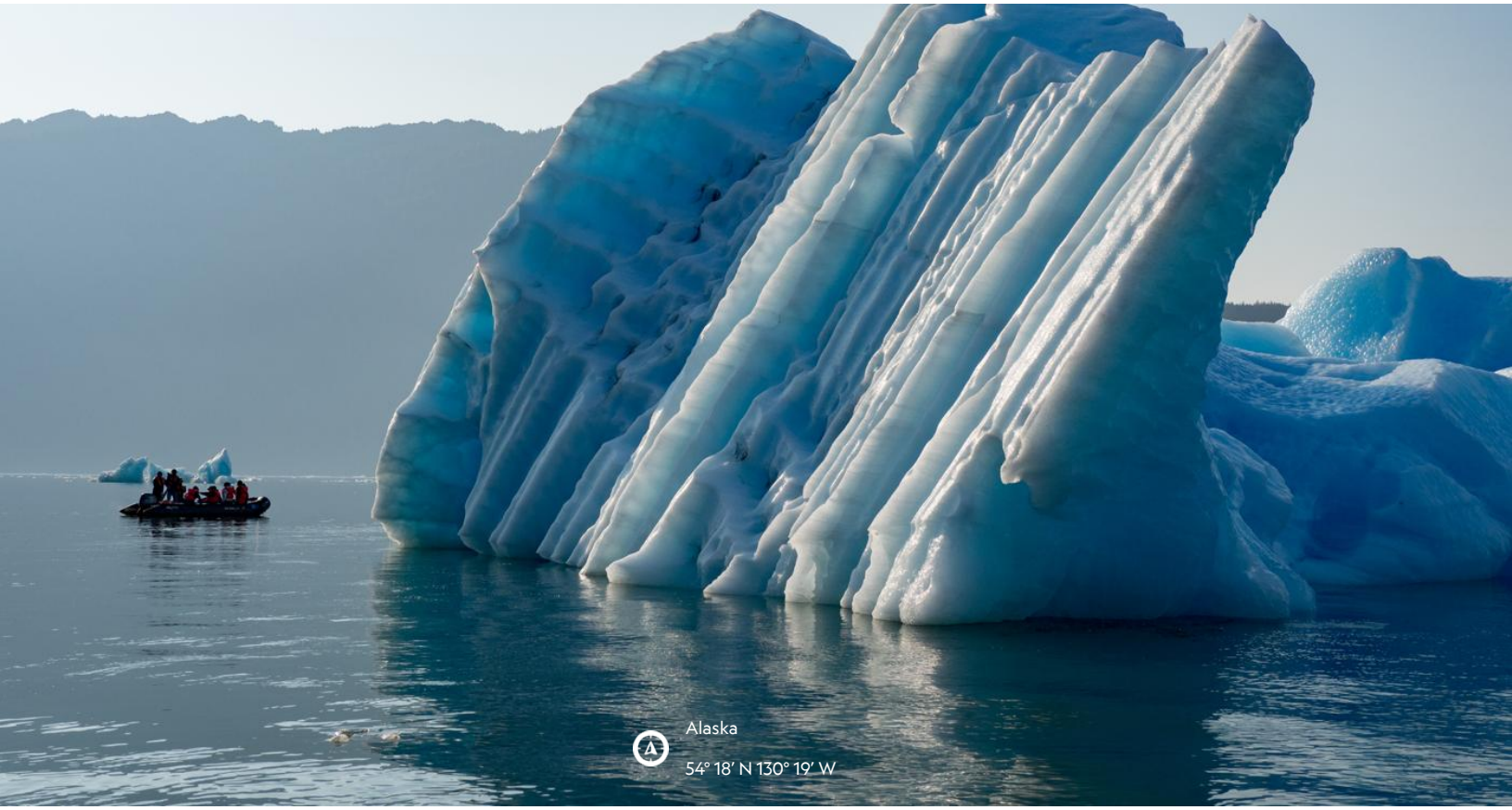

Epic Alaska and British Columbia

Get immersed in the wilds of Southeast Alaska and British Columbia on an exploration of towering fjords, vibrant coastal cultures and some of the richest wildlife habitats on Earth. Glide through glacier-carved waterways, watch for whales in pristine channels, and visit communities where Indigenous traditions thrive. With opportunities to cruise glacial waters by Zodiac, kayak tranquil bays, hike beneath soaring peaks, and explore alongside our expert naturalists and cultural specialists, this voyage offers a dynamic blend of wilderness, wildlife and heritage.

