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## Alaska Ferry Vacations – 2017

**Tour** : 7 Day Denali and Glaciers by Rail

**Tour Number** : 2064

### TRAVEL ARRANGEMENTS

Typical Itinerary runs from Monday to Sunday and is based on 2 people traveling together.

**2017 Departure Dates:**

Daily, beginning June 2 to September 6

**Tour Cost: US\$2,099.00 per person**

**Upgrade to Alaska Railroad Gold Star Service (Dome car seating and meals included) for only \$499 per person.**

### Day 1

#### Anchorage



Alaska's largest city, Anchorage, lies between the mountains and the sea and yet is no stranger to the wilderness. There is no other urban area like it.

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### Accommodation for 1 night in Anchorage

Your tour features an Anchorage hotel in downtown near the Alaska Railroad Depot. Ideally located on the banks of Ship Creek, the property is within walking distance of lovely downtown Anchorage. Attractions that are just minutes away include the Alaska Railroad and the Alaska Center for the Performing Arts.

## Day 2

### Train from Anchorage to Denali - Adventure Class

Departure: 08:15 a.m.

Arrival: 03:45 p.m.

The Denali Star, the Alaska Railroad's flagship train, links Anchorage to Fairbanks with stops in Wasilla, Talkeetna, and Denali Park.



## DENALI



The towering granite spires and snowy summits of Denali National Park and Preserve straddle 160 miles of the Alaska Range and display so much elevation they are often lost in the clouds. Dominating this skyline is North America's highest peak; Mount McKinley standing tall at 20,237 feet and one of the most amazing sights in Alaska.

### Accommodation for 2 nights in Denali National Park

Your accommodations are located seven miles south of the park entrance and nestled along the banks of the Nenana River. Spread over 20 acres it offers light hiking and interpretive trails throughout the facility. For the adventurous, there are more rugged trails located near the property entrance. Ideal for families and convenient for travelers with their own vehicle, this Denali Lodge brings you close to the action – yet enjoy the evening solitude as you relax to the sound of the river sweeping by.

## Day 3

### Kantishna Wilderness Trails

Departure time: 07:00 a.m.

Fully narrated, all-day trip. Not only do you get to travel the entire road—which gives you more opportunities to spot wildlife—but you'll also have planned stops to get out, stretch your legs and explore a bit at points along the way, including Kantishna, an area deep in the park with a gold-mining past, and one that most Denali visitors never see.



## Day 4

### **Train from Denali to Anchorage - Adventure Class**

Departure: 12:45 p.m.

Arrival: 08:00 p.m.

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## Day 5

### **Train from Anchorage to Seward - Adventure Class**

Departure: 06:45 a.m.

Arrival: 11:00 a.m.

### **Seward**

Scenic Seward, flanked by rugged mountains to one side and sparkling Resurrection Bay on the other, has a way of luring visitors. There is fantastic hiking nearby, a quaint downtown, the amazing Alaska Sea Life Center and excellent in-town camping where you can park your vehicle and walk to most attractions.

### **Kenai Fjords National Park tour - 6 hours**

Departure time: 11:30 a.m.

The Kenai Fjords National Park Tour takes you inside Kenai Fjords National Park to see abundant wildlife, alpine and tidewater glaciers and breathtaking scenery. You also visit the Alaska Maritime National Wildlife Refuge, home to a large variety of whales, seabirds, stellar sea lions, sea otters and more. This is a 6-hour tour, leaving Seward at 11:30am and returning at 5:30pm. Lunch is included.



### **Train from Seward to Girdwood - Adventure Class**

Departure: 06:00 p.m.

Arrival: 08:50 p.m.

### **Accommodation for 1 night in Girdwood**

A chateau style property located on Alyeska ski slopes. The 60-person aerial tram departs from the property 2300 feet to the top of Alyeska. Glacier Express and Seven Glaciers Restaurant are at the top of the mountain.

## Day 6

### Spencer Glacier Float Trip

Departure time: 11:00 a.m.

Visit Alaska Wildlife conservation center including a catered lunch. Then travel aboard the Alaska Railroad for a beautiful ride to Spencer Glacier. Enjoy a raft tour floating amongst icebergs with a spectacular glacier view. This is the Alaskan experience that you always pictured in your minds eye. You might even get a chance to touch an iceberg!



After this amazingly scenic float, you'll get back on the train and return to your point of origin. This trip is tons of fun for the whole family! Return by motor coach to Downtown Anchorage

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## Day 7

### Your tour ends in Anchorage

Let us assist you with your return home, or discover more of Alaska with another of our Alaska Ferry Vacations!

## GENERAL INFORMATION AND CONDITIONS ALASKA TOURS

A "**plan-to-go**" **deposit** may be required after initial consultation. Usually we spend up to an hour planning alternatives for you for free. Then we request a small fee (and apply it to the cost of your tour) to cover the time our Alaska Tour Planning Specialists spend further customizing your tour to your timeframe and budget. This fee usually is \$50 per adult.

**Reservations** are recommended as early as possible to confirm specific departures. A deposit of \$500 per person or 50% of the total tour, whichever is greater is required at time of booking. Full payment is required 60 days prior to departure.

**Cancellations and refunds:** Deposits and other payments are non-refundable.

**Late reservations:** Reservations booked within 30 days of departure are on a request basis and are subject to availability. Late reservations are subject to a \$25 Express Handling fee.

**Due to weather** cancellation or change of some of tour components may be necessary and are non-refundable.

**Insurance:** Trip Cancellation, Baggage, Personal Accident, Injury and Liability Insurance is highly recommended at time of booking. Ask your reservations agent about the policies available from Viking Travel, Inc. or consult your insurance agent.

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