

NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC

# ALASKA

### WHY EXPEDITION?

Reasons to explore Alaska aboard a small ship

### **BIRDSEYE ALASK**

Soar above Glacier Bay, Taku Glacier & more

GO BEYOND What's outside the Inside Passage?

# EXPERTS ON BOARD

A spirit bear researcher, Emmy nominee & more

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# WHEN YOU CAN CHECK 'OBSERVE WILD BROWN BEAR' OFF YOUR BUCKET LIST

You know the charge you get when you come upon something wild and unexpected, something rare and beautiful? We live for those moments. We sail to the ends of the earth to find them, to discover them anew, and conjure them for our guests.

THAT'S THE EXHILARATION OF DISCOVERY

Cover photo: Humpback whale shows its fluke in Glacier Bay, Alaska. © Stefanie Payne/istock. This page: Guests kayaking in Pavlof Harbor. © Andrew Peacock.



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#### Dear Traveler,

Each summer thousands of people flock to Alaska to experience its legendary wildness, but only a relative few will actually explore it. The expeditions we offer are for travelers seeking to go beyond the predictable ports and tour spots frequented by cruise ships. Our nimble ships can tuck into secluded coves and harbors, and pull close enough to calving glaciers to feel the thunder. And



our fleet of expedition landing craft, plus our special access permits, allow us to land along the wild shores, and venture into communities that have remained deliberately roadless.

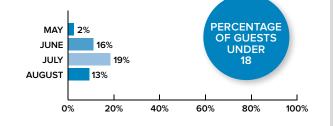
The vast number of visitors to Alaska come from June through mid-August. It's very much a family destination, and these mid-summer expeditions aboard our ships are alive with families, often three generations, and the pitter-patter of enthusiastic kids running up and down the decks is either a joyful sound, or not depending on your perspective. In May, the population joining us is, largely, adults only. So, if you are more inclined to be with other grownups not engaged with their children, this is a far better time to go.

I occasionally run into people who ask if May is too early and the answer is absolutely not. In spring, there's a wonderful sense of new life with wilderness awakening all around us and the mountains are still heavy with snow, making the landscape—and its reflection in the water's glassy surface—extremely photogenic. It's also the time that black and brown bears emerge from hibernation and begin to be seen near the water.

Whenever you choose to come, you'll benefit from our knowledge of the best sites to explore, gained through over 35 years of experience in Alaska, as well as the relationship we've established with the ultimate 'insider,' the Alaska Whale Foundation. There's no better way to experience Alaska and all its wildness than on an authentic expedition.

Best regards,





# OUR NIMBLE SHIPS ARE KEY TO AN AWARD-WINNING EXPERIENCE

#### NIMBLE U.S.-FLAGGED EXPEDITION SHIPS THAT CAN GO WHERE

larger cruise ships cannot is only part of the authentic experience that earned us the 2019 Cruiser's Choice Cruise Critic Award for "Top Small Ship Cruise Line in Alaska." While the ships enable us to take you in deep where the bears forage, bald eagles soar, and whales spectacularly breach, the cool tools they carry enable you to have your own individual up-close adventures. Our fleet of Zodiacs, kayaks, and stand-up paddleboards let you experience these wild geographies with all your senses. Zodiacs let us explore virtually everywhere without being dependent on docks, ports, or piers. We can roam freely, feel the swells created by calving glaciers, or land on remote beaches to hike old-growth forests. Our kayaks and paddleboards let you paddle into quiet inlets to hear the sounds, or observe a family of otters up-close. In addition, you have the freedom to visit the Bridge to watch the captain and officers navigate the thrilling straits, narrows, and bays that make these waters so extraordinary to explore. Unparalleled access is what gives you incredible experiences, stories to share, a priceless stock of memories, and the best photos of your life.

Our ships in Southeast Alaska have the advantage of being U.S.-flagged. Foreign flagged vessels in Southeast Alaska must follow time-consuming protocols to clear customs. Our ships don't have to and therefore gain a day+ to explore the region.

Learn more about our U.S.-flagged ships: expeditions.com/venture expeditions.com/quest expeditions.com/sealion expeditions.com/seabird



Embark state-of-the-art National Geographic Orion for Alaska expeditions that take you further afield. Aboard this luxurious base camp, we'll visit the Aleutian Islands, the Bering Sea, and the coast of the Russian Far East. National Geographic Orion boasts an abundance of expedition amenities – Zodiacs, kayaks, stand-up paddleboards, **Remotely Operated Vehicle** (ROV) – and her nimble scale and adventurous build enable active exploration in even the most remote regions.

Learn more about National Geographic Orion at expeditions.com/orion





# VENTURE INTO THE HEART OF WILDNESS: THE MYTHIC ALASKA OF YOUR DREAMS

#### WHERE AWESOME IS



DISCOVER IT IN THE SPRAY OF A WATERFALL MISTING OVER your Zodiac. The sound of a thrashing salmon as a brown bear pulls it from the river. In the concussive wave cast off by a massive piece of ice breaking off a glacier and crashing into the sea. This is where you discover that the wild American frontier is alive and well in the Alaska we explore. We've been sailing our small ships into the coast's hidden coves and passages for decades—we know where awesome is. It's on the trails carved by generations of bears tromping through the woods; in towns connected by a marine highway rather than a concrete one; in places free from infrastructure and unmarred by humans; places known to few and only accessible to adventurous souls. And now, thanks to our network, including the Alaska Whale Foundation team members who join us aboard our U.S.-flagged ships, we have an inside track on wildlife movements, which helps us put you into the middle of the action. Join us, and we'll take you right into the heart of wildness where you can make your own personal discoveries.



It's not always clear just how special these encounters are that you're having. I can come along and point to a specific individual and say 'that whale there is 70 years old, the leader of this group, and one of the most remarkable individuals anyone has ever observed in the wild.' Once people start to hear these kinds of things, it really changes the whole whale-watching experience."

> DR. ANDY SZABO Director, Alaska Whale Foundation

# YOU'RE ON THE FRONTIER. YOU SHOULD HAVE THE FREEDOM TO EXPLORE AS YOU CHOOSE

EACH DAY, WE PROVIDE A FRESH SET OF OPPORTUNITIES,

all kinds of choices of what to do in a given location. Hike, paddleboard, kayak, and more. Hang out on deck with binoculars or with your photo instructor. Should you decide to sleep in, have a relaxing breakfast, and get a massage, nobody will look at you funny. You're on vacation. Your vacation. Our schedules are flexible and our itineraries are more a function of what's to see than where we need to be. If you like to move, consider our active Wild Alaska Epic or Wild Alaska Escapes itineraries (pages 22-27), where options for cardio hikes and other activities ashore abound. Conversely, if you like the option to be active on some days, still and observant on others—you can do both. It's your adventure. Our generous staff-to-guest ratio means you can always find a naturalist whose interests and approach you share, whether you want to head off on a trail walk or linger on shore pausing for photos and guidance from your photo instructor. You're free to explore the ship, find your nook or cranny. And you're always welcome to come up to the Bridge and shoot the breeze with the captain and officers.

#### There is no U in "group."

Okay, maybe there is—but only if you want there to be. Our idea of group travel means never being herded like cattle. Each day, you choose what activities interest you, which members of the expedition team you want to join, and what other guests you want to hang out with. You may all be on the same ship but you aren't in the same boat.





### GO YOUR OWN WAY













# OUR ALASKA TEAMS ARE ACE AT DOING WHAT IT TAKES



#### VITUS BERING IN KAMCHATKA. JOHN MUIR CIRCA 1879

seeing glaciers for the first time. Neither of them have anything on you—you're a natural born Alaska explorer, too. But sometimes even the most intrepid of adventurers need a guide—and that's where we come in. Our team has the knowledge and the passion for Alaska that will kindle yours. They will do whatever it takes, from manning the spotting scopes so you don't miss a single passing whale; lingering as long as you want on deck to watch bubble-net feeding behavior; to offering an extra-long kayak when conditions enable it. They'll help you to see, do, and absorb all the extraordinary experiences—in comfort, with inspiration, great conversations, and excellent dining included. **66** We were on deck with our **Expedition Leader John Mitchell** after an amazing day, when he mentioned there was a chance we might see something very rare, the Northern Lights. That night we were sound asleep when his gentle, nearly whispered 2 a.m. announcement came over the PA asking us to join him on deck for a wonderful opportunity. We threw parkas over our pjs and raced to the aft deck. To our surprise, everybody was there! John went above and beyond, to give us the best experience possible—an awesome sky show that we would otherwise have missed."

