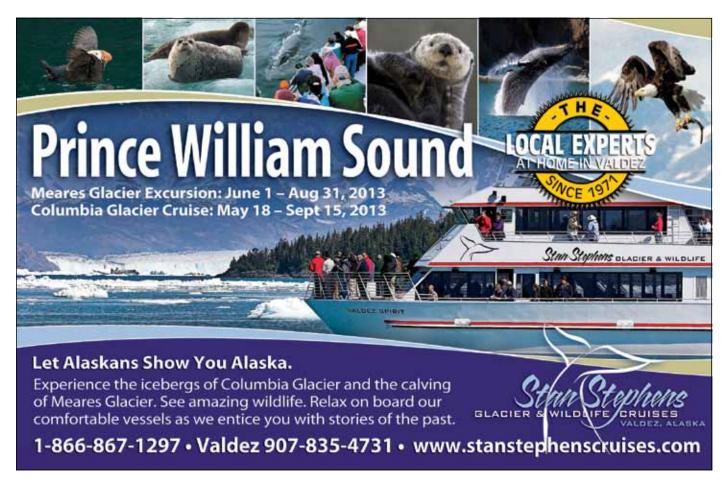
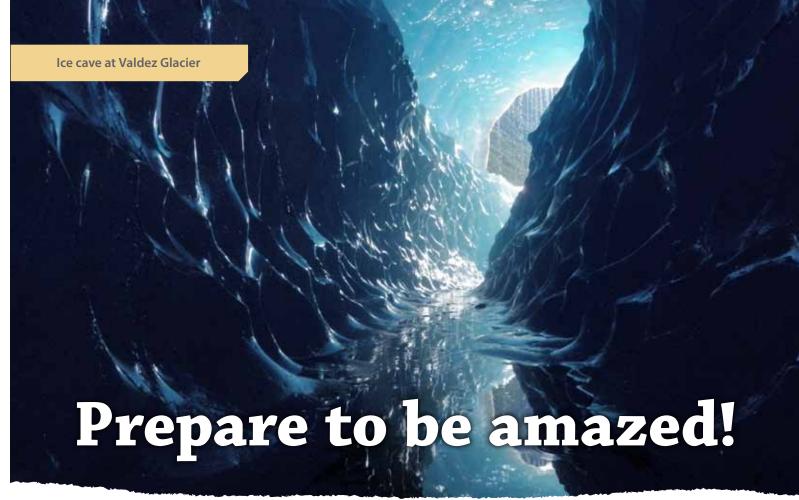


Even Mother Nature has favorites









EMILY SOUTHWORTH

ALDEZ is the activity center for Prince William Sound—a mix of tidewater glaciers, rainforests and mountains.

THE GROWTH AND SETTLEMENT of Valdez can be attributed to fur trading, salmon canning, and gold and copper mining. During the Klondike Gold Rush of 1897-98, prospectors came to Valdez believing the Copper River and Valdez Glacier to be the entry to the Interior gold fields. From 1910 to 1916, copper and gold mining flourished in the area. In the early 1970's, Valdez became the staging area for work on the lower portion of the trans-Alaska Pipeline. Today, Valdez hosts the Alyeska Marine Pipeline Terminal, which is the southernmost end of the 800-mile oil pipeline.

Valdez and the surrounding area is abundant in marine and land wildlife. The seawaters near Valdez abound with sea otters, Dall porpoise, harbor seals, Steller sea lions, humpback and orca whales. Coastal mountain cliffs are home to mountain goats, and the surrounding landscape boasts black and brown bears in addition to many other smaller animal species. Valdez takes flight with area bird viewing opportunities. Bald eagles are abundant and scores of ducks and shorebirds can be identified through most of summer and fall. Please be sure to observe wildlife and their dens, rookeries, and nests with respect.

Unparalleled natural scenery is matched only by the abundant activities offered throughout the year. Valdez is home to five glaciers that can be accessed by cruising, flying, walking, driving, glacier trekking, and even ice repelling. See the beautiful Columbia, Meares, Worthington, Shoup, or Valdez glaciers. You can raft nearby rivers floating through magnificent canyons and under-

neath towering waterfalls. Kayaking is another way to explore the region up close and personal. Hike or bike the historic Gold Rush trails. Watch the past unfurl as you visit the local museums displaying Alaska Native artifacts and local history.

Valdez's Prince William Sound is a premier fishing destination, offering all species of salmon and some of the most accessible big halibut in Alaska. Valdez is home to the oldest fish derbies in Alaska, awarding thousands of dollars in prize money each year. You can fish from shore or take a charter from the Valdez small boat harbor.

If you like winter sports, Valdez is where you want to be. The surrounding Chugach Mountains receive over 600 inches of fresh powder each year. Helicopter, snowcat skiing and snowboarding is the best in the world, ranging from intermediate to extreme. Backcountry, telemark and cross-country skiing are very popular here as well. Snowmobiling near Valdez is a world-class experience with endless peaks, valleys and glaciers to explore. Cold temperatures freeze waterfalls around Valdez, providing unparalleled ice climbing opportunities.

There are several ways to get to Valdez; drive the Richardson (Alaska's first highway) past the Wrangell-St. Elias and Chugach mountains, fly to Valdez on a state regional airline with regularly scheduled service, cruise to Valdez from Whittier or Cordova on the Alaska Marine Highway, or schedule a private charter service.



GARY MINISH

The history of Valdez

TALDEZ has amazingly rich history that has shaped the community that exists today as well as played an important role in the development of the state of Alaska.



PRIOR to 1778 The territory south of Valdez belonged to the Chugach (pronounced "chew-gach") Eskimo, a maritime hunting people and the land to the north is that of the Ahtna. The Chugach and Ahtna used the area around Valdez for fishing and trading copper, jade, hides and other furs.

Captain Cook sailed into the Sound in 1778 Captain COUR Salled Into Sile 1 patron, the Earl of Sandwich. The editors of Cook's maps renamed the sound after Prince William IV.

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Russians, during their ownership are made and exploring of the Sound; they were pri-Russians, during their ownership did little marily interested in amassing sea otter pelts. Nuchek, on Hinchinbrook Island, became the center for trade in the Prince William Sound area, between Russians and the Alaskan Natives.

1900–1920 Once the rush to the Klondike subsided, prospectors concentrated on gold, copper and silver deposits on the islands and shores of Prince William Sound. The most profitable mines near Valdez were the Cliff Gold Mine,

about five miles east of Valdez, and the Midas Mine, in nearby Solomon Gulch.

The Keystone Canyon Trail became the Richardson Highway Alexander Richardson Highway, Alaska's first highway and served as the only viable inland route to Fairbanks. Valdez became the coastal port for the majority of traffic going into and out of the Interior.

1923–1929 Fort Liscum closed and was obtained in 1929 by the Day family, who renamed it Dayville. The Days prospected the land, ran a cannery, a sawmill, a school and a store at the old military site.

1940 Valdez was a major port for military freight during World War II.

1964 On March 27, 1964 at 5:36 pm, a 9.2 earthquake lasting over four minutes struck 45 miles west of Valdez. The quake triggered an underwater landslide creating tremendous waves that washed away the Valdez waterfront, drowning 30 people on the dock and three men on the steamer "Chena."

Town of Valdez condemned when it was discovered it was built on unstable ground. Town was relocated to present site. Fifty-two buildings were moved 4 four miles west.

