



Visit HAINES ALASKA

2026 VISITOR SCHEDULE

Welcome to the **2026 Haines Visitor Schedule** – a key resource for our local community and businesses. This guide showcases the events that make Haines such a special place, from Winterfest and First Fridays to the Great Alaska Beer Festival, the Southeast Alaska State Fair, the Farmers Market, and many more throughout the year. You'll also find dates for cruise ship visits and RV caravans, helping you stay aware of when more guests will be in town.

These gatherings not only bring visitors to Haines, but also highlight the spirit of our community and the unique experiences that set our town apart.

Whether you're preparing for a busy season or simply keeping track of what's ahead, this 2026 schedule is here to keep you connected. Please note that event details may change—visit [visithaines.com](https://www.visithaines.com) or follow us on social media at @hainesalaska on Facebook™ and @haines.alaska on Instagram™ for the latest updates.

Looking forward to another exciting year, **The Haines Tourism Department**

 **Joseph Rossman - God's Camp**

JANUARY 2026

| SUNDAY | MONDAY | TUESDAY | WEDNESDAY | THURSDAY | FRIDAY | SATURDAY |
|--|------------|------------|------------|--|-----------------------------------|------------|
| JANUARY 2026 EVENTS JANUARY 2nd FIRST FRIDAY | | | | January 1 Polar Plunge New Years Day | January 2 First Friday | January 3 |
| January 4 | January 5 | January 6 | January 7 | January 8 | January 9 | January 10 |
| January 11 | January 12 | January 13 | January 14 | January 15 | January 16 | January 17 |
| January 18 | January 19 | January 20 | January 21 | January 22 | January 23 | January 24 |
| January 25 | January 26 | January 27 | January 28 | January 29 | January 30 | January 31 |

FEBRUARY 2026

| SUNDAY | MONDAY | TUESDAY | WEDNESDAY | THURSDAY | FRIDAY | SATURDAY |
|-------------|----------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|--------------|-------------------------------|
| February 1 | February 2 | February 3 | February 4 | February 5 | February 6 | February 7 |
| | | | | | First Friday | |
| February 8 | February 9 | February 10 | February 11 | February 12 | February 13 | February 14 |
| | | | | | WinterFest | WinterFest Valentine's Day |
| February 15 | February 16 | February 17 | February 18 | February 19 | February 20 | February 21 |
| WinterFest | Presidents Day | | | River Talk | | |
| February 22 | February 23 | February 24 | February 25 | February 26 | February 27 | February 28 |
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FEBRUARY 2026 EVENTS
 FEB 6th FIRST
 FRIDAY
 FEB 14&15 WINTERFEST
 WEEKEND

MARCH 2026

| SUNDAY | MONDAY | TUESDAY | WEDNESDAY | THURSDAY | FRIDAY | SATURDAY |
|-----------------------------|-------------------------|--|--|---------------------------------------|-------------------------|---|
| March 1 | March 2 | March 3 | March 4 | March 5 | March 6 | March 7 |
| | | | | | First Friday | |
| March 8 | March 9 | March 10 | March 11 | March 12 | March 13 | March 14 |
| Daylight Saving Time starts | Commonwealth Day (CAN) | | | | | FREERIDE WORLD TOUR HNS Chilkat Lake 100 |
| March 15 | March 16 | March 17 | March 18 | March 19 | March 20 | March 21 |
| FREERIDE WORLD TOUR HNS | FREERIDE WORLD TOUR HNS | FREERIDE WORLD TOUR HNS St. Patrick's Day | FREERIDE WORLD TOUR HNS | FREERIDE WORLD TOUR HNS River Talk | FREERIDE WORLD TOUR HNS | FREERIDE WORLD TOUR HNS |
| March 22 | March 23 | March 24 | March 25 | March 26 | March 27 | March 28 |
| FREERIDE WORLD TOUR HNS | HNS School Spring Break | HNS School Spring Break | HNS School Spring Break | HNS School Spring Break | HNS School Spring Break | |
| March 29 | March 30 | March 31 | MARCH 2026 EVENTS MARCH 14-22 FREERIDE WORLD TOUR HAINES | | | |

