary.

## WHITE PASS RAIL & YUKON EXPEDITION



Duration: **Approximately 8¼ hours**

Departs at **9:15 am**

Price: Adult **\$274.95**; Child **\$199.95**

You've traveled so far already, now is a great time to make the 65-mile journey into the Yukon.

Board a deluxe motor coach and experience the magic and the mystery of the famed **Yukon Territory**. Your adventure begins on the docks of Skagway and soon you'll be climbing the **South Klondike Highway** to the top of the White Pass -- 3,292 feet above sea level -- with views of majestic peaks, waterfalls, and glaciers from the coach. Leaving the USA behind, you'll enter Canada and the unspoiled and untamed beauty of the Yukon Territory.

Marvel at the chain of lakes that form the headwaters of the Yukon River, explore the rustic town of Caribou Crossing (Carcross). Snap a quick photo of the world's smallest

desert (time permitting), and enjoy the tales of the Klondike Gold rush provided by your guide throughout your journey.

A stop at **Wild Adventure Yukon** is an opportunity to satisfy your wilderness appetite with a delicious chicken barbecue **lunch** complete with **Granny's homemade donuts**.

Tour Yukon's most extensive **Wildlife Museum**, strolling among the creatures of Yukon's past and present, with favorites including steppe bison, grizzly bears, monster moose, woolly mammoth, and the world's largest mounted polar bear. Absorb some authentic Canadian culture by visiting the Royal Canadian Mounted Police Heritage Center. This interpretive display focuses on the history of Canada's Mounties and highlights their role in the Yukon Territory during the Klondike Gold Rush.

At the **Dog Musher's Village**, visit with Iditarod dog mushers and take pictures with sled dogs and husky puppies; or, for an extra fee, join them for a dog-cart ride with actual Iditarod and Yukon Quest dogs along scenic trails. Kids and adults alike will enjoy the petting farm with alpacas, donkeys, miniature goats, horses and a pony.

Back at Fraser, British Columbia, you'll board the **White Pass & Yukon Route Railroad** for a truly unforgettable ride down this historic and breathtaking narrow-gauge track.

## Notes:

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## WHITE PASS RAIL BENNETT LAKE & YUKON ADVENTURE





Duration: **Approximately 8 hours**

Departs at **9:45 am**

Price: Adult **\$339.95**; Child **\$204.95**

The wilderness beckons you on this 67-mile journey aboard the historic White Pass Railroad to remote Bennett Lake. Step back in time and explore an abandoned gold rush town on a self-guided walking tour; then, enjoy a boxed lunch onboard.

Begin your day by traveling via motorcoach to the **White Pass & Yukon Route Railroad** depot, where you will board the **train** for a spectacular 67-mile northbound trip. Against all odds, this iron trail was carved through some of the North's most rugged terrain in 1898 during the Klondike Gold Rush. This engineering wonder is an **International Historic Civil Engineering Landmark**. The track climbs nearly 3,000 feet over 20 miles of steep grades and cliff-hanging turns. Relax in a vintage rail car as you pass Bridal Veil Falls, Inspiration Point and Dead Horse Gulch -- a breathtaking panorama of mountains, glaciers, gorges, waterfalls, tunnels, trestles and historic sites. See the original Klondike Trail of '98 worn into the rocks -- a permanent tribute to the thousands of souls who passed this way in search of fortune. This famous, historic railway leads to Fraser, British Columbia, and on to beautiful Bennett Lake.

Accessible only by train, **Bennett, BC**, is an **abandoned town**. Constructed during the Klondike Gold Rush, Bennett was located at the end of the White Pass and Chilkoot Trails -- a vital stop for prospectors on their journey north to the gold fields. Back in the day, thousands of people constructed boats and rafts here to launch across the lake and down the Yukon River.

Leave the train in Bennett and step inside the

**White Pass & Yukon Route Railroad's Museum and interpretive center**. This is a journey back in time -- a chance to explore this magnificent area through a **self-guided walking tour** along the once-bustling shoreline of Bennett Lake. If you're up to it, don't miss the walk up to the church on the hill.