Congress approved the plans for the 1973 Congress approved the pians for the trans-Alaska oil pipeline with its southern terminus in Valdez. The town's population soared.

March 24 (Good Friday), the tanker Exxon Valdez struck Bligh reef, approximately 25 miles outside of Valdez causing the second largest oil spill in North American history.

Valdez hosts the first-ever World Extreme Skiing Championships and for the next 10 years attracts world-class ski and snowboarding athletes, and cements Valdez' reputation as the Mecca for big-mountain heli skiing and boarding.

Valdez's Prince William Sound Community
College hosts the first annual Last Frontier Theater Conference. The Conference provides a series of workshops, symposia, theatrical productions, and panels. Since its founding, the Conference has gained international recognition and worldwide attention from award-winning playwrights, directors, producers, and actors, as well as scholars and critics.

Valdez Centennial celebrates 100 years since the town's incorporation.

Valdez hosts its first annual May Day Fly-In. The event has since grown to be the United States' largest bush pilot competition.

Valdez participates in the statewide 50-year anniversary of Alaska's statehood. Valdez-born William Allan Egan became Alaska's first state governor in 1959.

Valdez celebrates the 50-year anniversary of Gold Rush Days, its annual festival celebrating the town's gold rush heritage.

The City and community of Valdez is preparing for the 50-year commemoration of the 1964 Good Friday Earthquake.



VALDEZ'S HUMBLE BEGIN-

NINGS laid the foundation for transportation within

integral to transportation and development within

the state and serves as the gateway to Prince William

Sound and the Interior.

Everything, from the

layout of our streets and

the look of our buildings,

reminds us of events from

our past. The destruction

1964 Earthquake created

the opportunity to create

1960-70's architecture re-

flects the era of which the

town was built anew. Fire

and snow removal storage

had a big impact on the

layout of the town; which

is no surprise considering

over 300 inches or more

falls on the city annually.

You may notice the lack

of trees lining our street

or the large empty plots of

land sprinkled throughout

purposely so large quanti-

ties of snow can be plowed

out of the town's streets

The terminus of the

800-mile trans-Alaska

pipeline rests on the south

side of the Port of Valdez

and can be viewed from

any shoreline in the city.

the construction of the

oil terminal and people

today can watch tankers

coming and going as they

transport oil to the West

Coast. The oil spill of 1989

caused an influx of people

to Valdez to help with the

cleanup efforts. During

this time new buildings

were erected. The building

that housed the command

center is now one of our

seven hotels. All of these

aspects are reminders of

has overcome.

how much our community

Many residents remember

these empty spaces.

and parking lots and into

the city. This was done

the town from scratch. The

of our community after the

the state. It has been

Valdez sets its record for heaviest snowfall. totaling 561 inches.

1990

2013 Calendar of Events

JANUARY

New Year's Fireworks Healthier You begins Jan. 25 -- Valdez Arts Council's 40th Anniversary Dance Party

FEBRUARY

Ice Climbing Festival PWSCC Mardi Gras Fundraiser Arts Council Presents: Good Lovelies

MARCH

Frosty Fever Winter Carnival Kite Boarding Festival Mayors Cup Snow mobile Race Arts Council Presents: BeauSoleil St. Baldricks Event

APRIL

Tailgate Alaska World Freeride Championship **Snowboarding Competition** Mountain Man Snow mobile Hill Climb Arts Council Presents: John Damberg Latin Jazz Quintet Healthier You Finale Friends of NRA Banquet

AVV Women of Distinction

Valdez Fly-In – Mother's Day

weekend Halibut Derby begins Summit 2 Sound Challenge Relay for Life Hershey Track & Field Meet Valdez High School & PWSCC Graduation Community Clean-Up Day Law Enforcement Torch Run Arts Council Annual Picnic Featuring: Your Burnable Art

JUNE

Military Appreciation Weekend Last Frontier Theatre Conference "Bite Back Run" for Malaria nets

JULY

Pink Salmon Festival Festival of Fun

Kite Festival Pink Salmon Festival 5K Uncle Salmon Freedom Run. July 4th Fireweed 400 Bike Race Kid's Pink Salmon Derby Silver Salmon Derby Begins

AUGUST

Gold Rush Days Women's Silver Salmon Derby Richardson Highway Rendezvous Music Festival Kenny Lake Fair Big Wild Ride bike event Copper Valley Triathlon

SEPTEMBER

Spawn 'til Dawn Fish Derby Awards Labor Day Fun Run Arts Council Presents: Blues Cruise

Valdez Museum Road House

OCTOBER

Dinner **Business Trick or Treat** Valdez Parks & Rec Annual Halloween Carnival High School Annual Swim Meet High School Wrestling Invitational "Throwdown in Snowtown" Home Brew Competition & Oktoberfest

NOVEMBER

Ducks Unlimited Banquet Annual Patricia Haltness Christmas Tree Lighting Torpedos Swim Club Annual Banana Swim Meet

Elk's Emblem Club Annual

DECEMBER

Christmas Bazaar Ladies Christmas Tea Annual Community Christmas Show Synchro Seals Annual Christmas Show

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Shopping

F YOU ARE LOOKING for that special memento to help you remember your Alaska experience, or if you want to take home the perfect gift for a loved one, then one of our many gift shops will likely have what you are looking for.

From locally crafted products, fresh fish markets, groceries and uniquely Alaskan gifts, there's something to satisfy all your shopping desires. All purchases are tax-free, so there are even more reasons to shop till you drop.

For more detailed information on where to shop in Valdez, visit our website at www.valdezalaska.org or visit us in person at the Valdez Visitors Center.

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Exploring Valdez on your own

THE SMALL SIZE OF VALDEZ makes exploring the town on foot, bicycle or vehicle easy to do.

THE VAST NATURAL BEAUTY surrounding this town is breathtaking and unique, so don't let a little rain or inclement weather keep you from getting out and experiencing all that Valdez has to offer.

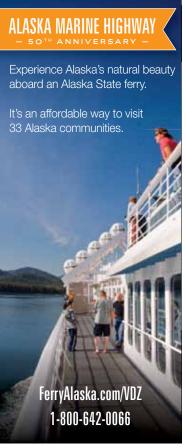
Explore Keystone Canyon's 20-plus breathtaking waterfalls. While you're there, take a hike along the Goat Trail, located on the west end of the Bridal Veil parking area. Then head up to Thompson Pass and stop at Worthington Glacier and experience alpine Alaska. Valdez has taxi service available for transporatation and short Valdez tours.

Valdez is home to three of Alaska's greatest museums. The Valdez Museum and Remembering Old Valdez Exhibit walk you through the incredible history and culture of Valdez; from the gold rush to present day. The Maxine and Jesse Whitney Museum, located on the Prince William Sound Community College campus, holds a rare collection of Alaska Native artifacts, clothing and animal mounts.

Interpretive signs show-casing historical facts and information are located in several areas throughout Valdez. Along the way, visit Kelsey Dock, located next to the ferry terminal, for an amazing view of the Alyeska Marine Terminal across the bay; the end of the pipeline's 800-mile journey from Prudhoe Bay.

Explore the majestic beauty of the Prince William Sound; home to a variety of sea birds, whales, porpoise, sea lions, sea otters, glaciers, towering Chugach Mountains, and so much more. Excursion vessels, rental boats, charters and kayaks depart daily from the small boat harbor in downtown Valdez. Or, charter a helicopter to see the sights. From the mountains to the sea and everywhere in between, Valdez is rich in natural beauty.







