

11-Night Mountain Valley Explorer | Cruisetour 3B (Southbound)

4-night, pre-cruise, escorted land tour to Anchorage, Denali, Talkeetna and Alyeska (Girdwood), followed by a 7-night Southbound Alaska and Hubbard Glacier cruise onboard *Radiance of the Seas*.

2020 DEPARTURES — May 18, June 1, 15 & 29, July 13 & 27, August 10 & 24



3B INCLUDED EXPERIENCES

- Alaska SeaLife Center
- Alyeska Tram
- Denali Natural History Tour
- Rail Anchorage to Denali
- Wildlife Conservation Center



DAY 1 – MONDAY | Anchorage

• Arrive in Anchorage where an airport transfer (included) brings you to the hotel to meet your Adventure Specialist. Then you're free to delve into the city's unique culture: check out the eclectic dining scene, try a local craft beer, or stroll the waterfront in the evening sun. Overnight at the Anchorage Marriott.

DAY 2 – TUESDAY | Anchorage | Denali

• Board the glass-domed cars of the Wilderness Express® for the scenic rail journey to Denali.
• From 4:30 p.m., Denali is yours to

explore. Stroll the trails that begin at the park's museum-like Visitor Center, or book an optional adventure, like rafting down the Nenana River. Overnight at Denali Park Village.

DAY 3 – WEDNESDAY | Denali | Talkeetna

• Travel into the park's unspoiled wilderness on the lookout for wildlife on the Denali Natural History Tour*. Then relax on the deluxe motor coach for the drive to Talkeetna.
• From 5:30 p.m., the historic small town is yours to enjoy. Relax at the Talkeetna Alaskan Lodge, whose location offers breathtaking views of Denali and the Alaska Range. You can also hike nearby trails or book an optional flightseeing tour to see mountains and glaciers from on high. Overnight at the Talkeetna Alaskan Lodge.

*For an additional charge, upgrade to the Tundra Wilderness Tour, available through your Adventure Specialist.

DAY 4 – THURSDAY | Talkeetna | Anchorage | Alyeska (Girdwood)

• There's time to enjoy more of Talkeetna's stunning scenery before the coach

departs for Anchorage. Get a taste of the big city during a midday stop in downtown before continuing on to Alyeska. Admire the waters of the Turnagain Arm as you enter the Chugach Valley, but you'll get the best views of the mountains from the aerial tram that ascends from the base of Mount Alyeska to the summit.

• From 3:30 p.m., your time is your own. Indulge in the resort's amenities, or book an optional guided hike on a nearby glacier. Overnight at Hotel Alyeska.

DAY 5 – FRIDAY | Alyeska (Girdwood) | Seward

• Discover the wonders of Alaskan wildlife at two acclaimed institutions. It's a short drive from Alyeska to the Alaska Wildlife Conservation Center, which cares for native, orphaned land animals. Then continue to the coast to the historic port town of Seward and the Alaska SeaLife Center, dedicated to preserving the state's rich marine life,
• Your Adventure Specialist wishes you a bon voyage at the pier where you'll board your ship.

DAY 5-12 – CRUISE | 7-night sailing from Seward to Vancouver