Reboard the train and enjoy **lunch** on board as it travels past the lake en route to Carcross. Carcross is a contraction of the town's full and correct name, **Caribou Crossing**. After exploring the tiny **Native village** here, switch to a motorcoach for the scenic journey down the Klondike Highway and back to Skagway.

## Notes:

This adventure crosses the US/Canadian border; US and Canadian citizens must carry a passport and ship ID. All other nationalities must have a valid passport, visa and ship ID. Written consent is required for children traveling into Canada without both parents. Vegetarian lunch is available with at least 24 hours' notice. Tour and transportation sequences may vary.

## WHITE PASS RAIL, KLONDIKE HIGHWAY & LIARVILLE GOLD CAMP



Duration: **Approximately 5 hours**

Departs at **9:00 am**

Price: Adult **\$214.95**; Child **\$154.95**

Experience an unforgettable journey along the eastern side of White Pass aboard the world-famous narrow-gauge **White Pass & Yukon Route Railroad**, built more than 100 years ago. You'll pass through some of the North's most rugged terrain on board a comfortable, narrow-gauge rail car as you retrace the original route through breathtaking scenery beyond the

summit of White Pass at 2,865 feet.

Upon reaching **Fraser, British Columbia**, board a **motorcoach** for the journey down the west side of White Pass Canyon. You'll hear about Tormented Valley and Pitchfork Falls en route.

Stop at historic **Liarsville**, a **gold rush trail camp** nestled beside a waterfall at the foot of White Pass. Liarsville is named for the journalists sent here to report on the Klondike Gold Rush, whose articles included tall tales of the prospectors' exploits. Browse the authentic camp exhibits, including antiques and garments left behind by the prospectors and those who profited from them. A cast of 'sourdoughs' and dance hall girls will entertain you with a hilarious **melodrama** and a poem by Robert Service, the Bard of the North.

You'll also have a chance to try the art of **gold panning** in the Liarsville gold fields, where you are guaranteed to find some gold to keep. Purchase a snack, shop for souvenirs or have your photo taken with a dance hall girl.

## Notes:

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## WHITE PASS RAIL, SUMMIT, GOLD PANNING & BARBECUE LUNCH CURATED WITH THE HISTORY CHANNEL



Duration: **Approximately 5¾ hours**

Departs at **7:30 am**

Price: Adult **\$254.95**; Child **\$179.95**

Relive the Klondike Gold Rush with the History Channel

In partnership with the History Channel, embark on a journey tracing the Klondike's rich past and the dreams of prospectors seeking fortune.

Board the historic White Pass & Yukon Route Railroad in Skagway and travel in vintage railcars along the original route of the gold seekers. Ascend rugged terrain to the summit of White Pass and on to Fraser, British Columbia, while uncovering tales of the daring stampedeers who braved this challenging trail.

Continue by motorcoach down the White Pass Canyon, with stops at Tormented Valley and Pitchfork Falls (time permitting) for breathtaking views.

At Dredge Town, enjoy a barbecue lunch amidst mountain scenery. Then, step into a prospector's shoes as you pan for gold in warm-water troughs—guaranteed “pay dirt” in every pan.

**Notes:** This adventure crosses the US/Canadian border; US and Canadian citizens must carry a passport and ship ID. All other nationalities must have a valid passport, visa and ship ID. A vegetarian lunch is available; please notify the Shore Excursions team at least 24 hours prior to the tour.

## WHITE PASS SUMMIT SCENIC RAILROAD (WHEELCHAIR ACCESSIBLE)

## M

Duration: **Approximately 2¾ hours**

Departs at **10:15 am; 2:15 pm**

Price: Adult **\$169.95**; Child **\$99.95**

Take an unforgettable round-trip journey aboard the **White Pass & Yukon Route Railroad**. Against all odds, this iron trail was built through some of the North's most ruggedly beautiful terrain and, more than 125 years later, is still in operation.

Ride in a comfortable, restored or replica vintage rail car to the **summit of the White Pass**, through two tunnels, over sky-high trestles, and remote valleys. Pass Bridal Veil Falls, Inspiration Point and Dead Horse Gulch as your guide announces all points of interest and tells the story of the Klondike Gold Rush.