Nature and Wildlife

ALDEZ is a wildlife viewer's joy.

It has an abundance of most everything, from birding to bear watching and many others in between. One of the most popular wildlife viewing in Valdez is bear watching. From May, when you can see the bears grazing high up the mountainside when they first awaken, until late October, the bear watching is great. They are most often seen on Dayville Road after the salmon begin their runs in late July. Check with the visitor's center for information about where the latest viewings have been.

Also seen in abundance in the summers in Valdez are eagles, and many kinds of ducks. Valdez is a bird watchers paradise. Eagles are prominent year round as are the mallards, harlequin ducks, kittiwakes, terns and ptarmigan, just to name a few. There are also many species of birds that stop at the Valdez duck flats on their way north and again

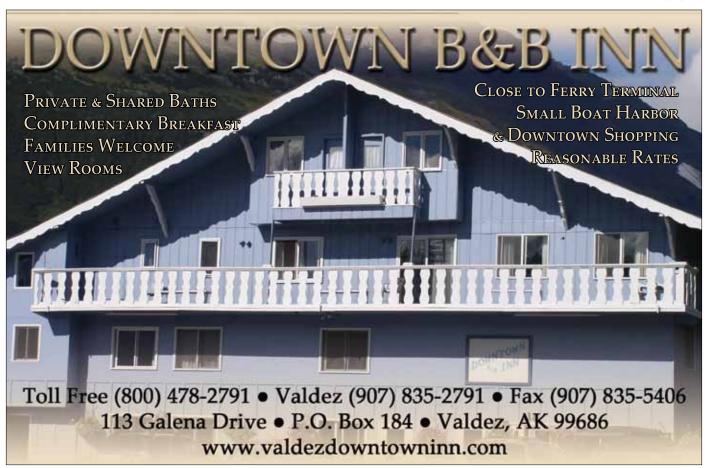
as they return south. The opportunities to observe nesting birds is tremendous.

At different times the fjord that makes Port Valdez has many kinds of wildlife. Most commonly seen are the seals, sea lions and sea otters. In June, when the hatchery releases the fry, Dall porpoise and humpback whales are spotted in the area feeding. Both black and brown bears can be seen feeding along the sides of the bay at low tide as well as the eagles and several kinds of gulls when the salmon runs begin.

In winter, bird viewing is the dominant wildlife watching activity. Eagles will line the rivers looking for fish and the roads looking for mice and rabbits. Also seen in the winter is an occasional moose. While moose do not heavily populate the area, they are becoming more frequent and have been seen along the Lowe River, in the Robe Lake area and,



TIM BOUCHARD





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rarely, even on the Valdez duck flats. Also more easily seen in the winter, are the mountain goats which are pushed down the mountain in their search for food. Their long shaggy coats have a yellow tinge to them against the white

snow of the mountainside and they do not seem to fear people while they are at the lower elevation.

Bring your camera to Valdez and experience some wonderful wildlife viewing.

Lodging

IF YOU ARE LOOKING for a place to lay your tired head after a long day of adventures, Valdez has a variety of accommodations to fit your needs. Choose from one of our many B&B's, hotels, fully-equipped RV parks or campgrounds. Most accommodations are centrally located near restaurants, shops and our small boat harbor.

Whether you are here for one night or the whole summer, you are certain to find a comfortable place to stay year round.

For more information on accommodations, restaurants, businesses and local events, please visit our website at www.valdezalaska. org or come into the Valdez Visitors Bureau. We would be happy to help you.

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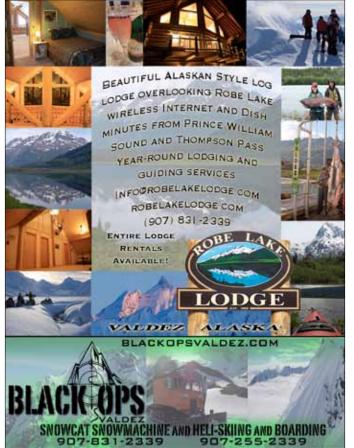


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The Glaciers of Valdez

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MAGINE BEING NEAR the face of calving glacier as you watch huge chunks of ice fall off into the ocean below, piercing the air with thunderous sounds.

OR, IMAGINE THE THRILL of hiking to a majestic ice-blue glacier and standing before its colossal size. In Valdez, you don't have to imagine such things—you can do them. Valdez is home to many accessible glaciers. There is nothing quite as breathtaking as experiencing glaciers in person, so get out and see for yourself.

COLUMBIA GLACIER is the second largest tidewater glacier in America and the largest in Prince William Sound. This glacier is accessible by wildlife cruises or kayak day trips. Navigate through chunks of beautiful glacial ice or take a helicopter ride to see Columbia's glacial wonders.

MEARES GLACIER is unique. While most glaciers throughout the world are in rapid retreat, Meares Glacier is one of the only advancing tidewater glaciers in North America. It is located at the head of the Unakwik Inlet in the Prince William Sound. Hop aboard a day boat cruise and venture to within a quarter-mile of the face of Meares Glacier. See an abundance of whales and other wildlife along the way. Witness the beauty of this rare glacier as it calves, cracks and thunders before your eyes.

SHOUP GLACIER is tucked away in Shoup Bay and can be accessed by boat, kayak, helicopter or on foot. Kayak companies offer day trips that allow you to explore the icebergs, marine wildlife and more. More experienced hikers can take the 8.5-mile hike to Shoup Bay for fabulous views and an amazing kittiwake rookery.

VALDEZ GLACIER is located on the outskirts of the town of Valdez and is full of amazing history. It was known as the All American Route by gold seekers who traveled over the glacier and into the interior of Alaska during the Gold Rush of 1898. During the summer, Valdez Glacier can be accessed by kayak with one of our experienced local adventure companies. At certain times during the winter, you can hike or ride a snowmobile to the face of the glacier.

WORTHINGTON GLACIER is one of the most accessible glaciers in Alaska. Located in world-renowned Thompson Pass, just off the Richardson Highway, this glacier is a must-see if you're driving into Valdez. Simply watch for the Worthington Glacier State Recreation Site at Milepost 29, park and walk up to the glacier for an up-close-and-personal experience. Or, purchase a half or full-day hike and ice climbing tour for a unique and fun-filled activity.



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Bear Awareness

ROWN BEARS and black bears flourish in Valdez due to the abundant fish and plentiful berries for bears to eat.

EVERY YEAR countless people come here to witness the bears up close and personal. Although uncommon, bears will attack humans and their pets when they are feeling threatened. Conversely, it is increasingly common that bears are shot and killed unnecessarily because of avoidable human behavior.

Valdez welcomes everyone to visit and experience all its natural wonders, including bears, but it is imperative to learn proper bear etiquette in order to protect your self and our precious and increasingly rare bear population. Below are some things you should know about bears and what you can do to protect yourself and the bears.

FIRST AND FOREMOST:

It is illegal to feed bears or to harass them in any way. You can be ticketed and fined for feeding bears.

Bears are wild animals, even the ones who seem friendly. Do not get close.

WHAT YOU SHOULD KNOW ABOUT BEARS AND THEIR BEHAVIOR:

Bears have about six months to feed before hibernating for the winter. Most of their food is consumed in the late summer and fall, leaving precious little time to store up enough nutrients to last them all winter. Please leave plenty of space for bears to get to their crucial feeding grounds.

