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WELCOME ABOARD

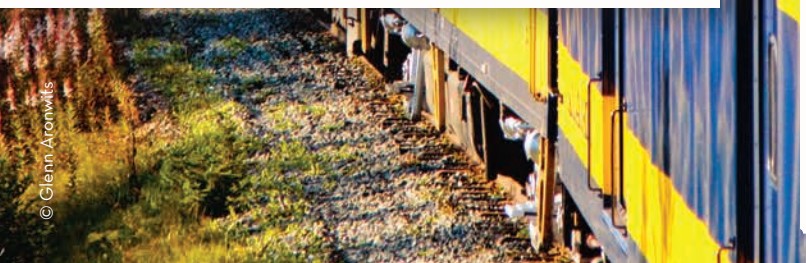
Since 1914, the Alaska Railroad has played an enduring role as a year-round passenger transportation link in a vast state with sparse infrastructure. As steel wheels roll along nearly 500 miles of track, the railroad offers reliable, regularly scheduled service connecting Alaska cities, towns and protected lands – from the larger hubs of Anchorage and Fairbanks, to the charming villages of Talkeetna and Seward, to the treasured wildlands of the Chugach National Forest and Denali National Park.

There's no doubt that our Railbelt destinations showcase some of the best of Alaska – and here at the Alaska Railroad, we believe that the journey should be just as spectacular as the destination. Our friendly, knowledgeable onboard staff is eager to answer questions and share stories about the Railroad. Our onboard dining room is proud to serve freshly prepared meals highlighting local ingredients. And there's no denying that our tracks just happen to traverse some of the most stunning landscapes on earth.

Whether you're an Alaskan traveling for work or play, or a visitor eager to experience The Last Frontier, welcome aboard. We're here to help build your journey and get you where you want to go.

Sincerely,

Bill O'Leary
President & CEO
Alaska Railroad Corporation



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WHO WE ARE

The Alaska Railroad Corporation is a full-service railroad serving ports and communities throughout Southcentral and Interior Alaska. Primarily, we serve as regularly scheduled public transportation in these regions – it's been our commitment since 1923.

In the summer, the Alaska Railroad provides daily service to many Alaska destinations. Passengers seeking rail-only travel will find schedules and fares beginning on page 9, while travelers seeking to explore Alaska may be interested in our multi-day travel packages (page 21) and day trips (page 41). Whatever your reason for riding the rails, we think you'll agree the views from our tracks are some of the most spectacular on Earth.

WHERE WE GO

The Alaska Railroad travels along approximately 500 miles of track with three daily summer trains: the Coastal Classic to Seward, the Denali Star to Anchorage, Talkeetna, Denali and Fairbanks, and the Glacier Discovery to Whittier, Portage, Spencer Glacier Whistle Stop and Grandview. The Hurricane Turn Flagstop Train runs Thursday through Monday out of Talkeetna during the summer, serving remote homes only accessible by rail.

During non-summer months, the Aurora Winter Train provides service between Anchorage and Fairbanks on weekends and select mid-week departures. The Hurricane Turn winter service runs once a month from Anchorage to Hurricane on the first Thursday of the month.

ALASKA RAILROAD DEPOTS & STOPS

ANCHORAGE
411 West 1st Avenue, Anchorage, AK 99501
Ticket sales, baggage service and gift shop.

DENALI
Mile 1.5 Denali National Park Road
Denali Park, AK 99755
Ticket sales, baggage service and gift shop.

FAIRBANKS
1031 Alaska Railroad Depot Road
Fairbanks, AK 99701
Ticket sales, baggage service and gift shop.

GIRDWOOD
Brudine Road via Toadstool Drive
Girdwood, AK 99587
No Alaska Railroad staff or services at this location.

PORTAGE
MP 80 Seward Highway
No Alaska Railroad staff or services at this location.

SEWARD
408 Port Avenue, Seward, AK 99664
Ticket sales and baggage service.

TALKEETNA
22889 South Royal Blue Loop, Talkeetna, AK 99676
Ticket sales and baggage service.

WASILLA
415 East Railroad Avenue, Wasilla, AK 99654
No Alaska Railroad staff or services at this location.

WHITTIER
Mile 1.3 West Camp Road, Whittier, AK 99693
No Alaska Railroad staff or services at this location.
Boarding area under large white tent, across from the cruise ship terminal.

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RAILBELT MAP

Milepost 44 | TRAIL GLACIER
Great views of Trail Glacier, Trail Creek & Trail Canyon.

Milepost 45 | GRANDVIEW
The site of a roadhouse for railroad workers. Named for the spectacular views of this alpine meadow in the Kenai Mountains.

Milepost 48 | BARTLETT GLACIER
Named after Frank Bartlett, an Alaska Railroad engineer, the glacier is visible just beyond a curve in the tracks.

Milepost 55 | SPENCER GLACIER
This magnificent wall of ice rises into view from our tracks. Countless adventure activities await you at Spencer Glacier Whistle Stop (see page 47).

Milepost 224 | ALASKA RANGE
Here you can see a stunning view of Denali (the tallest peak in North America), Mount Hunter, Mount Foraker, Mount Russell and Mount Dall. This is also home to the confluence of three major rivers: Talkeetna, Chulitna and Susitna.

Milepost 284 | HURRICANE GULCH
One of the line's best photo vantage points, the bridge spans 918 feet – 296 feet above the creek.

Milepost 304 | BROAD PASS
The lowest pass in the Alaska Range.

Milepost 313 | SUMMIT
The summit of the Continental Divide is at 2,363 feet. Summit Lake drains into both the Pacific Ocean and Bering Sea.

Milepost 348 | DENALI PARK
This milepost marks the entrance to Denali National Park, home to North America's highest mountain peak, Denali.

Milepost 414 | MEARS MEMORIAL BRIDGE
This 700 foot mass of steel is one of the longest single-span bridges in the world. Dedicated by President Warren G. Harding – who in 1923 drove the final (golden) spike – it marks the completion of the Alaska Railroad. If you look below, you can see Athabascan fish wheels in the Tanana River.

ADVENTURE CLASS

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Comfortably appointed and affordable, **Adventure Class** is a proud standard for passenger service on the Alaska Railroad.

Availability:
All Alaska Railroad routes.

ADVENTURE CLASS FEATURES:

- Large picture windows
- Onboard dining available for purchase*
- Comfortable seats
- Open seating in double-deck Vista Dome cars on most trains
- Bar service*
- Fully accessible

*No dining or bar service on the Hurricane Turn Train.

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» VIEWING PLATFORM «

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» INCLUDED DINING «

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» GLASS-DOME CEILINGS «

The Alaska Railroad's premium class of service offers passengers an exceptional way to travel in The Last Frontier. **GoldStar** tickets include meals, all soft beverages and two complimentary adult beverages per trip.

Availability:
Coastal Classic Train
Denali Star Train

GOLDSTAR CLASS FEATURES:

- Glass-dome ceilings
- Upper-level outdoor viewing platforms
- Included dining in the lower-level full-service dining car
- Comfortable forward-facing seats
- Alaskan tour guide providing narration
- Private bar
- Fully accessible

SCHEDULES & FARES

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COASTAL CLASSIC TRAIN ROUTE

ANCHORAGE • GIRDWOOD • SEWARD

COASTAL CLASSIC TRAIN SCHEDULE

May 9 - September 21, 2020

DEPART → ARRIVE

Anchorage	6:45 AM	Girdwood	8:00 AM
Girdwood*	8:05 AM	Seward	11:05 AM
Seward	6:00 PM	Girdwood	8:50 PM
Girdwood*	8:55 PM	Anchorage	10:15 PM

*Trains may depart early from these stops when all reserved passengers are onboard.

