Denali & Gold Rush Fever

August 16 - September 1, 2024



HIGHLIGHTS

- Extra day in Anchorage with Portage Glacier cruise
- *Riverboat DISCOVERY* sternwheeler cruise in Fairbanks
- McKinley Explorer domed-car train excursion between Anchorage and Denali National park
- "Triple Denali" 3-night stay in Denali National Park, including the Tundra Wilderness Tour
- Journey aboard the White Pass Train
- Extra day in Vancouver, British Columbia with an included sightseeing tour

HAVE IT ALL CRUISE BUNDLE INCLUDED (cruise portion only)

- $100 Shore Excursion Credit per person
- Signature Beverage Package
- 1 Night Specialty Dining
- Wi-Fi Surf Package (1st and 2nd guest in a stateroom only)

Prices are subject to availability at time of booking. Rates, taxes, fees and fuel surcharges are subject to change. All rates and included features are based on a minimum of 25 full-fare passengers.

Desired pick up location is not guaranteed until passenger minimums are met.

INCLUDED FEATURES

- Roundtrip airfare to Anchorage, AK and return from Vancouver, British Columbia
- Transfers and sightseeing via deluxe motorcoach, train and ship, as specified in itinerary
- Accommodations in best available hotels/lodges including Denali Suites at McKinley Chalet
- Holland America driver and guide gratuities (on land portion)
- Four-night cruise aboard the ***ms KONINGSDAM*** in selected category
- All onboard meals and entertainment (specialty restaurants may have nominal fees)
- Breakfast plan while on land tour
- Baggage handling
- Services of a Discoveries Journey Manager

PRICING

Stateroom Category	Double Occupancy Rate Per Person
A Vista Suite	$8,159
V Verandah	$7,989
VA Verandah	$7,969
VB Verandah	$7,949
C Oceanview	$7,729
I Interior	$7,379

Non-members must add $60 to the above rates

Single and 3rd/4th passenger rates are available upon request



ITINERARY

Friday, Day 1: Anchorage

Transfer by motorcoach to a local airport for your flight to Anchorage. Transfer to your downtown hotel to start your Alaskan adventure.

Saturday, Day 2: Anchorage

Enjoy a full day of touring around the greater Alaska area including a small ship sightseeing cruise of the Portage Glacier. The rest of the evening is yours to explore Anchorage at your own pace. (Breakfast)

Sunday, Day 3: Denali National Park

Board the luxurious domed rail cars of the McKinley Explorer to Denali National Park for a three-night stay at this magnificent national treasure. Enjoy lunch included on the train's dining car. (Breakfast, Lunch)

Monday, Day 4: Denali National Park

Venture deep into Denali National Park on the **Tundra Wilderness Tour.** This excursion is a favorite among travelers. This 5-6 hour fully narrated sightseeing excursion takes you into the heart of Denali National park to mile 43. It's the best way to see wildlife and the majestic peaks of Denali (weather permitting) (Breakfast, Snack Box, Boxed Lunch)

Tuesday, Day 5: Denali National Park

Explore on your own or take optional excursions with an entire free day at Denali National Park. (Breakfast)

Wednesday, Day 6: Fairbanks

Today you'll head for Fairbanks, Alaska's Golden Heart City. Board the Riverboat *DISCOVERY* for a narrated scenic cruise on the Chena and Tanana Rivers. (Breakfast, Lunch)

Thursday, Day 7: Dawson City, Yukon

Your journey continues as you board a short flight bound for Dawson City, Yukon. This afternoon enjoy a nostalgic Yukon River paddle-

wheeler cruise aboard the *Klondike Spirit.* (Breakfast)

Friday, Day 8: Dawson City, Yukon

Today, enjoy optional excursions on your day of leisure in the Yukon. Don't miss the chance to visit Diamond Tooth Gertie's or immerse yourself in Klondike Gold Rush history on a Gold Fields tour. (Breakfast)

Saturday, Day 9: Whitehorse, Yukon

Follow the route of Klondike gold stampeders in style to Whitehorse. Tonight, enjoy an included group dinner in Whitehorse. (Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner)