Bears can run as fast as horses. They can outrun humans any day, so stay away.

Momma bears with cubs are especially dangerous because they will defend their cubs if they get nervous or feel threatened.

Bears usually try to avoid people. Look for signs of bears and stay a safe distance

A friendly bear is a dangerous bear. When bears seem friendly, it usually means they have become accustomed to humans, which can make them even more unpredictable.

Bears frequently use roads and trails to get from place to place. Don't set up camp too close to these areas.

When camping, always pick up trash and food remnants. Clean camps are less likely to attract wildlife.

Bears hang out near thick underbrush, berry bushes, rivers, streams and waterways where they can find food. Use caution and watch for signs of bears when you are in these areas.

Bears have a keen sense of smell. Don't linger or camp near areas where fish carcasses or other organisms may be decomposing. Such places are perfect stomping grounds for bears. Keep all human and pet food in sealed containers. If you are camping, store food away from campsite or hang food in trees in airtight bear-proof containers when possible.

Sources: Alaska Department of Fish and Game at http://www.adfg.alaska.gov/ (2012), Alaska Department of Natural Resources http://dnr.alaska.gov/parks/safety/bears.htm (2012) and the Ministry of Environment at http://www.env.gov.bc.ca/ (2012)

How Can You Protect Yourself?

STAY AWAY. Always make sure that you stay a safe distance from bears — even the ones who seem friendly. Bears are wild animals. Use a long lens when photographing so you can stay a safe distance from the bear. If you get too close, they may feel threatened and become aggressive.

NEVER FEED A BEAR. Not only is it illegal, but it can endanger your own life and the bears' as well. When bears acclimate to humans and human foods, they are more likely to go to areas where people are or raid garbage looking for food. This becomes dangerous for people and the bear will often be killed.

DON'T SURPRISE A BEAR. Bears can become aggressive and are more likely to attack you if they are taken by surprise. Sing loudly, talk out loud, carry a bell or whistle when walking on trails, in the woods or anywhere where bears might be. Travel in pairs or groups of people when possible. Multiple people are louder than just one person.

NEVER GET BETWEEN A BEAR AND ITS FOOD

SOURCE. For instance, if you see a bear going toward the water to feed, don't go near the water or the bear to get a good picture. Observe the bear from a distance or slowly leave the area. Otherwise, you risk scaring the bear away from its needed meal or alarming the bear and putting yourself in mortal danger.

KEEP DOGS ON LEASHES when you're walking or hiking. Wandering dogs can attract the attention of bears and lure them toward people.

IF YOU SEE A BEAR UP CLOSE, remain calm, slowly move away from the bear but don't turn your back on it. Make noise and wave your arms, letting the bear know you are a human and not food.

IF YOU SEE A BEAR FROM A DISTANCE, give it space and leave it alone. Do not try to approach the bear, never get out of your car and go near a bear if you see one along a road.

IF A BEAR ATTACKS YOU, try to make noise and scare away the bear. If that doesn't work, cover your head, tuck yourself into a ball on the ground and play dead. Bears usually leave once they believe you are no longer a threat to them.

Biologists experienced in bear behavior say problems between bears and humans can be virtually eliminated when people arm themselves with knowledge and respect for bears and their habitat. For more bear awareness information go to the Alaska Department of Fish and Game's website at www.adfg.alaska.gov, or come to the Valdez Visitor's Bureau for information on recent bear sightings and bear safety.

Hiking

VALDEZ boasts some of the most scenic and historic trails in Alaska.

VARYING IN LENGTH AND DIFFICULTY, our many trails are sure to please most everyone.

Dock Point Trail, a one-mile round trip hike located next to the small boat harbor, offers a beautiful view overlooking the Port of Valdez and the Alyeska Oil Terminal. Or, choose the more difficult Shoup Bay Trail that leads to the breathtaking Shoup Bay Glacier. See an amazing kittiwake rookery along the way.

Mineral Creek Canyon is an extremely popular, six-mile gravel road that gradually winds its way through a majestic mountain canyon with magnificent cascading waterfalls virtually everywhere you look. Hike in as far as you like or go all the way to end of the trail and see an abandoned gold-stamp mill.

The Solomon Gulch trail begins in a beautiful coastal spruce forest and steadily becomes steeper before merging with the Alyeska Pipeline Maintenance Road. At 0.13 miles into the hike you will find a great overlook view of Valdez and the port. Follow the hiking trail signs that will eventually lead you to Solomon Lake and its two dams.

There are too many hikes to list here. For more hiking information and trail maps, please visit our website at www. valdezalaska.org. or come into the Valdez Visitors Bureau.



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108 Camp Sites

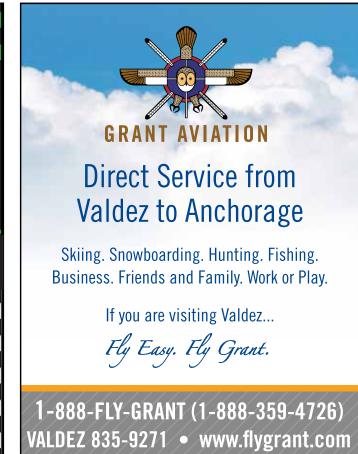
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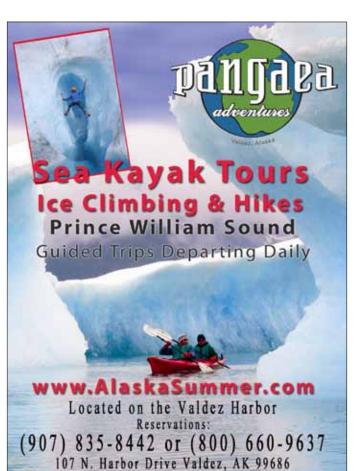
Tours & Attractions

THERE ARE A PLETHORA of year-round activities to do in Valdez, one of the prettiest places in Alaska.

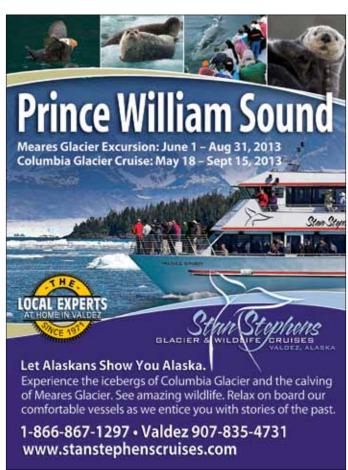
VALDEZ IS HOME to many glaciers that can be accessed by boat cruises, vehicles, walking, helicopter, snowmobiles, snow-shoeing, and kayaks, depending on the time of year. See the beautiful Columbia, Meares, Worthington, Shoup, or Valdez glaciers.

During spring and summer time, day-long or extended tours of Prince William Sound will take you to some of the best vantage points for viewing mountains, glaciers, and wildlife. Orca and humpback whales, sea otter, sea lions, birds, porpoise and many other animals make their home in the Prince William Sound. Excursion vessels depart from the Small Boat Harbor for sightseeing wildlife viewing. Kayaking is another way to explore the Sound up close and personal. Fly-outs and drop-offs are possible to remote locations in the Sound and Chugach Mountains, via helicopter or small planes. Tours accommodate all ages and skill levels.

Wintertime brings tons of snow and creates a perfect playground for winter sports, such as skiing, snowboarding, helisports, snowshoeing, ice repelling, snowmobiling and more. Valdez is a fantastic place to explore mother nature and all she has to offer.