At the White Pass Summit at 2,865 feet, the train makes a loop and heads back down the pass, allowing everyone to experience excellent views during this round-trip rail journey.

This narrow-gauge railroad is an **International Historic Civil Engineering Landmark**. It shares this honor with the Panama Canal, the Eiffel Tower and the Statue of Liberty and is truly a world wonder.

### Notes:

Restrooms are located on each train car. Food is not available for purchase on the train. You will not get off the train during the tour. The content of this tour is identical to White Pass Summit Scenic Railroad. Only guests using a wheelchair can book this tour, as it ensures accessible transportation. Due to the specialized nature of some lift-equipped vehicles, priority is given to guests using a wheelchair and one companion only; additional companions may be required to travel on the

transportation provided for White Pass Summit Scenic Railroad. Bookings not marked with an accessibility requirement will be removed from the tour's inventory.

Please complete the Special Services form at <https://book.hollandamerica.com/specialServices/login.action> ; this will ensure that suitable transportation is in place for your tour.

## WHITE PASS SUMMIT SCENIC RAILROAD

## E

Duration: **Approximately 2¾ hours**

Departs at **10:15 am; 2:15 pm**

Price: Adult **\$174.95**; Child **\$99.95**

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# Whittier, Alaska, US

Sunday,  
July 26, 2026

## DEBARKATION TOUR: 26 GLACIERS CRUISE WITH AIRPORT OR DOWNTOWN HOTEL TRANSFER (WHEELCHAIR ACCESSIBLE)



Duration: **Approximately 8¾ hours**

Departs at **11:30 am (Waitlisted)**

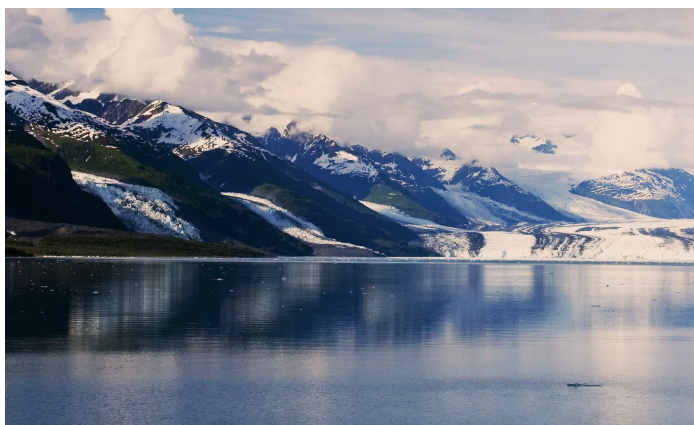
Price: Adult **\$359.95**; Child **\$269.95**

Stretch your legs on a short **walk** from the cruise ship terminal to board a **catamaran**.

You'll travel 125 miles from Whittier into the pristine wilderness of **Prince William Sound** to view **26 massive glaciers**, including Surprise Glacier in Harriman Fjord. Your trip will be narrated by an expert Chugach National Forest Service ranger, making it both beautiful and informative.

On the catamaran, you'll come face to face with towering masses of ice in brilliant blue hues, so close that you can hear the glaciers moving. You will encounter several glacier types, including alpine (hanging), piedmont, and tidewater. The glaciers often calve -- pieces of ice break off and thunder into the water. It's an unforgettable experience.

On this cruise, the **wildlife** is equally astounding. Sightings of sea otters, seals, porpoises, sea lions and bald eagles are commonplace. You may also spot bears, mountain goats and



humpback and orca whales. The captain will stop at a bird rookery that is home to thousands of kittiwakes.

Reserved seating, heated cabins, large panoramic windows, a hot meal, tea, coffee and ice water are all included.

End your tour with a **transfer to Anchorage**.