COASTAL CLASSIC TRAIN FARES

	ADVENTURE CLASS Adult/Child*	GOLDSTAR SERVICE Adult/Child*
FROM ANCHORAGE		
Girdwood	$86/43	$181/100 Ⓑ
Girdwood RT	$133/67	$296/168 Ⓑ
Seward	$113/56	$224/132 Ⓑ
Seward RT	$179/90	$371/215 Ⓑ Ⓓ
FROM GIRDWOOD		
Seward	$113/56	$224/132 Ⓑ
Seward RT	$179/90	$371/215 Ⓑ Ⓓ
Anchorage	$86/43	$181/100
Anchorage RT	$133/67	$296/168 Ⓑ
FROM SEWARD		
Girdwood	$113/56	$224/132 Ⓓ
Girdwood RT	$179/90	$371/215 Ⓑ Ⓓ
Anchorage	$113/56	$224/132 Ⓓ
Anchorage RT	$179/90	$371/215 Ⓑ Ⓓ

*Visit **AlaskaRailroad.com** for value season pricing in May and September.*

INCLUDED GOLDSTAR DINING

Ⓑ Breakfast Entrée + Coffee, Tea or Juice

Ⓓ Soup or Salad + Dinner Entrée + Dessert

All non-alcoholic beverages as well as two alcoholic beverages per trip.

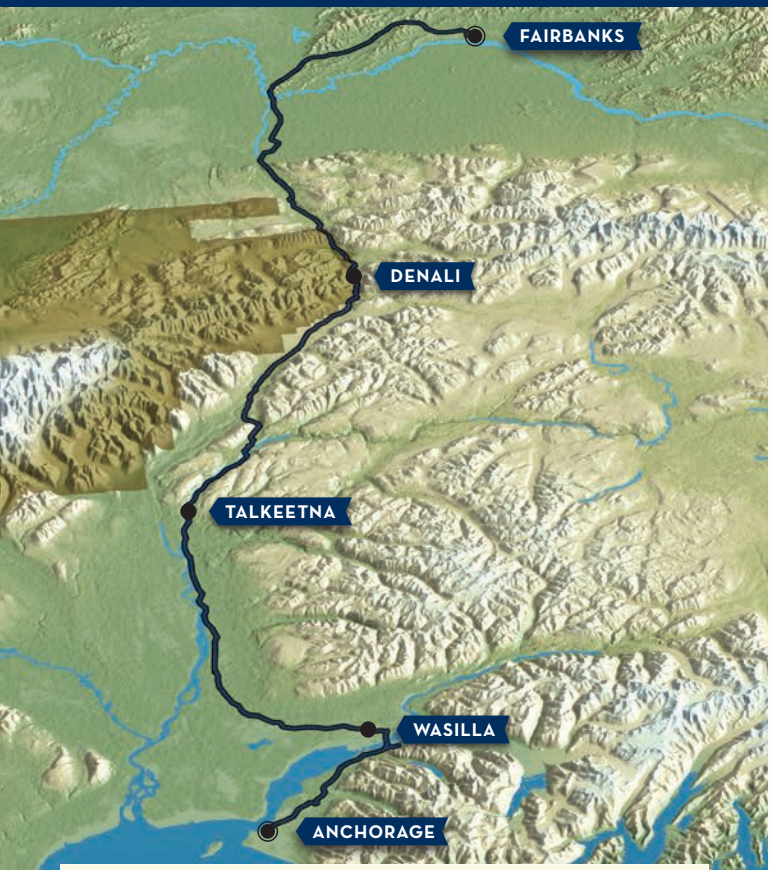
RT refers to round-trip.

As a provider of regularly scheduled public transportation, the Alaska Railroad offers U.S. military 20% off published retail rail fares. Additionally, we offer a College Multi-Ride Pass for students attending Alaska colleges and universities. The Alaska Railroad Corporation offers a Half-Fare Program for seniors (65+), Medicare card holders, and individuals with certain disabilities, allowing them to travel for half-fare during the Alaska Railroad's winter service, learn more at AlaskaRailroad.com/HalfFares.

* Child rate is available for ages 2-11 years. Children under 2 that do not require a seat may ride free of charge as infant in lap.

DENALI STAR TRAIN ROUTE

ANCHORAGE • WASILLA • TALKEETNA • DENALI • FAIRBANKS



DENALI STAR TRAIN SCHEDULE

May 14 - September 20, 2020

Runs northbound to Fairbanks only May 14, southbound to Anchorage only September 20.

DEPART → ARRIVE

NORTHBOUND			
Anchorage	8:20 AM	Wasilla	9:30 AM
Wasilla*	9:35 AM	Talkeetna	11:05 AM
Talkeetna	11:20 AM	Denali	3:40 PM
Denali	4:00 PM	Fairbanks	8:00 PM
SOUTHBOUND			
Fairbanks	8:20 AM	Denali	12:10 PM
Denali	12:30 PM	Talkeetna	4:40 PM
Talkeetna	5:00 PM	Wasilla	6:15 PM
Wasilla*	6:20 PM	Anchorage	8:00 PM

*Trains may depart early from these stops when all reserved passengers are onboard.

DENALI STAR TRAIN FARES

	ADVENTURE CLASS Adult/Child*	GOLDSTAR SERVICE Adult/Child*
FROM ANCHORAGE OR WASILLA		
Anchorage	$68/34	$203/118 (D)
Wasilla	$68/34	$192/105 (B)
Talkeetna	$108/54	$235/126 (B)
Denali	$176/88	$325/181 (B)(L)
Fairbanks	$251/126	$459/263 (B)(L)(D)
FROM TALKEETNA		
Anchorage or Wasilla	$108/54	$246/139 (D)
Denali	$101/51	$230/124 (L)
Fairbanks	$149/75	$310/180 (L)(D)
FROM DENALI		
Anchorage or Wasilla	$176/88	$339/195 (L)(D)
Talkeetna	$101/51	$230/124 (L)
Fairbanks	$79/40	$182/107 (D)
FROM FAIRBANKS		
Anchorage or Wasilla	$251/126	$459/263 (B)(L)(D)
Talkeetna	$149/75	$296/166 (B)(L)
Denali	$79/40	$170/106 (B)

*Visit **AlaskaRailroad.com** for value season pricing in May and September.*

INCLUDED GOLDSTAR DINING

(B) Breakfast Entrée + Coffee, Tea or Juice

(L) Lunch Entrée + Coffee, Tea or Soda

(D) Soup or Salad + Dinner Entrée + Dessert

All non-alcoholic beverages as well as two alcoholic beverages per trip.

* Child rate is available for ages 2-11 years. Children under 2 that do not require a seat may ride free of charge as infant in lap.

GLACIER DISCOVERY TRAIN ROUTE

ANCHORAGE • WHITTIER • PORTAGE • SPENCER GLACIER • GRANDVIEW

GLACIER DISCOVERY TRAIN SCHEDULE

May 23 - September 16, 2020

Glacier Discovery Train travels only between Anchorage and Whittier on May 16, 2020. Round-trip service from Anchorage to Girdwood, Portage, Whittier, and Spencer Glacier will operate daily May 23 - June 5, 2020. Daily service to all destinations begins June 6, 2020.

DEPART → ARRIVE

Anchorage	9:45 AM	Girdwood	10:55 AM
Girdwood	11:00 AM	Portage 1	11:30 AM
Portage 1	11:35 AM	Whittier	12:05 PM
Whittier	12:45 PM	Portage 2	1:15 PM
Portage 2	1:25 PM	Spencer WS	1:45 PM
Spencer WS	1:55 PM	Grandview	3:20 PM
Grandview	3:30 PM	Spencer WS	4:30 PM
Spencer WS	4:40 PM	Portage 2	5:15 PM
Portage 2	5:25 PM	Whittier	6:05 PM
Whittier	6:45 PM	Portage 1	7:15 PM
Portage 1	7:20 PM	Girdwood	7:40 PM
Girdwood	7:45 PM	Anchorage	9:00 PM

GLACIER DISCOVERY TRAIN FARES

Adventure Class only.	Adult/Child*
FROM ANCHORAGE OR GIRDWOOD	
Girdwood	$71/36
Girdwood RT	$111/56
Portage (1st Stop)	$89/45
Whittier	$91/46
Whittier RT	$105/53
Spencer Glacier WS/RT/M	$132/66
Grandview RT/M	$148/74
FROM PORTAGE (1ST STOP)	
Anchorage or Girdwood	$89/45
Whittier	$30/15
Whittier RT	$50/25
Spencer Glacier WS/RT	$115/58
Grandview RT	$125/63
FROM PORTAGE (2ND STOP)	
Spencer Glacier WS/RT	$80/40
Grandview RT	$96/48
FROM WHITTIER	
Anchorage or Girdwood	$91/46
Portage	$30/15
Spencer Glacier WS/RT	$80/40
Grandview RT	$96/48

Unless otherwise noted, summer trains offer dining and baggage service, no smoking cars and wheelchair access.

