



# ALASKA

## DISCOVER THE LAST GREAT AMERICAN FRONTIER

### 13 DAY DENALI EXPLORER CRUISE TOUR

## June 7-20, 2012

There remain few places on earth where you can truly breathe. Where space is measured not in feet or miles, but in endless horizons. A place where nature is so powerful, so dramatic, a personal encounter can change you forever. Thrill to white thunder in Glacier Bay, marvel at the close-ups of whales, eagles and caribou. Delight in Mt. McKinley's majesty and meadows carpeted with wildflowers. Amid unsurpassed grandeur and serenity, the true wilderness of Denali is calling.

Discover Alaska's interior with a 6-night land tour. Then board your ship the Island Princess for a 7-night Voyage of the Glaciers Cruise. Your ship, the *Island Princess* is a fabulous floating resort designed to make your stay onboard truly memorable. This vessel has 90% ocean-view staterooms - with over 700 balconies and a wrap-around Promenade Deck. So, after being mesmerized by the scenery off the bow, get dazzled by the entertainment in the state-of-the-art lounges and myriad dining options.

### 13 Night Alaska Cruisetour Includes

- Round Trip Airport Transfers
- 6-Night Land Tour
  - 2-Nights Fairbanks
  - 2-Nights Denali
  - 2-Nights McKinley
- Princess Rail Service
- Sternwheeler Riverboat Cruise & Gold Mine Tour
- Natural History Tour
- 7-Night Southbound *Voyage of the Glaciers Cruise* onboard the *Island Princess*
- Meals & Service On Board
- Cruise highlights....
  - o Hubbard Glacier scenic cruising
  - o Glacier Bay scenic cruising
  - o Skagway
  - o Juneau
  - o Ketchikan
- All Transfers & Port Charges

*Begins in Fairbanks & ends in Vancouver*

**Valid passport required**



### Special Group Rates

Categories	Description	Per Person, Dbl.
JJ	Inside Stateroom	\$2559
EE	Oceanview Stateroom	\$3159
D	Oceanview Stateroom	\$3209
BD	Oceanview Stateroom w/ Balcony	\$3409
BC	Oceanview Stateroom w//Balcony	\$3459

*Costs are per person based on double occupancy.  
Single rates upon request.*



**For Reservations Call:  
VIKING TRAVEL SERVICE  
800-233-3963**



	<b><i>Cruise Tour Itinerary</i></b>
<b>Thurs., June 7</b>	<b>Fairbanks.</b> Arrive in Fairbanks and check into your hotel for a 2-night stay. Remainder of day at leisure.
<b>Friday, June 8</b>	<b>Fairbanks.</b> A Sternwheeler Riverboat Cruise is today's highlight, as well as your visit to a gold mine, where you can pan for gold like prospectors once did. The evening is free to spend as you choose in Fairbanks.
<b>Sat., June 9</b>	<b>Fairbanks/Denali.</b> Set out via motorcoach toward Denali National Park, where you'll spend 2 nights at the <b>Denali Princess Wilderness Lodge</b> . Afternoon at leisure.
<b>Sun., June 10</b>	<b>Denali.</b> A morning departure for Natural History Tour into the park sets the day's tone. This afternoon, plan your own activity like a helicopter adventure or whitewater rafting in the Nenana Gorge.
<b>Mon., June 11</b>	<b>Denali/Mt. McKinley.</b> The journey by Princess rail to Talkeetna is unforgettable. Once you've arrived there, transfer by motorcoach to the <b>Mt. McKinley Princess Wilderness Lodge</b> for a 2-night stay.
<b>Tues., June 12</b>	<b>Mt. McKinley.</b> Day at leisure. North America's tallest peak is just outside the windows. You may want to see the attractions around the lodge with an optional activity, or walk the nature trails outside.
<b>Wed., June 13</b>	<b>Mt. McKinley/Whittier/Embark Ship.</b> Exclusive Direct-to-the-Wilderness rail service takes you to Whittier where the ship awaits your arrival.
<b>Thurs., June 14 3:00 pm to 8:00 pm</b>	<b>Hubbard Glacier Scenic Cruising.</b> Hubbard is one of Alaska's few advancing glaciers. Ever on the move, previous activity earned it a nickname — the "Galloping Glacier." Your cruise will capture its explosive power as you linger along its shimmering five-mile-long face.
<b>Friday, June 15 10:30am – 8:30 pm</b>	<b>Glacier Bay Scenic Cruising.</b> This spectacular national park and preserve displays massive glaciers that stretch 3.3 million acres from the St. Elias and Fairweather mountain ranges to the ends of the fjords. It is home to an amazing world of marine life, including humpback whales, sea otters, porpoises and harbor seals. It also possesses the highest concentration of tidewater glaciers on the planet.
<b>Sat., June 16 7:00 am – 8:30 pm</b>	<b>Skagway.</b> Few one-time boomtowns retain the flavor of the gold rush days like Skagway. This gateway to the Klondike is preserved as a national historic park with its rustic boardwalk and frontier-style storefronts.
<b>Sun., June 17 6:30 am – 4:00 pm</b>	<b>Juneau.</b> Perched on a thin strip of land at the mouth of Gold Creek, Juneau is arguably one of America's most beautiful state capitals, with the looming summits of Mt. Juneau and Mt. Roberts providing a gorgeous backdrop.
<b>Mon., June 18 10:00 am – 6:00 pm</b>	<b>Ketchikan.</b> This southern-most Alaskan port city is known as Alaska's First City because it was the first major community travelers came to heading north. Founded as a fishing camp, Ketchikan is built on steep hillsides and is billed as the salmon capital of the world. A quaint village, the town is just three miles long and three blocks wide.
<b>Tues., June 19</b>	<b>At Sea.</b> Watch for wildlife along the sheltered waters of the Inside Passage.
<b>Wed., June 20 7:30 am</b>	Arrive <b>Vancouver</b> where you'll transfer to the airport for your return flight home.