APRIL 2026

| SUNDAY | MONDAY | TUESDAY | WEDNESDAY | THURSDAY | FRIDAY | SATURDAY |
|---------------|---------------------|----------|-----------|----------|-----------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| | | | April 1 | April 2 | April 3 | April 4 |
| | | | | | First Friday Good Friday | |
| April 5 | April 6 | April 7 | April 8 | April 9 | April 10 | April 11 |
| Easter Sunday | Easter Monday (CAN) | | | | | |
| April 12 | April 13 | April 14 | April 15 | April 16 | April 17 | April 18 |
| | | | Tax Day | | | Art Fest Begins Spring Fling |
| April 19 | April 20 | April 21 | April 22 | April 23 | April 24 | April 25 |
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| April 26 | April 27 | April 28 | April 29 | April 30 | | |
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MAY 2026

| SUNDAY | MONDAY | TUESDAY | WEDNESDAY | THURSDAY | FRIDAY | SATURDAY |
|--|---|---|---|--|---|--|
| | | | | | May 1 First Friday Spring Migration Celebration | May 2 Spring Migration Celebration |
| May 3 70 guests SEA LION 07:00-20:30 Spring Migration Celebration | May 4 | May 5 Cinco de Mayo | May 6 | May 7 70 guests SEA LION 07:00-20:30 | May 8 | May 9 |
| May 10 Mothers Day | May 11 | May 12 | May 13 70 guests SEA LION 07:00-20:30 | May 14 294 guests STAR SEEKER 06:00-18:00 SEA BIRD 07:00-20:30 Dolly Days Begins | May 15 530 guests ROALD AMUNDSEN 08:00-18:00 | May 16 224 guests STAR SEEKER 06:00-18:00 |
| May 17 70 guests SEA LION 07:00-20:30 | May 18 Victoria Day (CAN) | May 19 | May 20 175 guests AMERICAN CONSTITUTION 07:00-04:30 5/21 | May 21 300 guests SEABORN ENCORE 06:00-18:00 | May 22 175 guests AMERICAN CONSTELLATION 07:00-4:30 5/23 Brewers Dinner | May 23 70 guests SEA LION 07:00-20:30 Chilkat Challenge Triathlon Great Alaska Craft Beerfest |
| May 24 925 guests AMERICAN CONSTITUTION 01:00-17:30 AZAMARA PURSUIT 13:00-22:00 | May 25 2081 guests QUEEN ELIZABETH 07:00-18:00 | May 26 175 guests AMERICAN CONSTELLATION 01:00-17:30 | May 27 | May 28 70 guests SEA BIRD 07:00-20:30 | May 29 224 guests STAR SEEKER 06:00-18:00 | May 30 |
| May 31 175 guests AMERICAN CONSTITUTION 01:00-17:30 | May 31 Memorial Day | | | | | |

