

# Alaskan



JUNE 13 –27, 2021

# Adventure

**Tour Itinerary:** *This leisurely-paced journey into Alaska’s heartland combines a seven-day land tour and a seven-day cruise with sightseeing in Fairbanks, Denali National Park, Anchorage, Seward, Glacier Bay, Haines/Skagway, Juneau, Ketchikan and Vancouver.*

**Day 1, Sun., June 13: Depart for Fairbanks, Alaska.** Fly from Chicago’s O’Hare Airport to Fairbanks, Alaska. Transfer to your downtown hotel.

**Day 2, Mon., June 14: Fairbanks.** This morning seek out riches as you pan for gold at Gold Dredge #8. After a hearty lunch, take a step back in time on board the Sternwheeler Riverboat Discovery. Your three-hour cruise will introduce you to the rivers of Alaska featuring a floatplane takeoff, a stop at the home of four-time Iditarod champion Susan Butcher, and immersion into Athabascan culture at the Chena Indian Village.



**Day 3, Tue., June 15: Fairbanks - Denali.** It’s off to Denali National Park by luxury motorcoach. There will be free time to explore the park or take an optional excursion this afternoon and evening. You are sure to enjoy your two-night stay at this magnificent national treasure.



**Day 4, Wed., June 16: Denali.** Wake up early this morning for a Tundra Wilderness tour (6-8 hours) deep into the park to look for wildlife...caribou, Dall sheep, moose, grizzly bear or wolves. Weather permitting, visit the best lookouts for Mt. Denali. The afternoon offers time to relax, take a hike with a National Park guide, or sign up for optional activities like flightseeing, river rafting or the Music of Denali dinner show. (Snack)



**Day 5, Thu., June 17: Denali - Anchorage.** This morning, board the luxurious domed rail cars of the McKinley Explorer bound for Anchorage. Eat lunch on board and arrive in the late afternoon to explore the city sights at your leisure. (L)

**Day 6, Fri., June 18: Anchorage - Alyeska.** Begin your journey to the sea along the Turnagain Arm stopping for a Portage Glacier Cruise on the way to Alyeska Resort - your 5-star base camp for optional excursions, fine dining, and luxurious spa services. Nearby Prince William Sound offers wilderness options. You may choose an optional excursion to hop aboard a high-speed catamaran and travel 140 miles to see 26 “named” glaciers, as well as an abundance of wildlife—both on shore and through the narrow fjords. Choose one of many local restaurants for a special evening meal.

### CRUISE & TOUR INCLUSIONS

- Round-trip estimated air from Chicago with airport/port transfers
- Two nights downtown Fairbanks with Discovery Riverboat Cruise & Gold Dredge #8
- Two nights Denali Nat’l Park with 7-8 hour Tundra Wilderness Tour
- Lunch on McKinley Explorer Domed Railcar from Denali to Anchorage
- One Night Stay in Anchorage
- Overnight at Alyeska 5 star resort with Portage Glacier Cruise
- Seven-night cruise aboard Holland America’s *ms Noordam* featuring Glacier Bay, Juneau, Haines/Skagway, Ketchikan and the Inside Passage
- All meals aboard *ms Noordam*
- Onboard Naturalist and National Park Ranger in Glacier Bay
- Expert local guides and drivers
- Baggage handling for up to one checked bag
- Group cocktail party & \$25 per person on ship credits
- Burkhalter Tours Host (with 20 travelers)

### TOUR PRICE PER PERSON

L	Interior Stateroom	\$5,240
F	Ocean-view Stateroom	\$5,732
VD	Verandah Stateroom	\$6,420
VC	Verandah Stateroom	\$6,450
VB	Verandah Stateroom	\$6,481
SS	Signature Suite	\$7,166
SC	Neptune Suite	\$7,613

### ASK ABOUT CURRENT ALASKA OFFERS, CASH AND EARLY PAYMENT DISCOUNTS!

Prices include group airfare, all taxes and port charges. All fares are based on double occupancy. Other cabin categories and single, triple and quad prices may be available-call to inquire.



**Day 7, Sat., June 19: Alyeska - Whittier.** Continue by motorcoach along scenic Turnagain Arm enjoying a stop at the Alaska Wildlife Conservation Center on your way to Seward. Enjoy time on your own upon arrival.

