

Alaska's Inside Passage and Hubbard Glacier

Set out on a journey into the wild beauty of Southeast Alaska, navigating secluded coves, mist-filled fjords and the lush reaches of the largest temperate rainforest on Earth. Explore by Zodiac, kayak and on foot as you watch for whales breaching in quiet bays, brown bears foraging along salmon streams, and bald eagles calling from towering spruce and hemlock. The voyage culminates at the mighty Hubbard Glacier, where a wall of luminous blue ice showcases Alaska's awe-inspiring glacial power, offering a dramatic finale to this remarkable expedition.

From
$ 5,400 / per person
Does not include flights

DATES
May, Jun, Jul, Aug and Sep

DURATION
8 Days

SHIPS
Greg Mortimer

STARTS AT
Vancouver, British Columbia

→

ENDS AT
Sitka, Alaska

Please review the Essential Eligibility Criteria for hiking activities on this voyage.

This institution is an equal opportunity provider .

Highlights

- Discover little-known coves and inlets of the Inside Passage by kayak, and seek out a host of wildlife, from brown bears and moose to several species of whale
- Navigate spectacular icebergs—and watch for new ones calving—as you explore the face of the six-mile-wide Hubbard Glacier by Zodiac
- Kayak along sheer cliffs and forested backwaters in Misty Fjords National Monument
- Explore the wild and remote areas of Southeast Alaska by special use permit with the Tongass National Forest








Hubbard Glacier
Chichagof Island
Sitka
Misty Fjords
Vancouver
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Day by day

■ DAY 1

Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada / Embark Ship

Arrive in Vancouver by early afternoon. Embark this evening in time for cocktails and an introduction to the staff and crew.

Meals included: dinner

◇ DAY 2

British Columbia's Inside Passage

Trace the wild and scenic coastline of British Columbia, exploring inlets and islands and watching for whales, dolphins, bears, deer and other wildlife. As the ship sails toward Alaska, enjoy talks from your expedition team or relax with a book in the lounge or on the observation deck.

Meals included: breakfast, lunch, dinner

◇ DAY 3

Misty Fjords National Monument, Alaska

Cruise through the serene waters of Misty Fjords National Monument, where sheer cliffs soar more than 2,000 feet above the deep, blue fjord. Wisps of cloud drift along the winding waterway, draping over emerald peaks and creating the ethereal mists that give this remarkable landscape its name. Explore by Zodiac or kayak to get closer to the forested shoreline and the many dramatic waterfalls that cascade down the towering cliffs.

Meals included: breakfast, lunch, dinner

◇ DAY 4

Wrangell Narrows

Navigate the Wrangell Narrows, a spectacularly scenic waterway inaccessible to larger ships. Explore the coastline by kayak or Zodiac, and venture ashore to follow bear trails through the lush temperate rainforest. Along the way, naturalists share insights into this vibrant ecosystem.

In the evening, cruise Frederick Sound, watching for orcas and humpback whales surfacing and sea lions weaving through the clear water around the ship. Train your binoculars on the shoreline to scan for moose and Sitka black-tailed deer, as well as the black bears, wolves and bald eagles drawn to the salmon-rich banks.

Meals included: breakfast, lunch, dinner

◇ DAY 5

Southeast Alaska's Islands, Bays and Fjords

Today, nature is your guide as you venture out with the flexibility to follow wildlife sightings and take advantage of shifting weather conditions. Explore spectacular bays and secluded inlets, tracing bear trails and salmon-rich streams. Or head inland for a peaceful walk through the forest, listening for the calls of bald eagles echoing from the towering spruce and hemlock trees. If conditions allow, paddle a kayak near the intertidal zone to search for the fascinating creatures that thrive there.

Meals included: breakfast, lunch, dinner

◇ DAY 6

Hubbard Glacier

Enjoy a relaxing morning on the Gulf of Alaska as you trace the rugged coastline north toward Yakutat Bay. Keep watch for the towering summit of Mt. Fairweather, rising more than 15,000 feet into the sky. This afternoon, the ship enters the bay and makes its way toward the mighty Hubbard

Glacier—a six-mile-wide expanse of ice within Wrangell–St. Elias National Park. If ice conditions allow, there may be a chance to Zodiac cruise for up-close exploration.