JUNE 2026

| SUNDAY | MONDAY | TUESDAY | WEDNESDAY | THURSDAY | FRIDAY | SATURDAY |
|---|---|---|--|--|---|---|
| | June 1 452 guests LUMINARA 08:00-19:00 | June 2 175 guests AMERICAN CONSTELLATION 01:00-17:30 | June 3 70 guests SEA BIRD 07:00-20:30 | June 4 300 guests SEABORN ENCORE 06:00-18:00 | June 5 530 guests ROALD AMUNDSEN 08:00-18:00 First Friday | June 6 294 guests STAR SEEKER 06:00-18:00 SEA LION 07:00-20:30 |
| June 7 563 guests AMERICAN CONSTITUTION 01:00-17:30 SILVER WHISPER 08:00-17:00 | June 8 2000 guests AZAMARA PURSUIT 07:00-13:30 RIVIERA 08:00-21:00 | June 9 175 guests AMERICAN CONSTELLATION 01:00-17:30 | June 10 | June 11 930 guests VIKING VENUS 08:00-18:00 | June 12 70 guests SEA LION 07:00-20:30 | June 13 |
| June 14 452 guests LUMINARA 08:00-20:00 | June 15 750 guests AZAMARA PURSUIT 07:00-13:30 | June 16 1425 guests AMERICAN CONSTELLATION 01:00-17:30 RIVIERA 08:00-21:00 | June 17 245 guests AMERICAN CONSTITUTION 01:00-17:30 SEA BIRD 07:00-20:30 | June 18 3000 guests SEABORN ENCORE 06:00-18:00 BRILLIANT LADY 12:00-20:00 | June 19 224 guests STAR SEEKER 06:00-18:00 | June 20 Kluane International Bike Relay Fisherman's BBQ |
| June 21 840 guests SILVER WHISPER 08:00-17:00 LUMINARA 11:00-21:00 Father's Day Indigenous Peoples Day (CAN) | June 22 930 guests VIKING VENUS 07:00-17:00 | June 23 70 guests SEA BIRD 07:00-20:30 | June 24 | June 25 | June 26 2786 guests AMERICAN CONSTELLATION 01:00-17:30 QUEEN ELIZABETH 07:00-18:00 ROALD AMUNDSEN 08:00-1800 | June 27 925 guests AMERICAN CONSTITUTION 01:00-17:30 AZAMARA PURSUIT 08:00-22:00 |
| June 28 224 guests STAR SEEKER 06:00-18:00 | June 29 1972 guests NOORDAM 07:00-21:00 | June 30 34 guests HITCH-UP RV CARAVAN (34) | | | | |

AUGUST 2026

| SUNDAY | MONDAY | TUESDAY | WEDNESDAY | THURSDAY | FRIDAY | SATURDAY |
|---|---|---|---|--|--|--|
| | | | | | | August 1 452 guests LUMINARA 12:00-20:00 |
| August 2 682 guests STAR SEEKER 06:00-18:00 SEA BIRD 07:00-20:30 SILVER WHISPER 08:00-17:00 | August 3 Civic/Provincial Day (CAN) | August 4 2256 guests AMERICAN CONSTITUTION 01:00-17:30 QUEEN ELIZABETH 07:00-18:00 | August 5 2068 guests NORWEGIAN SPIRIT 06:00-17:00 HITCH-UP RV CARAVAN (50) | August 6 3200 guests SEA LION 07:00-20:30 RUBY PRINCESS 07:00-21:00 HITCH-UP RV CARAVAN (50) | August 7 750 guests HITCH-UP RV CARAVAN (50) First Friday | August 8 |
| August 9 1105 guests AMERICAN CONSTELLATION 01:00-17:30 VIKING ORION 08:00-18:00 | August 10 522 guests SEA LION 07:00-20:30 LUMINARA 12:00-20:00 | August 11 175 guests AMERICAN CONSTITUTION 01:00-17:30 | August 12 606 guests CRYSTAL SYMPHONY 07:00-18:00 | August 13 300 guests SEABORN ENCORE 06:00-18:00 | August 14 224 guests STAR SEEKER 06:00-18:00 | August 15 50 guests HITCH-UP RV CARAVAN (50) |
| August 16 578 guests SEA BIRD 05:00-16:00 SEA LION 07:00-20:30 SILVER WHISPER 08:00-17:00 HITCH-UP RV CARAVAN (50) | August 17 50 guests HITCH-UP RV CARAVAN (50) | August 18 1155 guests AMERICAN CONSTITUTION 01:00-17:30 VIKING ORION 07:00-17:00 HITCH-UP RV CARAVAN (50) | August 19 1425 guests AMERICAN CONSTELLATION 01:00-17:30 RIVIERA 07:00-20:00 | August 20 70 guests SEA LION 07:00-20:30 | August 21 50 guests HITCH-UP RV CARAVAN (50) | August 22 50 guests HITCH-UP RV CARAVAN (50) |
| August 23 50 guests HITCH-UP RV CARAVAN (50) | August 24 100 guests HITCH-UP RV CARAVAN (50) HITCH-UP RV CARAVAN (50) | August 25 3130 guests RUBY PRINCESS 12:00-22:00 HITCH-UP RV CARAVAN (50) | August 26 295 guests AMERICAN CONSTELLATION 01:00-17:30 SEA LION 07:00-20:30 HITCH-UP RV CARAVAN (50) | August 27 350 guests SEABORN ENCORE 06:00-18:00 HITCH-UP RV CARAVAN (50) | August 28 225 guests AMERICAN CONSTITUTION 01:00-17:30 | August 29 50 guests HITCH-UP RV CARAVAN (50) |
| August 30 1024 guests SEA LION 07:00-20:30 SILVER WHISPER 08:00-17:00 LUMINARA 08:00-18:00 HITCH-UP RV CARAVAN (64) HITCH-UP RV CARAVAN (50) | August 31 1364 guests RIVIERA 9:30-18:00 HITCH-UP RV CARAVAN (64) HITCH-UP RV CARAVAN (50) | | | | HITCH-UP RV CARAVAN (50) | HITCH-UP RV CARAVAN (50) |

