

Woodsville Guaranty Savings Bank & Guaranty Tours present:

Discover the Majesty of Alaska

August 3 - 15, 2025

Woodsville Guaranty Savings Bank and Plymouth Travel Tours are proud to present an escorted Alaska land tour & cruise for summer 2025. This vacation offers the exciting sense of adventure, fascinating native cultures, and breathtaking scenery. Your journey includes many options for you to choose your adventure. You can fish in waters known throughout the world for their bounty, observe wildlife, learn the ways and rituals of native Alaskans, or relax and enjoy the awesome scenery from the comforts of your motorcoach, train, and cruise ship.



Your tour begins August 3 with a private motorcoach transfer from NH to MA for a hotel stay near Logan Airport. A group dinner is planned so that you can get better acquainted with your travel companions and learn more about the trip. The next day, we board an early morning flight to Fairbanks where you'll meet your local guide to begin a land perspective of our biggest state. Land highlights include a Fairbanks sternwheeler cruise on the Chena River, Alaska salmon bake, the magnificent rail journey to Denali National Park, a guided wildlife tour of the park, a visit to the historic village of Talkeetna, and an overnight stay in Anchorage.

Next, board Celebrity Cruises' 5-star ship, Summit, in Seward. Relax and indulge in the very best of everything. Enjoy award-winning cuisine and well-appointed staterooms as you revel in the exceptional personal service of the Celebrity Cruises' staff. There's an abundance of entertainment options and activities throughout the cruise, including expert-led onboard discussions of indigenous art, music, history, geography, and wildlife. Guaranty Tours invites you to leave your cares behind and experience this trip of a lifetime!

Tour Inclusions

- Informational meeting (Sept 2024) to meet your fellow travelers and learn more about your Alaska land & sea journey.
- Round-trip motorcoach transportation from NH to Boston Logan Airport.
- WGSB Representative and Plymouth Travel Tour Leader from start to finish.
- Overnight hotel accommodations near Logan Airport with get-acquainted dinner on August 3.
- Round-trip flights from Boston (Flight itinerary will be available in late Fall 2024).
- Escorted (Alaskan Tour Director) on land tour.
- Porter service at most locations (except in airports).
- Fairbanks: 2 nights hotel; City Tour; Morris Thompson Cultural and Visitor Center, Trans-Atlantic Pipeline & Riverboat Discovery III Cruise.
- Alaska Railroad from Fairbanks to Denali in glass-domed Wilderness Express® train car.
- Denali: 1 night hotel; & Discover Denali Tour.
- Anchorage: 1 night hotel; & Orientation Tour.
- Motorcoach transportation from Denali – Talkeetna - Anchorage – Seward.
- 7-night Alaska cruise aboard Celebrity Cruises' SUMMIT including accommodations as reserved and paid for; meals and snacks; beverage package; onboard activities and entertainment.
- Beverage package (including classic cocktails, wines by the glass, beers, soda, specialty coffees & teas, juices and bottled water.) onboard the SUMMIT
- Basic WIFI onboard the SUMMIT.
- Group cocktail party onboard the SUMMIT.
- Prepaid gratuities for the land and cruise portions of the tour.
- Port charges and taxes (cruise and air).
- Motorcoach transportation from Vancouver to departure airport for flight home.

For more information & reservations, please contact:

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Not Included:

- * Airline-imposed checked baggage fees. (payable at airports upon check in).
- * Meals not listed in itinerary.
- * Shore Excursions can be booked directly with Celebrity Cruise lines after signing up and paying the required deposit for the trip.
- * Specialty Restaurants onboard the SUMMIT. Reservations for Specialty Restaurants can be made once onboard the ship.

These rates are based on Double Occupancy. Single, triple, and quad rates available upon request. Ask about our "single share" matching roommate opportunities.

Pricing:

Tour Members: Inside Stateroom, \$6,295 per person - **Non Member:** \$6,495

Tour Members: Ocean View Stateroom, \$6,595 per person - **Non Member:** \$6,795

Tour Members: Deluxe Ocean View w/private Veranda, \$7,295 per person - **Non Member:** \$7,495



TRAVEL INSURANCE:

Participants are urged to review their insurance requirements with their personal insurance agent or consider a policy available from Allianz Travel Insurance. Allianz provides coverage for cancelled and interrupted trips, medical costs, travel accidents and lost/stolen baggage. To review coverage options and to receive a price quote, call Allianz at 1-800-284-8300 or visit their website at www.allianztravelinsurance.com So that we can assist you in the event of a claim, when ordering from Allianz, please include F034456 in the Travel Agent ID field where indicated.