> — ANGELA R. Guest, Wild Alaska Escape, 2017



# THE EXHILARATION OF DISCOVERY WITHOUT THE THREAT OF HYPOTHERMIA

#### BECAUSE THE UNDERSEA IS VITAL TO YOUR UNDERSTANDING

of Alaska, we've committed the technology and personnel resources to offer what no other travel company in Alaska does—an exploration of the vivid and surprising world beneath our ship. During the voyage, an undersea specialist will don special cold-water diving gear—or send an ROV (Remotely Operated Vehicle)—to explore and shoot video of Alaska's surprising marine environment. You'll get to see this amazing world on TV screens in the warm comfort of the lounge, with an undersea specialist as your guide. You'll see the vast kelp forests and discover strange and surprisingly colorful anemones, jellies, rockfish, octopus, and other unusual life forms that are only found deep beneath the surface.

See more aquatic Alaska at expeditions.com/alaska-undersea





**Tools for Exploration Travel** In addition to a fleet of Zodiacs, kayaks, and standup paddle-boards, our Alaska ships are outfitted with hydrophones to listen to whales and sea lions underwater, Remotely Operated Vehicles (ROV), and splash-cams for an up-close view of the sea life underneath.

# WHAT WILL YOU CREATE WITH NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC PHOTOGRAPHERS TO INSPIRE YOU?

WHILE YOU'RE DISCOVERING ALASKA YOU'LL HAVE THE

benefit of a Lindblad-National Geographic certified photo instructor (CPI) at your side and at your service. He or she can help you with anything from camera settings to the basics of composition. Now, every guest—from smartphone users to advanced DSLR hobbyists—can stand side-by-side with top photographers, pick up tips in the field, and take great photos. Our CPIs are also trained naturalists so they'll help you better understand wildlife behavior. Whether you're choosing a shutter speed to capture a waterfall or framing a killer whale against a killer backdrop, in-the-moment tips from accomplished pros will help you return home with your best photos ever.





#### **EXCLUSIVE ONBOARD GEAR LOCKER**

Dive into the onboard B&H Photo Video Gear Locker to field test new glass, camera bodies, and more—free. Plus, ask your Expedition



more—free. Plus, ask your Expedition Specialist about pre-voyage discounts and benefits.



#### NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC PHOTOGRAPHERS ON BOARD

Travel with a National Geographic photographer on select voyages and benefit from their pro knowledge and experience. Select departures are designated photo expeditions (noted on itinerary pages with the symbol) in which the pace of travel is optimized to maximize opportunities for wildlife encounters, and to cover landscapes in the best possible light. Visit **expeditions.com/photo** for details.

#### WILD ALASKA ESCAPE:

SITKA TO JUNEAU (page 25) Rich Reid – Jul. 25, 2021 Rich Reid – Jun. 8, 2022 Rich Reid – Aug, 7 2022

#### WILD ALASKA ESCAPE:

JUNEAU TO KETCHIKAN (page 25) Rich Reid – Jul. 31, 2021 Rich Reid – Jun. 13, 2022 Rich Reid – Aug. 12, 2022

#### A REMARKABLE JOURNEY TO ALASKA, BRITISH COLUMBIA & HAIDA GWAII (pages 34-35)

Corey Arnold – Sep. 3, 2021 Max Lowe – May 5, 2022 Michael Melford – Sep. 6, 2022

#### BERING SEA WILDERNESS (pages 40-41) ACROSS THE BERING SEA (pages 42-43)

All voyages aboard *National Geographic Orion* have a National Geographic photographer on board.

#### JOIN A NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC PHOTOGRAPHER FOR A FOUR-DAY WORKSHOP

Extend your *Wild Alaska Escape* in charming Sitka. Spend mornings learning new techniques and tactics, and afternoons in the field "on assignment" creating images and employing new visual storytelling techniques. Call or visit **expeditions.com/sitkaphoto** or details.

# THE MOST EXHILARATING DISCOVERIES ARE THE ONES YOU MAKE TOGETHER

#### WHETHER IT'S KAYAKING OFF A SHORE STUDDED WITH

foraging bears, or observing whales cooperatively feeding off the ship, shared activities in Alaska's wild and exciting environment can bring a family together. Our expeditions are seamless family getaways where everything is taken care of and there are fun, engaging opportunities to explore for kids of all ages. Younger children thrive in the safe, comfortable space of the ship where they can exercise a measure of autonomy. Teenagers and older kids often spontaneously form groups to join naturalists and National Geographic certified field educators for hikes and iPhone photo sessions. And we're discovering that our National Geographic Global Explorers program is an unqualified hit with all ages. And parents are delighted, even moved, by their kids engaged participation in all aspects of the program from getting their Zodiac driver's 'license' to journaling in their field notebooks.



Our exclusive program for families is the only one of its kind in Alaska travel. Developed in conjunction with National Geographic Education, it's designed to help kids and their families develop the attitudes, skills, and knowledge of an explorer. Families discover a unique way to explore and connect with each other and the natural world. And kids engage in a variety of cool optional activities, guided by a National Geographic certified field educator. Visit expeditions.com/family for program details. (Please note program is not available on National Geographic Orion voyages.)

WHERE FAMILIES CONNECT

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#### **ANNIVERSARY**



### **MILESTONES**

# FOR LIFE—CELEBRATE & SHARE WILDNESS & WONDER

Celebrate your personal achievements and milestones or those of others-the big birthdays, anniversaries, graduations, retirements, vow renewals, or getting the whole clan together—with a life-changing expedition\*. We've seen how sharing the confines of our ship, being wowed by breaching humpbacks, soaring eagles, and salmon-fishing bears tightens the bonds of family or friendship, and amplifies the exhilaration of milestone events. Celebrate as a group of 8 or more with us, and enjoy the following with our compliments:

- A special gift in your cabin to welcome you aboard
- 5% savings on voyage fare
- \$150 onboard credit—for an item in the Global Gallery, a treatment in the LEXspa, a bottle of champagne with dinner, or to apply toward your bar tab
- A complimentary Video Chronicle
- A commemorative portrait of you and yours by the onboard Lindblad-National Geographic Certified Photo Instructor
- · A celebratory cake, served with flair on the evening you designate
- Visit us at expeditions.com/MILESTONES

\*Terms & Conditions: Not available on departures aboard National Geographic Orion. Milestone celebration needs to be communicated at time of booking. Milestone amenity package is one per group, intended for the guest celebrating the Milestone event. Group discount is applicable to cruise portion only, and does not apply towards additional services such as hotels, extensions, etc. Group cancellation terms also apply. Not combinable with certain offers. Valid for groups of 8 or more.

# EXPLORE ALASKA WITH US: BENEFIT FROM 35+ YEARS OF INSIDE KNOW-HOW



#### ALASKA'S COASTAL WILDERNESS

#### ALASKA MAY BE KNOWN AS THE 'LAST FRONTIER,' BUT WE'VE

been exploring the region for decades—bringing travelers who long to delve deep into all this remote and rugged land has to offer. On this comprehensive expedition, we seek out spectacular vistas, iconic wildlife, and pervasive wildness—the stuff of legends—like no one else can. Our expert teams, knowledgeable and passionate, plus our intimate, state-ofthe-art ships, designed to navigate shallow coves and coastal waters, get you right into wild nature. Sit just off the face of calving tidewater glaciers in Glacier Bay National Park and into mist-shrouded fjords. Spot brown bears foraging along shores and humpback whales breaching. Explore the coast up close by kayak, discover the strange marvel known as a muskeg, learn about the region's rich Tlingit heritage, and much more.

#### **EXPEDITION HIGHLIGHTS**

Hike among lush, old-growth trees in the world's largest temperate rainforest • Keep watch for iconic wildlife—brown bears, killer whales, bald eagles, and more • Explore rugged coastlines and secluded inlets via Zodiac • Gain perspective on indigenous people from a Tlinglit Cultural Interpreter on select departures • Learn about the local whale population from our conservation partners at Alaska Whale Foundation • Discover the unexpectedly dazzling undersea • Hike and kayak by special permit in wild, remote areas of Tongass National Forest

Visit expeditions.com/ALASKAWILDERNESS for itinerary.

Continue your adventure on our Denali extension or our new Canadian Rockies heli-hiking adventure. See pages 54-55.

Visit expeditions.com/AKWILDERNESS\_EXT

#### **GLACIER BAY NATIONAL PARK**

By special permit—sail the expanse of glaciers, witness icebergs calving, search for sea lions, puffins, and mountain goats. A Native Tlingit interpreter shares local legends and lore.

#### ICY STRAIT & THE INIAN ISLANDS

Hike, kayak, and search for whales in Icy Strait. Cruise among the abundant, active marine life of the Inians, where the Pacific meets the Inside Passage and nutrients rush in.

#### SOUTHEAST ALASKA'S ISLANDS, BAYS & FJORDS

With nature as our guide, we'll roam free in iconic wildness. Hike, kayak, bushwhack, and more.

#### SITKA

Visit St. Michael's Russian Orthodox Cathedral. See eagles, owls, and more up close at the Sitka Raptor Center.

