









#### **ALASKA**

# ARCTIC CIRCLE AURORA (TOUR CODE: 12947)

STARTS AND ENDS	TRAVEL PERIODS	EXPERIENCE	TRAVEL STYLE
in Fairbanks	20 Nov 23 - 15 Apr 24	Winter	Independent Holiday Packages
		Cultural	

Experience Alaska's wonders along the famous Dalton Highway and at the legendary Coldfoot Camp situated in Alaska's Brooks Mountain Range.

### Highlights

- Experience the legendary hospitality of Coldfoot Camp nestled in the majestic Brooks Mountain Range of Alaska for three unforgettable nights
- Venture into Alaska's interior on the renowned Dalton Highway, where you'll pass through old mining towns and cross over the grand Yukon River
- Experience a breathtaking small plane journey from Coldfoot to Fairbanks, savouring the scenic views along the way

Discover the enchanting allure of Alaska's Arctic during the winter season, with a special focus on the region around Fairbanks and the northern areas. These locations are strategically positioned within the Aurora Belt, offering some of the most exceptional views of the mesmerizing northern lights. Prepare for a thrilling 5-night expedition that will take you from Fairbanks to the Arctic Circle and onward to Coldfoot, making it an unforgettable Arctic adventure.

As you journey north, you'll traverse the famous Dalton Highway, affectionately known as the "ice road," a fascinating route that leads you to the Arctic Circle before reaching Coldfoot Camp. At Coldfoot, the exploration continues with a myriad of optional tours that allow you to immerse yourself fully in the wonders of Alaska's Arctic landscape.

Experience an extraordinary scenic small plane flight back to Fairbanks from Coldfoot Camp. This flight offers not only convenience but also a breathtaking aerial perspective of the region, adding an extra dimension to your already awe-inspiring journey.

### **INCLUSIONS**

- 2 nights in Fairbanks at SpringHill Suites by Marriott (or similar)
- 3 nights in Coldfoot at Coldfoot Camp
- Scenic small plane flight from Coldfoot to Fairbanks
- Transfer from Fairbanks to Coldfoot Camp

## **ITINERARY**

## § 1 Fairbanks

Arrive into Fairbanks. Transfer from the airport by hotel shuttle or on your own.

Overnight in Fairbanks at SpringHill Suites by Marriott Fairbanks (or similar).



### §2 Fairbanks Coldfoot Camp

In the morning, you will depart on a guided ground tour in a comfortable tour van from the Fairbanks Airport. Travel through Alaska's interior on the famed Dalton Highway, past old mining towns and over the Yukon River. Along the way, your driver/guide will explain the natural and cultural history of Alaska's Arctic. View the amazing Trans-Alaska Pipeline learn about this engineering marvel. You will cross the Arctic Circle and receive an official Arctic Circle Certificate. In the early evening, arrive in Coldfoot in time to relax on your own, or with an optional Aurora Borealis viewing tour to nearby Wiseman.

Overnight at Coldfoot Camp.



## Coldfoot Camp

Spend time experiencing Alaska's Arctic with a variety of optional tours, such as an excursion further north into the Brooks Mountain Range along the Dalton Highway, or Aurora viewing in Wiseman (not included).

Overnight at Coldfoot Camp.



## Coldfoot Camp

Enjoy another day in the far north, exploring on your own or taking optional excursions.

Overnight at Coldfoot Camp.



## 5 Coldfoot Camp Fairbanks

Depart Coldfoot on a scenic small plane flight to Fairbanks. This tour can also operate in reverse with a flight to Coldfoot on Day 2 and a driving tour to Fairbanks today. Upon arrival in Fairbanks, transfer to your hotel by shuttle.

Overnight in Fairbanks at SpringHill Suites by Marriott Fairbanks (or similar).



## § 6 Fairbanks

You may have time this morning to sightsee. Take your hotel shuttle to the airport to meet your departing flight.

## **ACCOMMODATION**

## Coldfoot Camp

#### **Dalton Highway**

Located near the famously beautiful Gates of the Arctic National Park and Arctic National Wildlife Refuge, Coldfoot Camp provides easy access for adventure and play in the surrounding Brooks Range wilderness. Coldfoot's prime location at Mile 175 on the Dalton Highway serves as a natural base for summer flightseeing, hiking, rafting, fishing, and exploring.



## SpringHill Suites by Marriott

#### Fairbanks

Discover an incomparable stay at Springhill Suites Fairbanks. Located in the heart of historic downtown Fairbanks and just across from the Chena River, the hotel offers charming guest rooms, meeting rooms, a business centre, laundry facilities and exercise room, an indoor pool and a whirlpool. The hotel is home to one of the best restaurants in town, Lavelle's Bistro. Shops, cafes and other restaurants are nearby and within walking distance. Rooms have 140 spacious suites, all with private bathrooms, air conditioning, phone, free wireless internet, mini-refrigerator, microwave, coffee maker, hairdryer, iron/ironing board and alarm clock.



## ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

OFFICIAL LANGUAGE	LOCAL CURRENCY
English	USD

Please Note: Accommodation in Coldfoot is very rustic by urban standards. There are no private bathrooms in the room, toilet & shower stall facilities are in hallway. Rooms have 2 twin size beds.

Package departs Monday's only.

#### Excluded

- International airfares and taxes
- Domestic airfares and taxes, unless otherwise specified in our holiday package
- · Visa expenses, processing and issuance fees
- · Meals other than as specified in our holiday package
- Travel Insurance or expenses of a personal nature (mini-bar, phone call, laundry, etc.)
- Tips or gratuities to guides, drivers, porters, hotel, restaurant or boat staff, etc.
- Or any other travel expense that has not been included in our holiday package
- Other excursions