DOCUMENTATION:

U.S. citizens must have a passport valid for a minimum of six months beyond their intended departure date. Non-U.S. citizens are responsible for compliance with their country's entry requirements.

RESERVATIONS & PAYMENTS:

Reservations will be accepted subject to availability at the time of a request. To confirm space on this tour, **please complete the booking sheet and submit it with a deposit of \$1,000 per person. Final payment for this tour is due by April 1, 2025.** Payment can be made in person at Woodsville Guaranty Savings Bank, or by mail, or phone. Credit cards and checks are accepted. Please contact Jenn Hall, Guaranty Tours Coordinator, when making your reservation.

* Please note that special requests for seating onboard motorcoaches is not possible.

- Please indicate your preference for dining : Main seating 6:00PM or Late Seating 8:00PM - While not guaranteed, we will do our best to confirm your choice.
- Please indicate your preference for accommodations. *Inside stateroom *Ocean View stateroom *Veranda Suite

CANCELLATION:

If you cancel for any reason prior to tour departure, the cancellation fees are as follows:

Prior to April 1, 2025, your deposit, less a \$250/person administration fee, is fully refundable. After April 1, 2025, all payments are non-refundable.

NOTES ABOUT YOUR TRIP:

Seat Assignments: Plane seat assignments will be provided by the airline at the airport during the check-in process.

Tour Details: Final information regarding your tour will be provided 3-4 weeks before the departure date.

Gratuities: Gratuities for local guides and drivers are at your discretion. Your tour director will provide you details.

Coach Seating: We encourage members to vary their seats on the coach each day.

Front Row Seats: Front-row seats are reserved for tour directors, guides, and bank representatives.

Early Deposit: To avoid disappointment, we recommend making your deposit early. Reservations are confirmed on a first come, first-served basis. If the tour reaches full capacity, you can be waitlisted. Many of our tours sell out.

Porterage: Porterage for baggage at airports and hotels is not included. We advise members to have luggage with wheels for ease of transport.

Triple and Quad Occupancy: Are based on adults sharing a room with existing beds (2 double beds).

Itinerary Changes: Please note that the itinerary is subject to change. Refer to the "Guaranty Tours Travel Policy" on page 4 for more detailed information.



ITINERARY

August 3, Home – Boston

Depart by motorcoach to a Boston Logan Airport hotel for an overnight stay **Meals: Dinner**

August 4, Boston - Fairbanks

Depart on a morning flight to Fairbanks. Upon arrival, transfer to your hotel. Excitement is in the air as you anticipate your Alaska adventure!

August 5, Fairbanks

Start your day with a complimentary breakfast before embarking on a deluxe motorcoach tour of Fairbanks, also known as “The Golden Heart City.” At the Morris Thompson Cultural and Visitor Center, gain insight into the history and culture of Interior and Arctic Alaska. Then, you’ll visit the Trans-Atlantic Pipeline stretching 800 miles from Prudhoe Bay to Valdez. After lunch on your own, climb aboard a sternwheeler for a scenic three-hour cruise down the Chena River, where you’ll meet a local family who have made their living from Alaska’s rivers for five generations. Witness an Alaskan bush pilot take off right next to the boat, and sail past the home and kennel of the late four-time Iditarod champion, Susan Butcher. Finally, enjoy a delicious Alaska salmon bake dinner to cap off a memorable day.

Overnight Fairbanks. **Meals: Breakfast, Dinner**

August 6, Fairbanks - Denali

Embark on a morning journey aboard the deluxe dome rail to Denali, savoring a delightful breakfast with engaging narration about the landscape and wildlife. Seated in a deluxe dome car, enjoy panoramic views throughout the scenic rail experience. After lunch, venture on the Tundra Wilderness Bus Tour in Denali National Park searching for bears, moose, caribou, Dall sheep, and more. The narrated tour provides unique insights, and a snack is included. Wind down in Denali for the night, surrounded by the beauty of the wilderness. **Meals:**

Breakfast, Snack, Dinner

August 7, Denali – Anchorage

Board your motorcoach and head south to Anchorage. Enroute, make a stop in the charming community of Talkeetna for lunch on your own. Enjoy and photograph outstanding panoramic views of the Alaska Range as you wander through this unique town. Continue to Anchorage, where upon arrival, you’ll have a brief orientation of Alaska’s largest city. Wrap up the day with a delightful, included dinner.