Fare Table Key:

RT refers to round-trip.

WS refers to Whistle Stop service. Whistle Stop includes optional guided hike with U.S. Forest Service ranger.

M signifies motorcoach transfers from Portage to Anchorage or Girdwood depots. Spencer/Grandview passengers may disembark train at Portage at 5:20 PM for motorcoach transfers to Girdwood (6:00 PM) and Anchorage (6:45 PM). Reservations are required.

* Child rate is age 2-11 years. Children under 2 that do not require a seat may ride free of charge as infant in lap.

HURRICANE TURN TRAIN ROUTE

TALKEETNA • HURRICANE

HURRICANE TURN TRAIN SCHEDULE

May 14 - September 14, 2020

Operates Thursday - Monday; no service Tuesday - Wednesday

STOPS	MILE	NORTHBOUND	SOUTHBOUND
Talkeetna	226.7	1:00 PM	7:15 PM
Chase	236.2	1:15 - 1:30 PM	6:45 PM
Curry	248.5	1:50 PM	6:20 PM
Sherman	257.7	2:10 PM	5:45 - 6:00 PM
Gold Creek	263.2	2:30 PM	5:30 PM
Twin Bridges	270	2:45 PM	4:50 - 5:10 PM
Chulitna	273.8	3:00 PM	4:45 PM
Hurricane	284	3:30 PM	4:30 PM

This unique train – one of the last flagstop trains in America – serves as the sole means of transportation for a stretch of roadless backcountry expanse between Talkeetna and Hurricane Gulch. Passengers can get off the train anywhere, and hop back on the return journey with the wave of a flag.

Round-trip fare from Talkeetna to Hurricane
$110 Adult/$55 Child

For all Hurricane Turn fares, visit **AlaskaRailroad.com**. No dining or baggage service available on the Hurricane Turn Train. Child rate is age 2-11 years. Children under 2 that do not require a seat may ride free of charge as infant in lap.

Commuter coupon books are available for $111. Each book contains 10 coupons; one coupon is valid for up to 20 miles of travel. Alaska Railroad Commuter Coupon books are valid for discounted adult fares only and may be used for points between Talkeetna and Hurricane. Adult coupons may be used for child, military, or senior fares; or a separate child, military, or senior fare may be purchased instead.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

DINING OPTIONS

Onboard food, bar service and beverages are available for purchase on our three main summer trains, the Coastal Classic, Denali Star and Glacier Discovery, as well as the Aurora Winter Train. Full-service onboard dining in the lower level of the GoldStar cars is offered aboard the Coastal Classic and the Denali Star, and is included for GoldStar guests. All three daily summer trains feature the Wilderness Café, which offers hot and cold meal selections to eat on the go.

To see sample menus, visit **AlaskaRailroad.com/dining**.

BAGGAGE

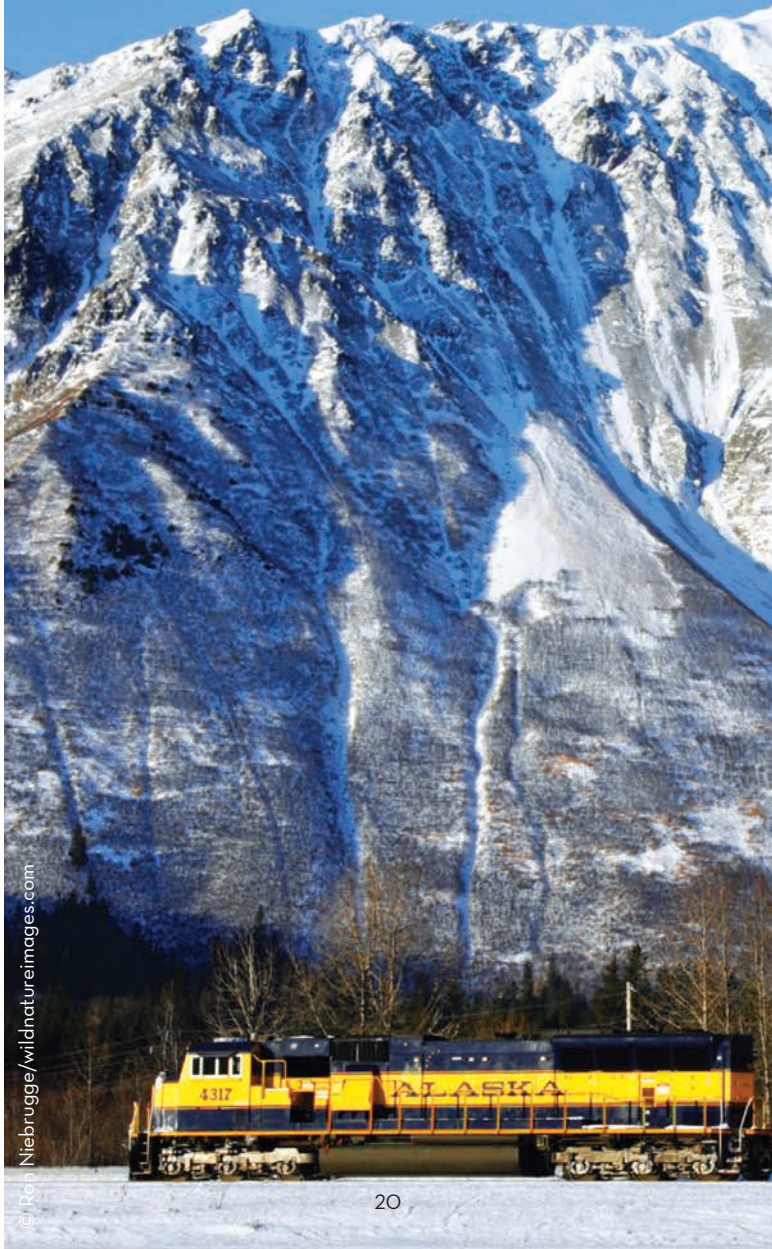
The Alaska Railroad offers free baggage service for up to two pieces of luggage, 50 lbs. or less, at all manned depots (see page 4) during summer months.

GIFT SHOPS

The Alaska Railroad has summer gift shops in Anchorage, Denali National Park and Fairbanks. You can also visit **AlaskaRailroadGiftShop.com** to purchase Alaska Railroad memorabilia, gifts and clothing at our online store. We ship worldwide.

YEAR ROUND SERVICE

In addition to our busy summer season, the Alaska Railroad offers winter rail vacations aboard the Aurora Winter Train, traveling weekends and select mid-week dates between Anchorage and Fairbanks. Experience the quiet splendor of Alaska winter with the Alaska Railroad. Visit **AlaskaRailroad.com/winter** for all winter rail options.



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MULTI-DAY TRAVEL PACKAGES

Alaska Railroad multi-day travel packages are itineraries that include rail travel, accommodations and activities for a complete and seamless Alaska adventure. Find our favorite trips on the following pages, or design your own custom rail journey.

>> KENAI LAKE <<

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HOW TO PLAN A RAIL ITINERARY

With daily summer service to many of Alaska's most popular destinations, the Alaska Railroad is your ticket to a memorable Alaska journey. Book your rail travel, accommodations and excursions with one call to our reservations team.

BOOK AN EXISTING ALASKA RAILROAD PACKAGE

Choose one of our preplanned rail itineraries, starting on page 25.

-OR-

PLAN A CUSTOM ALASKA ITINERARY

1. **Plan Your Destinations:** Refer to the Alaska Railroad route map (page 5) and train schedules (pages 9-18) to plan your itinerary. Most travelers opt to fly in or out of Anchorage or Fairbanks, or arrive or depart via the cruise port towns of Seward or Whittier.

2. **Add Excursions:** Activities abound in each stop along the Railbelt. Pick from excursions like flightseeing, river rafting, glacier cruises and more (pages 55-60).

