

ALASKA RAIL VACATIONS

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Alaska Northern Lights Train | Aurora, Ice Fishing, Dog Mushing & Sledding

2024/2025 Winter

Alaska Winter Rail Vacation

7 Days / 6 Nights Anchorage to Fairbanks
Priced at USD \$2,335 per person

INTRODUCTION

Combine Alaska's Northern Lights with Alaska Railroad Aurora Winter Train. Located directly under the Auroral Band with the most clear weather days and cloud-free nights, Fairbanks is one of the best places to see the magical Aurora Borealis in Alaska. On this 7-day trip you'll have multiple chances to see the lights, plus ride the Aurora Winter Train, go dog sledding, Aurora Viewing Ice Fishing and explore Anchorage and Fairbanks.

Itinerary at a Glance

DAY 1	Anchorage Arrival
DAY 2	Anchorage to Fairbanks Alaska Railroad
DAY 3	Day at Leisure Evening Chena Hot Springs Northern Lights Tour
DAY 4	Day at Leisure Evening Aurora Ice Fishing
DAY 5	Day at Leisure Evening Aurora Viewing Lodge Tour
DAY 6	Dog Mushing and Sledding Evening at Leisure
DAY 7	Fairbanks Departure

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MAP



DETAILED ITINERARY

The below itinerary reflects our recommendations for this specific trip. This itinerary is also available in the reverse direction.

Day 1 Anchorage | Arrival

Upon arrival in Anchorage transfer at your own cost to your hotel, the rest of the day is at leisure to enjoy the sights.

Day 2 Anchorage to Fairbanks | Alaska Railroad

Today you'll have the chance to experience a scenic winter Alaska railroad trip aboard the Aurora Winter Train. You'll ride in a heated railcar with comfortable seats, large picture windows and onboard dining options. The full-day railroad trip follows the same backcountry stretch of tracks as the summer Denali Star Train and offers spectacular views of the pristine snow-covered landscape and North America's highest mountain peak. The train will stop as needed in Talkeetna, Healy, and Nenana before arriving to Fairbanks.

Day 3 Day at Leisure | Evening Chena Hot Springs Northern Lights Tour

Pair the Aurora with hotel pools and you get a Northern Lights experience like no other! This night trip from Fairbanks takes you to Chena Hot Springs Resort for an exciting but relaxing array of activities. Discover eye-popping sculptures at the on-site Aurora Ice Museum, then unwind in the resort's legendary mineral water baths. When the conditions are right, lift your eyes to the sky and watch for the ethereal Northern Lights

Day 4 Day at Leisure | Evening Aurora Ice Fishing

Today is at leisure before heading out for Northern Lights viewing and ice fishing, two winter activities which combined you may only experience in Fairbanks! You certainly should not miss out on this unique opportunity. The ice fishing activity will take place in a heated hut and the Northern Lights can be seen outside once darkness takes over. All your gear, snacks, and hot beverages will be included.

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Day 5 Day at Leisure | Evening Aurora Viewing Lodge Tour

This evening, depart Fairbanks to your prime Northern Lights viewing at an Aurora Viewing Yurt. Located outside Fairbanks and away from the city lights, wide open areas ensure a perfect view at Alaska's winter sky. Guests can marvel at the beauty of the Alaskan northern lights from the coziness of comfortable yurts or step outside and find prime conditions to make amazing pictures of the Aurora Borealis. These yurts are chosen very carefully to ensure that guests can view the Northern Lights from the best possible locations.

Day 6 Dog Mushing and Sledding | Evening at Leisure

Enjoy Alaska's winter landscapes with a team of happy hounds speeding you through snowy fields. On this dog-mushing adventure from Fairbanks, learn about the popular sport and what it takes to lead a team of dogs. Then take the reins of the dog sled and pull! Enjoy an hour-long thrilling ride before you warm up in a cozy cabin.

Day 7 Fairbanks | Departure

Upon check-out of your hotel it's now time to say goodbye to your magical Alaskan Aurora rail adventure.

INCLUDED

Package Includes

- 1 night accommodation in Anchorage
- 5 nights accommodation in Fairbanks
- Alaska Railroad - Anchorage to Fairbanks Aurora Winter Train
- Evening Aurora viewing & Ice Fishing
- Dog Mushing and Sledding
- Evening at Chena Hot Springs with Aurora Northern Lights & Ice Museum Tour
- Evening at Aurora Viewing Lodge

Anchorage Hotel's

- Hotel Captain Cook | Deluxe Room
- Hilton Anchorage Hotel | Deluxe Room
- Anchorage Marriott Downtown | Standard Room

Fairbanks Hotel's

- Pikes Waterfront Lodge | Riverview Room
- Springhill Suites | Double or King Suite

Not Included:

- Gratuities
- Activities other than specified
- Portage fees

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DATES & PRICING

Departs Anchorage				
(Tour Code: TRAW5)	Nov 15, 22, 29	Dec 06, 13, 20, 27	Jan 03, 10, 17, 24, 31	Feb 07, 10, 14, 17, 21, 24, 26, 28
			14, 17, 19, 21, 24, 26	Mar 03, 05, 07, 10, 12,
Departs Fairbanks				
(Tour Code: TRAW6)	Nov 19, 26	Dec 03, 10, 17, 24, 31	Jan 07, 14, 21, 28	Feb 04, 07, 11, 14, 18, 21, 23, 25, 28
			14, 16, 18, 21, 23, 25	Mar 02, 04, 07, 09, 11,

DATE	TWIN	SINGLE	TRIPLE	CHILD
01 Dec 24 - 26 Mar 25	\$2,335	\$3,180	\$2,123	\$1,337

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