Fish Hatchery

SOLOMON GULCH HATCHERY presents a unique opportunity to observe salmon as they return to spawn.

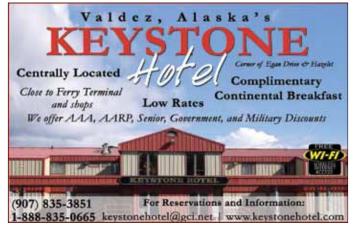
THE HATCHERY IS LOCATED across the port on Dayville Road en route to Allison Point. It was established to ensure sufficient numbers of salmon return and reproduce each year. Completed in February 1983, the facility is licensed to incubate and rear to release size 230 million pink, and two million coho. With a concerted effort from the Alaska Department of Fish and Game and the City of Valdez, the Solomon Gulch Hatchery annually imprints and releases 105,000 king smolts from the Fish and Game Fort Richardson Hatchery.

Coho (silvers) and pinks fight the odds against predators and the elements to swim up a series of ladders where they spawn. The Valdez Fisheries Development Association (VFDA) goals are to produce an annual return of 10 million Pink salmon, 100,000

Coho and 10,000 king salmon. The best time to view salmon at the hatchery is July through September.

Bears, eagles, sea gulls and sea otters can be found feeding on the fish. Fishing is prohibited within 300 feet of the premises. Please respect all wildlife, especially maintaining a safe distance from any bears in the area. Bears are wild animals and can be dangerous.

Take the self-guided walking tour along the fish ladder and view how the hatchery spawns the fish. The self-guided walkway is open daily, 8 a.m. to 7 p.m., from May to October. During mid-July and early September visitors can watch as the commercial fishing boats haul in their nets from the shores of port Valdez.









Sport Fishing

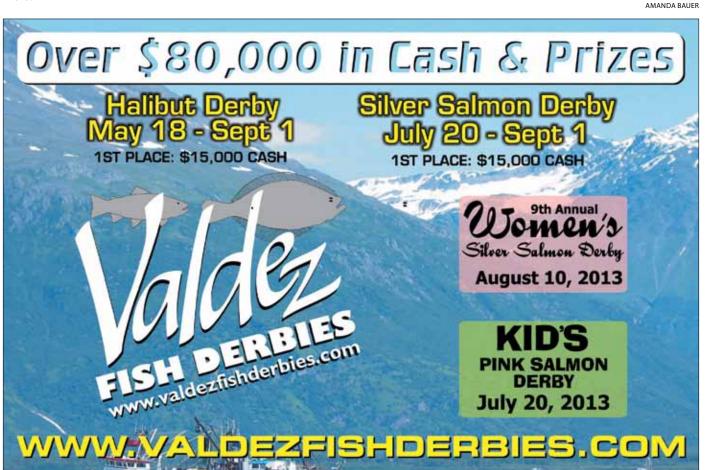
Sound is a premier fishing destination.

OPEN YEAR ROUND, our waters are home to of all species of salmon, rockfish, lingcod, and some of the most accessible halibut in Alaska. You can drop a line from shore, take your own boat or take a charter into deeper seas. Either way, you're likely to catch enough fish to eat for dinner or fill up your freezer.

If you want to fish for a bigger catch, the waters surrounding Valdez offer salmon shark fishing at its finest. These 300-pound-plus sharks will test even the best angler's abilities and endurance. During winter, ice fishing in upcountry lakes and ponds is popular. In the warm season, flyfish for trout, grayling and Dolly Varden.

Valdez is home to the oldest fish derbies in Alaska, awarding thousands of dollars in prize money each year. Young and old, all skill levels, the thrill of reeling in a recordbreaking fish will keep you coming back for more.



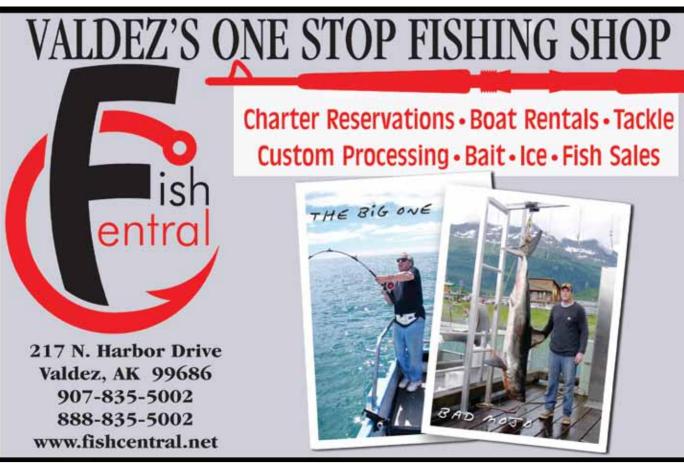


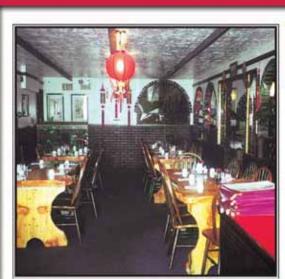










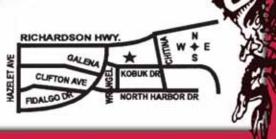


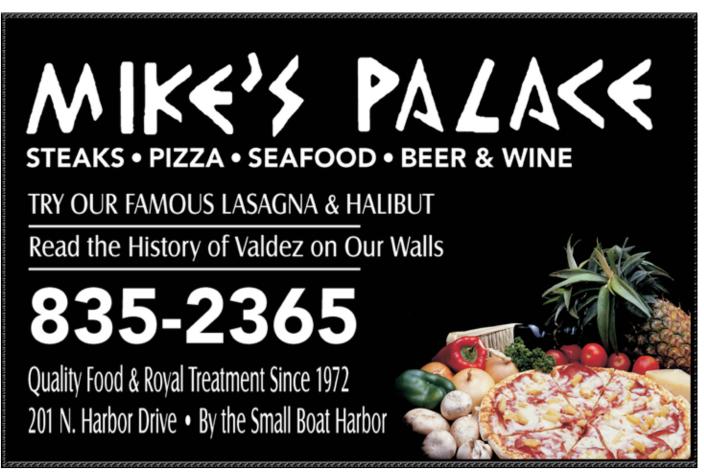
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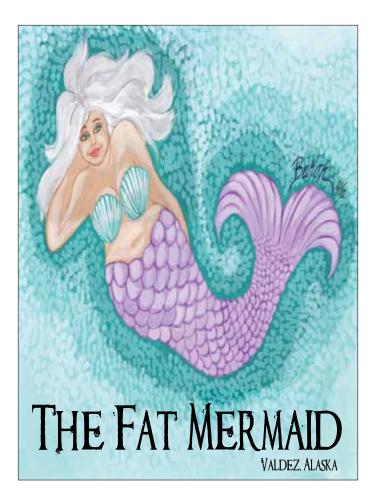


FOOD TO GO LUNCH & DINNER • BEER • WINE FEATURING FRESH SUSHI & LOCAL SEAFOOD CHINESE STYLE

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Dining

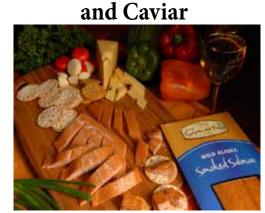
HUNGRY? From hearty burgers to delicious seafood platters, there's something to satisfy every appetite. Whether you're dressed in your grungiest clothes or you're looking for an elegant dining experience, Valdez has a restaurant for you.