Sunday, Day 10: Skagway

Continue along the Klondike Trail to Fraser, then board the historic White Pass train to Skagway. (Breakfast)

Monday, Day 11: Skagway

Explore on your own or take optional excursions with an entire free day in Skagway. (Breakfast)

Tuesday, Day 12: Skagway

You will have the entire day to explore the quaint town of Skagway before boarding your ship the **MS KONINGSDAM** for a 4 day adventure through glaciers and the Inside Passage. (Breakfast)

Wednesday, Day 13: Glacier Bay National Park (scenic cruising)

Cruise the ice-studded fjords of this national treasure for full eight hours as a Park Service Ranger narrates.

Thursday, Day 14: Ketchikan

Explore this uniquely Alaskan port, famous for its rich native culture, salmon fishing, and scenic Misty Fjords.

Friday, Day 15: Inside Passage (scenic cruising)

Relax and enjoy a full day of scenic cruising along the Inside Passage. Immerse yourself in the beauty and elegance of your surroundings.

Saturday, Day 16: Vancouver, British Columbia

Disembark today in Vancouver and take in all the sights that this great city has to offer on your city highlights tour. Check in to your Vancouver hotel for the evening.

Saturday, Day 17: Vancouver, British Columbia to Central PA

This morning, transfer by motorcoach to the airport for your return flight and transportation back to Central PA.

Hotels and itinerary are subject to change at any time without notification and/or compensation.

Tour Activity Level: 3
This tour includes moderate physical activity. The itinerary blends some longer days with shorter days and more leisure time. Walking tours, as well as walking slightly longer distances, up stairs, or on uneven walking surfaces, should be expected.

GENERAL INFORMATION

Travel Documents

Original, signed passport valid for 6 months beyond stay, and with at least one blank visa page for visa stamp(s).

As travel policies are rapidly changing due to COVID, the final requirements will be communicated prior to departure.

Canada reserves the right to deny entry to anyone with a felony conviction, including a DUI record. AAA is not responsible if you are denied entry to Canada and no refund will be provided.

Payment

Deposit of $600 per person/$1200 per cabin will confirm your reservation. Final payment is due to AAA by **May 3, 2024.**

Cancellation/Penalties

Deposit date to day of departure- $25 per person, plus…

From May 18 - June 1 , 2024- $600 per person/$1,200 per cabin, plus any additional suppliers' fees
From June 2 - June 16, 2024- 50% of gross fare per person, plus any additional suppliers' fees
From June 17 - July 16, 2024- 75% of gross fare per person, plus any additional suppliers' fees
After July 16, 2024- NON-REFUNDABLE

***Airfare is non-refundable after final payment.**

Insurance

For your protection AAA recommends travel insurance. Pre-existing medical conditions may be waived with proper coverage if travel insurance is purchased within 14 days of initial deposit only. Other conditions may apply; ask your travel agent. AAA recommends Allianz.

Flight

Air arrangements are handled by the tour operator. Seat assignments cannot be confirmed until the tour operator releases names to the airline(s) 30 days prior to departure. Specific seat requests cannot be guaranteed. Some flight schedules may contain code share agreements.

Clothing/Climate

Alaska is not a frigid land of ice and snow! The interior around Fairbanks is warm during the summer. Pack for a variety of temperatures; layers are suggested. Daytime, casual clothes and comfortable walking shoes are recommended. For cruising, evenings require casual or semi-formal attire, with one formal night.

Baggage

Due to limited space while touring, all passengers are limited to one checked bag no more than 50lbs. You may also bring a small carry-on bag small enough to fit under your seat. Soft sided carry on bags no larger than 17"x14"x4" with a zippered enclosure are recommended. Wheeled carry-on cases that are used as carry-on luggage on airlines are too large and are not suitable as hand-carried luggage. Baggage fees are not included in the price of the trip. Baggage fees and other charges may be directly assessed by airlines or airport.

Travel Assistance

For personal comfort, group participants who need assistance are required to have a traveling companion who is capable of and totally responsible for providing the needed assistance.

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