Meals included: breakfast, lunch, dinner

◇ DAY 7

Chichagof Island

Explore the breathtaking bays of Chichagof Island, part of the ancient Tongass National Forest. This remote island hosts one of the world's highest concentrations of brown bears and supports an incredible diversity of wildlife. Conditions permitting, paddle a kayak or stand-up paddleboard along rugged shorelines, or venture into the temperate rainforest for a rewarding hike.

After lunch, spend time on deck with the naturalists as you cruise along the outer coasts of Chichagof and Baranof Islands, keeping a keen eye out for the marine and terrestrial wildlife that frequent these shores.

Meals included: breakfast, lunch, dinner

■ DAY 8

Sitka / Disembark Ship

After breakfast, disembark in Sitka and transfer to the airport for flights home.

On select departures, continue your Alaska adventure with an optional post-voyage Denali National Park extension .

Meals included: breakfast

Expedition

Vancouver, British Columbia → Sitka, Alaska

2027 DEPARTURE DATES

Aboard *Greg Mortimer*

07 May	21 May			
04 Jun	18 Jun			
02 Jul	16 Jul	30 Jul		
13 Aug	27 Aug			
10 Sep				

2028 DEPARTURE DATES

Aboard *Greg Mortimer*

28 Apr				
12 May	26 May			
09 Jun	23 Jun			
07 Jul	21 Jul			
04 Aug	18 Aug			
01 Sep	15 Sep			



Greg Mortimer

GUESTS	CABINS
154	77

A a seamless blend of comfort, capability and discovery

Launched in 2019, the *Greg Mortimer* is a cutting-edge expedition vessel purpose-built to explore the polar regions—and it brings that same spirit of adventure to Alaska's glacial waters. The ship's signature inverted X-Bow™ delivers exceptional stability in dynamic seas, while its intimate 154-guest capacity fosters a personal onboard experience. From hydraulic viewing platforms that extend over the water for extraordinary wildlife encounters, to rapid-deploy Zodiac platforms that offer swift access to nature—every detail is designed to deepen your connection to Alaska's untamed landscapes.

This innovative expedition vessel blends cutting-edge design with immersive onboard experiences, delivering unforgettable encounters with Alaska.

It is the first passenger ship to feature the inverted Ulstein X-BOW, which glides through waves for a smoother, more fuel-efficient journey. Purpose-built for exploration, the ship features expansive observation decks, hydraulic viewing platforms and four Zodiac launch platforms that quickly bring guests close to Alaska's wild waterways.

Inviting communal spaces and onboard amenities such as a sauna with sea views, two Jacuzzis and a top-deck dining area offer relaxing places to unwind between adventures.



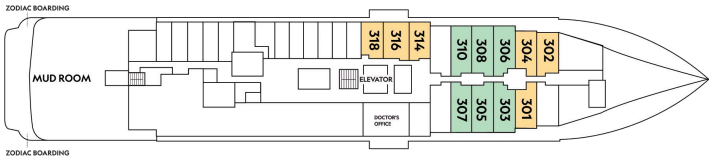




Deck Plans

Deck 3

- Category 1
- Category 2



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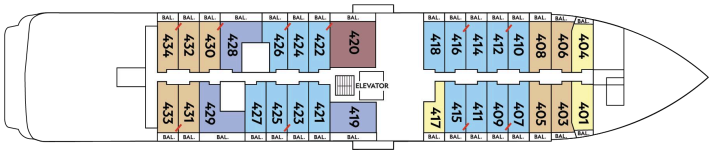

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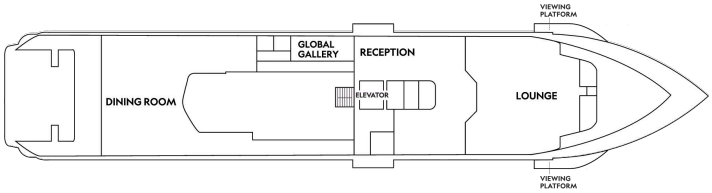

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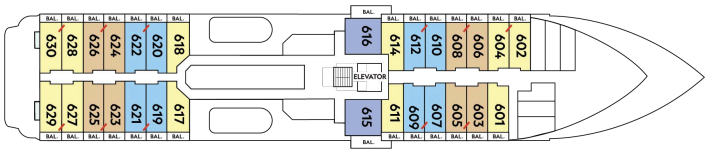