Overnight Anchorage. **Meals: Breakfast, Dinner**

August 8, Anchorage – Seward

Begin your day on a scenic journey by motorcoach along the Turnagain Arm to Seward. Immerse yourself in the natural beauty of Potter Marsh with a presentation on its rich history and diverse bird species. Continue exploration with a visit to the Alaska Wildlife Conservation Center for an up-close encounter animal presentation. Conclude your adventure in Seward. Where you’ll board the CELEBRITY SUMMIT departing at 8:00 PM.

Edging the Kenai Peninsula and framed by the glacier-covered Kenai Mountains that run along its southeastern spine, Seward is a rustic port town whose grand terrain will leave you breathless. Discover the wonder of the Kenai Peninsula from your ship. The pristine wilderness is home to nesting seabirds, countless islands, wetlands, and breathtaking views. **Meals: Breakfast, Box Lunch, Dinner**

August 9, Hubbard Glacier -Cruising

Greeting you as we enter Yakutat Bay is Hubbard Glacier, one of Alaska’s most exciting treasures. Enjoy incredible picture-perfect views of this glorious mount of ice from about every angle on your ship. Named after Gardiner Hubbard, the founder and president of the National Geographic Society, Hubbard Glacier is the longest tidewater glacier in the world. Dramatically massive at about 7-miles wide, 76-miles long and as tall as a 30-story building above the waterline, it’s the largest river of ice in North America. Keep your binoculars handy to watch the drama of calving icebergs. An onboard naturalist narrates the experience while keeping an eye out for the whales, harbor seals, and otters that hunt and play in the waters of the bay. **Meals: B, L, D**

August 10, Juneau

Here the pioneering spirit lives on in an interesting mix of cosmopolitan chic and frontier ruggedness. Nestled between mountains and sea, and inaccessible by land, Juneau offers much to explore. Visit the Alaska State Museum and its exquisite collection of Russian Orthodox and Gold Rush relics, meander through shops, or visit impressive the Mendenhall Glacier, one of 38 glaciers in the Juneau ice field. **Meals: B, L, D**

August 11, Skagway

It's doubtful you'll succumb to gold fever, but if any place on earth can summon up the thrill of prospecting, it's Skagway. By embracing its gold-rush past, Skagway has managed to preserve a frontier spirit complete with saloons and dance-hall revues. If the spirit does overtake you, travel the White Pass & Yukon Railway or ride a ride on the Klondike Highway to places where you can roll up your sleeves and do some prospecting of your own. **Meals: B, L, D**

August 12, Icy Strait Point

Fifty miles west of Juneau and at the mouth of Glacier Bay lies historic Icy Strait Point. For thousands of years, the Tlingit Indians have called this place home. Here you have the unique opportunity to experience superior wildlife viewing, and years of Alaskan history. **Meals: B, L, D**

August 13, Ketchikan

In addition to being the jumping-off point for seaplane excursions into the Misty Fjords National Monument and its 2.2 million acres of wilderness nirvana, Ketchikan is also the ancestral home of the Tlingit tribe. Another "must-see" here is the world's largest collection of totem poles. **Meals: B, L, D**

August 14, Inside Passage - Cruising

Threading along the scenic coast of Alaska and Canada, the Inside Passage is a complex labyrinth of fjords, bays, and lush green islands, home to an abundance of wildlife, including orca, mountain goats, bald eagles, bears, puffins, sea otters and much more. **Meals: B, L, D**

August 15, Vancouver, British Columbia - Boston

Vancouver, Canada’s “Gateway to the Pacific”, displays both laid-back beauty and cosmopolitan flair. From the harbor entrance, see the “Lions’ Gate”, the twin mountain peaks that resemble crouching lions. Disembark our cruise ship and transfer to the airport for your flight home. **Meals: B**

Guaranty Tours Travel Policy

Guaranty Tours features a terrific variety of one and multi-day trips professionally planned and guided by Plymouth Travel. When you travel with us, you'll enjoy modern, comfortable coaches, exceptional dining and shows, outstanding accommodations, and itineraries sure to please the casual and adventurous traveler alike. As a Guaranty Tours Club member, you will be given first notice of upcoming tours, priority enrollment, and a discount off the regular cost of the tours. All Woodsville Guaranty Savings Bank customers are qualifying members of Guaranty Tours.