### **GENERAL INFORMATION - TERMS & CONDITIONS**

**Deposit:** \$800.00 per person plus insurance premium, if chosen (non-refundable), along with completed reservation form and a copy of your valid passport. Deposit is payable by check.

**Final Payment:** Due no later than February 24, 2012 (check or credit card).

**Mail Payments to:** Viking Travel-Service  
700 Pasquinelli Dr.  
Westmont, IL 60559

**Make Checks Payable to:** Viking Travel Service

**DOCUMENTATION:** A valid U.S. passport, valid for six months beyond date of return is required. Non-U.S. citizens should contact their consulate.

**PASSENGER IMMIGRATION FORM:** All passengers are required to fill out a passenger immigration form prior to departure.

**Not Included:** Airfare, air taxes, cancellation/travel insurance, increases in security fees, taxes and fuel surcharges. Items of a personal nature, such as alcoholic beverages including beer and wine, soda, laundry service, phone calls, specialty restaurant surcharges, optional shore excursions and tours, spa services and traditional gratuities to ship's personnel, motorcoach drivers, airport and ship's porters, hotel and restaurant personnel. Charges made to hotel rooms and ship's cabin. Meals while not cruising. Anything not specifically noted as "included."

**Air Schedules & Seat Assignment:** Please contact Viking Travel Service for more information. Airfare is subject to change and prices are not guaranteed until paid in full and tickets are issued. Air tickets are non-refundable. Deviations not allowed. We will do our best to secure the seating that you request, however, seat requests cannot be guaranteed.

**Shore Excursions:** Available at every port of call! For your convenience shore excursions may be pre-reserved 120 days in advance online by simply going to [www.princess.com](http://www.princess.com) or purchased onboard the ship. Some tours are on a first-come, first-served basis.

**Cancellation/Travel Insurance:** We strongly urge all participants to protect their investment and well-being with the purchase of the optional cancellation/travel insurance. If a participant chooses not to purchase the offered cancellation/travel insurance and they must cancel for any reason, the following *per person* penalties will be incurred. *As with all insurance policies, cost of insurance is non-refundable.*

**Cancellation Policy:** All cancellations must be in writing to Viking Travel-Shared Adventures, 700-C Pasquinelli Dr., Westmont, IL 60559. This may be done via regular mail or fax. The day cancellation is received will determine the actual cancellation date. Unused portions of this package are non-refundable. No show / no written cancellation = no refund. If you must cancel for any reason the following penalties are in effect:

Date of deposit to February 23, 2012 – No penalty  
February 24, 2012 – 100% of total charges.



## Travel Guard Protect & Assist Gold Insurance

**Coverage**  
 Trip Cancellation  
 Trip Interruption  
 Trip Delay

**Maximum Benefits**  
 Trip Cost  
 Trip Cost  
 \$750 (Maximum of \$150 per day)

**Coverage**  
 Medical Expenses  
 Emergency Medical Transportation  
 Baggage Delay

**Maximum Benefits**  
 \$25,000  
 \$500,000  
 \$300

**Trip Cost Per Person**

Rates Effective 9/15/11

**Age/Cost**

<u>0-34 YRS.</u>	<u>35-59 YRS.</u>	<u>60-69 YRS.</u>	<u>70-74 YRS.</u>	<u>75-79 YRS.</u>	<u>80-84 YRS.</u>	<u>\$85+</u>
\$3501-\$4000	\$189	\$255	\$332	\$406	\$554	\$739
\$4001-\$4500	\$195	\$263	\$342	\$418	\$569	\$758
\$4501-\$5000	\$262	\$355	\$459	\$565	\$760	\$1025
\$5001-\$5500	\$297	\$402	\$518	\$639	\$856	\$1158

\*Please add \$7.00 per person or per couple for Travel Guard's service fee. NOTE: Insurance costs are subject to possible increase at any time.  
 For more information [www.travelguard.com](http://www.travelguard.com) or 1800-549-9037

### PAYMENT INFORMATION

**Deposit**

Enclosed is an \$800 per person deposit for \_\_\_\_\_ people (person) **Deposit amount:** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Insurance**

\_\_\_\_\_ I (we) have chosen to purchase the offered insurance.  
 \_\_\_\_\_ I (we) are aware of the cancellation penalties but choose **not** to purchase the offered cancellation/travel insurance.

Insurance amount for name 1. \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Insurance amount for name 2. \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Insurance company administrative fee: (per transaction) \$ \_\_\_\_\_ 7.00

**Total amount enclosed:** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Please charge my \_\_\_\_\_ **Insurance** \_\_\_\_\_ **Airfare** to my credit card: \_\_\_\_\_ Visa \_\_\_\_\_ MasterCard \_\_\_\_\_ American Express

Card Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Expires: \_\_\_\_\_ Security # \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Card Holder: \_\_\_\_\_

Billing Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

**Notice:** While every effort will be made to adhere to the specifics shown in this or any other publication, certain circumstances may necessitate alterations; therefore, all fares, taxes, fuel surcharges, schedules, hours of arrival and departure and all other information contained herein are subject to change. Any unused portions of the package are non-refundable. Princess may increase rates or recall space at any time.

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I (we) have read, understand and am (are) in agreement with the Terms & Conditions of this vacation package.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Reservation form must be filled out completely, signed and submitted with deposit. **Group E4958**

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