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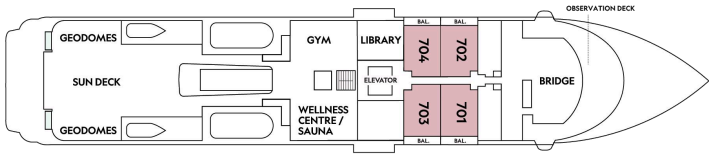

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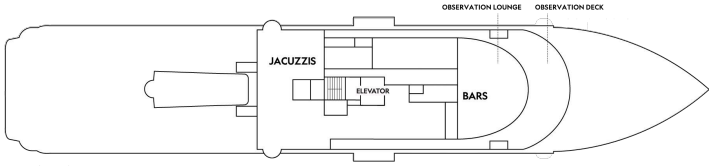


Cabin Categories

Category 1 - Aurora Stateroom Twins

DECK 3 **#301, 302, 304, 314, 316, 318**

These well-appointed staterooms offer a comfortable 170–187 sq. ft. of space and feature classic porthole windows. Each cabin includes two twin beds (convertible to a double upon request), a private ensuite bathroom, ample storage, individual climate control and a writing desk. Additional amenities include an in-room safe and flat-screen TV.



Category 2 - Aurora Stateroom Triples

DECK 3 **#303, 305, 306, 307, 308, 310**

Designed for small groups or families, these 230–245 sq. ft. triple-occupancy staterooms feature porthole windows, three twin beds (two can convert to a double upon request), a private ensuite bathroom, ample storage, individual climate control and a writing desk. Additional amenities include an in-room safe and flat-screen TV.

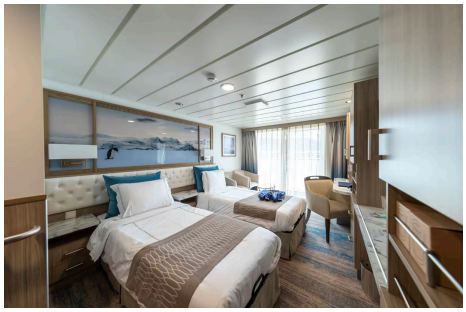


Category 3 - Balcony Stateroom C

DECK 4 **#401, 404, 417**

DECK 6 **#601, 602, 604, 611, 614, 617, 618, 627, 628, 629, 630**

These 173–208 sq. ft. cabins feature a private balcony, as well as an ensuite bathroom, separate sitting area, ample storage, individual climate control and a writing desk. Additional amenities include an in-room safe and flat-screen TV.



Category 4 - Balcony Stateroom B

DECK 4 **#403, 405, 406, 408, 430, 431, 432, 433, 434**

DECK 6 **#603, 605, 606, 608, 623, 624, 625, 626**

These 196–208 sq. ft. cabins feature a private balcony, as well as an ensuite bathroom, separate sitting area, ample storage, individual climate control and a writing desk. Many feature interconnecting options, making them ideal for families and traveling groups. Additional amenities include an in-room safe and flat-screen TV.



Category 5 - Balcony Stateroom A

DECK 4 **#407, 409, 410, 411, 412, 414, 415, 416, 418, 421, 422, 423, 424, 425, 426, 427**

DECK 6 **#607, 609, 610, 612, 619, 620, 621, 622**

These premium cabins range from 196–224 sq. ft. and feature a private balcony, as well as an ensuite bathroom, separate sitting area, ample storage, individual climate control and a writing desk. Additional amenities include an in-room safe and flat-screen TV.



Category 6 - Balcony Stateroom Superior

DECK 4 **#419, 428, 429**

DECK 6 **#615, 616**

Floor-to-ceiling sliding glass doors and a private balcony offer exceptional viewing opportunities. Each cabin also features an ensuite bathroom (wheelchair accessible in select cabins), ample storage, individual climate control, writing desk, in-room safe and flat-screen TV.



Category 7 - Junior Suites

DECK 7 **#701, 702, 703, 704**

These accommodations offer 282 sq. ft. of elevated comfort, with sweeping views from the ship's uppermost accommodation deck. Each suite features a separate sitting area with lounge seating, a private balcony and floor-to-ceiling sliding glass doors that immerse guests in the landscapes of Alaska. They have an ensuite bathroom, ample storage, individual climate control, writing desk, in-room safe, flat-screen TV and mini bar.