Most restaurants are centrally located within a few blocks from each other, making it easy to find a variety of delicious food to choose from. After you eat, take a lovely walk along the nearby harbor boardwalk where you're likely to see otters, birds and other beautiful sights.

For more information on dining in Valdez, please visit our website, www.valdezalaska.org, or stop in at the Valdez Visitors Bureau.



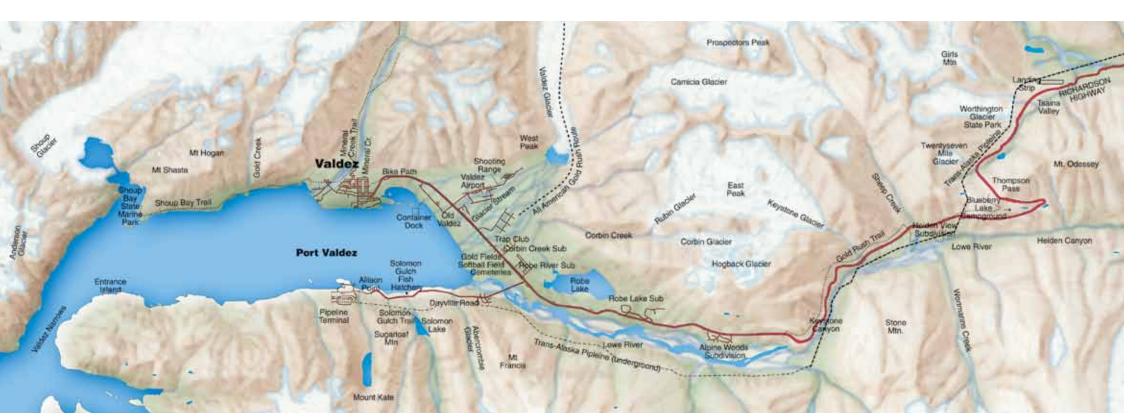




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Valdez Facts



LOCATION

Northeast section of Prince William Sound, surrounded by the Chugach Mountains, the tallest coastal mountains in North America, rising from sea level to an elevation of 7,000 feet. Also the most heavily glaciated mountains in the Northwest.

MAJOR HISTORIC EVENTS

- 1898: Gold Rush Stampede
- **1964:** 5 minute, 9.2 measured earthquake
- 1970's: Construction of trans-Alaska oil pipeline and Marine Terminal
- 1989: The Exxon Valdez oil spill and clean-up
- 1990: Valdez hosts the first-ever World Extreme Skiing Championships

ACCESS

- Land: Historic Richardson Highway
- Air: Valdez is serviced yearround, multiple times daily, by 2 regional airlines.
- Water: Day cruise boats, and the Alaska Marine Highway ferry system
- Industry: Oil, commercial

fishing, seafood processing, shipping, city & state government, tourism, and postsecondary education

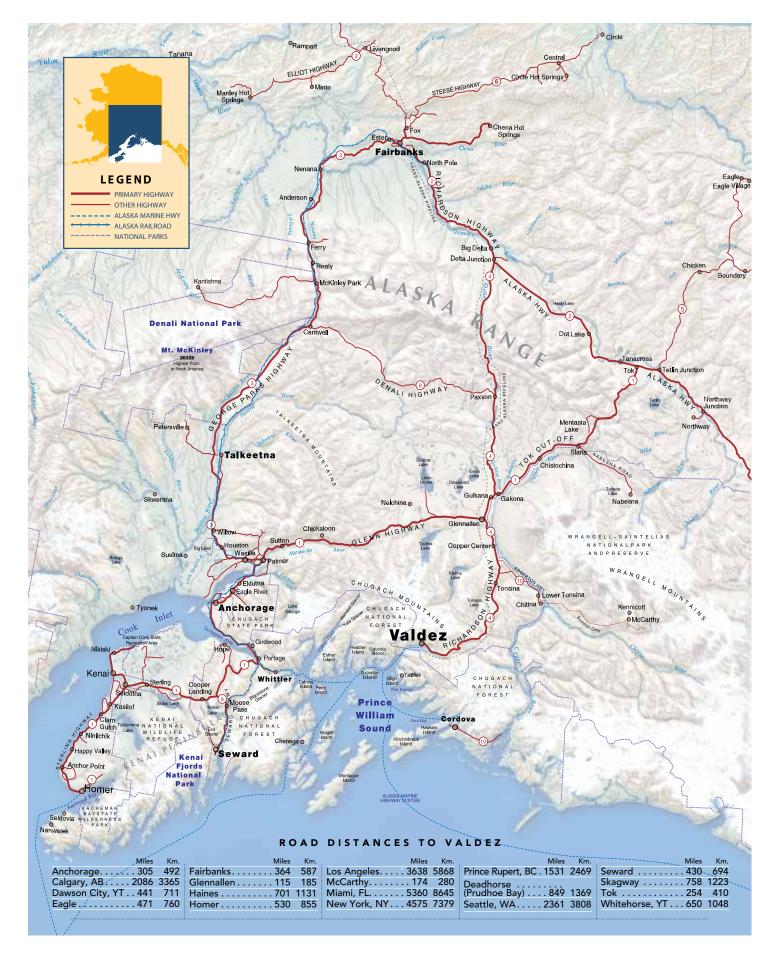
 Accommodations: Seven full-service hotels, approximately 30 bed & breakfasts, and seven RV parks/campgrounds

ABOUT VALDEZ

- Town covers approx 274 square miles
- Population approx. 4,100
- Average annual precipitation (rain): 64.04 inches
- Average annual snowfall: 325.6 inches
- Record snowfall: 560.7 inches (1989/90)
- Record sun: 33 days above 70° (2004)
- Summer Average: 53.5 High: 60.8, Low: 46.1
- Winter Average: 22.5 High: 27.9, Low: 17.9

HOW TO DRESS

Alaska weather is very unpredictable. One should always dress in layers, and have a good waterproof, or water-resistant jacket. When near the water dress warmly, even in nice weather!



Transportation

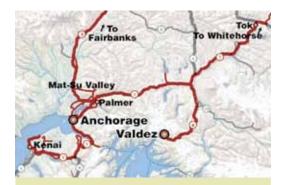
GETTING TO VALDEZ can be as memorable as your stay here.

BY AIR: A short 45-minute flight from Anchorage. Daily air service takes you through the coastal Chugach Mountains. Fly through the towering peaks and across vast glacial ice fields. Private charters are also available.

BY LAND: Drive along the nation's largest national park, Wrangell-St. Elias, with its towering peaks and abundant wildlife, with spectacular views of glaciers along the way as well as Worthington Glacier, one of Alaska's most accessible glaciers. Huge, cascading waterfalls greet you as you enter Keystone Canyon, the gateway to Valdez.

BY SEA: With daily service in the summer, the Alaska Marine Highway is your pathway through Prince William Sound.

For more information on transportation in and to Valdez, please visit our website www.valdezalaska.org or stop in at the Valdez Convention & Visitors Bureau.



