

Majestic Alaska

POST-CRUISE VACATION STRETCHER



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Denali National Park



Dall Sheep in Denali

Denali National Park should be at the top of every adventurer's bucket list. This astounding destination extends over six million acres of preserved wilderness and is home to majestic Mount McKinley (now officially known as Mt. Denali or 'the Great One' in the Denaina Athabascan language), the highest peak in North America. The pristine wilderness of Alaska is, perhaps, the last bastion of thriving populations of North American wildlife. With breathtaking scenery, unique wildlife sightings and an opportunity to immerse yourself in the pure, untamed wilderness of Alaska, we invite you to extend your vacation and join the women of Olivia on a journey to Denali National Park.

Anchorage, Alaska's most populous city (40 percent of the state's population live within the city limits), combines the conveniences of the modern world with a rugged natural environment. An urban enclave surrounded by wilderness, you can watch a moose in the morning and a theater show at night. Just a few miles from downtown, you can see Dall sheep, rushing mountain streams, city parks so vast you'll feel like you've left the city altogether, go hiking to a glacier, and visit grizzly bears.

Your adventure starts as you leave Anchorage and the coastal Chugach mountain range and head into the great frontier of Alaska's interior and the magnificent Alaska mountain range. Your excitement will build as you travel along the Talkeetna Mountains and through some of the most scenic and rugged territory in Alaska as you make your way up to Denali. Your breath will be taken away with the natural beauty of America's northernmost and westernmost state.

Don't miss this opportunity to visit the jewels of Alaska, Anchorage and Denali, and all the wondrous beauty that lies between in the company of Olivia!

FIVE-NIGHT DENALI NATIONAL PARK ADVENTURE (JULY 2-7, 2017)

\$2,699 PP DOUBLE OCCUPANCY

\$3,699 PP SINGLE OCCUPANCY

INCLUDED

- Meet and greet upon arrival at the Anchorage International Airport (ANC) with transfer to Hotel Captain Cook
- One night at Hotel Captain Cook, inclusive of a buffet breakfast (check-in on July 2 with checkout on July 3)
- Hotel check-in is at 3 pm (July 2)
- Motorcoach to Denali National Park (July 3)
- Lunch stop at McKinley Princess Lodge (July 3)

- Denali Welcome Dinner at the Grande Denali Hotel (July 3)
- Two nights at the Denali Bluffs Hotel, inclusive of buffet breakfast (July 3 & 4)
- Tundra Wildlife Tour inclusive of box lunch (July 4)
- Free time for optional tours in Denali National Park (July 4 & 5)
- Deluxe Glass-Domed Rail Car ride from Denali National Park to Anchorage, inclusive of dinner (July 5)
- Two nights at the SpringHill Suites by Marriott at University Lake, inclusive of buffet breakfast (July 6 & 7)
- Scenic drive through the Anchorage Hillside and Turnagain Arm with visit to Alaska Wildlife Conservation Center (July 6)
- City Highlights Tour and Alaska Native Heritage Center with box lunch (July 6)
- Dog Musher, Aliy Zirkle presentation (July 6)
- Transfer from hotel to the Anchorage International Airport (ANC) for flights home (July 7)
- Meals as indicated on the itinerary
- Round-trip hotel luggage portorage
- Olivia staff assistance throughout

Flights to Anchorage should be booked after 12 pm to ensure enough time to get to the Seattle International airport after disembarkation

NOT INCLUDED

Air from Seattle (SEA) to Anchorage (ANC) and home, meals where not listed

ACTIVITY LEVEL REQUIREMENTS—IMPORTANT

This Post trip does require a level of mobility, as the tours do have some walking over uneven surfaces such as dirt paths/roads, tundra, etc. If you travel with a portable, collapsible, motorized, or manual scooter or wheelchair, you will need to lift them into the bay of the coach or where necessary to continue with the group. If you do have limited mobility, you are required to travel with someone who can assist you.