From
$ 11,250 / per person
Does not include flights

DATES
May, Jun, Jul, Aug and Sep

DURATION
15 Days

SHIPS
Greg Mortimer

STARTS AT
Vancouver, British Columbia

→

ENDS AT
Vancouver, British Columbia

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

This institution is an equal opportunity provider .

Highlights

- Discover the living heritage of Prince Rupert during visits to a longhouse-style museum and a restored cannery that echoes the region's seafaring past
- Navigate amid spectacular icebergs at the six-mile-wide Hubbard Glacier, and cruise Endicott Arm fjord, where you can witness massive ice sheets calve into pristine waters
- Venture into temperate rainforests, paddle hidden coves and hike beneath soaring peaks in pristine wilderness areas, such as Misty Fjords National Monument
- Seek out humpback whales, brown bears, Steller sea lions, bald eagles and more in nutrient-rich waters across Southeast Alaska and British Columbia








Hubbard Glacier
Haines
Icy Strait
Chichagof Island
Endicott Arm
Sitka
Wrangell Narrows
Misty Fjords
Prince Rupert
Vancouver
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Day by day

■ DAY 1

Vancouver, British Columbia / 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

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

Enjoy a day of independent exploration in Sitka, a charming town on the western coast of Baranof Island overlooking the Pacific Ocean. Known for its rich Tlingit culture and traces of Russian heritage dating back to the 1800s, Sitka offers a glimpse into Alaska's layered history. Today marks a transition, as some guests conclude their voyage while others embark to begin their adventure.

Note: Some staff may rotate, bringing fresh energy and expertise for the journey ahead.

Meals included: breakfast, lunch, dinner

◇ DAY 9

Icy Strait / Inian Islands

Explore by Zodiac among the Inian Islands, a busy feeding ground for a variety of wildlife, including Steller sea lions and sea otters. Search for marine mammals in the nutrient-rich waters of Icy Strait.

Meals included: breakfast, lunch, dinner

◇ DAY 10

Haines

A paradise for adventure seekers, Haines offers the chance to cycle along the edge of a glacial fjord, take in stunning views on a world-class hike, visit the ancient Tlingit village of Klukwan for a dance demonstration and cultural interpretation before rafting down the Chilkat River. Or join an optional fly-fishing excursion for salmon and Dolly Varden trout.

Meals included: breakfast, lunch, dinner

◇ DAY 11

Endicott Arm / Frederick Sound

Explore the wild and remote areas of Southeast Alaska by special use permit with the Tongass National Forest.

Wake up in Endicott Arm. Cruise through the glacier-sculpted fjord, then set out to explore by Zodiac. View the soaring Dawes Glacier up close—and keep an eye out for the dramatic sight of huge slabs of ice breaking off and crashing into the water below. If conditions permit, paddle a kayak below the steep walls of the fjord. Later, cruise Frederick Sound—prime waters for both orca and humpback whales.

Meals included: breakfast, lunch, dinner

◇ DAY 12

Southeast Alaska's Islands, Bays and Fjords

Today, nature is your guide as you set out with the flexibility to take advantage of wildlife sightings and weather conditions. Explore along the

shoreline by Zodiac and, if conditions permit, kayak close to the intertidal zone as you search for the creatures that inhabit this dynamic environment. Sightings of bald eagles are common. Cruise expansive coastlines, always watching for marine and terrestrial life.