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JUNEAU

Get a feel for Alaska in Juneau at the Alaska State Museum or explore downtown. Then settle into your cabin and enjoy a welcome dinner.

#### ALASKA'S COASTAL WILDERNESS

### ITINERARY: EXPLORING ALASKA'S COASTAL WILDERNESS

8 DAYS/7 NIGHTS—ABOARD NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC QUEST AND NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC VENTURE

#### FROM: \$7,200

Visit expeditions.com for all categories, current rates, and details.

#### **EXPEDITION DETAILS**

2021 Dates: From July through early September, expeditions depart every week.

2022 Dates: From May through August, expeditions depart every week.

#### **SPECIAL OFFERS:**

- Capture free round-trip air (between Alaska and Seattle) on select dates.
- Celebrate Milestones: 5% off groups of 8 or more, \$150 shipboard credit, and more.
  - See page 56 for complete details.

#### **ITINERARY AT A GLANCE**

Day 1:	Juneau / Embark
Day 2:	Tracy Arm-Fords Terror Wilderness
Day 3:	Petersburg
Day 4:	Frederick Sound and Chatham Strait
Day 5:	Icy Strait & the Inian Islands
Day 6:	Glacier Bay National Park & Preserve
Day 7:	Southeast Alaska's Islands, Bays & Fjords
Day 8:	Sitka / Disembark

Visit expeditions.com/ALASKAWILDERNESS for a complete dayby-day itinerary. Or call to speak with an Expedition Specialist.

#### **OPTIONAL EXTENSIONS**

Add a six-day pre- or post-voyage inland adventure to explore **Denali National Park** from the North Face Lodge. Or stay in a remote lodge and heli-hike on our seven-day **Canadian Rockies & Banff Heli-Hiking** extension. See page 54-55 for details.

#### TRACY ARM-FORDS TERROR WILDERNESS

Spectacular fjords with cascading waterfalls. Cruise among sculpted icebergs at Dawes or South Sawyer Glaciers.

#### FREDERICK SOUND & PETERSBURG

Search for killer whales, humpbacks, and sea lions. Explore Petersburg's fishing town (Alaska's "Little Norway"). Optional flightseeing available.

# OPT FOR A QUICK ESCAPE-OR GO EPIC

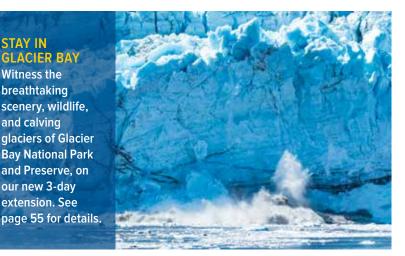
#### OVER JUST SIX DAYS, VENTURE DEEP INTO THE WILD REACHES OF

Southeast Alaska, hitting the iconic highlights in a timeframe ideal for families and those seeking an active getaway. Sail remote straits and hidden inlets to discover the authentic Alaska, far outside the reach of big white boats. Every day you'll get off the ship to explore on these active expeditions. Kayak salmon-studded waters, grab a bike, or paddleboard in a peaceful lagoon along a shoreline of towering trees. Hike options abound-go on aerobic, fast-paced hikes; take a slower walk into the forest with a naturalist who pauses to identify the flora and fauna and share stories; or join your certified photo instructor and take ample time to linger and get timely tips as you frame shots of the landscapes and wildlife. Drawing on our decades of small-ship exploration of the region, we've created these two itineraries that immerse you quickly in the incredible wilderness.

Or enjoy all of these highlights and more by combining these itineraries into an 11-day Wild Alaska Epic adventure, and take advantage of a 10% savings for booking back-to-back journeys (see page 56 for details). This option offers a comprehensive exploration of the Inside Passage for those who have the time, as well as a new exclusive experience: a complimentary 3-hour Taku Lodge Feast and 5-Glacier Seaplane Discovery experience while you're in Juneau for the day. See pages 26-27.

**STAY IN GLACIER BAY** Witness the breathtaking scenery, wildlife, and calving

our new 3-day extension. See





#### **EXPEDITION HIGHLIGHTS**

Venture into regions where iconic wildlife gathers-killer whales, humpback whales, brown bears, bald eagles, and more • Kayak rugged coastlines, calm coves, and secluded inlets • Explore Juneau, Alaska's capital, and learn about its colorful history of gold prospectors • Gain perspective on the region's indigenous people Hike among old-growth trees in the world's largest temperate rainforest • Explore Haines, the 'adventure capital of Alaska,' via raft, bicycle, or hiking boot, and choose to soar over Glacier Bay on a flightseeing tour (Northern itinerary) • Visit a tribal house and see native petroglyphs on remote Wrangell Island, or choose a jet boat excursion (Southern itinerary)

# WILD ESCAPES: EXPERIENCE ALASKA'S ICONIC WILDNESS IN LESS TIME

#### VENTURE DEEP INTO REMOTE WILDERNESS IN A MORE COMPACT TIMEFRAME.

See map on pages 26-27 to find out what you'll do on each itinerary.

### WILD ALASKA ESCAPE: SITKA TO JUNEAU

6 DAYS/5 NIGHTS—ABOARD NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC SEA BIRD AND

#### NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC SEA LION

FROM: \$4,570 Visit expeditions.com for all categories, current rates, and details.

#### **EXPEDITION DETAILS**

2021 Dates: Jul. 5, 25 🖾; Aug. 29\* 2022 Dates: May 19; Jun. 3\*, 8 🖾, 23\*, 28; Jul. 13\*, 18; Aug. 2\*, 7 🖾, 22\*, 27; Sep. 1\* 🔊 Photo Expeditions

\*These departures travel in reverse order, from Juneau to Sitka, making all the same stops.

ITINERARY AT A GLANCE (See pages 26-27 for relevant itinerary details)

- Day 1: Sitka/Embark
- Day 2: Exploring Baranof or Chichagof Islands
- Day 3: Icy Strait & the Inian Islands
- Day 4: Haines
- Day 5: Tracy Arm-Fords Terror Wilderness
- Day 6: Juneau/Disembark
- Visit expeditions.com/wildalaskanorth for a full day-by-day itinerary.

### WILD ALASKA ESCAPE: JUNEAU TO KETCHIKAN

### 6 DAYS/5 NIGHTS-ABOARD NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC SEA BIRD

#### AND NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC SEA LION

FROM: \$4,570 Visit expeditions.com for all categories, current rates, and details.

#### **EXPEDITION DETAILS**

2021 Dates: Jul. 10, 15\*, 30; Aug. 4\*, 9, 14\*, 19, 24\* 2022 Dates: May 24, 29\*; Jun. 13 🙆, 18\*; Jul. 3, 8\*, 23, 28\*; Aug. 12 🙆, 17\*

#### Photo Expeditions

\*These departures travel in the reverse order, from Ketchikan to Juneau, making all the same stops.

#### **ITINERARY AT A GLANCE** (See pages 26-27 for relevant itinerary details)

- Day 1: Juneau/Embark
- Day 2: LeConte Glacier/Thomas Bay
- Day 3: Exploring Sumner Strait
- Day 4: Wrangell
- Day 5: Behm Canal/Misty Fjords National Monument
- Day 6: Ketchikan/Disembark

Visit expeditions.com/wildalaskasouth for a full day-by-day itinerary.

#### SPECIAL OFFERS ON BOTH ESCAPES:

- Capture free round-trip air (between Alaska and Seattle) on select dates.
- Save 10% on groups of 6 or more on select departures.
- $\bullet$  Celebrate Milestones: 5% off groups of 8 or more, \$150 shipboard credit, and more.
- See page 56 for complete details.

### NEW

### ITINERARY: WILD ALASKA EPIC: SITKA TO KETCHIKAN

#### 11 DAYS/10 NIGHTS—ABOARD NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC SEA BIRD AND NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC SEA LION

#### FROM: \$8,226

Visit expeditions.com for all categories, current rates, and details.

#### **EXPEDITION DETAILS**

2021 Dates: Jul. 5, 15\*, 25 🖾; Aug. 24\* 2022 Dates: May 19, 29\*; Jun. 8 🖾, 18\*, 28; Jul. 8\*, 18, 28\*; Aug. 7 🖾, 17\*

\*These departures travel in the reverse order, from Ketchikan to Sitka, making all the same stops.

#### Photo Expedition

#### **SPECIAL OFFERS:**

- Complimentary 3-hour Taku Lodge Feast & 5-Glacier Seaplane Discovery experience.
- Capture free round-trip air (between Alaska and Seattle) on select dates.
- Save 10% on groups of 6 or more on select departures.
- Celebrate Milestones: 5% off groups of 8 or more, \$150 shipboard credit, and more.
- See page 56 for complete details.