DAY-BY-DAY ITINERARY



SUNDAY, JULY 2, 2017 – ANCHORAGE

After breakfast on board the *ms Oosterdam*, you will disembark and go to the Seattle International Airport (SEA) for your flight to Anchorage (ANC). **Please note that your flight to Anchorage is not included; you will be required to book your own flights from Seattle to Anchorage on July 2, 2017.** Upon arrival in Anchorage, you will be transferred to the Hotel Captain Cook, located right in downtown Anchorage.

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Depending on what time you book your flight, you will have the afternoon and evening free to explore Anchorage and enjoy dinner.

Included Meals: B/-/-

MONDAY, JULY 3, 2017 – ANCHORAGE TO DENALI

After breakfast at the hotel, you will board the coach for the journey north to Denali National Park. Enjoy the views of the Chugach Mountains as you leave Anchorage for the beautiful ride to Denali. On the way up, the Chugach Mountain range will start to give way to the Alaska Range, home to Mount Denali (formerly known as Mt. McKinley). Your guide will impart information about the areas you're traveling through and will be available for any questions along the ride.

You will make a stop at the McKinley Princess Lodge for lunch and to hopefully take in your first glimpse of Mt. Denali. After lunch, you'll re-board your coach and continue to Denali National Park.

Upon your arrival to Denali, you will get an orientation of the town on the way to your hotel, the Denali Bluffs. After getting checked in and settled, you will have some free time before being taken to the Denali Bluffs' sister hotel, the Grande Denali Lodge, for your welcome dinner with your new Olivia friends!

You will have a section of the restaurant and great, sweeping views of the park and Alaska Range as you dine in the company of Olivia women, your Olivia escorts and guides!

Included Meals: B/L/D



Denali National Park Tundra Tour



Denali Grizzly Bear



Flightsee around Mt. Denali

TUESDAY, JULY 4, 2017 – DENALI

Just like the wildlife, you'll rise early to have some breakfast before heading into Denali National Park on your Tundra Tour to explore the pristine wilderness and its amazing wildlife with your naturalist driver and guide.

It takes all eyes to look for and spot moose, caribou, Dall sheep, Denali grizzly bears, the elusive wolves and more. You'll learn what to look for and how to spot wildlife as you travel through the park. When wildlife is spotted, your naturalist will share information about the animal you are viewing while getting the bus in the best position for all to see and snap that perfect shot.

After returning from the park, you will have the afternoon and evening free for exciting optional tours such as small plane
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flightseeing around Mt. Denali, whitewater rafting, driving an ATV in the wild or visiting the home of the four-time Iditarod winner, Jeff King and having the opportunity to hold some husky pups! Or you may visit Denali Park's Visitor's Center.

Dinner is on your own this evening.

Included Meals: B/L/-

WEDNESDAY JULY 5, 2017 – DENALI TO ANCHORAGE

After breakfast, you may enjoy a leisurely morning, book a last-minute optional tour, visit the Denali Visitor's Center or go into town to do some souvenir shopping.

In the afternoon, you'll transfer to the train station and get ready to board your deluxe glass-domed rail car that will take you on a journey along the historic, unspoiled route to Anchorage. The views are magnificent and you'll have a good chance of seeing wildlife along the way. You'll have many opportunities for picture-taking as you take in the amazing scenery all along the way. Dinner will be served on board the train.

Upon arrival in Anchorage, you'll be met by your coach that will take you to the SpringHill Suites by Marriott at University Lake where you'll check in and get some rest as tomorrow will be filled with visiting all the must-sees of Anchorage and the surrounding area!

Included Meals: B/-/D



THURSDAY JULY 6, 2017 – ANCHORAGE

Today, after breakfast you'll board your coach for adventures in and outside of Anchorage! You will start your day with a scenic drive through the Anchorage Hillside and then along Turnagain Arm where the Chugach Mountains dramatically rise directly out of the sea. Keep your eyes on the lookout for Dall sheep and sometimes visitors are lucky enough to see a Beluga whale swimming just off shore.

You'll continue through the Chugach National Forest to the Alaska Wildlife Conservation Center for up-close visits with rescued wildlife such as bears, moose, caribou, owls, eagles and more. You'll have time to visit the gift shop that helps support the Wildlife Conservation Center—100% of the proceeds go back to the center.

A box lunch will be served on your coach; you can eat as you are taken back into Anchorage for the remainder of your tour.