### Notes:

The tour operator offers a no-seasickness guarantee. The on-board snack bar and small gift shop accept cash, debit and credit cards. Accessible restrooms include a changing table. Dress warmly in layered clothing with gloves, a scarf, and a hat; outer layer should be windproof and waterproof. Tour operates rain or shine but may be canceled by the operator in the event of extremely bad weather or unsuitable conditions. Wildlife sightings are likely but are not guaranteed. Tour is available only to guests whose cruise ends in Whittier, with an overnight stay in Anchorage or to guests transferring to the airport with flights departing after 11pm. If you have already purchased a motorcoach airport transfer with your cruise booking, a refund for the transfer will be processed on board the ship, as this excursion automatically includes a motorcoach transfer. Cruisetour guests who will spend the first night of their land package in Anchorage can participate; however, the tour does not include a train transfer to Anchorage and if your



Cruisetour included a train ride to Anchorage, it will be forfeited. For guests staying in Anchorage, the tour ends at select Anchorage hotels. Guests who booked their Anchorage hotel through Holland America Line will be dropped at their hotel by 8:30pm and collect their luggage there. For guests flying out of Anchorage, the tour ends at Anchorage Airport by 9pm. Guests who made their own Anchorage hotel arrangements will transfer to the airport, collect their luggage, and make their own way to their hotel via taxi or Uber (at your own expense) or hotel shuttle (if provided). Guests requiring accessibility, please complete the Special Services form at <https://book.hollandamerica.com/specialServices/login.action> ; this will ensure that suitable transportation is in place for your tour.

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## DEBARKATION TOUR: ALASKA IN FOCUS: TURNAGAIN TREASURES WITH AIRPORT TRANSFER

M

Duration: **Approximately 4 hours**

Departs at **8:30 am**

Price: Adult **\$199.95**; Child **\$179.95**

This **photography expedition** is suited to casual camera operators (including phone cameras) looking to take home great vacation snaps and to avid photographers looking for next-level pro tips. Experienced photographers and novices alike will **capture magical shots**. However, you need not be interested in photography to join the fun.

Your day is guided by a professional Alaskan photographer providing technical and creative support. A **small group** (maximum 10 guests) ensures an intimate setting and access by van to the most scenic locations along Portage Valley and the Turnagain Arm coastline.

Photo stops may include Portage Valley, Turnagain Arm, Virgin Creek Falls, and McHugh Creek, with flexibility to stop for wildlife sightings en route. You'll leave the van for **short walks** to explore the beauty of Alaska on foot and through your camera lens. Subjects may include numerous bird species, moose, Dall

sheep, temperate rainforest, picturesque mountain streams and falls, coastal meadows filled with wildflowers, and scenic views of the Chugach and Kenai Mountains.

### Notes:

Bring your camera or smartphone. Not advisable for guests using a wheelchair or for those with mobility limitations. Tour sequence may vary. Minimum age is 8 years. This tour is designed for those terminating a northbound cruise in Whittier. Transportation is from Whittier to Ted Stevens International Airport in Anchorage or Anchorage hotel. Physical activity level on this tour is moderate, with some stair climbing and short hikes on hills and uneven terrain. All types of picture-taking devices are accepted, from smartphones to point-and-shoots, semi-pro and pro gear.

## DEBARKATION TOUR: EXCLUSIVE REINDEER ENCOUNTER WITH AIRPORT OR DOWNTOWN HOTEL TRANSFER

M

Duration: **Approximately 4 hours**

Departs at **10:00 am**

Price: **\$159.95**

Your destination is the **Alaska Wildlife Conservation Center**, a non-profit **sanctuary dedicated to preserving Alaska's wildlife** through conservation, education, research and quality animal care. AWCC takes in orphaned and injured animals and provides them with a forever home. Resident animals are encouraged to display natural wild behavior and to be ambassadors for their species.

Your coach is your transportation through the facility. A step-on specialist guide introduces you to the wildlife. You'll stop at the **bear**

**enclosures** -- a great opportunity to ask questions as your guide shares stories of how the animals came to the Center and how they are cared for.

Enter the reindeer habitat for an exclusive **Reindeer Encounter experience**. How do these animals, known as caribou in the wild, adapt to domestication? Your guide has history and interesting facts to share. There's time for **photos** of you and your reindeer friend and you can **handfeed the reindeer** as well.

Enjoy a brief time on your own to explore some more before you head to Anchorage along the National Scenic Byway of the Seward Highway. It's a 60-minute drive to the airport and/or the downtown hospitality center.

