

# Experience Alaska: Princess<sup>®</sup> cruisetours to Denali National Park

Featuring custom-built wilderness lodges and exclusive Direct-to-the-Wilderness® rail service







IORE PEOPLE CHOOSE PRINCESS IN ALASKA THAN ANY OTHER CRUISE LINE<sup>2</sup>



# Princess<sup>®</sup> cruisetours: the best of land & sea

Combine a seven-day Voyage of the Glaciers cruise, scenic rail travel and multiple days touring Alaska by land with stays at Princess-owned wilderness lodges. You can cruise first or start with a land tour.

- Visit Alaska's top two attractions Glacier Bay and Denali national parks.
- Discover Alaska's dazzling waterways, glaciers and wildlife on a seven-day Voyage of the Glaciers cruise.
- Enjoy at least one night in the Denali area at a custom-built Princess wilderness lodge.
- Exclusive Direct-to-the-Wilderness® rail service takes you from your ship directly to the Denali area.

### Available on every Princess cruisetour:



Sail for seven days on a Voyage of the Glaciers cruise. +

train

Travel inland via exclusive Princess rail. +

lodge

Stay at Princess lodges near national parks.



On your **seven**day Voyage of the Glaciers cruise, take in the sights of UNESCO World Heritage Site Glacier Bay

National Park and the rugged shores of the Inside Passage. Explore the frontier ports of Skagway, Juneau and Ketchikan. While most Alaska cruise routes simply retrace their path back down the Inside Passage, you'll continue 500 miles farther north across the Gulf of Alaska for an additional glacierviewing experience at College Fjord or Hubbard Glacier!



legendary route of the Alaska Railroad as you travel by comfortable Princess rail on

Follow the

a scenic journey through the heart of Alaska. View the pristine landscape from glass-domed railcars and openair observation platforms as rail guides provide expert commentary. Most itineraries include **exclusive Princess Direct-to-the-Wilderness® rail service,** taking you from your ship to the Denali area the same day.



Built specifically for cruisetours, Princess-ownedand-operated custom-built wilderness lodges sit near famous

national parks. Spend at least one night in the Denali area at one of our two wilderness lodges. In addition, our lodges in the **Copper River/Wrangell-St. Elias** region and the **Kenai Peninsula** are not to be missed! With our friendly staff to help you plan excursions and fresh Alaska seafood served in an array of venues, you're sure to enjoy every minute there.



The Princess MedallionClass<sup>®</sup> experience is only available on the cruise part of cruisetours. Visit princess.com/medallionclass for details.



## Go into the heart of the Great Land with these options

With four distinct cruisetour types, you can choose the Alaska experience that's right for you!

#### Each of our cruisetours feature:

- A seven-day Voyage of the Glaciers cruise
- At least one night in Denali
- · Stays at Princess-owned wilderness lodges
- Rail service

### Denali Explorer (3 to 6 nights on land)

Our most popular cruisetour offers you the greatest value and includes a variety of ways to explore Denali National Park.

- · Exclusive Direct-to-the-Wilderness® rail service\*
- Overnight stays in Fairbanks and/or Anchorage in addition to the Denali area
- Natural History Tour into Denali National Park
- Sternwheeler Riverboat Cruise & Gold Dredge 8 Tour in Fairbanks (if applicable)
- \*Included on most Denali Explorer cruisetours.

### On Your Own (3 to 4 nights on land)

Create your own adventure with our most affordable cruisetours. Maximize your free time with optional excursions, or enjoy the wilderness from the comfort of your lodge.

- More free time to explore on your own with no pre-scheduled activities
- Overnight stays in Fairbanks or Anchorage in addition to the Denali area
- Features scenic Princess® rail service



### Off the Beaten Path (6 to 8 nights on land)

Our Off the Beaten Path cruisetours give you the chance to visit remote areas of Alaska in addition to Denali.

- Explore the Kenai Peninsula or Wrangell-St. Elias National Park
- · Features scenic Princess rail service
- Natural History Tour into Denali National Park

### Connoisseur (5 to 10 nights on land)

This deluxe option offers the highest level of service and added convenience.

- · Professional tour director to accompany you on land
- · Includes most meals on land
- Tundra Wilderness Tour into Denali National Park
- Features scenic Princess rail service or Direct-to-the-Wilderness<sup>®</sup> rail service
- Enhanced sightseeing





### Denali Princess Wilderness Lodge®

Located along the Nenana River Canyon, just one mile from the entrance to Denali National Park, this campus-style lodge offers an array of amenities and guest rooms. Admire the views through 30-foot-high glass windows, warm your hands by the stone fireplace, and take in the scenery from the huge deck overlooking the Nenana River. For an entertaining evening, have a hearty meal at Fannie Q's Saloon, named after a famed local homesteader, Fannie Quigley.



### Lodge amenities

- King Salmon Restaurant
- Grizzly Burger
- Lynx Creek Pizza & Pub
- River Run Espresso
- Rapids Morning Express
- Fannie Q's Saloon
- Sourdough Breakfast Buffet

### Sample excursions

- Enjoy a visit with an Iditarod champion and his cuddly puppies.
- Explore Denali's landscape, and learn about the flora and fauna with naturalists.
- Experience one of Alaska's most memorable thrills on a glacier-landing tour via helicopter or airplane.
- Experience Denali's backcountry on an ATV adventure.



- Guest services desk
- Daily shuttle to Denali National Park Visitor Center
- General Store gift shop
- Fireside patio





Enjoy an evening at Fannie Q's Saloon.

