

DENALI WINTER DRIVE ADVENTURE®

8:30 am Depart Fairbanks on guided ground tour

9:30 am Arrive Nenana, Alaska.

Restroom facilities available.

*Snacks are available for purchase at the
Coghill General Store.*

11:00 pm Arrive in Denali National Park. Visit
Murie Science and Learning Center and
eat your lunch in their cozy showroom.
Restroom facilities available.

12:00 pm Boreal Forest hike.

3:45 pm Depart Denali National Park on the
Alaska Railroad. Your guide will take
you to the Denali Park Road crossing to
board the train.

8:00—8:30 pm Arrive back in Fairbanks at the
Alaska Railroad Depot

Return Shuttle: Guests will be returning to the
Alaska Railroad Depot in Fairbanks. 24 hour
taxi service can be called from the depot along
with hotels which offer rail depot shuttles.
Those with their own car or a rental car please
call Northern Alaska Tour Company for
parking logistics.

*The above is only intended to provide an
approximate tour itinerary. Northern Alaska Tour
Company strives to make each tour a unique and
personalized tour experience. The exact schedule of
each tour varies day-to-day and is dictated by the
interests of the group and unique events of the day,
not by a rigid pre-set itinerary.*

SAFETY IN THE WILDERNESS

It is important that travelers with Northern Alaska Tour Company understand that much of Alaska is truly remote. Traveling through vast wilderness stretches requires adequate time and preparation. Weather or mechanical factors, albeit infrequent, can result in multi-hour delays. Medical facilities are limited. Limited communication and transportation infrastructure inherently cause evacuation for illness or other emergency situations to take, at the very best, several hours to conduct. For this reason, travelers to this region should be of reasonable health and physical condition.

Northern Alaska Tour Company is an Alaskan-owned tour operator based in Fairbanks, Alaska.

The company was founded in 1987 to provide unparalleled travel and touring experiences in Alaska's Arctic for guests while maintaining the highest standards of safety and commitment to traditional culture and the environment.

Our cooperative, grassroots tour programs strengthen the local economies in the communities and regions we visit and help preserve the wisdom of knowledgeable locals by recording and incorporating their knowledge into tour programs.

As our traveling guests learn of and experience firsthand the delicate, wondrous environment of Alaska's Arctic, they are able to appreciate and help protect it. When carried forth conscientiously, travel and touring can serve to protect the natural environment and preserve traditional culture where it may otherwise be destroyed.

In sharing our culture and environment with visitors, we as hosts, along with our guests are deeply enriched by the experience.....which is really what travel and touring is all about.



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The Spirit of Alaska

Alaska is one of the last great wilderness regions on earth. It is a remote, wild, and sparsely populated land of vast wilderness expanses. Today's Denali Winter Drive Adventure® will be unlike previous travel you have encountered. Experiencing the expansive landscapes and fascinating cultures unique to Alaska requires braving travel along the Parks Highway through remote country where the amenities common in today's modern world are rare or non-existent. Travel in Alaska is always an adventure. Northern Alaska Tour Company prides itself in its reputation for providing a high-quality travel experience which "smoothes out" the "rough edges" of travel in region. Yet it is the spirit of you, the adventurer, which is unquestionably the key to making the most of today's travel experience. Travel in Alaska is not for everyone. If you are young at heart, adventurous, have a desire to learn, to explore new territories, and to seek out new experiences, then the rustic aspects of traveling in Alaska will be of little consequence to you. You are certain to come away from today's experience with a deeper understanding of the culture, greater appreciation of the natural history, and wonderful memories of time spent in Alaska. that is the spirit of Alaska.

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IMPORTANT INFORMATION

TOUR LENGTH

The tour is typically 12 hours in length. Approximately 4 hours are spent in the tour vehicle, 3 hours in Denali National Park, and 4 hours on the Alaska Railroad. The tour departs Fairbanks at 8:30 am and returns between 8:00 and 8:30 pm.

INCLUSIONS

The tour price includes a guided ground tour to from Fairbanks to Denali National Park, the entry fee to Denali National Park, and a return ride on the Alaska Railroad. Meals are **NOT** included in the tour price. Guests may bring their own food or purchase snacks from the small village general store in Nenana. There is opportunity to microwave foods at the Murie Science and Learning Center in Denali National Park.

ALTERATION

PLEASE NOTE: Guest safety *always* takes precedence over guest convenience. On rare occasions, weather or other uncontrollable circumstances may require alteration or cancellation of a portion or all of the scheduled tour itinerary.

TOUR VEHICLES

Northern Alaska Tour Company strives to provide a personalized travel experience. Touring is done in small groups utilizing a 15-passenger van.

RESTROOMS

Restrooms are available in Nenana, in Denali National Park, and on the Alaska Railroad.

GUIDES

Northern Alaska Tour Company guides are highly-trained Alaskans who are able to share their unique understanding of Alaska with you based on their own personal experiences. We are confident that you will find the level of service provided by your guide to be as high or higher than you have ever before experienced.

SEAT ROTATION

Guest seating is rotated throughout the day. Thus, each guest is provided with a variety of different viewing perspectives and the opportunity to interact with others on the tour.

WHAT TO WEAR

Dress for comfort, not to impress. For many, getting out into the winter boreal forest is a highlight of the day, but temperatures can range from 30° to -40° Fahrenheit, so dress in layers and bring warm coats, snow pants, hats, boots, and mittens.

GRATUITIES

Gratuities Policy: As with other service industries tips are not required but are used to reward guides for a job well done. Standard tip amounts for a tour range from \$10.00-\$20.00+ per guest for excellent service.

SMOKING

The inside of the vehicle is maintained as a smoke-free environment. There are opportunities to smoke outside the vehicle along the tour route.

GUEST SAFETY

Guest safety is our foremost priority. Guides are licensed to operate commercial vehicles. Tour vehicles are CB radio and satellite phone equipped.