# 13-Night Grand Mountain Marvels | Cruisetour 7B (Southbound)

6-night pre-escorted land tour to Fairbanks, Denali (2 nights), Talkeetna, Anchorage and Seward, followed by a 7-night Southbound Alaska and Hubbard Glacier Cruise onboard *Radiance of the Seas* 

2023 DEPARTURES - May 20, June 3 & 17, July 1, 15 & 29, August 12 & 26 September 9





## DAY 1 - SATURDAY | Fairbanks

• From the airport, your transfer brings you to your hotel to meet your Adventure Specialist. The Golden Heart City, with its lively summer ambience, is then yours to explore. Overnight at Pike's Waterfront Lodge.

## DAY 2 - SUNDAY | Fairbanks | Denali

Discover local heritage and culture while cruising the Chena River on an old-fashioned sternwheeler, then board the deluxe motor coach for the scenic drive to Denali.
From 4:30 p.m., Denali is yours to explore. Your Adventure Specialist can recommend optional activities, from guided hikes to adventures like flightseeing or rafting down the Nenana River. Overnight at Denali Park Village.

\*Arrival times are subject to change. The tour component of your Cruisetour vacation is comprised of a dedicated tour guide, select included excursions, lodging, and transportation as described. Optional excursions are not included. Due to a Denali National Park bus service change, upgrading from the Denali Natural History Tour to the Tundra Wilderness Tour is not anticipated to be available. Meals are not included unless specified.

## DAY 3 – MONDAY | Denali

• Spend the day in Denali National Park traveling into the unspoiled wilderness on the lookout for wildlife on the Denali Natural History Tour.

• Afterwards, your time is your own. Peruse the exhibits at the museum-like visitor center, stroll the trails or relax back at the lodge. Overnight at Denali Park Village.

## DAY 4 – TUESDAY – Denali | Talkeetna 🐗

• Enjoy more of the outdoors in Denali before boarding the glass-domed cars of the Wilderness Express for the train journey to Talkeetna.

• From 5:30 p.m., enjoy free time in Alaska's funkiest small town, whose historic main street is lined with roadhouse restaurants, cafes, brew pubs and unique shops. Overnight at Talkeetna Alaskan Lodge.

## DAY 5 – WEDNESDAY | Talkeetna | Anchorage

• Spend the day discovering Talkeetna's spectacular setting. Take an optional flight sight seeing excursion to the mountain, or visit Talkeetna Lakes Park, home to otters and other animals. Then in the late afternoon,

board the Wilderness Express for the trip to Alaska's big city.

**7B INCLUDED EXPERIENCES** 

Resurrection Bay Wildlife Cruise

• From 8:00 p.m., experience Anchorage's unique nightlife: restaurants, craft breweries and city trails are abuzz in the evening sunlight. Overnight at the Anchorage Marriott.

# DAY 6 - THURSDAY | Anchorage | Seward

The day begins with a guided visit of the acclaimed Anchorage Museum and a brief city tour. Then enjoy free time downtown for lunch, shopping and exploring on your own, before your deluxe motor coach takes you along the Chugach Mountains to the coast.
From 5:00 p.m., the historic port town of Seward is yours to discover. Stroll the historic downtown, one of Alaska's oldest communities, or hike a trail that is so close to a glacier, you can hear the ice crackling. Overnight at Seward Windsong Lodge.

## DAY 7 - FRIDAY | Seward

• Enjoy a relaxing morning before heading to Seward's small-boat harbor, where you'll take the Resurrection Bay Wildlife Cruise, exploring the wildlife-rich coastal habitats and stopping for lunch on Fox Island.

• Bid your Adventure Specialist goodbye at the pier where you'll board the ship.

## DAY 7-14 – CRUISE | 7-night sailing from Seward to Vancouver