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Upon arrival into Anchorage you'll go by Lake Hood, the largest floatplane airport in the world, before being dropped off at Earthquake Park, where you'll make your way to the Coastal Trail for a short walk out to the scenic overlook of the city. You'll hear stories about the founding and history of Anchorage: from a tent city construction camp for the Alaska Railroad to the WWII military build up to the 1964 earthquake, to oil discovery and present-day Anchorage.

After taking in the wonderful views, your coach will meet you at the scenic overlook and will take you to the Alaska Native Heritage Center, an educational and cultural center that presents demonstrations, indoor exhibits and outdoor village sites of Alaska Native culture. Here you'll be introduced to Native traditions and customs of both the past and present. Alaska is home to five major and distinct Native cultural groups: Aleut, Yupik, Inupiaq, Athabascan, and Tlingit. The Welcome House is a celebration of contemporary Alaska Native cultures, while the outdoor facilities and sites allow the exploration of ancient tradition and the presentation of stories from the past.

You'll then return to your hotel to relax and freshen up for the evening. Tonight you'll go into downtown Anchorage where you'll get an opportunity to meet and hear a fun and inspiring presentation by the Yukon Quest International Dog Mushing champion and Iditarod Race dog musher, Aliy Zirkle. Aliy will tell remarkable stories about life on the trail with her canine team and show amazing photos of the remote terrain she's traveled through.

After this inspiring presentation, you can choose a restaurant in town for dinner on your own and when ready, catch one of the hourly shuttles back to the hotel.

Included Meals: B/L/-



FRIDAY, JULY 7, 2017 – ANCHORAGE TO HOME

Today, you will be transferred to the Anchorage International Airport for your flight back home. You are free to book your flight at any time. However, please note the hotel checkout time is 11 am.

Included Meals: B/-/-

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ABOUT YOUR HOTELS



Hotel Captain Cook – Anchorage

Hotel Captain Cook is centrally located and is close to many restaurants and shops as well as to key places of interest in downtown Anchorage. Handcrafted furnishings, deep hues and fantastic views of the Chugach Mountains or Cook Inlet showcase Alaskan hospitality inside the stylish accommodations.

On-site amenities include four restaurants, complimentary high-speed Wi-Fi, complimentary newspaper in lobby, health and fitness club, swimming pool, aerobics room and jacuzzi.

In-room amenities include Cook Inlet or Chugach Mountains views, blackout drapes, air-conditioning, ceiling fan, coffee/tea maker, complimentary Wi-Fi, TV with satellite, bathrobes, hairdryers, telephone, iron/ironing board, iPod docking station and refrigerator.



Denali Bluffs Hotel – Denali

The Denali Bluffs Hotel is popular with travelers looking for a special opportunity to experience exceptional views of the majestic Alaska Range and Nenana River Canyon. Nestled within a colorful tapestry of spruce and birch trees on the slopes of Sugarloaf Mountain, the hotel provides breathtaking views of the surrounding Denali wilderness.

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On-site amenities include a restaurant/bar lounge, coffee shop, lobby fireplace, business center, gift shop, complimentary Wi-Fi in the lobby, free area shuttle, ATM and a garden.

In-room amenities include complimentary Wi-Fi, telephone, coffee/tea maker, hairdryer and TV with cable.

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SpringHill Suites by Marriott at University Lake – Anchorage

The SpringHill Suites by Marriott at University Lake in Anchorage is the perfect place to enjoy all that Anchorage and the surrounding area has to offer. Nestled at the base of the Chugach Mountain range, the University Lake SpringHill Suites provides easy access to nature and to the city. With views of the lake and the mountains and up to 25% more room than standard hotel rooms, staying at this hotel offers a great end to your Denali Adventure.

On-site amenities include an indoor pool, fitness center, business center, coffee/tea station in the common area, computer station, snack bar/deli, and ATM.

In-room amenities include sofa bed, LCD TV with cable, complimentary Wi-Fi, refrigerator and microwave.

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our vacation stretchers sell out very quickly!**

DEADLINE TO BOOK IS FEBRUARY 24, 2017 OR UNTIL SOLD OUT.

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