3. **Call to Book:** Our Alaska reservations agents are experts in building custom Alaska Railroad packages. Refine, finalize and purchase your dream Alaska itinerary with one call – 800.544.0552.

Special Note to Cruisers: Alaska Railroad adventure packages make ideal pre- or post-cruise land tour options. Our itineraries can be customized to fit arrivals or departures out of Seward, Whittier, Anchorage or Fairbanks to complement your Alaska cruise.

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KNOW BEFORE YOU BOOK

The Alaska Railroad acts only as an agent for its clients in securing reservations from the various non-affiliated hotels, transportation companies, and other third-party tour providers. While we will make every effort to accommodate the requests of our customers, hotel and tour substitutions may be necessary to complete the itineraries based on availability.

Prices are not guaranteed until your booking is confirmed by the Alaska Railroad.

We recommend purchasing travel insurance so you can plan your travel with complete peace of mind.

CHARTER A PRIVATE RAILCAR

Private cars may be charted on regular service trains or an entire train may be chartered for special group functions. For more information, contact **charters@akrr.com**.

TOUR SYMBOL LEGEND

We've placed symbols below each tour to help plan your ideal journey. Tours are unescorted unless otherwise specified.

- Wheelchair accessible
- Limited mobility accessible
- Requires ability to get in and out of buses, boats and/or airplanes
- Short distance walking
- Moderate to strenuous activity
- Includes some meals

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ALASKA BY DAYLIGHT

Available late May – early September

DAY 1 – Arrive in **Anchorage** and overnight. Plan to arrive early to explore Alaska's largest city and to get a good night's sleep before tomorrow's early rail journey.

DAY 2 – Travel south on the Coastal Classic Train to **Seward** and take in the spectacular scenery. Embark on a Resurrection Bay Wildlife Cruise and enjoy an all-you-can-eat salmon and prime rib buffet lunch. Overnight in Seward.

DAY 3 – Today, enjoy the Real Alaska Tour (page 56), including a dogsled ride, lunch at an Alaska roadhouse and a tour of Exit Glacier. Depart for Anchorage aboard the Coastal Classic Train. Watch for moose. Overnight in Anchorage.

DAY 4 – Depart for **Talkeetna** aboard the Denali Star Train. In Talkeetna, experience a thrilling 3.5-hour guided river jetboat safari traversing three different rivers. Overnight at the Talkeetna Alaskan Lodge.

Optional Talkeetna Add-on: Denali Flightseeing (see page 58).

DAY 5 – Journey to **Denali National Park** aboard the Denali Star Train. Enjoy an evening of rip-roarin' entertainment and hearty grub at a local dinner theater. Overnight in Denali.

DAY 6 – Embark on a narrated bus tour along the famed road into Denali National Park. Wildlife sightings are common, so keep your camera handy. Overnight in Denali.

Optional Denali Tour Upgrade: Kantishna Experience (see page 59).

DAY 7 – The morning is yours to explore and shop in Denali. Later, take the Denali Star to **Fairbanks**. Overnight in Fairbanks.

Optional Denali Add-on: Denali Helicopter Flightseeing, River Rafting, Husky Homestead Tour, Tundra Golf, Horse Drawn Covered Wagon Ride (see pages 59-60).

DAY 8 – Take a tour on the Riverboat Discovery, a historic sternwheeler, for a glimpse of life in Interior Alaska. See dogsledding, an Alaska Indian village and much more. Overnight in Fairbanks.

Optional Fairbanks Add-on: Arctic Circle Air Adventure (see page 58).

DAY 9 – A historical Fairbanks City Tour treats you to the University of Alaska, Museum of the North, the Trans Alaska Pipeline System and more. Later, fly to Anchorage via Ravn Alaska. Overnight in Anchorage.

DAY 10 – Depart for **Whittier** and Prince William Sound on the Glacier Discovery Train. Enjoy the 26 Glacier Cruise and see immense tidewater glaciers. Return to Anchorage and overnight.

Optional Anchorage Add-on: Opt to spend another day in Anchorage. Fly to Redoubt Bay to go bear viewing (see page 55) or shop and enjoy Anchorage's culinary scene.

For tour price and booking details, visit:
AlaskaRailroad.com/SummerTours

GLACIERS, RAILS & TRAILS

Available late May – late August

DAY 1 – Arrive in **Anchorage**, Alaska's largest city. Book an excursion, or explore shops, museums and restaurants at your leisure. Overnight in Anchorage.

DAY 2 – Depart on the Glacier Discovery Train for the Alaska Wildlife Conservation Center, home to bears, moose and more. Continue on to the Spencer Glacier Whistle Stop, where you'll raft amid icebergs in full view of **Spencer Glacier**. Travel to Girdwood and overnight at the Hotel Alyeska.

DAY 3 – Enjoy spectacular views of backcountry glaciers aboard the Coastal Classic Train to the charming port town of **Seward**. This afternoon, visit massive **Exit Glacier** and a champion sled dog kennel as part of the Real Alaska Tour. Overnight in Seward.

DAY 4 – Watch for marine wildlife and tidewater glaciers as you cruise to a remote wilderness lodge for a two night stay.

DAY 5 – From the comforts of a well-appointed wilderness lodge, enjoy the serenity of Alaska's remote coastal lands.

DAY 6 – Board a water taxi for the return journey to Seward. That evening, take the Coastal Classic Train for Anchorage.

DAY 7 – Travel to **Denali National Park** aboard the Denali Star Train. This scenic, full-day trip from Anchorage offers chances for views of Denali along with wildlife and backcountry beauty. The late afternoon arrival at the Park leaves time for exploration. Overnight in Denali.

DAY 8 – Watch for wildlife and incredible views as you travel 92 miles into the farthest reaches of the Park on the famed Park Road. Spend the night at the Denali Backcountry Lodge.

DAY 9 – This day is completely dedicated to enjoying the Denali backcountry, with options to hike, pan for gold, fish for grayling, mountain bike or just relax. Overnight at the Denali Backcountry Lodge.

DAY 10 – After a hearty breakfast, guests return to the Denali Train Depot for the short train trip to **Talkeetna**. This funky little village is known for its spectacular views of Denali. Arrive late in the afternoon and stretch your legs with a guided hike, spotting wildlife and learning about old-growth forest.

DAY 11 – In Talkeetna, a jetboat ride takes you deep into the National Wild River Park of Devil's Gorge. Depart on the Denali Star Train for the final leg from Talkeetna to Anchorage, arriving in the evening. Overnight in Anchorage.

For tour price and booking details, visit:
AlaskaRailroad.com/SummerTours

ALASKA'S NATIONAL PARKS BY RAIL

Available early June – late August

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DAY 1 – Arrive in **Fairbanks** and overnight.

DAY 2 – Take the Denali Star, the Alaska Railroad's flagship train with service to **Denali National Park & Preserve**. Watch for views of Denali and keep an eye out for wildlife. Later, enjoy an evening of rip-roarin' entertainment and hearty grub at a local dinner theater. Overnight in Denali.

DAY 3 – Travel into Denali National Park on a 13.5-hour narrated bus tour. Your guide will interpret the history, flora and fauna as you make your way to the heart of the Park, **Kantishna**. Once there, enjoy a buffet lunch before traveling back to the Park entrance. Overnight in Denali.

DAY 4 – The morning is at your leisure before your journey to Anchorage on the Denali Star Train. Overnight in Anchorage.

Optional Denali Add-ons: Husky Homestead Tour, Tundra Golf, River Rafting or Denali Helicopter Flightseeing (see pages 59-60).

DAY 5 – See wild Alaskan brown bears in their natural habitat of Chinitna Bay on a fly-out bear viewing excursion. Overnight in Anchorage.

DAY 6 – Travel via the Glacier Discovery Train to the Spencer Glacier Whistle Stop. Float among the icebergs at Spencer Glacier and down the Placer River. A short train ride to **Portage** follows the float tour, and a motorcoach transfer from Portage to **Girdwood** gets you back in time for dinner. Overnight at the Hotel Alyeska.

DAY 7 – Take the Coastal Classic Train to Seward. Upon arrival, cruise **Kenai Fjords National Park**, watching for glaciers, sea otters, sea lions and perhaps even a whale. Lunch included. Evening train departure from **Seward** to Anchorage. Overnight in Anchorage.