#### **ITINERARY AT A GLANCE**

Day 1:	Sitka / Embark
Day 2:	Exploring Baranof or Chichagof Islands
Day 3:	Icy Strait & the Inian Islands
Day 4:	Haines
Day 5:	Tracy Arm-Fords Terror Wilderness
Day 6:	Juneau / Mendenhall Glacier
Day 7:	LeConte Glacier / Thomas Bay
Day 8:	Exploring Sumner Strait
Day 9:	Wrangell
Day 10:	Behm Canal / Misty Fjords National Monument
Day 11	Ketchikan

Visit expeditions.com/WILDALASKASOUTH and expeditions.com/WILDALASKANORTH for day-by-day itineraries. Or call to speak with an Expedition Specialist.

#### **GLACIER BAY NATIONAL PARK**

Enjoy an included flightseeing excursion over the expansive Glacier Bay National Park.

#### ICY STRAIT & THE INIAN ISLANDS

Hike, kayak, and search for whales in Icy Strait. Cruise among the abundant sea lions of the Inians.

#### CHICHAGOF ISLAND

Take a shoreline hike or kayak coves and inlets to spot wildflowers, waterfalls, and wildlife from bald eagles to colorful sea stars.

#### SITKA

Meet eagles at the Raptor Rehabilitation Center and admire the picturesque spire of Saint Michael's Russian Orthodox Cathedral.

#### **KETCHIKAN**

View 19th-century Tlingit totem poles at the Totem Heritage Center and explore the local port with its vast fishing fleet and thriving commercial fishery.

#### WILD ALASKA EPIC

#### HAINES

Get active in the adventure capital of Alaska—mountain bike, hike world-class trails, or raft the Chilkat River to a bald eagle preserve.

#### JUNEAU

Explore Alaska's capital city, first settled by gold miners in the 1880s, and the surrounding wilderness.

#### TRACY ARM-FORDS TERROR WILDERNESS

Spectacular fjords with cascading waterfalls. Cruise among sculpted icebergs at Dawes or South Sawyer Glaciers.

#### LECONTE GLACIER OR THOMAS BAY

Enter one of these iceberg-littered bays aboard our nimble ship, then if conditions permit set out to explore by expedition landing craft or walk along the shoreline among the ice sculptures stranded on the beach.



#### EPIC EXCLUSIVE! TAKU LODGE FEAST + 5-GLACIER SEAPLANE EXPERIENCE

Midway through our Epic expedition, guests will transfer to the seaplane dock in downtown Juneau to embark on a thrilling, and delicious, adventure combining the best experiences in Alaska—glacier flightseeing, a visit to the remote and historic private Taku Glacier Lodge, wilderness trails, wildlife and a scrumptious wild Alaskan salmon feast. This opportunity is offered exclusively on our Epic itinerary. *Note: not included on photo expeditions, which will include a special photography excursion in Juneau.* 

#### WRANGELL

Explore the remote town of Wrangell on Wrangell Island, where the indigenous Tlingit people have made their home for thousands of years. Visit a tribal house and a beach famous for native petroglyphs, or take an optional jet boat excursion up the Stikine River.

#### SUMNER STRAIT

Explore along the rugged coastlines of Kupreanof, Kuiu, or Prince of Wales Islands seeking out humpbacks and other wildlife along the shoreline.

#### **BEHM CANAL & MISTY FJORDS**

Scan the water for otters and killer whales as you breathe in the scent of Sitka spruce and cedar from the surrounding forest. REVEL IN THE GRAND WILDNESS OF ALASKA WITH SPECIAL ACCESS TO THE INSIDE PASSAGE AND HAIDA GWAII 0

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#### ALASKA IS SO GRAND YOU'LL RUN OUT OF SUPERLATIVES ON

Day One. Spectacular vistas. Iconic wild animals. Ice in every hue of blue imaginable. Wildlife so close it takes your breath away. And this majesty and wildness doesn't stop with the astounding Inside Passage. These three itineraries explore beyond—offering an array of rich experiences in the region and enough time to lose yourself in its scale and significance. Plus, we'll get you there with free airfare on select departures.

On the new Voyage to the Great Bear Rainforest expedition, explore the winding fjords of northern British Columbia over 8 days. Search for the rare, white-furred spirit bear, only found in this coastal temperate rainforest that is also home to mountain goats, cougars, brown bears, and gray wolves while the surrounding sea is alive with killer whales, sea lions, and sea otters. On Treasures of the Inside Passage: Alaska & British Columbia you'll balance wildness and culture over 14 days as you learn about the facets of the ancient and modern life—see First Nations performances in Alert Bay and visit the charming Canadian capital of Victoria—and sail in waters where killer whales gather to hunt in Canada's Gulf Islands. Choose the 15-day Remarkable Journey to Alaska, British Columbia & Haida Gwaii and spend four days in Haida Gwaii where the Haida people have granted us privileged access to their forests blanketed in moss and invited us into their protected ancestral sites. Whichever way you choose to explore, we'll make the most of your time with a thrilling, rejuvenating adventure.



#### **EXPEDITION HIGHLIGHTS**

Hike, kayak, paddleboard, bike, and actively explore • With ample time, range widely in the region's wild places to revel in its vastness and see the incredible diversity of landscapes and wildlife • Go to places where iconic wildlife gathers—whales, bears, eagles, and more • Learn from indigenous people about their histories and ways of life • Choose from a variety of activity levels on outings to be as active as you like • Learn about the local whale population through our relationship with the Alaska Whale Foundation • Discover the unexpectedly dazzling undersea • Explore remote regions of the Tongass National Forest thanks to our special permit.

#### **CITY LIVING**

Explore Ketchikan, Alaska's southeasternmost city, known for its colorful buildings, abundant fishing boats, and a unique collection of 19th-century totem poles.

#### ANCIENT EXHIBITS

Meander through the Museum of Northern BC, located in a magnificent longhouse-style building and featuring displays that represent thousands of years of local First Nations' history.

#### THE FORESTS OF LEGENDS

Explore waterways and tracts of land where few have ventured, alongside a cultural interpreter who recalls the lore of the local people.

> GRIBBELL ISLAND

AWAY FROM IT ALL

On casual hikes into remote forest, experience the silence as you stand among the monumental cedars.

#### INTO THE WILD

KETCHIKAN

Kayak and Zodiac cruise the narrow, wildlife-filled channels and keep eyes peeled for foraging bears, pods of killer whales, salmon, and more.

#### NOT YOUR AVERAGE BEAR

Cruise deep, glacier-carved waterways and roam remote, protected lands on the lookout for black and brown bears—plus elusive, white Kermode or spirit bears.

COLUMBIA

PRINCE RUPERT

BRITISH

ALASKA

#### GREAT BEAR RAINFOREST

### NEW

## ITINERARY: VOYAGE TO THE GREAT BEAR RAINFOREST: NATIVE CULTURE & WILDLIFE IN THE LAND OF THE SPIRIT BEAR

#### 8 DAYS/7 NIGHTS— ABOARD NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC VENTURE

FROM: \$5,290

Visit expeditions.com for all categories, current rates, and details.

#### **EXPEDITION DETAILS**

2021 Dates: Sep. 7, 14, 21 2022 Dates: Sep. 5, 12, 19

#### SPECIAL OFFER:

Celebrate Milestones: 5% off groups of 8 or more, \$150 shipboard credit, and more. See page 56 for details.

#### **ITINERARY AT A GLANCE**

Day 1:	Ketchikan, AK, U.S. / Embark
Day 2:	Prince Rupert, BC, Canada
Days 3-6:	Exploring the Great Bear Rainforest
Day 7:	Cruising / Union Passage Provincial Marine Park
Day 8:	Prince Rupert, BC, Canada/ Disembark

Visit expeditions.com/GREATBEAR for a complete day-by-day itinerary. Or call to speak with an Expedition Specialist.

#### NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC EXPERT

Join carnivore ecologist and National Geographic Fellow **Dr. Rae Wynn-Grant** on the Sep. 21, 2021 departure. Dr. Wynn-Grant has been awarded a grant to study spirit bears in the region and will be on board to give lectures and provide cutting- edge information.

Wildlife biologist **Douglas Chadwick** will join the Sep. 7 & 14, 2021 departures. Doug has reported on wildlife around the world, producing close to 50 magazine stories for National Geographic. Much of the research for his articles on grizzlies, humpback whales, and orcas, took place along the coasts of British Columbia and Southeast Alaska.

#### **OPTIONAL EXTENSIONS**

Add a six-day pre-voyage inland adventure to explore Denali National Park from the North Face Lodge. See pages 54-55 for details.

#### **GLACIER BAY NATIONAL PARK**

Listen as the wilderness silence is broken by the thunder of the region's enormous glaciers calving ice into the sea.

#### **INIAN ISLANDS**

Hop in a Zodiac and keep watch for the abundance of Steller sea lions that reside in this island cluster.