#### Notes:

This tour is available only to guests whose cruise ends in Whittier with an overnight stay in Anchorage or to guests transferring to the airport with flights departing after 3:45pm. Cruisetour guests spending the first night of their land package in Anchorage can also participate. The tour ends at Anchorage airport at 1:30pm and at the downtown hospitality center at 2pm. If you have already purchased an airport transfer with your cruise booking, a refund for the transfer will be processed on board the ship, as this excursion automatically includes a transfer. Terrain includes a few steps, Terrain includes a packed dirt trail/road that can be uneven, muddy, and slippery. Guests feeding the reindeer are required to wear a mask (provided).

### DEBARKATION TOUR: PORTAGE GLACIER SCENIC CRUISE & DRIVE WITH AIRPORT TRANSFER (WHEELCHAIR ACCESSIBLE)



Duration: **Approximately 5 hours**

Departs at **8:30 am**

Price: Adult **\$144.95**; Child **\$109.95**

Board a motorcoach for a 30-minute **panoramic drive** to scenic **Portage Lake**. At the **Begich-Boggs Visitor Center**, you will learn about glaciers, wildlife and the Chugach National Forest. Board the m/v *Ptarmigan* for an unforgettable cruise, navigating the iceberg-dotted waters to within 300 yards of Portage Glacier. Enjoy the spectacular views and 60-minute narrated tour from a seat in the enclosed lounge or from the open-air observation deck.

At the **Portage Day Lodge**, you'll have time to purchase lunch or a snack (at your own expense) and shop for Alaskan artwork and gifts in the gallery.

Relax on the 75-minute narrated drive along the **Seward Highway** -- a Scenic Byway -- skirting Turnagain Arm, picturesque mountains and pristine wilderness. Upon arrival in Anchorage, you'll transfer to the airport or downtown hospitality center, depending on your itinerary.

#### Notes:

The content of this tour is identical to Portage Glacier Scenic Cruise & Drive. Only guests using a wheelchair can book this tour, as it ensures accessible transportation. Bookings not marked with an accessibility requirement will be removed from this tour's inventory. This tour is available only to guests whose cruise ends in Whittier with an overnight stay in Anchorage or to guests transferring to the airport with flights departing after 4pm. Cruisetour guests who will spend the first night of their land package in Anchorage can participate in this tour. The tour ends at Anchorage Airport at 2pm and at the downtown hospitality center at 2:30pm. If you have already purchased an airport transfer with

your cruise booking, a refund for the transfer will be processed on board the ship, as this excursion automatically includes a transfer. This tour operates under a Special Use Permit issued by the US Forest Service. Dress warmly in layers with a windproof and waterproof outer layer; bring a warm hat, gloves and a scarf. On visits before Memorial Day and after Labor Day, the Begich, Boggs Visitor Center is closed; a stop at the Alaska Wildlife Conservation Center will be substituted. Please complete the Special Services form at <https://book.hollandamerica.com/specialServices/login.action> ; this will ensure that suitable transportation is in place for your tour.

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## DEBARKATION TOUR: TURNAGAIN ARM, WILDLIFE CONSERVATION CENTER & ALYESKA TRAM WITH AIRPORT TRANSFER (WHEELCHAIR ACCESSIBLE)

E

Duration: **Approximately 6 hours**

Departs at **8:30 am**

Price: Adult **\$209.95**; Child **\$159.95**

Head to the **Alaska Wildlife Conservation Center**, where animals unable to survive in the wild find refuge in spacious habitats. Here, you can safely get close to, observe and photograph some of Alaska's largest land mammals,

including moose, bison, bears and musk ox. Enjoy a guided tour before 60 minutes of **free time** to shop or explore on your own.

A 30-minute **panoramic drive** brings you to the base of mighty Mt Alyeska -- a year-round destination. Ride Alyeska Resort's **Glacier Express tram** and take in panoramic views of Turnagain Arm and the surrounding valley from 2,300 feet above sea level. You'll have close to two hours here, including time for shopping and purchasing lunch (at your own expense).

The **Potter Marsh Bird Sanctuary** is located at the southern end of the Anchorage Coastal Wildlife Refuge. It's a photographer's paradise with a chance to see rare migratory birds, spawning salmon and other wildlife surrounded by the beauty of the Chugach National Forest and Cook Inlet.