For tour price and booking details, visit:
AlaskaRailroad.com/SummerTours

DELUXE ALASKA SAMPLER

Available late May – early September

BEST SELLER

DAY 1 – Arrive in **Anchorage** and overnight. Plan to arrive early to explore Alaska's largest city and to get a good night's sleep before tomorrow's rail journey.

DAY 2 – Ride the Glacier Discovery Train for a full day's adventure. First, enjoy the views of Turnagain Arm before disembarking for a guided tour of the Alaska Wildlife Conservation Center. Reboard the train for your next destination: the **Spencer Glacier Whistle Stop**. Here, raft among glacial icebergs and float down the scenic Placer River before the short ride to the resort town of **Girdwood** in time for dinner. Overnight at the Hotel Alyeska.

DAY 3 – Depart early on the Coastal Classic Train to **Seward**. Upon arrival, cruise **Kenai Fjords National Park**. See hanging and tidewater glaciers, sea otters, sea lions and perhaps even a gray or humpback whale. Lunch included. Overnight in Seward.

DAY 4 – After a leisurely morning, spend the afternoon on the Real Alaska Tour. This includes **Exit Glacier**, lunch at an Alaska roadhouse and a dogsled ride. Evening departure to Anchorage on the Coastal Classic Train. Overnight in Anchorage.

DAY 5 – Travel north to **Denali National Park** via the Denali Star Train. Enjoy a hearty meal and rip-roarin' entertainment at a local dinner theater. Overnight in Denali.

DAY 6 – Travel into Denali National Park on a 13.5-hour narrated bus tour. Your guide will highlight the history, flora and fauna as you make your way to the heart of the Park, **Kantishna**. Once there, enjoy a buffet lunch before traveling back to the Park entrance. Overnight in Denali.

DAY 7 – The morning is at your leisure to explore. That afternoon, return to Anchorage on the Denali Star. Overnight in Anchorage.

Optional Anchorage Add-on: Opt to spend another day in Anchorage and fly to Redoubt Bay to go bear viewing (see page 55).

For tour price and booking details, visit:
AlaskaRailroad.com/SummerTours

ALASKA WILDLIFE SAFARI

Available late May – early September

DAY 1 – Arrive in **Fairbanks** and overnight. Plan to arrive early to explore Alaska's largest city and get a good night's rest before tomorrow's adventure.

DAY 2 – Travel south on the Denali Star Train to **Denali National Park**. Upon arrival, visit the Husky Homestead kennel to get an in-depth look at what it takes to win the Iditarod Sled Dog Race – and get a chance to cuddle a sled dog puppy. Overnight in Denali.

DAY 3 – Embark on a full-day journey along the 92-mile Denali Park Road. Your experienced guide will keep you informed and on the lookout for bears, moose, caribou, Dall sheep and more. Enjoy lunch in the heart of the Park before making the return journey. Overnight in Denali.

DAY 4 – The morning is yours to explore in Denali. That afternoon, take the Denali Star Train south to Anchorage. Overnight in Anchorage.

DAY 5 – Ride the Glacier Discovery Train along scenic Turnagain Arm to Portage, where you'll disembark to visit the Alaska Wildlife Conservation Center. Reboard the train and continue on to the **Spencer Glacier Whistle Stop**, where you'll enjoy an adventurous afternoon of rafting amid glacial icebergs. Travel to Girdwood and overnight at the Hotel Alyeska.

DAY 6 – Board the Coastal Classic Train for **Seward**, gateway to **Kenai Fjords National Park**. Spend the day cruising the fjords, watching for humpback and orca whales, sea lions, otters and more. Return by rail to Anchorage and overnight.

DAY 7 – Depart from Lake Hood, the world's busiest float plane airport, for a scenic flight to one of the most concentrated and viewable bear populations in Alaska. Enjoy a day of bear viewing with your experienced naturalist guide before returning to Anchorage.

For tour price and booking details, visit:
AlaskaRailroad.com/SummerTours

NORTH TO DENALI

Available mid-May – early September
Departs Thursdays – Mondays

DAY 1 – Leave **Anchorage** on a morning departure of the Denali Star Train. Arrive in **Talkeetna** to connect to another route; the Hurricane Turn Train. On the River, Rail and Trail tour, you'll take advantage of the Hurricane Turn's unique flagstop service to disembark for a guided jetboat ride back to Talkeetna. Overnight in Talkeetna.

DAY 2 – Continue the journey north aboard the Denali Star Train, savoring incredible views from the rails before the afternoon arrival to **Denali National Park**. That evening, learn about the area's history at a lively dinner theater. Overnight in Denali.

DAY 3 – Take a guided tour of the Denali Park Road in search of Denali's famed wildlife and a view of North America's tallest peak. The afternoon offers the chance to go rafting, flightseeing, or many other Denali-area tours. Overnight in Denali.

DAY 4 – The morning is at your leisure before departing aboard the southbound Denali Star Train. Arrive in Anchorage in the early evening.

Combine these two tours for a custom journey showcasing the best of Alaska.

SOUTH TO THE SEA

Available mid-May – early September

DAY 1 – Depart Anchorage early on the Coastal Classic Train to **Seward**. Upon arrival, embark on a guided tour of **Exit Glacier** as well as an Iditarod champion sled dog kennel. Overnight in Seward.

DAY 2 – Depart from the Seward Harbor on a small boat glacier cruise in search of Alaska's abundant marine wildlife. Keep an eye out for humpback and orca whales, barking sea lions, playful otters and more. Arrive at a remote wilderness lodge and overnight at Fox Island or Kenai Fjords Glacier Lodge.

DAY 3 – Spend the day exploring and relaxing at the lodge. Join a guided kayaking tour or hike and savor incredible coastal views.

DAY 4 – The return small boat cruise to Seward offers another chance to watch for wildlife and glaciers. Overnight in Seward.

DAY 5 – Spend the day exploring the charming seaside town of Seward, opt to visit the Alaska SeaLife Center or join a guided ziplining tour. That evening, board the Coastal Classic Train for Anchorage.

For tour price and booking details, visit:
AlaskaRailroad.com/SummerTours

ALASKA'S GLACIERS & DENALI CRUISE PACKAGES

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These rail journeys make the perfect complement to an Alaska cruise from Seward or Whittier, and may be customized for the perfect pre- or post-cruise land tour.

SEWARD, 5 Days / 5 Nights
Available late May – mid-September 2020

An overnight in **Seward** allows time for a cruise of **Kenai Fjords National Park** as well as a day to choose to visit the **Alaska SeaLife Center** or take the Real Alaska Tour. Enjoy the Coastal Classic Train to travel to overnight in **Anchorage**. Ride the Denali Star Train for two nights in **Denali National Park**, and venture deep into the heart of Denali on a guided bus tour of the famed Park road. Return to Anchorage by rail.

WHITTIER, 5 Days / 5 Nights
Available late May – mid-September 2020

From **Whittier**, board the Glacier Discovery Train for a journey into Alaska's stunning backcountry. Your evening in **Anchorage** includes time to enjoy dinner at one of downtown's many fine restaurants. Take the Denali Star Train for a night in **Talkeetna**, known for a charming Main Street and excellent views of **Denali**; then continue the journey north for two nights in **Denali National Park**, venturing deep into the heart of Denali on a guided bus tour of the famed Park road. Return to Anchorage by rail.

For tour price and booking details, visit:
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DENALI GETAWAYS

Available mid-May – mid-September

Denali is a must-see for Alaska visitors and locals alike. Build a Denali Getaway in three steps:

STEP 1 – Start with one of these hotel/rail combos:

ANCHORAGE – DENALI – ANCHORAGE
(Includes 2 nights in Denali National Park)

ANCHORAGE – DENALI – FAIRBANKS (or reverse)
(Includes 1 night in Denali National Park)

FAIRBANKS – DENALI – FAIRBANKS
(Includes 1 night in Denali National Park)

For tour price and booking details, visit:
AlaskaRailroad.com/SummerTours

STEP 2 – Choose which tours or activities you prefer: Tundra Wilderness Tour, river rafting, flightseeing, Cabin Nite Dinner Theater. (See pages 59-60 for details and more options.)