#### **ICY STRAIT**

With special permission from the U.S. Forest Service, hike the nearby islands with a naturalist and kayak the wildlife-rich water, searching for whales.

#### SITKA

Meet eagles at the Raptor Rehabilitation Center and admire the picturesque spire of Saint Michael's Russian Orthodox Cathedral.

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#### TRACY ARM

Voyage into Tracy Arm, a spectacular fjord featuring waterfalls that cascade from the sharply sloping walls, and see just how blue the South Sawyer Glacier is up close.

#### **FREDERICK SOUND**

Observe feeding humpback whales that visit this channel for its herring-filled waters.

#### PETERSBURG

Stroll or bike this charming, 100-year-old town—supported largely by fishing—and note the evident Norwegian influences.

#### MISTY FJORDS NATIONAL MONUMENT

Kayak the waters of this protected region, breathing in the deep-forest scents of Sitka spruce and cedar, reveling in the stillness.

#### SAN JUAN ISLANDS

Paddle myriad islets and rocky coasts—a kayaker's paradise as you keep watch for harbor seals and an array of seabirds, shore birds, and birds of prey.

#### VICTORIA

Enjoy private gardens and art galleries, waterfront strolls, and classic Victorian architecture in this Canadian capital city.

# INSIDE PASSAGE & BRITISH COLUMBIA

# ITINERARY: TREASURES OF THE INSIDE PASSAGE: ALASKA & BRITISH COLUMBIA

#### 14 DAYS/13 NIGHTS—ABOARD NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC QUEST AND NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC VENTURE

#### FROM: \$10,430

Visit expeditions.com for all categories, current rates, and details.

#### **EXPEDITION DETAILS**

2021 Date: Sep. 11\* 2022 Dates: May 1, 2; Sep. 4\*

\*These departures travel in the reverse order, from Sitka to Seattle, making all the same stops.

#### **SPECIAL OFFERS:**

- Capture free one-way air (Seattle/Sitka or vice versa) on select departures.
- Celebrate Milestones: 5% off groups of 8 or more, \$150 shipboard credit, and more.
- See page 56 for complete details.

#### **ITINERARY AT A GLANCE**

Day 1:	Seattle, Washington, U.S. / Embark
Day 2:	San Juan Islands
Day 3:	Victoria, British Columbia, Canada
Day 4:	Gulf Islands
Day 5:	Alert Bay and Johnstone Strait
Days 6 & 7:	Inside Passage of British Columbia
Day 8:	Misty Fjords, Alaska, U.S.
Day 9:	Petersburg
Day 10:	Tracy Arm-Fords Terror Wilderness
Day 11:	Glacier Bay National Park & Preserve
Day 12:	Inian Islands / Icy Strait
Day 13:	Exploring Baranof or Chichagof Islands
Day 14:	Sitka / Disembark / Home

Visit expeditions.com/TREASURES for a complete day-by-day itinerary. Or call to speak with an Expedition Specialist.

#### **OPTIONAL EXTENSION**

Add a six-day pre-voyage inland adventure to explore **Denali National Park** from the Kantishna Lodge. See page 54 for details.

#### ALERT BAY

Observe a traditional First Nations performance, visit their Big House, and learn from the Kwakwaka'wakw people.

#### **GULF ISLANDS**

Watch for killer whales as you Zodiac cruise the waters of this archipelago where the whales live all year round.

SEATTLE

Arrive in this coastal city and embark ship in the afternoon.

#### **GLACIER BAY NATIONAL PARK**

Enjoy this protected region's beautiful wilderness plus local legend and lore, shared by a native Tlingit interpreter.

#### INIAN ISLANDS

Hop in an expedition landing craft and keep watch for the abundance of Steller sea lions that reside in this island cluster.

#### SITKA

See the picturesque city of Sitka on Baranof Island and meet eagles at the Raptor Rehabilitation Center.

#### HAIDA GWAII

With our special access, discover these remote islands and the incredible history of the Haida people alongside our local cultural interpreters.



#### OLD MASSETT

Participate in a Haida feast of traditional food and dance at the home of a local carver in this ancestral town.

#### ICY STRAIT

With permission of the U.S. Forest Service, hike the nearby, forested islands with a naturalist and kayak the surrounding waters, searching for whales and other marine wildlife.

#### TRACY ARM

Cruise and kayak this spectacular, glacier-carved fjord which features large amounts of floating ice ranging from hand-sized pieces to pieces as large as houses.

#### FREDERICK SOUND

Watch for humpback whales that have migrated from Hawaii as they feed on the herring and krill found here.

#### **MISTY FJORDS**

Kayak the calm waters of this protected forest region and enjoy the scents of Sitka spruce and cedar that permeate the air.

SKIDEGATE Visit the awardwinning Haida Heritage Centre and Museum.

#### SGANG GWAAY

This UNESCO World Heritage site is one of the best examples in the world of a traditional Northwest Coast First Nations village. A sacred site of the Haida, it features ancient totems and ruins—some of which have been standing for hundreds of years.

#### **GULF ISLANDS**

Search for some of the many marine mammals dolphins, whales, harbor seals—that inhabit the waters surrounding these lush islands.

## ITINERARY: A REMARKABLE JOURNEY TO ALASKA, BRITISH COLUMBIA & HAIDA GWAII

15 DAYS/14 NIGHTS—ABOARD NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC SEA BIRD AND NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC SEA LION

#### FROM: \$11,350

Visit expeditions.com for all categories, current rates, and details.

#### **EXPEDITION DETAILS**

2021 Date: Sep. 3\* 🙆 2022 Dates: May 5 🙆; Sep. 6\* 🙆

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\*These departures travel in the reverse order, from Sitka to Seattle, making all the same stops.

#### **SPECIAL OFFERS:**

- Capture free one-way air (Seattle/Sitka or vice versa) on select departures.
- Celebrate Milestones: 5% off groups of 8 or more, \$150 shipboard credit, and more.
- See page 56 for complete details.

#### **ITINERARY AT A GLANCE**

Day 1:	Seattle, Washington, U.S. / Embark
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Day 2:	Gulf Islands, BC, Canada
Day 3:	Johnston Strait and Alert Bay
Days 4 & 5:	Inside Passage of British Columbia
Days 6-9:	Haida Gwaii
Days 10-12:	Alaska's Inside Passage, U.S.
Days 13 & 14:	Glacier Bay National Park & Preserve / Inian Islands /
	Chichagof Island
Day 15:	Sitka / Disembark / Seattle

Visit expeditions.com/REMARKABLE for a complete day-by-day itinerary. Or call to speak with an Expedition Specialist.

#### **OPTIONAL EXTENSIONS**

Enjoy extra time in Seattle and/or Sitka with pre- or post-voyage hotel nights. More details at expeditions.com/remarkable-hotelext

#### **BRITISH COLUMBIA**

#### ALERT BAY

Watch traditional First Nations performances and learn about the art and culture of the Kwakwaka'wakw people at the U'mista Cultural Centre.

SEATTLE

# DISCOVER ALASKA'S REMOTE, SELDOM-SEEN WILD LANDS AND THE RUSSIAN FAR EAST

#### ALASKA & RUSSIAN FAR EAST: 13-22 DAYS

#### EMBARK ON A SWEEPING ADVENTURE TO OUTLYING ALASKAN

islands that are seldom explored, breeding grounds for millions of seabirds and feeding grounds for countless whales and other marine mammals. Walk the streets of Provideniya for a glimpse of the former Soviet Union, where locals warmly greet us with a traditional dance and then proudly show us around town, including some of the only-in-Russia peculiarities they love to point out with a laugh. Visit islands now overrun with wildness that were the sites of fierce WWII clashes. Stroll bustling Alaskan fishing towns on remote islands, where you'll see bald eagles perched on boats, streetlights, and crab pots. Hear the lore and legends of the region's indigenous people and learn how they keep their proud traditions alive. See wildlife galore, from coastal brown bears to Steller sea lions, Pacific walrus, and northern fur seals.

Choose from three expeditions. Spend 13 days in the **Bering Sea Wilderness: Pribilofs, Katmai & Kodiak** to go where fur seals battle and waves crash against spectacular cliffs covered in raucous seabirds. Hike the Shumagin Islands through a tundra draped in green and the scattered remains of a petrified forest. And explore the beautiful Katmai Coast, where bears laze along the beach grass and fish the shore. Or over 22 days, choose to venture **Across the Bering Sea: From Katmai to Kamchatka** and go farther from Alaska and deep into the Russian Far East's tundra, bays, and volcanic mountains. Learn about a reindeer-herding culture, visit a bustling Russian port framed by volcanoes, and explore a region home to walrus and three species of seals.