SEPTEMBER 2026

| SUNDAY | MONDAY | TUESDAY | WEDNESDAY | THURSDAY | FRIDAY | SATURDAY |
|---------------------|--|--|---|---|---|---|
| | | September 1 <i>814 guests</i> AZAMARA PURSUIT 07:00-14:00 HITCH-UP RV CARAVAN (64) | September 2 <i>289 guests</i> AMERICAN CONSTELLATION 01:00-17:30 HITCH-UP RV CARAVAN (50) HITCH-UP RV CARAVAN (64) | September 3 <i>2131 guests</i> QUEEN ELIZABETH 06:00-18:00 HITCH-UP RV CARAVAN (50) | September 4 <i>50 guests</i> HITCH-UP RV CARAVAN (50) First Friday | September 5 <i>50 guests</i> HITCH-UP RV CARAVAN (50) |
| September 6 | September 7 <i>677 guests</i> AMERICAN CONSTITUTION 01:00-04:00 9/8 LUMINARA 12:00-20:00 HITCH-UP RV CARAVAN (50) Silver Salmon Derby Begins Labor Day | September 8 <i>50 guests</i> HITCH-UP RV CARAVAN (50) | September 9 <i>50 guests</i> HITCH-UP RV CARAVAN (50) | September 10 <i>350 guests</i> HITCH-UP RV CARAVAN (50) | September 11 | September 12 |
| September 13 | September 14 | September 15 | September 16 <i>1425 guests</i> AMERICAN CONSTELLATION 01:00-04:00 9/17 RIVIERA 07:00-20:00 | September 17 | September 18 | September 19 |
| September 20 | September 21 | September 22 | September 23 | September 24 | September 25 | September 26 |
| September 27 | September 28 | September 29 | September 30 National Day for Truth & Reconciliation (CAN) | | | |

OCTOBER 2026

| SUNDAY | MONDAY | TUESDAY | WEDNESDAY | THURSDAY | FRIDAY | SATURDAY |
|------------|-------------------------------------|------------|------------|------------|---------------------------|-------------------------|
| | | | | October 1 | October 2 Frist Friday | October 3 |
| October 4 | October 5 | October 6 | October 7 | October 8 | October 9 | October 10 |
| October 11 | October 12 Canadian Thanksgiving | October 13 | October 14 | October 15 | October 16 | October 17 |
| October 18 | October 19 | October 20 | October 21 | October 22 | October 23 | October 24 |
| October 25 | October 26 | October 27 | October 28 | October 29 | October 30 | October 31 Halloween |

November 2026

| SUNDAY | MONDAY | TUESDAY | WEDNESDAY | THURSDAY | FRIDAY | SATURDAY |
|---|-------------|--|---|---|--|-------------|
| November 1 Daylight Saving Time ends | November 2 | November 3 Election Day | November 4 | November 5 | November 6 First Friday | November 7 |
| November 8 | November 9 | November 10 | November 11 Veterans Day | November 12 | November 13 | November 14 |
| November 15 | November 16 | November 17 | November 18 | November 19 | November 20 | November 21 |
| November 22 | November 23 | November 24 | November 25 | November 26 Thanksgiving Day | November 27 | November 28 |
| November 29 | November 30 | | | | | |