STEP 3 – Once you've selected your Denali Getaway, consider adding a rail leg on one of our other trains. Hotel and tour options are available at most rail stops.

Visit **AlaskaRailroad.com** for more information, or call 800.544.0552 to build your custom Denali Getaway.

OTHER DENALI INFORMATION:

Motorcoach Options – One-way motorcoach transportation is available between Denali and Anchorage. Take rail one way and highway the other.

Shuttle Service – Denali hotel shuttles meet the train daily at the Denali Depot. In Anchorage and Fairbanks, most hotels offer shuttle service too, however, please call to confirm. Taxi service is readily available in Anchorage and Fairbanks and may be your fastest transfer option.

DAY TRIPS

Alaska Railroad day trips are designed to make the absolute most of a day in Alaska, combining round-trip rail travel with the best Alaska destinations and activities.

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SEWARD

Coastal Classic Train | mid-May – mid-September

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RESURRECTION BAY WILDLIFE CRUISE

5-hour cruise – with Major Marine Tours

Ride the train to Seward, then embark on this 5-hour, half-day cruise, offering unparalleled beauty and wildlife viewing. Watch for puffins, eagles, otters, Steller sea lions, whales and Bear Glacier along the jagged cliffs of Resurrection Bay. The cruise is narrated by a National Park Ranger and features an all-you-can-eat salmon and prime rib buffet and dessert bar. Seating is reserved in a heated cabin.

KENAI FJORDS NATIONAL PARK CRUISE

6-hour cruise – with Major Marine Tours

Travel via rail to Seward and enjoy this 6-hour cruise which includes views of tidewater glaciers and plenty of wildlife, such as humpback whales, sea lions, porpoise, harbor seals, bald eagles and many types of marine birds. The cruise is narrated by a National Park Ranger and features an all-you-can-eat salmon and prime rib buffet and dessert bar. Seating is reserved in a heated cabin.

KENAI FJORDS NATIONAL PARK CRUISE

6-hour cruise – with Kenai Fjords Tours

Journey by rail to Seward, then embark on a 6-hour coastal catamaran cruise with Kenai Fjords Tours featuring Resurrection Bay and Kenai Fjords National Park. Experience superb wildlife viewing in the Alaska Maritime National Wildlife Refuge and get an up-close view of tidewater glaciers. Lunch is included.

RESURRECTION BAY WILDLIFE CRUISE TO FOX ISLAND

4.5-hour cruise – with Kenai Fjords Tours

Take the Alaska Railroad to Seward, then enjoy this narrated cruise around Resurrection Bay. Learn about the rich history while viewing jagged cliffs, seabirds, marine wildlife and alpine glaciers, including magnificent Bear Glacier. A visit to Fox Island and an all-you-can-eat Alaska salmon and prime rib buffet with a National Park Ranger presentation is included. At 4.5 hours, this cruise is perfect for families.

Packages include cruise and round-trip rail from Anchorage or Girdwood.

PRINCE WILLIAM SOUND 〉 WHITTIER

Glacier Discovery Train | mid-May – mid-September

BLACKSTONE GLACIER

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THE 26 GLACIER CRUISE

5-hour cruise – with Phillips Cruises and Tours

Ride the rail to Whittier. On the 26 Glacier Cruise, you will explore the serenity of Esther Passage, view majestic alpine and tidewater glaciers in College and Harriman Fjord while traveling in comfort aboard the Klondike Express – the fastest catamaran in Alaska. This 5-hour cruise is fully narrated by a Chugach National Forest Service Ranger and a hot lunch is included.

Book Now: 800.544.0552

GLACIER QUEST CRUISE

3.75-hour cruise – with Phillips Cruises and Tours

Cruise into magnificent Blackstone Bay, home to seven glaciers and Yosemite-scale waterfalls. Watch for playful sea otters, harbor seals, kittiwakes, bears, whales or mountain goats. This cruise is fully narrated by a Chugach National Forest Ranger. A hot lunch is included.

Current dates and pricing:
AlaskaRailroad.com/DayTrips

SPENCER GLACIER

Glacier Discovery Train | late-May – mid-September

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SPENCER GLACIER WHISTLE STOP DAY TRIP

The Spencer Glacier Whistle Stop is part of a unique partnership with the Chugach National Forest Service. The Alaska Railroad provides rail transportation into a remote stretch of the forest and opens the door to a myriad of outdoor recreation possibilities. The Spencer Glacier Whistle Stop features waiting shelters, interpretive kiosks, a campsite and restrooms.

A day trip to Spencer Glacier Whistle Stop includes a guided 2.6-mile round-trip hike with a Chugach National Forest Service Ranger; please tell your agent when you book if you want this option. The gravel trail to the glacier overlook is fully accessible and well worth the walk. Lunch is available for purchase on the train.

OPTIONAL ADD-ON:
Alaska Wildlife Conservation Center Visit

SPENCER ICEBERG & PLACER RIVER FLOAT

with Chugach Adventures

Get up close and personal to the icebergs on this mellow float suitable for ages 5 and up. Experienced and professional guides will row you right up to beautiful picturesque icebergs and offer stunning panoramic views of the Spencer Glacier and surrounding mountains. From there, guides will begin the trip down the pristine Placer River still affording grand views of the hanging glaciers and mountains. This trip is one of the most scenic glacier river trips in Alaska and the first tour out of the Spencer area! Professional guides, rain gear, and rubber boots are provided. Includes round-trip rail. Ask about adding on a salmon bake dinner with glacier views.

OPTIONAL ADD-ON:
Alaska Wildlife Conservation Center Visit

ALASKA WILDLIFE CONSERVATION CENTER VISIT

with Chugach Adventures

Ride the Glacier Discovery Train to Portage. Take a brief shuttle to the Alaska Wildlife Conservation Center, Alaska's premier rehabilitation center for injured and orphaned animals. Enjoy 1.5 hours of walking and driving options to view the animals. Guides are knowledgeable about the animals at the center and can offer an interesting and fun tour for all ages. A bag lunch is provided. Return to the Glacier Discovery Train and continue on to Spencer Glacier or to Grandview. (Only available for guests boarding in Anchorage or Girdwood.)

GRANDVIEW SIGHTSEEING

Journey by rail into the Grandview Valley and the historic Loop District where you'll be surrounded by alpine meadows, wildlife and wildflowers. This rail journey takes you through some of the most scenic areas of the railbelt: enjoy exceptional views of Trail Glacier, Bartlett Glacier and Spencer Glacier. Food is available for purchase onboard. Departures from Anchorage or Girdwood include one-way rail and return to Anchorage or Girdwood by motorcoach from the Portage stop.

OPTIONAL ADD-ON:
Alaska Wildlife Conservation Center Visit

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SPENCER GLACIER

Glacier Discovery Train | late-May – mid-September

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KAYAKING WITH ICEBERGS

with Ascending Path

Ride the Glacier Discovery Train to Spencer Glacier Whistle Stop. Here, you'll disembark with guides to begin the next adventure: navigating your kayak amid glacial icebergs on Spencer Lake. Follow your guide as you paddle across the lake near the terminus of Spencer Glacier, where you can stretch your legs on dry land for a short hike near the face of the glacier.

Book Now: 800.544.0552

ICEBERG VIEWING HIKE

with Ascending Path

Enjoy a leisurely 4-mile hike around the shore of Spencer Lake with an Ascending Path naturalist guide. Get away from the crowds by starting your hike where most people turnaround. See blue ice and maybe even touch an iceberg. This tour includes a guided hike and deli lunch. The tour is considered easy to moderate. Please dress in warm layers and hiking shoes. Ages 7-70 only.

Current dates and pricing:
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TALKEETNA

Denali Star Train | mid-May – mid-September

WILDERNESS JETBOAT ADVENTURE

with Mahay's

Take the Denali Star Train to Talkeetna. Board a jetboat for a guided river adventure. Enjoy panoramic views of Denali. Learn about the flora, fauna and history of the area. Visit an authentic trapper's cabin and Alaska Native encampment. Tour includes a guided 1/4-mile wilderness walk.