#### **EXPEDITION HIGHLIGHTS**

Sail the legendary Bering Sea in regions that teem with marine mammals • See vast breeding colonies of seabirds and sea lions • See sperm whales diving along the edge of the Aleutian Islands Learn about the cultures and histories of the people of Russia's Far East • See northern fur seals, Steller sea lions and possibly Pacific walrus • Explore the site of a fierce WWII battle, now the domain of rare seabirds • Visit coastal Katmai National Park, famous for its large population of brown bears • Discover the varied landscapes and intriguing cultures of the Russian Far East.

#### **RUSSIA**

#### **ARCTIC GATEWAY**

with music and dance and a visit to highlighting local

> ST. MATTHEW AND HALL ISLANDS

The second largest island in the Alutiiq and Russian Orthodox history and is known for its

#### **ALASKA**

#### **ANCHORAGE**

#### SEND OFF

Disembark in Seward and transfer to Anchorage for flights home.

#### FUR SEAL HAVEN

Go ashore at the remote Pribilof Islands where millions of seabirds and marine mammals-including half the world's northern fur sealscome to breed each summer.

#### WWII HISTORY

In Unalaska, visit Dutch Harbor, the site of a fierce WWII battle, and watch for sea otters, Steller sea lions, and rare seabirds in the Baby Islands.

#### **PETRIFIED FOREST**

Walk through the beautiful green tundra of the Shumagin Islands and explore a beach dotted with the scattered remains of a petrified forest in this picturesque archipelago.

#### **EMERALD ISLE**

U.S., beautiful Kodiak is rich with commercial fishing industry.

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SET SAIL Embark National Geographic

Orion in this far north city that sits at the southern coast of the Seward Reninsula and marks the finish line of the

Iditarod, the extreme 975-

mile sled dog race

KATMAI NATIONAL PARK

Bering Sea

#### BERING SEA: PRIBILOFS, KATMAI & KODIAK

## ITINERARY: BERING SEA WILDERNESS: PRIBILOFS, KATMAI & KODIAK

13 DAYS/12 NIGHTS—ABOARD NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC ORION

#### FROM: \$17,830

Visit expeditions.com for all categories, current rates, and details.

#### **EXPEDITION DETAILS**

2021 Date: Jul. 1

#### **SPECIAL OFFERS:**

- BE OUR GUEST: Take advantage of a complimentary pre-voyage night in Anchorage. Call for details.
- We will cover your bar tab and all tips for the crew. See page 56 for details.

#### **ITINERARY AT A GLANCE**

Day 1:	Anchorage, U.S. / Nome / Embark
Day 2:	At Sea / Crossing the Bering Strait
Day 3:	Provideniya, Russian Federation
Days 4-6:	St. Matthew & Hall Islands / Pribilof Islands
Day 7:	Unalaska Island, U.S.
Days 8 & 9:	Shumagin Islands / Alaska Peninsula
Day 10:	Katmai National Park
Day 11:	Kodiak Island
Day 12:	Exploring the Kenai Peninsula
Day 13:	Seward / Disembark / Anchorage / Home

Visit expeditions.com/BERINGSEA for a complete day-by-day itinerary. Or call to speak with an Expedition Specialist.

#### **OPTIONAL EXTENSIONS**

Add a four-night pre- or post-voyage extension at **Tutka Bay Lodge** on the picturesque Kenai Peninsula, or at **Winterlake Lodge** set in the foothills of the Alaskan Range—both National Geographic Unique Lodges of the World. See page 55 or visit expeditions.com/alaskalodges.

#### NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC FILMMAKER & PHOTOGRAPHER

J.J. Kelley is an Emmy nominated filmmaker and explorer focusing on issues of conservation and wildlife crime. Three of Kelley's documentaries have been featured on the cover of *National Geographic* magazine. He was a director on the Bering Sea's "Deadliest Catch." Join him on Jul. 1, 2021.



## ITINERARY: ACROSS THE BERING SEA: FROM KATMAI TO KAMCHATKA

#### 22 DAYS/21 NIGHTS—ABOARD *NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC ORION* PRICING FROM: \$27,990

Visit expeditions.com for all categories, current rates, and details.

#### **EXPEDITION DETAILS**

2021 Date: Jul. 13

#### **SPECIAL OFFERS:**

- BE OUR GUEST: Take advantage of a complimentary pre-voyage night in Anchorage. Call for details.
- We will cover your bar tab and all tips for the crew.
- See page 56 for details.

#### **ITINERARY AT A GLANCE**

Day 1:	Anchorage, U.S. / Seward / Embark
Days 2 & 3:	Katmai National Park
Days 4 & 5:	At Sea / Unalaska Island
Days 6-10:	Exploring the Aleutian Islands
Day 11:	Petropavlovsk-Kamchatskiy, Russian Federation
Day 12:	Zhupanova and Chazhma Rivers
Days 13 & 14:	Commander Islands
Days 15-19:	Exploring the Koryak and Chukotka Coasts
Day 20:	Provideniya
Day 21:	At Sea, Crossing the Bering Strait
Day 22:	Nome, U.S. / Disembark / Anchorage / Home

Visit expeditions.com/KAMCHATKA for a complete day-by-day itinerary. Or call to speak with an Expedition Specialist.

#### **OPTIONAL EXTENSIONS**

Add a four-night pre- or post-voyage extension at **Tutka Bay Lodge** on the picturesque Kenai Peninsula, or at **Winterlake Lodge** set in the foothills of the Alaskan Range. See page 55 or visit expeditions.com/alaskalodges

#### INTERNATIONAL DATE LINE

Sail across the International Dateline into the port of Petropavlovsk, framed by the stunning Kozelsky volcanoes.

#### **RUSSIA**

#### FJORDS AND VOLCANOES

Hike the tundra covered fjords of the Russian Far East and see the volcanic mountains of Kamchatka. Meet the people of the Koryak Coast and learn about their culture.

#### **BERING LIES HERE**

Encounter playful Northern fur seals, meet the people of the Commander Islands, and visit the gravesite of legendary Danish explorer Vitus Bering.

#### WWII CLASH

Explore the island of Attu, where U.S. and Japanese forces clashed for three weeks fighting for control of the North Pacific.

#### BERING SEA: KATMAI TO KAMCHATKA

#### **FINISH LINE**

Disembark in the far north city of Nome, which sits at the southern coast of the Seward Peninsula and marks the finish line of the Iditarod, the extreme 975-mile sled dog race.

#### **ALASKA**

#### ARCTIC GATEWAY

In Provideniya, Russia, enjoy a cultural performance with music and dance and a visit to a museum highlighting local history.

#### **BEAR HAVEN**

Spot and photograph coastal brown bears of Katmai National Park as they walk the shoreline to dig for clams and catch fish.

#### ANCHORAGE

#### SET SAIL

Embark National Geographic Orion in the mountain-framed city of Seward.

#### ALEUTIAN ISLES

WILD COAST

Explore the seldom-

seen Chukotka Coast, a

wild and rugged place

where walruses and

spotted seals have lived side by side with people

for generations.

Explore Kiska and the rugged, volcanic Aleutian Islands, home to vast colonies of seabirds and a variety of whales.

#### **OVERRUN BY WILDNESS**

Explore Dutch Harbor in Unalaska, the site of a fierce WWII battle, now the domain of bald eagles, Steller sea lions, and rare seabirds.

#### NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC PHOTOGRAPHER

Kiliii Yüyan is an award-winning photographer who specializes in Arctic photography and indigenous issues. Kiliii is both Siberian Native and Chinese-American, and he has traveled across the polar regions working with indigenous cultures and wildlife. On assignment, he has fled collapsing sea ice, chased fin whales in Greenland, and found kinship at the edges of the world. He is aboard Jul. 13, 2021.

# TRAVELING FOR GOOD IN ALASKA

#### THROUGH THE LINDBLAD EXPEDITIONS-NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC

Fund we're working—in tandem with our guests—to support projects that are crucial to preserving Alaska's wilderness and wildlife for generations to come. To date, our travelers have invested more than \$1.2M toward conservation in Southeast Alaska. We are currently making a difference through the support of two major initiatives:

- Alaska Whale Foundation: furthering conservation-oriented research to understand and protect Alaska's whale populations and other marine and coastal wildlife.
- V National Geographic's Early Career Grants: helping the next generation become trailblazers in the fields of conservation, research, education, storytelling, and technology by supporting impactful projects in Southeast Alaska and beyond.

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## Ease Your Eco-Conscience: We're 100% Carbon Neutral

As of January 1, 2019, we are officially a carbon neutral company, offsetting the emissions of our fleet, employee travel worldwide, offices in New York and Seattle, all land-based operations, and beyond. Working in partnership with South Pole, the world's leading developer of international emission reduction



projects, we now have a portfolio of six carbon project investments that align with the United Nations' Sustainable Development Goals. Our investments focus on renewable energy, reforestation, and community-based projects in the regions our fleet visits, and beyond. We are always looking for ways to lessen our carbon footprint at all levels of our business, including

equipping new ships with advanced engines and systems for reducing emissions, fuel, and waste.