BEGINNING IN ANCHORAGE:

Day 1 Anchorage

Day 2-3 Kenai Peninsula

Day 4-5 Mat-Su Valley

Day 6-7 Valdez

Day 8 Drive/Ferry to Anchorage or

drive to Fairbanks

BEGINNING IN WHITEHORSE:

Day 1 Arrive Whitehorse

Day 2 Drive to Tok

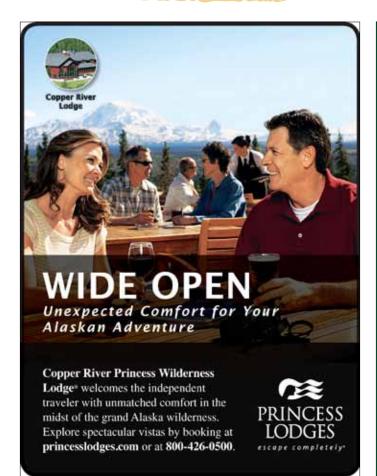
Day 3-4 Valdez

Day 5-6 Kenai Peninsula

Day 7-8 Mat-Su Valley

Day 9 Drive to Tok

Day 10 Drive to Whitehorse





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In Fairbanks, cruise the rivers on a historic sternwheeler, get up close to musk oxen and reindeer, or visit interior Alaska's hot springs. Visit the Wrangell-Saint Elias National Park Visitor Center, enjoy sled dog demonstrations, or take a flightseeing trip into the historic mining town of Kennicott in the Copper Valley. Valdez offers unmatched scenic beauty and activities for everyone. Hit the water for fishing, kayaking, or glacier cruising or come inland and enjoy whitewater rafting, hiking, and glacier trekking. Valdez also offers several wonderful museums and events throughout the summer and winter. Also, in winter, enjoy tons of fresh powder and untouched terrain perfect for skiing and boarding, snowmobiling and even ice climbing.



FIVE NIGHTS

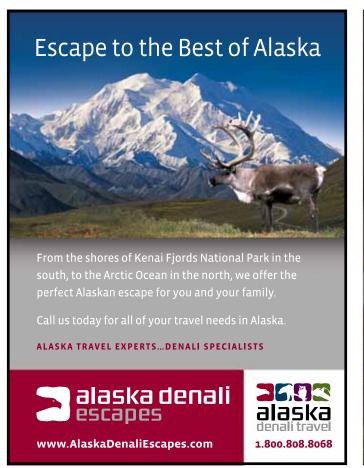
1 night Fairbanks, 2 nights Copper Valley, 3 nights Valdez

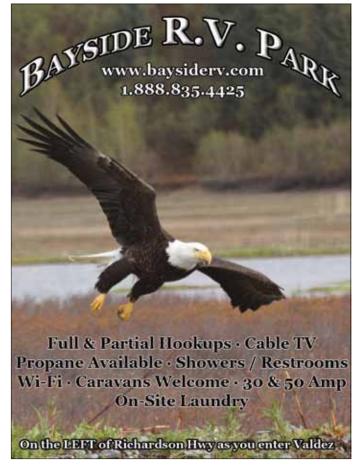
SIX NIGHTS

2 nights Fairbanks, 2 nights Copper Valley, 2 nights Valdez

EIGHT NIGHTS

- 2 nights North or South Denali
- 2 nights Fairbanks
- 2 nights Copper Valley
- 2 nights Valdez





Prince William Sound

A Sample Itinerary to an unforgettable place

F YOU'RE LOOKING for a uniquely wonderful adventure, consider exploring Alaska's Prince William Sound. Home to whales, Dall porpoise, sea lions, seals, otters, puffins and a variety of other wildlife, Prince William Sound is surrounded by the coastal mountains of the Chugach Range and situated in the midst of the Chugach National Forest, the northern-most temperate rain forest in the U.S. Its 2,700 miles of coastline is home to the towns and villages of Chenega Bay, Cordova, Tatitlek, Whittier and Valdez.

A great way to explore this beautiful area is to drive from Anchorage to Valdez, spend at least two nights, travel the Alaska Marine Highway to Whittier via ferry, then finish off your trip by driving just 60 miles back to Anchorage. If time allows you to extend your adventure, visit Cordova via ferry on the Alaska Marine Highway on your way to Whittier.

Valdez has some of the most stunning scenery and abundant wildlife in Alaska. Its breathtaking natural beauty is matched only by the myriad of activities offered throughout the year. Enjoy Valdez's five glaciers accessible by foot, boat, helicopter, plan or kayak. Raft or kayak on various local rivers and be surrounded by unprecedented beauty and countless waterfalls.

Hike one of the many trails Valdez has to offer, take a bike ride or enjoy historical museums. Valdez is a premier fishing destination, offering all species of salmon and some of the most accessible halibut fishing in Alaska. If you are looking to catch fish,

Valdez is the place to be. The fun continues throughout the winter since Valdez is known for its epic snowfall. People from around the world come to take part in a variety of winter activi-

heli-skiing, snowmobiling and more.

world come to take part in a variety of winter activities like snowboarding, skiing, ice climbing, hiking, snowshoeing,

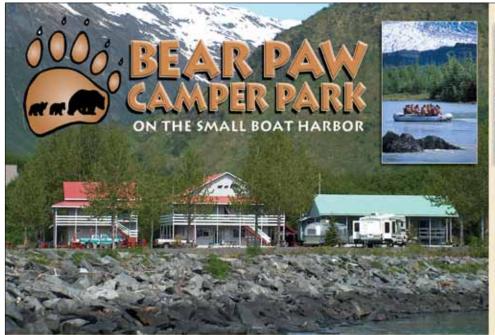
Whittier.

1 night Whittier

2 nights Valdez

Whittier is only 60 miles from Anchorage. The town, population 300, is unique and has a rich history. The Native Chugach people originally used Whittier as a gateway to the Prince William Sound and the Turnagain Arm. Eventually all manner of people came to Whittier and recognized it as an easy route to and from the Prince William Sound; Russian and American explorers, gold miners and eventually the U.S. Army, who formally established the town of Whittier during World War II. Today the Alaska state ferry system, barges, fishing vessels, recreation and touring boats continue to use this small town's port as a gateway to and from the Prince William Sound. The area is rich with wildlife and beautiful scenery and draws approximately 700,000 visitors yearly.

The Marine Highway offers service throughout the year to all three major coastal Prince William Sound communities.







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Winter Operations

VALDEZ IS ONE OF THE SNOW CAPITALS IN THE WORLD.



MIKE HAMILTON

TITH A LONG-STANDING REPUTATION for great snow, more than 300 inches is measured annually in the city and 600 to 900 inches in nearby Thompson Pass!

As one might expect with this much snow, Valdez celebrates winter with downhill and cross-country skiing, snowboarding, snowmobiling, dogsledding and ice climbing.

Valdez and the surrounding Chugach Mountains define backcountry skiing and boarding. Access the backcountry on foot, by helicopter or snowcat for some of the most amazing big mountain skiing and snowboarding in the world. Local Valdez guides and outfitters help create the dream winter vacation with single- or multi-day packages.

Our beautiful waterfalls and glaciers are pathways to adventure for ice climbers and hikers. Whatever challenge you are looking for, whether top-roping or multi-pitch lead climbing, there are dozens of routes around Valdez that will suit your needs.

Valdez offers the ultimate backcountry snowmobiling experience with miles of untracked powder, and riding from beginner to expert, there is something for everyone.

{ WINTER }

Skiing and Snowboarding

THE INCREDIBLE TOPOGRAPHY of interconnected peaks coupled with immense amount of snow make Valdez the pinnacle of winter recreation. Valdez and the surrounding Chugach Mountains define backcountry skiing and boarding: deep, fresh powder, long untracked runs, thousands of vertical feet, unlimited route options, and NO crowds. The vast winter wilderness offers a wide range of terrain from moderate, wide open powder fields that go on forever to the most challenging steeps you'll ever imagine.