The **Seward Highway** -- Alaska's Scenic Byway -- brings you to Anchorage. Enjoy picturesque mountain views as you travel 60 minutes to the hospitality center or airport, depending upon your itinerary.

#### Notes:

The content of this tour is identical to Turnagain Arm, Wildlife Conservation Center & Alyeska Tram with Airport Transfer. Only guests using a wheelchair can book this tour, as it ensures accessible transportation. Bookings not marked with an accessibility requirement will be removed from this tour's inventory. This tour is available only to guests whose cruise ends in Whittier with an overnight stay in Anchorage or to guests transferring to the airport with flights departing after 4:45pm. Cruisetour guests who will spend the first night of their land package in Anchorage can participate in this tour. The tour ends at the downtown hospitality center at 2:15pm and at Anchorage Airport at 2:45pm. If

you have already purchased an airport transfer with your cruise booking, a refund for the transfer will be processed on board the ship, as this excursion automatically includes a transfer.

Please complete the Special Services form at <https://book.hollandamerica.com/specialServices/login.action> ; this will ensure that suitable transportation is in place for your tour.

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Departs at **8:30 am**

Price: Adult **\$209.95**; Child **\$159.95**

Head to the **Alaska Wildlife Conservation Center**, where animals unable to survive in the wild find refuge in spacious habitats. Here, you can safely get close to, observe and photograph some of Alaska's largest land mammals, including moose, bison, bears and musk ox. Enjoy a guided tour before 60 minutes of **free time** to shop or explore on your own.

A 30-minute **panoramic drive** brings you to the base of mighty Mt Alyeska -- a year-round destination. Ride Alyeska Resort's **Glacier Express tram** and take in panoramic views of Turnagain Arm and the surrounding valley from 2,300 feet above sea level. You'll have close to two hours here, including time for shopping and purchasing lunch (at your own expense).

The **Potter Marsh Bird Sanctuary** is located at the southern end of the Anchorage Coastal Wildlife Refuge. It's a photographer's paradise with a chance to see rare migratory birds,



spawning salmon and other wildlife surrounded by the beauty of the Chugach National Forest and Cook Inlet.

The **Seward Highway** -- Alaska's Scenic Byway -- brings you to Anchorage. Enjoy picturesque mountain views as you travel 60 minutes to the hospitality center or airport, depending upon your itinerary.

## Notes:

This tour is available only to guests whose cruise ends in Whittier with an overnight stay in Anchorage or to guests transferring to the airport with flights departing after 4:45pm. Cruisetour guests who will spend the first night of their land package in Anchorage can participate in this tour. The tour ends at the downtown hospitality center at 2:15pm and at Anchorage Airport at 2:45pm. If you have already purchased an airport transfer with your cruise booking, a refund for the transfer will be processed on board the ship, as this excursion automatically includes a transfer.

# GENERAL INFORMATION

## RESERVATIONS & WAITLISTS

Visit us online at [www.HollandAmerica.com](http://www.HollandAmerica.com) and log in under Manage my Cruise to see a customized list of Shore Excursions for your voyage. You can also book via our Navigator app or by calling our dedicated Shore excursion call center at 1 (888) 425-9376. Upon booking, guests are informed whether their reservation is confirmed or waitlisted. Credit cards are immediately charged for confirmed reservations, and if space becomes available for waitlisted requests, guests are notified via email for immediate payment processing. Bookings can also be made onboard at the Shore Excursion desk, in the Navigator app or on your stateroom TV.

## DIGITAL TOUR TICKETS

Your Digital Tour Tickets will be available under My Account/Wallet in the Navigator app. Please download the Navigator app prior to boarding.

## TOUR TIMING, DURATIONS & PRICES

Tour information, durations & pricing may change at short notice due to unforeseen circumstances. Tours may operate in reverse order. Shore excursion departure times coincide with the ships schedule as

well as other HAL sponsored tours, enabling you to take multiple tours if desired with worry-free return to the ship. In the very rare event that your tour is late and the ship must leave, we will arrange at our expense to get you to the next port of call. With independently booked tours, you are responsible for rejoining the ship at the next port of call.