HOPS ON THE RAIL

with Big Swig Tours

Ride the Denali Star Train to Talkeetna, where your driver-guide will meet you to commence a behind-the-scenes tour of four local breweries as you work your way back to Anchorage. Includes a minimum of sixteen sample beer tastings and a hearty boxed lunch.

Book Now: 800.544.0552

ANCHORAGE TO DENALI IN A DAY

with K2 Aviation

Ride the Denali Star Train to Talkeetna for an afternoon flight around Denali. K2 Aviation will fly you within six miles of Denali's summit. Tour the glaciers of Denali National Park and the entire south side of Denali and the Alaska Range. Glacier landing upgrade is available. Return to Anchorage aboard the southbound Denali Star.

DRYLAND MUSHING

With AK Sled Dog Tours

Experience the thrill of dog mushing at four-time Iditarod champion Dallas Seavey's sled dog kennel. Enjoy plenty of time with the dogs, learn about the sport of dogsled racing, and mush your own team on this guided excursion with a dryland race rig.

Current dates and pricing:
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TALKEETNA · HURRICANE 〉

Hurricane Turn Train | mid-May – mid-September

HURRICANE TURN FLAGSTOP TRAIN

The Hurricane Turn Flagstop Train is widely considered one of the last true flagstop trains in North America. This train departs from the Talkeetna Depot, Thursday through Monday, during the summer season.

The Hurricane Turn runs through a remote and beautiful 55-mile stretch of wilderness, north of Talkeetna along the same route as the Denali Star Train. Locals appreciate the flexible backcountry access the flagstop service provides, while visitors savor views of the Indian River Valley, Denali and Hurricane Gulch.

FLAGSTOP RAIL -N- RAFT

with Denali View Raft Adventures

Ride the Hurricane Turn to Chase and enjoy a gentle float trip back to Talkeetna with Denali View Raft Adventures. The glacial-fed Susitna River meanders through wilderness areas, and weather permitting, offers stellar views of Denali. Your guide will make stops along the way to show you salmon spawning areas, walk on a glacial silt island, and view the flora and fauna. Rain gear is provided on the float. The tour departs from the Talkeetna Depot and includes lunch.

Book Now: 800.544.0552

CURRY JETBOAT ADVENTURE BY RAIL

with Mahay's

Meet your guide at the Talkeetna Depot and board the Hurricane Turn Train for a ride to the backcountry. Take advantage of the train's unique flagstop schedule and disembark at Curry for a guided tour of what remains of this historic resort location. After your tour, board a jetboat for a ride on the scenic Susitna River, watching for views of wildlife and Denali. Enjoy a guided stop at a Dena'ina Indian Encampment and trapper's cabin before returning by jetboat to Talkeetna.

Current dates and pricing:
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EXCURSIONS BY DESTINATION

The following tours can be paired with a rail journey to create a custom day trip; or add/substitute these tours to an Alaska Railroad multi-day adventure package (pages 25-40). For more details and current pricing, visit **AlaskaRailroad.com/DayTrips**.

ANCHORAGE

ALL TRAINS

Bear Viewing
Travel deep into the wilds on a fly-out Alaska bear viewing trip. Observe Alaska brown and black bears up close as they congregate in remote, untouched areas of Alaska, near salmon streams and tidal estuaries.

Fly-In Fishing
Take off from Lake Hood in Anchorage via floatplane to a remote wilderness lodge for a day on the water. Fish for king or silver salmon, trout or Arctic grayling depending upon the season.

Matanuska Glacier Tour
Gear up with ice cleats for a guided exploration of Alaska's largest glacier accessible by road. Expect stunning views and incredible photo opportunities as you trek the surface of Matanuska Glacier.

GIRDWOOD

COASTAL CLASSIC OR GLACIER DISCOVERY TRAINS

Summer Glacier Dogsled Tour
Enjoy a spectacular round-trip helicopter ride into the majestic Chugach Mountains and onto Punch Bowl Glacier, 3,200 feet above sea level. Once there, drive a team of Alaskan huskies across the snowfield.

SEWARD

COASTAL CLASSIC TRAIN

Wildlife and Glacier Cruises
A day cruise of Resurrection Bay and Kenai Fjords National Park is an Alaska must-do. See pages 43-44 for more information on these tours.

Alaska SeaLife Center
Alaska's only public aquarium and marine wildlife rescue center. Get up close to the unique sea animals, birds and fish of Alaska. Open Monday - Thursday 9:00 AM - 9:00 PM; Friday - Sunday 8:00 AM - 9:00 PM.

Real Alaska Tour
This tour is a great way to see Seward in a day. Visit Exit Glacier, pause for lunch at the Resurrection Roadhouse and cap off the day with a 1.5-hour wilderness dogsled ride and tour.

Seward Canopy Adventures
The coastal rainforest surrounding Resurrection Bay makes for an incredible backdrop on this 3-hour guided ziplining adventure.

WHITTIER

GLACIER DISCOVERY TRAIN

Take the Glacier Discovery Train from Anchorage, Girdwood or Portage and enjoy an afternoon cruise of the glacier rich Prince William Sound. See pages 45–46 for rail/cruise day trips to Whittier and Prince William Sound.

SPENCER GLACIER WHISTLE STOP

GLACIER DISCOVERY TRAIN

Hiking, rafting, glacier walks and more await you at the Spencer Glacier Whistle Stop. View Spencer Glacier day trips on pages 47–50.

TALKEETNA
HURRICANE TURN TRAIN

Hurricane Turn Flagstop Service
Offering round-trip service from Talkeetna to Hurricane. Experience one of the last true flagstop trains in North America — the Hurricane Turn. Backcountry Alaska comes alive along this 55-mile stretch of wilderness you can only access by rail.

TALKEETNA
DENALI STAR TRAIN

Wilderness Jetboat Excursion
Embark on a 2-hour adventure. Enjoy panoramic views of Denali, weather permitting. Visit an authentic trapper's cabin and Alaska Native encampment. Tour includes a guided 1/4-mile wilderness walk.

Devil's Canyon Adventure
This 5-hour, 130-mile round-trip river excursion through Denali State Park and into the Wild River Park of "Devil's Gorge" offers a safe, dry and comfortable way to experience whitewater. Also includes a 1/4-mile walking tour of a Dena'ina Indian camp and trapper's cabin. Deli lunch included.

Denali Flightseeing
This is a tour you will never forget. Your window seat affords endless views of the rugged mountains of the Alaska Range, winding rivers of ice and the majestic Denali. Ask about glacier landings.

Talkeetna Lakes Hike Tour
Explore Talkeetna's best trail with a great naturalist guide. A whole new scene of beauty unfolds around every turn on this 3-mile moderate hike. Transportation from your Talkeetna-area lodging is included.

Denali Hike & Flightseeing
Fly by float plane with K2 Aviation for an exclusive day hike in Denali National Park, in the shadow of Denali. Land on Moraine Lake located between Ruth and Backside Glaciers. Meet your guide and get ready to explore. Tour is 4 hours and includes transfers, round-trip flightseeing, trekking poles and an energy snack.

Talkeetna Canopy Adventure
Learn about the natural environment of Alaska's boreal forest from an exhilarating vantage point as you zipline amid the treetops on this 3-hour world-class canopy tour.

FAIRBANKS
DENALI STAR TRAIN

Riverboat Discovery
One of Alaska's top tours – a sternwheeler river adventure. See an operating fish wheel, a bush pilot demo, and a famous dogsled team. Go ashore for a guided tour of an authentic Alaska Native village. Includes snacks.

Arctic Circle Air Adventure
A round-trip journey by air across the Arctic Circle. Highlights include incredible views of the mighty Yukon River, the Brooks Mountain Range and Gates of the Arctic National Park. Cross the Arctic Circle and view the Trans Alaska Pipeline System.

Arctic Circle Drive Adventure
A 1-day guided round-trip journey by land across the Arctic Circle along the remote Dalton Highway. Highlights include viewing the Trans Alaska Pipeline System and the mighty Yukon River.

For current pricing and availability:
AlaskaRailroad.com/DayTrips
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DENALI

DENALI STAR TRAIN

Tundra Wilderness Tour
One of the most popular tours of Denali National Park! A narrated bus tour takes you across a spectacular slice of the Alaska Range with mountain views and lots of wildlife. A snack box and hot beverage are included in this 6-to 8-hour tour.