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## So Long Single-Use Plastics

Soon appearing in every cabin fleet-wide—our new insulated water bottle for hot or cold liquids. An elegant design, it's part of our commitment to sustainability. Travel with us and you won't find any single-use plastics aboard—no plastic bottles, cups, straws, or stirrers. This effort, along with future plans including crew uniforms crafted from recycled plastic, support National Geographic's "Planet or Plastic?" campaign. Together we are helping to raise awareness about reducing the amount of plastic in the world's oceans.



## WITH LOVE: SERVING SUSTAINABLE SEAFOOD & PRODUCE FROM LOCAL PROVIDERS

**DINING ABOARD** 



RESPONSIBLE FOR LAUNCHING THE FIRSTever farm-to-table program in Galápagos, our Director of Hotel Services, Ana Esteves, is bringing her fresh approach to Alaska. Our culinary program, committed to sustainable seafood and regional produce, is rooted in relationships with our providers, many of whom have been working with us for decades. Fresh-off-the-boat fish, Dungeness crab for our spectacular crabfest, and salmon sticks to delight kids. Summer berries from coastal farms and local craft beers—the food on our ships opens new windows on Alaska for you. The exhilaration you feel at seeing breaching whales and calving glaciers? Our dedicated galley team feels it too, and their excitement is in every meal they serve, nourishing your mind, body, and spirit, and creating daily discoveries.



## NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC QUEST & NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC VENTURE

#### CAPACITY: 100 guests in 50 outside cabins. REGISTRY: United States. OVERALL LENGTH: 238 feet.

Sister ships *National Geographic Quest* and *National Geographic Venture* (launched 2019) are designed with over 50 years of expedition heritage and built in the U.S.A. Both ships set a new standard in exploration and comfort.

**PUBLIC AREAS:** Global gallery; fitness center; LEXspa; lounge with full service bar and facilities for films and presentations; observation deck; mudroom with lockers for expedition gear, and a partially covered sundeck with chairs and tables. Our "open Bridge" provides guests an opportunity to meet our officers and Captain and learn about navigation.

**MEALS:** Served in a single seating with unassigned tables. The menu features locally inspired fare.

**CABINS:** All cabins face outside with windows or portholes, private facilities and climate controls. Category 4 cabins have step-out balconies.

**EXPEDITION EQUIPMENT:** A fleet of 8 Zodiacs and 24 kayaks, paddleboards, Remotely Operated Vehicle (ROV), hydrophone, splash-cam, underwater video camera, video microscope, snorkeling gear and wet suits for all guests (where applicable).

**SPECIAL FEATURES:** Guest internet access, elevator, Lindblad-National Geographic certified photo instructor, video chronicler and undersea specialist. **WELLNESS:** The vessel is staffed by a Wellness Specialist and features a gym with an elliptical machine, treadmill, exercycles, handweights and resistance bands. Treatments in the LEXspa are available by appointment.

SELF-DISINFECTING SHIPS: Lindblad Expeditions became the first self-disinfecting fleet with the rollout of the ACT CleanCoat<sup>™</sup> system in 2019. This photocatalytic cleaning process activates when illuminated, continuously breaking down unwanted microbes such as bacteria, viruses, mold, and airborne allergens. The positive environmental impacts of this non-toxic, chemical-free system are many: less plastic in the supply chain and waste stream, and more than one million gallons of water saved annually. The system lowers our carbon footprint and creates a cleaner, healthier shipboard environment for guests and crew alike.



Enjoy expansive views and regional fare in the informal dining room; gather to watch for wildlife or enjoy an evening cocktail with friends in the open air, partially covered sun deck.



Clockwise above: the lounge, with 270° views, is the hub of the expedition community; Category 5 cabin is our most spacious; Category 4 cabin with lower single beds (which can be converted to queen) and private step-out balcony.

**CATEGORY 1:** Main Deck #301-306 Cabins feature two lower single beds that can convert to a Queen, a writing desk and two portholes.

**CATEGORY 2:** Main Deck #307-315 Cabins feature two lower single beds that can convert to a Queen, a writing desk and two portholes.

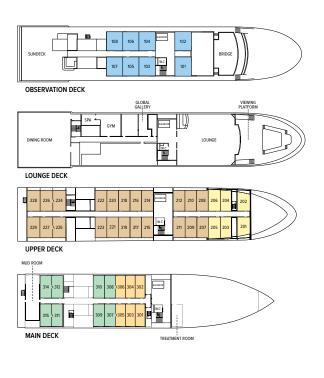
**CATEGORY 3:** Upper Deck #201-206 Cabins feature two lower single beds that can convert to a Queen, a writing desk and two large view windows.

**CATEGORY 4:** Upper Deck #207-229 Cabins feature two lower single beds that can convert to a Queen, a writing desk, sliding glass door, and small, private balcony.

**CATEGORY 5 (SUITE):** Observation Deck #101-108 Cabins feature two lower single beds that can convert to a Queen, large view windows, an expanded bathroom, writing desk, ample storage space, and a convertible sofa bed to accommodate a third person.

**NOTE:** Solo Occupancy cabins are available in Categories 1 and 2 only. Third person rates are available in Category 5 cabins at one half the double occupancy rate.

**Connecting Cabins via internal doorway access:** Main Deck: #312-314, #311-315, #306-308, #305-307; Upper Deck: #224-226, #225-227



SEE MORE ONLINE: Learn more about National Geographic Quest at expeditions.com/quest and National Geographic Venture at expeditions.com/venture



## NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC SEA BIRD & NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC SEA LION

CAPACITY: 62 guests in 31 outside cabins. REGISTRY: United States. OVERALL LENGTH: 152 feet.

**PUBLIC AREAS:** Our twin sister ships feature a library; global market; lounge with full-service bar and facilities for films, slide shows and presentations; observation deck; partially covered sun deck with chairs and tables, and LEXspa. Our "open Bridge" provides guests an opportunity to meet our officers and Captain and learn about navigation.

**MEALS:** Served in a single seating with unassigned tables. The menu features locally inspired fare.

**CABINS:** All face outside with windows, private facilities and climate controls.

**EXPEDITION EQUIPMENT:** A fleet of 6 Zodiacs and 16 kayaks, paddleboards, Remotely Operated Vehicle (ROV), hydrophone, splash-cam, underwater video camera, video microscope, snorkeling gear and wet suits for all guests (where applicable).

**SPECIAL FEATURES:** Guest internet access, Lindblad-National Geographic certified photo instructor, video chronicler and undersea specialist.

**WELLNESS:** The vessel is staffed by a wellness specialist and features exercise equipment, LEXspa and outdoor stretching area.

**SELF-DISINFECTING SHIPS:** Lindblad Expeditions became the first self-disinfecting fleet with the rollout of the ACT CleanCoat<sup>™</sup> system in 2019. This photocatalytic cleaning

process activates when illuminated, continuously breaking down unwanted microbes such as bacteria, viruses, mold, and airborne allergens. The positive environmental impacts of this non-toxic, chemical-free system are many: less plastic in the supply chain and waste stream, and more than one million gallons of water saved annually. The system lowers our carbon footprint and creates a cleaner, healthier shipboard environment for guests and crew alike.



Dinner is served in single seatings with unassigned tables for easy mingling; enjoy morning stretch class or afternoon wildlife viewing from the partially covered sun deck.



Clockwise from left: the lounge with expedition library and flatscreens for easy presentation viewing; twin beds can be pushed together to form a double in Category 3 cabins on the Upper Deck; a comfortable Category 2 cabin.

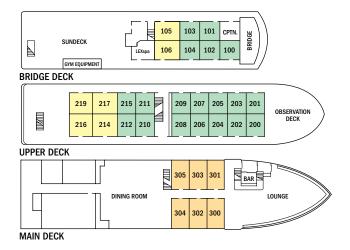
**CATEGORY 1:** Main Deck #300-305—Conveniently positioned between the dining room & lounge, these cabins feature two single lower beds, and a large view window.

**CATEGORY 2:** Bridge Deck #100-104; Upper Deck #200-212, 215—These well-located cabins include two lower single beds & a view window.

**CATEGORY 3:** Bridge Deck #105, 106; Upper Deck #214, 216, 217, 219—These cabins feature a seating unit with table and two large view windows. Upper Deck cabins include two lower single beds which can convert to a double bed and a pull-out single bed for a third person; Bridge Deck cabins include two lower single beds only.

**NOTE:** Solo Occupancy cabins are available in Categories 1 and 2 only. Third person rates are available in certain categories at one half the double occupancy rate.