**Day 8, Sun., June 20: Depart Whittier - Check-In At 1:00p.** There's time today to take an optional excursion into spectacular Kenai Fjords National Park before you board your ship, Holland America's *ms Noordam*. (D)

**Day 9, Mon., June 21: Scenic Cruising.** At sea today on the Gulf of Alaska, enjoy a leisurely day of cruising. There's plenty of activities on board including Alaska-themed lectures, shows, gambling, art auctions, spa treatments and much more! (B,L,D)

**Day 10, Tue., June 22: Glacier Bay National Park.** Cruise the ice-studded fjords of the national treasure, Glacier Bay, for a full eight hours as a Park Service Ranger narrates. (B,L,D)

**Day 11, Wed., June 23: Haines - 6:30a-9:00p.** Get the best of two ports today. Stay in Haines to enjoy an uncrowded experience, whether you visit the Sheldon Museum, the Eagle Preserve or hike the nearby Takshanuk Mountains. Or, head to Skagway for a ride on the White Pass and Yukon Route Railroad. (B,L,D)

**Day 12, Thu., June 24: Juneau - 8:00a-6:00p.** Set against a majestic backdrop of towering mountains with immense ice-fields at its back door, Juneau, the state capital, has a gold rush story to rival the Klondike. Excursions are available including excellent whale watching opportunities, a gondola ride up Mt. Roberts, city sightseeing and more. The new Alaska State Museum offers everything from native peoples culture to oil industry insights to World War II history. (B,L,D)

**Day 13, Fri., June 25: Ketchikan - 11:00a-7:00p.** Ketchikan has long been an important hub of the salmon-fishing and packing industries - try your luck on a sport-fishing excursion or simply savor the fresh seafood at one of the local restaurants. It is also one of the best spots along the Inside Passage to explore the rich cultural sights of Native Alaskan nations like the Tlingit, Haida and Tsimshian. You can see intricately carved totem poles at the Totem Heritage Center and Totem Bight State Park, while the attractions of Saxman Village just outside of Ketchikan offers the chance to see Tlingit culture in action, with working carvers and a dance show in the clan house. (B,L,D)

**Day 14, Sat., June 26: Scenic Cruising - The Inside Passage.** Relax and enjoy a full day of scenic Inside Passage cruising and immerse yourself in Holland America Line elegance. Take the polar bear plunge, spend time in the spa, take a computer class or enjoy a cooking demonstration. There are so many things to do! (B,L,D)

**Day 15, Sun., June 27: Vancouver and Return Trip Home.** After disembarking, board your flight back to Chicago.

**Overnight Summary:** 2 nights Fairbanks, 2 nights Denali, 1 night Anchorage, 1 night Alyeska Resort, 1 night Seward, 7 nights Holland America's *ms Noordam*.



The *ms Noordam* provides a comfortable, spacious and relaxing backdrop as you sail Alaska's mountainous coastline. Spend time at the pool, spa, theater or one of many lounges. The *ms Noordam* exemplifies the classic style of ocean travel with contemporary amenities and modern enhancements.  
Passenger Capacity: 1,924.



# TOUR APPLICATION

**TOUR NAME:** Alaskan Adventure**DATES:** June 13 - 27, 2021**TOUR #:** H3140

Application Requirements: The name on your tour documents and airline tickets must match your passport name.

Please provide a copy of your current passport with the application. One form per address, please.

**Passport Name 1** \_\_\_\_\_ **Name Tag Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

Birthdate \_\_\_\_\_ Gender: ☐ Female ☐ Male TSA KTN # \_\_\_\_\_

Passport Number \_\_\_\_\_ Passport Expiration \_\_\_\_\_ Country of Birth \_\_\_\_\_

**Passport Name 2** \_\_\_\_\_ **Name Tag Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

Birthdate \_\_\_\_\_ Gender: ☐ Female ☐ Male TSA KTN # \_\_\_\_\_

Passport Number \_\_\_\_\_ Passport Expiration \_\_\_\_\_ Country of Birth \_\_\_\_\_

**Address** \_\_\_\_\_

**City** \_\_\_\_\_ **State** \_\_\_\_\_ **Zip** \_\_\_\_\_

**Home Phone** \_\_\_\_\_ **Cell** \_\_\_\_\_

**Email** \_\_\_\_\_ **Burkhalter Agent** \_\_\_\_\_

**Roommate Name** \_\_\_\_\_ **Other Traveling Companions** \_\_\_\_\_

***Special requests - please understand that we cannot guarantee that requests will be granted.***

**Ship Cabin Category:** \_\_\_\_\_ ☐ Inside ☐ Outside ☐ Verandah ☐ Suite ☐ Double ☐ Single ☐ Triple ☐ Quad

**Accommodation Request:** ☐ One Bed ☐ Two Beds ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

**Cruise Evening Dining Request:** ☐ Open Seating ☐ 5:45 pm Evening Seating ☐ 8:00 pm Evening Seating

**Air Request:** ☐ Air with Group ☐ Customized individual air \_\_\_\_\_

**Airline Seat Request (Not Guaranteed):** ☐ Window/next ☐ Aisle/next ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