Denali Backcountry Adventure
This 13.5-hour narrated bus trip explores the entire 92-mile restricted Denali Park Road with stunning landscapes and opportunities for wildlife sightings. Enjoy a buffet lunch at the Denali Backcountry Lodge. Ask about upgrading to a fly-out option.

Kantishna Experience
A 12-hour narrated journey to the end of the Park road, Wonder Lake and Kantishna. It includes lunch and an interpretive stop at the historic cabin of Fannie Quigley, an infamous Kantishna resident.

Alaska Cabin Nite Dinner Theater
This popular dinner theater highlights the Gold Rush tale of Fannie Quigley. A family-style, all-you-can-eat dinner of fresh Alaska salmon, BBQ ribs and dessert is served.

River Rafting In Denali
Raft the mighty Nenana River! Choose from a gentle, family-friendly float to a full-day whitewater adventure. There's a raft trip to suit your level of adventure and schedule. Professional guides and equipment included.

Denali Air Peak Experience Flightseeing Tour
Breathtaking views, spectacular glaciers, and snow-covered peaks. This fully narrated excursion features incomparable views of the Alaska Range and Denali. The best views of Denali are by air!

Denali Highway Jeep Excursion
Stunning panoramas, frequent wildlife sightings and the chance to see spectacular views of Denali make this guided, 4-hour Denali Highway excursion an unforgettable drive! Snacks and drinks provided.

Husky Homestead Tour
Join a small group for this 1.5-hour, fully narrated tour of the homestead and kennel of 4-time Iditarod champion Jeff King.

Denali Helicopter Flightseeing
View Denali while you fly over rugged foothills and winding glaciers in Denali Park. Ask about a glacier landing.

Denali Heli-Hiking
View Denali National Park by air on a scenic flight to a backcountry hike. The naturalist guided heli-hiking adventure delivers panoramic views of the Alaska Range. Terrain is moderate. Snack and water provided.

Triple Lakes Hike
Explore within Denali National Park on a moderately strenuous 3-3.5 hour hike, offering views of alpine wildflowers as well as the mighty Nenana River and Yanert Valley.

Horse Drawn Covered Wagon Ride
Enjoy a relaxing and entertaining expedition into Alaska's scenic backcountry via horse drawn covered wagon. Includes hearty, family-style meal.

Music of Denali Dinner Theater
Learn the story of the first adventurous men to summit Denali in a lively musical dinner theater, complemented by a family-style Alaska feast.

For current pricing and availability:
AlaskaRailroad.com/DayTrips
800.544.0552

TERMS AND CONDITIONS

PAYMENT: For **Rail-only and Day Trip** reservations made 36 days or more prior to travel, ARRC offers a 72-hour courtesy hold; after 72 hours, ARRC requires payment in full, or the reservation will be released. Rail-only and Day Trip reservations made within 35 days of travel require payment in full at the time of booking. For rail-only and day-trip reservations greater than $2,000, after the 72-hour hold, 10% of the gross booking cost is due or the reservation will be released. The remaining payment is due in full 60 days prior to travel. For **Multi-Day Travel Package** reservations made 36 days or more prior to travel, ARRC offers a 72-hour courtesy hold. After the 72-hour hold, a nonrefundable payment of 10% of the gross booking cost is due, or the reservation will be released; the remaining payment is due in full 60 days prior to travel. Multi-Day Travel Package reservations made within 35 days of travel require payment in full at the time of booking. ARRC accepts company or corporate checks and Visa, MasterCard, Discover and American Express credit cards.

LATE BOOKINGS: Package bookings that are made within 35 days require a minimum of 24 hours to confirm availability. Full payment is required at the time of booking.

REFUNDS: "Multi-Day Travel Packages" and "Day Trips" that are canceled 36 or more days before travel will be refunded 90% of the booking value. No refunds will be issued 35 or less days before travel. No refunds will be issued for unused services. The Glaciers, Rails & Trails package is subject to a 36 - 59 day cancellation fee of 50%.

Rail-only bookings that are canceled one (1) or more days before travel will be refunded 90% of the booking value. No refunds will be issued the day of travel.

CHANGE FEES: All paid bookings are subject to a 10% change fee. Changes are allowed on packages up to 36 days before travel and on rail-only bookings up to one day prior to travel. A "package" is any rail booking that includes a non-rail component. Change fees apply only to the changed value of the booking. No change fees apply when the change increases the cost of the booking. Changes to packages that include airline flights or the Denali Backcountry Lodge, Kenai Fjords Wilderness Lodge, or Kenai Fjords Glacier Lodge may incur additional fees. Any charges incurred by the Alaska Railroad as a result of changes made by the customer will be applied to the booking in addition to the change fee. All changes or cancellations must be made during business hours through the Alaska Railroad Reservations Office at 800.544.0552 or 907.265.2494.

TRAVEL INSURANCE: We strongly recommend that you purchase trip cancellation insurance so you can plan your travel with complete peace of mind. Ask your Alaska Railroad reservations agent for a travel insurance quote and about the available plans.

CHECK-IN: Plan to check in one hour prior to the scheduled departure time. Reservations and seat assignments may be altered or reassigned if passenger and baggage are not checked in 15 minutes prior to scheduled departure. The Transportation Security Administration requires that any Alaska Railroad passenger 18 years of age or older present a government issued photo ID, or two forms of ID, one of which must be

issued by a government authority. Children under the age of 16 may only travel in the company of an adult 18 years or older.

BAGGAGE: Alaska Railroad passengers are allowed two pieces of checked baggage and one carry-on. Two extra pieces of baggage (for a total of four) may be checked for an additional fee. No single piece may weigh over 50 lbs. A special handling fee of $20 per bag applies to oversized bags, bicycles, animals checked in the baggage car and other recreational equipment. Firearms may be transported only as checked baggage and must be either disassembled (slide or bolt removed) or have a lock (trigger or cable type) installed to prevent operation, and must be in a locked case. Concealed weapons are not permitted onboard. The Federal Railroad Administration prohibits the transport of other than five liters or less of white gas per container in the bag car; kerosene and propane may be transported on the Glacier Discovery Train but must be checked with conductor at time of boarding. Animals must be transported in kennels in the baggage car. All passengers, baggage and shipments may be subject to inspection. Visit AlaskaRailroad.com/baggage for more information.

SCHEDULES AND FARES: Delays can occur with rail service; the Alaska Railroad recommends a **minimum of six hours** between scheduled rail arrival time and an air departure. The Alaska Railroad will not be responsible for missed connections. Schedules and prices are subject to change without notice.

As a provider of regularly scheduled public transportation, the Alaska Railroad offers U.S. military 20% off published retail rail fares. Additionally, we offer college student discounts including a College Multi-Ride Pass for students attending Alaska colleges and universities. The Alaska Railroad Corporation offers a Half-Fare Program for Seniors (65+), Medicare card holders, and individuals with certain disabilities, allowing them to travel for half-fare during the Alaska Railroad's winter service.

ALTERNATE TRANSPORTATION: The Alaska Railroad will provide the best alternate service available in the event of unforeseen circumstances that may require any part of our service to be altered.

ACCESSIBILITY: We are pleased to provide wheelchair lifts at all stations. Accessibility on other connecting modes of transport can vary, so please check with an agent for details. Alaska Railroad's passenger trains are wheelchair accessible and comply with the Americans with Disabilities Act. Service animals are welcome aboard.

GROUPS: A group is 15+ paying adult passengers traveling on the same route and on the same day. For more information e-mail **groupreservations@akrr.com** or call 907.265.2240.

LIMITATIONS OF LIABILITY: The Alaska Railroad Corporation acts only as an agent for its clients in securing reservations from the various non-affiliated hotels, transportation companies, sightseeing operators and other third parties and is in no way to be considered as the principal or operator of the services. The Alaska Railroad Corporation shall have no liability for loss or damage to baggage or property, due to acts or omissions of any third party carrier, hotel operator, restaurant or another supplier of services or facilities. The Alaska Railroad Corporation reserves the right to cancel, substitute transportation, or alter for any reason, any rail trip or tour itinerary as current conditions, in the Alaska Railroad's sole opinion, may require.

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