**SHARED ACCOMMODATIONS:** Shares can be arranged at the double occupancy rate in Categories 1 and 2 only.



SEE MORE ONLINE: Learn more about National Geographic Sea Bird at expeditions.com/seabird and National Geographic Sea Lion at expeditions.com/sealion



## NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC ORION

#### CAPACITY: 102 guests in 53 outside cabins. REGISTRY: Bahamas. OVERALL LENGTH: 338 feet.

The state-of-the-art *National Geographic Orion* is a fully stabilized, ice-class vessel with an ice-reinforced hull. *National Geographic Orion* is at home navigating polar ice, as well as island harbors in the South Pacific.

**PUBLIC AREAS:** Outdoor café, lounge with bar and state-of-theart facilities, restaurant, sundeck, reception desk, observation lounge and library, global gallery, and marina platform. The whirlpool hot tub doubles as a plunge pool in warm climates. Our "open Bridge" allows guests to meet our Captain and officers and learn about navigation.

**MEALS:** All meals are served in a single seating with unassigned tables for an informal atmosphere and easy mingling. The cuisine is international with local flair, featuring tastes of the regions we explore.

**CABINS:** All cabins feature ocean views, private facilities, climate controls, and a flat-screen TV. Equipped with Ethernet and Wi-Fi connections and USB ports for mobile devices. Some cabins have French balconies. Single cabins in Category 1 and Category 3 include #301, 322, 323, and 512.

**EXPEDITION EQUIPMENT:** Zodiac landing craft, a fleet of 24 double kayaks, a crow's nest camera, a hydrophone, underwater video cameras, video microscope, and a Remotely Operated Vehicle (ROV). Plus, for South Pacific voyages, there is snorkeling gear for all guests, scuba gear for a number of pre-qualified guests, stand-up paddleboards, glass-bottom Zodiac, and splash-cam.

**SPECIAL FEATURES:** Laundry, a full-time doctor, National Geographic photographer and Lindblad-National Geographic certified photo instructor, plus an undersea specialist and video chronicler. On all South Pacific voyages, there are a minimum of two dive masters.

**WELLNESS:** A wellness specialist, fitness center, LEXspa treatment room and sauna are on board.

SELF-DISINFECTING SHIPS: Lindblad Expeditions became the first self-disinfecting fleet with the rollout of the ACT CleanCoat<sup>™</sup> system in 2019. This photocatalytic cleaning process activates when illuminated, continuously breaking down unwanted microbes such as bacteria, viruses, mold, and airborne allergens. The positive environmental impacts of this non-toxic, chemical-free system are many: less plastic in the supply chain and waste stream, and more than one million gallons of water saved annually. The system lowers our carbon footprint and creates a cleaner, healthier shipboard environment for guests and crew alike.



From top: Dining excellence and regional flavors are a hallmark of our expeditions; Observation lounge and library.



Clockwise from left: Main lounge and bar; Category 5 suite with French balcony; Category 2 cabin.

CATEGORY 1: Main Deck with oval window #316, 318, 319-321

**CATEGORY 2:** Main Deck with oval window #302-312, 314, 315, 317

**CATEGORY 3:** Upper Deck—Suite with window #401-412, 414-419

**CATEGORY 4:** Bridge Deck—Deluxe suite with window #511, 515

**CATEGORY 5:** Bridge Deck—Suite with French balcony #501, 503-506, 508

**CATEGORY 6:** Bridge Deck—Owner's suite with French balcony #502, 507, 509\*, 510

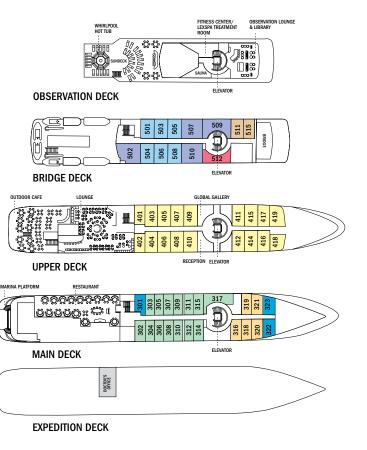
\*Cabin 509 has two windows in lieu of a French balcony.

**CATEGORY 1 SOLO:** Main Deck with oval window or two portholes #301, 322, 323

**CATEGORY 3 SOLO:** Bridge Deck—Suite with two windows #512

**NOTE:** Solo occupancy cabins available in Categories 1 and 3. Shared accommodations available in Categories 1 and 2.

**NOTE:** Third person rates available at one-half the double occupancy rate in designated triple occupancy cabins.



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## **DENALI NATIONAL PARK & PRESERVE**

#### EXPLORE FROM A COMFORTABLE WILDERNESS LODGE.



With the idyllic Denali Park Village lodge<sup>\*</sup> as your base camp, you'll enjoy unique access to Denali National Park. Enjoy a wide range of outdoor activities including wildlife spotting, river-rafting, and even pup-cuddling at a sled dog training facility. Throughout you'll learn about Denali's natural and cultural history, plus enjoy locally sourced cuisine.

#### 7 DAYS POST-VOYAGE EXTENSION FROM: \$6,950

#### **ITINERARY AT A GLANCE**

Day 1: Juneau/Fairbanks Day 2: Fairbanks/Chena Hot Springs Days 3–5: Denali National Park & Preserve/Alaska Railroad Day 6: Denali National Park & Preserve/Anchorage Day 7: Anchorage/Home

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\*Select departures will stay in the rustic cottages of McKinley Creekside. Ask your Expedition Specialist for details.



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7 DAYS PRE- OR POST-VOYAGE EXTENSION FROM: \$6.190

**EXPLORE THE SAW-TOOTHED** peaks and towering forests of the Canadian Rockies and Banff National Park, a UNESCO World Heritage Site. Learn the region's colorful history before flying to the secluded, high-end Bobbie

Burns Lodge, the basecamp from which you'll be outfitted, flown, and guided through some of the region's most scenic, diverse, and wild trails on hikes tailored to your preferred activity level. Discover the incredible beauty of these seldom-visited regions that are otherwise inaccessible.

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### TUTKA BAY LODGE

5 DAYS PRE- OR POST-**VOYAGE EXTENSION** FROM: \$7,530

EXPERIENCE THE **TREASURES OF ALASKA'S** 

pristine Kachemak Bay and the wild Kenai Peninsula during a stay at Tutka Bay Lodge. Choose among abundant options for exploring Tutka Bay's breathtaking natural surroundings, from a deep-sea fishing trip to a float plane excursion in search of Alaskan brown bears. Kayak among untamed islets and hike a winding network of trails through old-growth spruce forests. Relax in the evenings with delicious, locally sourced meals and a seat by the bonfire.

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#### **GLACIER BAY NATIONAL** PARK & PRESERVE

#### **3 DAYS PRE- OR POST-VOYAGE EXTENSION** FROM: \$1.290

TAKE TIME TO LINGER IN GLACIER BAY over three days at the Glacier Bay Lodge, the only accommodations located within the national park. Glacier Bay is a 3.3 million-acre treasure of natural wonders and wildlife, and a U.S. World Heritage Site. Hike through the spruce and hemlock for-



ests that cloak the lodge, set among small ponds and in the shadow of massive, snow-capped mountains. Spend a day aboard a catamaran with a park ranger who illuminates all you see. Kayak in Bartlett Cove, see calving glaciers, hike along the beach, and wrap up each day with a sunset over the Fairweather Mountains.

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**DELVE INTO THE BREATHTAKING** wilderness of the Alaska Range



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The Tutka Bay and Winterlake Lodge extensions above can be taken with Bering Sea Wilderness: Pribilofs, Katmai & Kodiak and Across the Bering Sea: From Katmai to Kamchatka itineraries (pages 38-41). Call or visit our website for details.

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#### Discover the Great Bear Rainforest with National Geographic Explorer Dr. Rae Wynn-Grant



Joining us for our inaugural season exploring the Great Bear Rainforest is Dr. Wynn-Grant, a large carnivore ecologist and expert on bear behavior. A public speaker, storyteller, and science communicator, National Geographic recently featured her in

the documentary special "Women of Impact: Changing the World." Dr. Wynn-Grant was awarded a grant to study spirit bear behavior in the region and will provide cutting-edge information in lectures and presentations. VOYAGE TO THE GREAT BEAR RAINFOREST (PAGE 30) September 21, 2021

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- Environmentally-friendly refillable water bottle
- ✓ Morning stretch classes with wellness specialist
- ✓ Fitness equipment
- ✓ Access to reference books and board games in the library
- $\checkmark$  The guidance and company of our expedition staff

#### ASHORE

- ✓ Special access permits, park fees, port taxes
- Transfers to and from group flights
- $\checkmark$  The expertise of our expedition staff

#### ACTIVITIES

- ✓ Zodiac explorations
- ✓ Kayaking
- ✓ Stand-up paddleboarding
- Presentations & photo instruction, including a special Alaska Whale Foundation presentation on select departures

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