Dress in layers, as tours can run in a variety of weather conditions. No guarantee is made that you will see any specific scenery, view or wildlife depicted in our brochure(s) or on our website.

## GUIDES, SERVICES & TRANSPORTATION

Transportation standards vary from country to country; it is not always possible to obtain air-conditioned buses or vehicles in many ports. Please keep in mind that you are visiting countries different from your own; our local guides can have thick accents, guiding methods will vary and you should expect crowds at popular tourist destinations. Guests who leave during a tour for which transportation is included must thereafter provide for their own transportation and services at their own expense.



# GENERAL INFORMATION (CONTINUED)

## ACCESSIBILITY

Certain excursions may have physical requirements or skill levels, and guests are encouraged to assess their own abilities and inquire about excursion details beforehand. Activity levels are for the tour only and do not include the walk from the gangway to the buses, which may include long distances, steep ramps, steps or cobblestones.

Guests with disabilities should inquire about accommodation options in advance by calling our Shore excursions call center at 1 (888) 425-9376 or email at Hal\_Shorex\_access@HollandAmerica.com. Depending on the port, the tour operator(s) may impose weight restrictions for electric scooters and/or additional charges may apply. Please contact our Shore Excursions Call Center if you need to request a bus with a lift. Some venues are accessible; others may not be accessible or may involve an alternative access route. Lift-equipped transportation must be requested if the tour is not designated as fully accessible (availability is not guaranteed).

## CANCELLATION

Shore excursions are subject to cancellations or changes, and tour operators reserve the right to deny participation based on established criteria. For cancellations made online or by Holland America Line more prior to departure, a credit is issued to the original credit card. Otherwise, refunds are issued as onboard credits to the guests shipboard account. Should you end your voyage with a refundable credit on your shipboard account, you will receive an email from Holland America that contains the procedures to receive this refund. Cancellation policies vary depending on the type of excursion and timing. Most tours can be cancelled for any reason up to 48 hours before the port of call, but cancellations made onboard after the deadline incur a 100% cancellation fee. The cancellation policy for private vehicles, Overland Adventures and Overnight Tours includes varying refund percentages depending on the timing of cancellation; please see the tour description for details. For those on Alaska Land & Sea Journeys, optional excursions are non-refundable 3 days prior to your departure.

## BEST PRICE GUARANTEE

Book your shore excursions with total confidence that you're getting the best value. Find a better price on any tour we offer and we'll refund 110% of the difference in the form of an onboard credit. In order to be eligible to receive the Best Price Guarantee, you must (1) purchase the applicable Holland America Line shore excursion(s) prior to the commencement of your cruise, and (2) complete and submit an online Best Price Guarantee form at least seven days prior to the commencement of your cruise. Failure to meet these conditions will result in your request being denied. Please log in to our website under Manage my Cruise to fill out an application & for more details.

## NON-PROVIDER SERVICES

Shore excursions are considered "Non-Provider Services" under the cruise contract, and guests assume the risks associated with them, subject to any arrangements made with third-party providers. Please refer to your cruise contract for a full statement of your rights and obligations as well as those of the Owner of the Ship, Holland America Line and certain other persons and entities with respect to Non-Provider Services.

## HAVE IT ALL PACKAGE

For guests who have purchased a Have it All Package, this offer is based on cruise duration and is per person, not per stateroom. For Alaska cruisetours and 6–9-day voyages, eligible guests will receive US\$100 credit per person to apply toward their Shore Excursion purchase(s). For 10–20-day voyages, eligible guests will receive US\$200 credit per person to apply toward their Shore Excursion purchase(s). For 21+ day voyages (excluding Grands), eligible guests will receive US\$300 credit per person to apply toward their Shore Excursion purchase(s). Shore Excursion credit must be used pre-cruise when used towards an Alaska Cruisetour Land Excursion purchase. Shore excursion credit must be used on corresponding cruise and is non-refundable. Shore excursion credit cannot be redeemed for cash value, airport transfers or applied to a non-shore excursion item. This promotion is not combinable with Group Shore Excursions.