**Tour Extension Request:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Dietary requests:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Any special celebration?** \_\_\_\_\_

**Medical conditions the host should be aware of:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Any special assistance required:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Emergency Contact:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Relationship:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Interested in optional Group Motorcoach to O'Hare :** ☐ Yes ☐ No

**Interested in a travel protection plan?** ☐ Yes, please purchase plan ☐ Maybe, please send info ☐ No thanks, declined

**I/we have read and understand the terms and conditions for this tour (see back):**

***Signature REQUIRED***

## Final due March 5, 2021

**PAYMENT:** ☐ Cash or check payable to Burkhalter Tours ☐ Credit card *Use same card for ship account:* ☐ Yes ☐ No

**Amount Paid:** \_\_\_\_\_ (\$600pp plus travel protection)

**CC #** \_\_\_\_\_ **Expiration date** \_\_\_\_\_ **Security Code** \_\_\_\_\_

**Name on Card:** \_\_\_\_\_

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## Terms and Conditions

**I.D./Citizenship:** Travelers must possess a passport book (not card) that is valid for at least six months beyond the tour's conclusion with names matching those on their tour and flight reservations. Complete name, gender and birth date are required to confirm reservations per TSA/airline requirements. It is recommended that any person charged with, or convicted of, a crime (including DUI) obtain the necessary approval before attempting to enter Canada.

**Deposits and Payments:** Please make checks payable to Burkhalter Tours. Most major credit cards are also accepted, although sometimes a cash discount may be offered. A deposit of \$600 per person is required to secure reservations. All tour confirmations are subject to receipt of signed tour application and payment verification. **Final payment is due by March 5, 2021.**

**Cancellations/Refunds:** All cancellations are subject to a \$50 Burkhalter Tours service fee that may not be covered by tour operator insurance. In addition to the service fee and possible airline penalties, tour cancellation penalties are as follows:

Cancel prior to March 5, 2021: Deposit is non-refundable

Cancel after March 5, 2021: Trip is non-refundable

If a roommate cancels, the remaining traveler may have to pay any single room supplement that is incurred. Name changes and departure date changes are considered reservation cancellations and are subject to cancellation fees. Once issued, airline tickets are 100% non-refundable.

**Tour Conditions:** This tour is a regular Holland America tour departure and no minimum number of Burkhalter travelers is required for the tour to operate. With 20 Burkhalter participants, a Burkhalter Tours host may travel with the group to provide leadership on flights and while traveling. All arrangements are based upon tariffs in effect on May 4, 2020 and are subject to change. Once deposit has been received, any changes to air or land arrangements may be assessed a \$50 revision fee. Revision fees may be higher once air is ticketed.

**Air Transportation:** The airfare portion of the tour price is an estimate and is based on a group air contract requiring a minimum of 10 travelers. Airline seat assignments can only be requested after final payment and may be limited in availability. If specific seat assignments are vital to your enjoyment of the tour, we recommend individual air reservations. Deviations from the group air schedule may result in a different airfare. Routing and schedules are subject to change.

**Accommodations/Coach Transportation:** Tour hotels are considered the best available and include private ensuite facilities, typically with two beds. Touring coaches are deluxe vehicles with panoramic windows and seats that partially recline. Single travelers are allocated one seat only.

**Traveler Fitness:** Travelers should be in reasonably good health, able to climb stairs and walk moderate distances. Individuals with physical and/or cognitive limitations must be accompanied by an able individual who will assume complete responsibility for them - tour personnel cannot and will not provide such assistance.

**Passenger Consent Agreement:** Department of Transportation regulations require that we inform you that your purchase is subject to supplemental price increases beyond our control that may be imposed after the date of purchase. Such increases may come about due to increased fees, fuel surcharges, government tax increases, fluctuations in foreign exchange markets or any combination of these events. Post-purchase price increases may be applied to your invoice due to these unforeseen cost increases from suppliers. While a post-purchase price increase is very rare and not anticipated, Burkhalter Tours will inform you of any increases as soon as possible. By signing the tour application and making your deposit, you are acknowledging that you have been made aware and accept the fact that such increases may occur, and that you agree to pay Burkhalter Tours and our contracted suppliers accordingly.

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