### Explore the unspoiled wilderness surrounding the lodge.



### Mt. McKinley Princess Wilderness Lodge®

Named one of Alaska's top resorts by *Condé Nast Traveler*<sup>4</sup>, this wilderness lodge is all about Denali, North America's tallest peak. It's located on the south side of Denali National Park; from here you can enjoy the area's walking trails. The heart of the lodge is its Great Room, featuring a freestanding rock fireplace and floor-to-ceiling windows that reveal the dramatic mountain scenery. Relax on our outdoor fireside patio, where guests gather to roast marshmallows and sip warm beverages, and dine at the popular 20,320 Alaskan Grill.

### Lodge amenities

- North Fork Restaurant
- Base Camp Bar & Grill
- 20,320 Alaskan Grill
- Coffee Bruin Espresso
- Fireside patio
- Mountain climber presentations in the Hudson Theater
- Bush Pilot Cliff Hudson's restored plane
- Northern Lights PhotoSymphony
- Gift shop

### Sample excursions

- · Relax on a horse-drawn covered wagon ride with views of Denali.
- · Visit a sled dog kennel, and learn about the Iditarod.
- Hike and kayak through the backcountry of Denali State Park.
- · Soar into the clouds by plane for one-of-a-kind views of Denali.
- · Board a jet boat for a river adventure.

- Treehouse designed and built by Pete Nelson of Animal Planet's<sup>™</sup> Treehouse Masters. Sample rare tree-inspired foods at Sappy Hour, and test your Great Land knowledge with Trivia in the Treehouse.
- Walking trails
- Guest services desk
- Hot tub
- Denali State Park Ranger presentations
- · Daily shuttle service to Talkeetna





### **Copper River** Princess Wilderness Lodge®

Inspired by the architecture of the storied Kennecott Copper Mine, this lodge is perched on a bluff overlooking Wrangell-St. Elias, America's largest national park and home to nine of the country's 16 highest peaks, including the Drum, Wrangell and Blackburn mountains. Return from a day's adventure, and grab a casual bite at the Whistle Stop Bar & Grill. Relax by a warm fire in the comfy Wrangell Room, or take in great views outside on the patio.



Enjoy the views of Wrangell-St. Elias National Park.

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### Lodge amenities

- Two Rivers Restaurant
- Whistle Stop Bar & Grill
- Dragonfly Espresso
- Shuffleboard and cornhole
- Gift shop

- · Guest services desk
- · Walking trails
- · Shuttle service to Wrangell-St. Elias Visitor Center & Ahtna Cultural Center
- National Park Ranger programs

### Sample excursions

- · Journey through Prince William Sound on a glacier cruise.
- Take a guided tour of the historic Kennecott Copper Mine and town.
- · Enjoy panoramic views of Wrangell-St. Elias by ATV.
- · Fish for salmon in the rivers of the Copper Valley.
- · Get your thrills on a Class III whitewater rafting or jet boat trip.







### Kenai Princess Wilderness Lodge®

Soak in the natural beauty of the Kenai Peninsula, known as "Alaska's Playground" for its wide variety of activities, like fishing in the turquoise Kenai River and exploring the ice-sculpted landscape of Kenai Fjords National Park. Relax at the lodge, named a top resort in Alaska and the Pacific Northwest by *Condé Nast Traveler*<sup>5</sup>, whether sipping a cocktail at Rafter's Lounge or unwinding in your bungalow-style guest room. Each comes complete with a wood-burning stove and a large deck overlooking the Kenai River valley.

### Lodge amenities

- Rod & Reel Restaurant
- Walking trails
- Guest services desk
- Rafter's LoungeEspresso bar
- Gift shop

### Sample excursions

- · Sportfish for salmon or trout in the Kenai River.
- Pan for gold with a real prospector.
- Spend a day exploring the scenic Kenai River by raft.
- Take a guided nature hike to the Russian River Falls.
- Observe a variety of marine life on a cruise to Kenai Fjords National Park.

<sup>5</sup>Condé Nast Traveler, Readers' Choice Awards, Top Resorts in Alaska and The Pacific Northwest, Kenai Princess Wilderness Lodge®, 2015







### Discover even more with Princess!

The Great Land comes to life with our North to Alaska program, Gold Winner in *Travel Weekly's* Magellan Awards<sup>6</sup>, that features local personalities, culture and fresh Alaska seafood.

Cook My Catch

your liking<sup>7</sup>.

Alaska for kids

Challenge.

Our Alaska Explorers youth program features activities like our Jr. Ranger Program, *Gold Rush* panning fun, and the *Deadliest Catch* Crab Sort



Meet the Mountain Climber Hear climbers share their stories and photos from their journey to conquer Denali. Held in the Hudson Theater at the Mt. McKinley Princess Wilderness Lodge<sup>®</sup>.



You hook it, we'll cook it! Reel in a fish on a Princess excursion during the day, and we'll have one of our chefs prepare it to



Meet real Alaskans Encounter an Iditarod champion, lumberjacks, authors and storytellers, and don't miss our frontier-flavored Klondike Festival!



#### **Puppies in the Piazza**

Some of Skagway's newest sled dogs come aboard! Snap a picture with the puppies, and meet their dog handlers, who will be training them for a life of dog mushing.



#### Fresh Alaska seafood

Head to the top deck for specialty dishes from local eateries, such as crab cakes from Tracy's King Crab Shack in Juneau. Plus, our new Wild for Alaska Seafood program features sustainable seafood from Alaska's top fisheries, from Sockeye salmon to wild Alaska cod.



 $^6{\rm Travel}$  Weekly, Gold Magellan Award, Education Program, North to Alaska, 2016  $^7{\rm Nominal}$  charge applies

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