Meals included: breakfast, lunch, dinner

◇ DAY 13

Prince Rupert, British Columbia, Canada

Wake up in Prince Rupert, a scenic harbor town on British Columbia's rugged northwest coast. Get immersed in First Nations history at the Museum of Northern British Columbia, built in the style of a coastal longhouse. Breathe in the scent of cedar beams and peruse an impressive collection of ornate carvings, weavings, ceremonial objects and regalia. Visit the North Pacific Cannery Museum—a collection of cannery buildings set amid untamed wilderness—that highlights British Columbia's economic, cultural and natural development over the last century.

Meals included: breakfast, lunch, dinner

◇ DAY 14

British Columbia's Inside Passage

Trace the wild and scenic coastline of British Columbia, exploring inlets and islands and watching for whales, bald eagles, bears, deer and other wildlife. 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 15

Vancouver / Disembark Ship

Disembark in Vancouver and transfer to the airport for flights home.

Meals included: breakfast

Expedition

Vancouver, British Columbia → Vancouver, British Columbia

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

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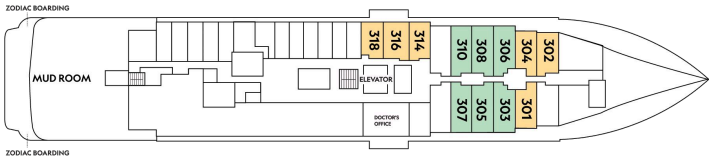
- Category 2



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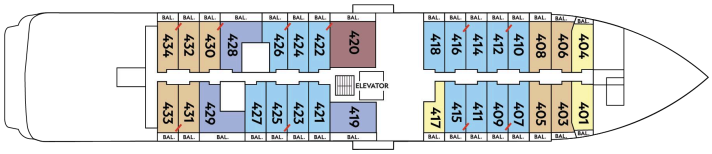

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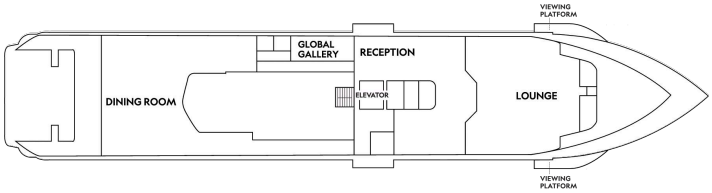

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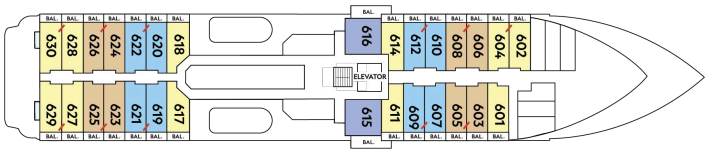

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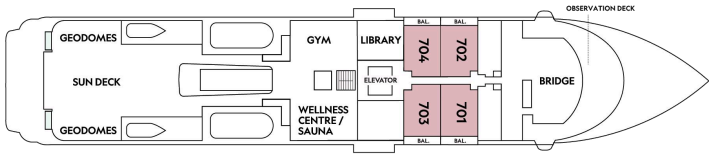

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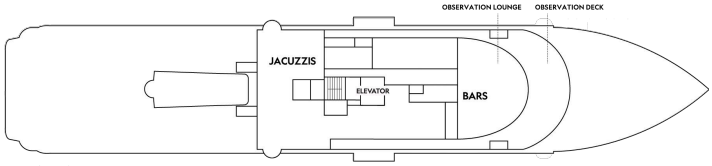


Cabin Categories

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.

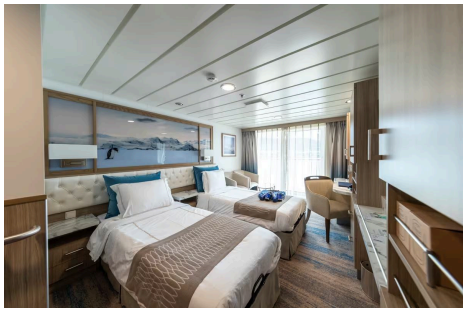


Category 3 - Balcony Stateroom C

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

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.

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.

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.

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.

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/

CANCELLATION POLICY

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