Reservations & Payments:

Reservations will be accepted subject to availability at the time of a request. Payment can be made in person, sent by mail, or by phone. Checks, Cash, VISA or MasterCard are accepted. Make checks payable to WGSB Guaranty Tours; P.O. Box 266; Woodsville, NH 03785.

A completed booking sheet registration form and a per person deposit are due within 5 days of confirming your tour reservation. The deposit amount is listed on each brochure. Day trips require payment in full for a confirmed reservation.

Non-members are able to make a tour reservation after February 1st of that travel year and will join the tour at the regular deluxe tour price.

The final payment is due 90 days prior to departure. WGSB will confirm reservations on a first-come, first-served basis. If the tour you're interested in is fully booked, you'll be offered to place your name on a waiting list. Guaranty Tours will notify you if space becomes available.

Cancellation:

Prior to April 1, 2025, your deposit, less a \$250/person administration fee, is fully refundable. After April 1, 2025, all payments are non-refundable.

Optional Travel Protection Plan:

Optional cancellation insurance is strongly recommended. Participants are urged to review their insurance requirements with their personal insurance agent or consider the Allianz policy. Allianz provides coverage for canceled and interrupted trips, medical costs, travel accidents, and lost/stolen baggage. For more information, visit <https://www.allianztravelinsurance.com/>. So that we can assist you in the event of a claim when ordering online, please include F034456 in the Travel Agent ID field where requested.

Health Policy:

In compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, WGSB will make reasonable efforts to accommodate the special needs of tour participants. Travelers needing special assistance must inform WGSB when booking to determine what assistance might reasonably be made available. Clients who require particular assistance must travel with a qualified travel companion. Drivers and guides cannot provide individualized help for walking, getting on/off motorcoaches or other personal needs. Any travelers requiring special diets must also notify WGSB upon booking.

Tour Inclusions:

All packages include luxury motorcoach transportation; meals as listed in the itinerary; daily sightseeing and entrance fees as indicated in the itinerary; services of knowledgeable, local guides; services of a Plymouth Travel Tours Director and WGSB Guaranty Tours Representative and more. Multi-day and trips with air travel includes round-trip transfers to/from airports; round-trip jet service; hotel accommodations & baggage handling (where available).

Your package does not include passport fees, insurance, items of a personal nature, meals not detailed in the itinerary, gratuities to local guides and motorcoach drivers, excess/overweight baggage fees and optional excursions, etc.

All tour itineraries are subject to change.

Documentation and Travel Documents:

All U.S. citizens flying within the United States and by motorcoach to Canada must have a valid photo US government-issued I.D. (Passport or Enhanced Driver's License).

Any required travel documents, along with helpful information for your trip, will be sent to you 3-4 weeks prior to the tour departure date.

Responsibility Statement:

Woodsville Guaranty Savings Bank and Plymouth Travel Tours, herein referred to as WGSB/PTT, acts only as an agent on behalf of its tour patrons in arranging transportation, accommodations, sightseeing, and other services. They are not responsible for deficiencies on the part of hotels, restaurants, airlines, cruise lines or any other company providing tour inclusions. WGSB/PTT, nor any of its representatives, shall not become liable or responsible in any way in connection with means of transportation or other services for any loss, injury or damage to, or in respect of, person or property however, caused or arising. We reserve the right to change any arrangements herein set forth should conditions necessitate, offering substitutes of equal value, or to cancel any scheduled tour. WGSB/PTT is not responsible for delays, extra expenses or any other inconveniences to passengers due to weather conditions, other "Acts of God," and acts of terrorism. The right is reserved to decline, to accept or retain any person as a member of a tour at any time.

Notes: By signing up for this tour, consent is given to use your photo on our website, in print, etc., unless advised otherwise.