December 2026

| SUNDAY | MONDAY | TUESDAY | WEDNESDAY | THURSDAY | FRIDAY | SATURDAY |
|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|------------------------------|------------------------------|-------------|
| | | December 1 | December 2 | December 3 | December 4 First Friday | December 5 |
| December 6 | December 7 | December 8 | December 9 | December 10 | December 11 | December 12 |
| December 13 | December 14 | December 15 | December 16 | December 17 | December 18 | December 19 |
| December 20 | December 21 | December 22 | December 23 | December 24 Christmas Eve | December 25 Christmas Day | December 26 |
| December 27 | December 28 | December 29 | December 30 | December 31 | | |

2026 HAINES, ALASKA PORTS OF CALL

| Line | Ship | Capacity | Calls | Passengers |
|--------------------------|------------------------|----------|------------|--------------|
| WINDSTAR | STAR SEEKER | 224 | 11 | 2464 |
| HURTIGRUTEN CRUISE LINES | RONALD AMUNDSEN | 530 | 4 | 2120 |
| AMERICAN CRUISE LINES | AMERICAN CONSTITUTION | 175 | 15 | 2625 |
| AMERICAN CRUISE LINES | AMERICAN CONSTELLATION | 175 | 16 | 2800 |
| SEABOURN | SEABOURN ENCORE | 300 | 9 | 2700 |
| AZAMARA CLUB CRUISES | AZAMARA PURSUIT | 750 | 6 | 4500 |
| CUANRD LINES | QUEEN ELIZABETH | 2081 | 4 | 8324 |
| RITZ-CARLTON | LUMINARA | 452 | 8 | 3616 |
| SILVERSEA CRUISES | SILVER WHISPER | 388 | 7 | 2716 |
| OCEANIA CRUISES | RIVIERA | 1250 | 5 | 6250 |
| VIKING CRUISES | VIKING VENUS | 930 | 4 | 3720 |
| VIKING CRUISES | VIKING ORION | 930 | 5 | 4650 |
| VIRGIN VOYAGES | BRILLIANT LADY | 2700 | 1 | 2700 |
| HOLLAND AMERICA | NOORDAM | 1972 | 1 | 1972 |
| PRINCESS CRUISE LINE | RUBY PRINCESS | 3080 | 4 | 12320 |
| NORWEGIAN | NORWEGIAN SPIRIT | 2018 | 2 | 4036 |
| CRYSTAL CRUISES | CRYSTAL SYMPHONY | 606 | 1 | 606 |
| LINBALD EXPEDITIONS | SEA BIRD | 70 | 10 | 700 |
| LINBALD EXPEDITIONS | SEAN LION | 70 | 16 | 1120 |
| TOTALS | | | 100 | 69939 |

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All information in this 2026 schedule is subject to change, and the Haines Visitor Department is not responsible for any errors or omissions. For the most current details, please check the "last updated" date located in the bottom right-hand corner; updates will be made as needed throughout the season.

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2026 CALENDAR OF EVENTS

| DATES | EVENT |
|--------------------------|--|
| FRIDAYS YEAR ROUND | FRIST FRIDAYS |
| SATURDAYS JUNE-SEPTEMBER | FARMER'S MARKET |
| FEBRUARY 13TH-15TH | WINTERFEST |
| FEBRUARY 14TH | ALCAN 200 |
| APRIL TBD | SPRING FLING |
| May 1ST-3RD | SPRING MIGRATION CELEBRATION |
| MAY 23RD TBD | GREAT ALASKAN CRAFT BEER & HOMEBREW FESTIVAL |
| MAY TBD | CHILKAT CHALLENGE TRIATHLON |
| JUNE 21ST | KLUANE CHILKAT INTERNATIONAL BIKE RELAY |
| JUNE 21ST | FISHERMAN'S COMMUNITY BARBECUE |
| JULY 4TH | INDEPENDENCE DAY FESTIVITES |
| JULY 23RD-26TH | SOUTHEAST ALASKA STATE FAIR |
| SEPTEMBER-OCTOBER | SILVER SALMON DERBY |
| NOVEMBER | ALASKA BALD EAGLE FESTIVAL |

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