Category 8 - Captain's Suite

DECK 4 **#420**

This suite is 367 sq. ft. Located in a prime mid-ship position with easy access to the central stairs and elevator, the suite features a separate, spacious lounge area; private balcony; walk-in wardrobe and expansive floor-to-ceiling windows. It also has an ensuite bathroom, ample storage, individual climate control, writing desk, in-room safe, flat-screen TV and mini bar.



Ship Amenities

The *Greg Mortimer* blends modern comfort with expedition spirit, offering abundant spaces to unwind and engage with the landscapes around you. Take in sweeping views from the observation lounge or outdoor decks, relax in the library with refreshments, and enjoy wellness amenities ranging from saunas to open-air Jacuzzis. With expert presentations, open Bridge access and purpose-built viewing areas, every corner of the ship deepens your connection to the wildlife, coastlines and extraordinary natural beauty of Alaska.

Observation Lounge

Enjoy 180° vistas from the observation deck, or relax in the indoor observation lounge with drinks from the adjoining bar.

Lecture Room

The lecture theatre hosts daily Recaps and enriching presentations led by our expert expedition teams.

Dining Room

Join us in the restaurant for three daily meals in a relaxed, open-seating setting.

Fitness Center

Work out with a view in the ocean-facing fitness center featuring modern equipment and floor-to-ceiling windows.

Wellness

The wellness center offers a relaxing sauna and a range of rejuvenating spa treatments.



GeoDomes

Experience Alaska's wonders from heated glass domes offering panoramic views in complete weather-protected comfort.

Special Offers

CELEBRATE LIFE'S MILESTONES

Celebrate a milestone with a group of eight or more and enjoy a special amenity package including: 5% savings on voyage fares, custom group photo, US$150 shipboard credit for the group, and other special gifts. Milestone celebration to be communicated at time of booking.

COMBINING OFFERS

Certain offers may be combinable, up to two savings opportunities, except where noted otherwise. For example, travel with a group of 8 or more on back-to-back expeditions, and take advantage of both savings.

SAVE 5% TRAVELING AS A GROUP

Save 5% when traveling as a group of 8 or more people. Valid for new bookings only on select departures, subject to availability, not applicable on extensions, and may not be combined with other offers. Call for details.

10% OFF BACK-TO-BACK VOYAGES

Save 10% on consecutive departures, applicable on voyage fares only and not valid on extensions or airfare. Valid for new bookings only, subject to availability, and may not be combined with other offers. Call for details.

INCLUDED IN PRICE

All accommodations aboard ship or in hotels per itinerary; all meals as indicated in the itinerary, both aboard and onshore; beer, wine, cocktails, and spirits (premium brands available for purchase) aboard; excursions and airport transfers to and from flights arriving and departing within recommended window, as indicated in the itinerary; exploration tools such as Zodiacs, kayaks, stand-up paddleboards (where applicable); guidance and company of leading expedition staff; presentations by expedition staff and expert guest speakers; complimentary reusable water bottle; onboard physician consultations (where available); 24-hour access to exercise equipment (where applicable); 24-hour access to lounges, observation decks, library, and other shared spaces; basic Wi-Fi (where applicable); park and site entrance fees, special access permits, and port taxes. Unused services or items included in our programs are non-refundable.

NOT INCLUDED IN PRICE

Airfare (except flights when indicated as included and/or as required); charter airfare (where applicable, except when indicated as included and/or as required); pre- and post-expedition extensions (except flights when indicated as included); additional hotel nights; premium cocktails and spirits; private transfers (except when indicated as included); crew gratuities; additional costs associated with medical services outside onboard physician consultation (where applicable); laundry, spa treatments, and phone services; travel protection plans; passport, visa and immigration fees. For select voyages, completing a medical evaluation form with VIKAND is required. If you utilize your physician, VIKAND's processing fee for your documentation will be added to your National Geographic-Lindblad Expeditions invoice. If you utilize VIKAND's physicians, an additional charge will be due and payable directly to VIKAND.

TRAVEL PROTECTION PLAN

We strongly recommend our guests to take advantage of our Travel Protection Plan. This plan offers comprehensive coverage to protect you from cancellation fees, costs incurred due to trip delays/interruption, damage or loss of baggage, medical assistance, and evacuation during your travels. Our Travel Protection Plan is available for U.S. residents only, and may be purchased any time prior to final payment due date, Travel Protection premiums are non- refundable once plan is purchased. Learn more about our Travel Protection "Plus" Plan: https://www.expeditions.com/terms-conditions/travel-protection-plan/

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