Rope tow, local ski area road run, snomachine taxi, snow-cat, touring, and helicopters are the many tools available here for you to ride the best day of your life. Most Helicopter Skiing runs exceed 3,000 vertical feet in length. This means that a typical day of heli-skiing will get you close to 20,000 vertical feet of fresh powder. That is like skiing Denali in a day. If you don't want to fly, ride a snowcat to long powder runs as an alternative. The season culminates in April with Tailgate Alaska: the world's largest backcountry ski and snowboard festival, followed by the World Freeride Championships. For those skiers and snowboarders looking for epic powder and unforgettable adventure, Valdez is your dream destination!





HOWARD STODDARD



its mountainsides, meadows, and wide open playgrounds, is approximately 30 minutes from downtown Valdez. This recreation area is above treeline, wide open, and ungroomed. Its proximity to the Richardson Highway and its varied terrain makes this area a popular destination for riders of all abilities.

EVENTS

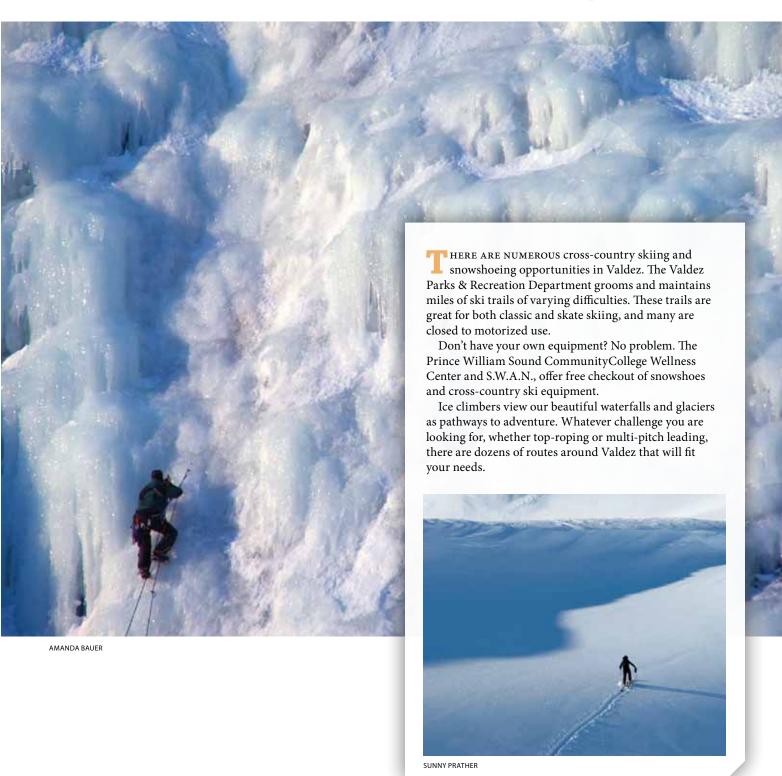
Valdez is home to two of the best snowmobile competitions in the state: The 150-mile Mayors Cup Cross-Country Race, and the Mountain Man Hillclimb. Held in Thompson Pass, the Mountain Man Hillclimb is a qualifying event for the Snowmobile Hill Climb World Championships held annually in Jackson Hole, Wyoming. The Mayors Cup is a 150-mile cross-country snowmachine race set on a 25 mile loop around Hogsback and the Valdez Glacier Flats. Both of these events feature expert riders and great riding in beautiful spectator friendly settings.

SEARCH & RESCUE

The Valdez Snowmachine Club has established a backcountry search and rescue team with the cooperation and support of the City of Valdez and the Alaska State Troopers. This group consists of experienced riders and others willing to help in our community. The group is available to respond to all types of backcountry rescue situations and overdue riders. Experience in the categories of backcountry riding, first aid and rescue skills are common among these volunteers.

{ WINTER }

Ice Climbing, Snowshoeing and Cross-Country Skiing



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TERRAIN

NOWMACHINES (what most Alaskans call their winter ride of choice) can take you places during winter that only helicopters and airplanes can get to any other time of year. Places that many people have no idea even exist. From the town of Valdez a rider can access endless terrain within minutes of leaving town. Directly from town, the Valdez Parks & Recreation Department maintain an extensive winter trail system for multi-use purposes. Other nearby backcountry riding opportunities include the intermittently groomed trail access to Hogs Back glacier, and riding

Valdez Service Directory

HOTELS

BEST WESTERN VALDEZ HARBOR INN

Phone: 907-835-3434 Toll Free: 1-888-222-3440

Email: info@valdezharborinn.com

Website: www.valdezharborinn.com Mailing address: PO box 468 Valdez, AK 99686 Physical Address: 100 N. Harbor Dr. Valdez, AK

Season: Year round **ADA Accessible**

Overlooking the Valdez boat harbor; 88 clean, comfortable rooms w/ amenities like pillow top beds, 32" flat screen TV's, free Wi-Fi, microwave, mini fridge, DVD players & free continental breakfast.

DOWNTOWN B&B

Phone: 907-835-2791 Toll Free: 1-800-478-2791 Email: 1n2rs@gci.net

Website: www.valdezdowntowninn.org Physical Address: 113 Galena Drive Valdez, AK

Season: Year round

31 rooms, private & shared baths, complimentary breakfast, reasonable rates. Near Small Boat Harbor & free Wi-Fi. Airport & Ferry Pickup.

KEYSTONE HOTEL

Phone: 907-835-3851 Toll free: 1-888-835-0665

Email: keystonehotel@gci.net Website: www.keystonehotel.com

Physical address: 400 Egan Drive Valdez, AK 99686

Season: Summer **ADA Accessible**

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Phone: 907-835-4445

Email: reservations@mountainskyhotel.com Address: 100, Meals Ave. Valdez AK, 99686

Season: Year round

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ROBE LAKE LODGE

Phone: 907-831-2339

Email: info@robelakelodge.com

Website: www.robelakelodge.com

Mailing Address: PO Box 1126 Valdez, AK 99686 Physical Address: Mile 6 Richardson Hwy, Lake House Rd

Season: Year round

Beautiful Lodge with Alaskan décor, overlooking Robe Lake & surrounding Chuaach Mountains. Individual rooms or entire lodge available; nightly, weekly, or monthly rates. Continental breakfast, high speed WiFi, Satellite TV, hot tub & sauna.

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Phone 907-835-4443

Toll Free: 1-888-808-4431

Email: info@toteminn.com

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Physical Address: 1222 Coho Place

Season: Year round

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Email: annsptarm@cvinternet.net

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Physical Address: 1119 Ptarmigan Place Valdez, AK 3 bdrms. Private&shared baths, queen & twin beds,

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Website: www.blessinghouse.com

Mailing Address: PO Box 3058 Valdez, AK 99686

Physical Address: 616 Meals (Corner of Meals & Dadina)

Valdez, AK

Season: Summer

5 bedrooms /3 bath/ near downtown king & queen beds: rates between \$89-\$135+ tax, continental breakfast w/cooking area, WIFI, no smoking, no pets.

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Phone: 907-835-9130 Toll free: 1-866-316-9130

Fax: 907-835-9029.

Email: brooksidebb@gci.net Website: brooksidebb.com

Physical Address: 1465 Richardson Hwy. Valdez, AK.

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Season: Summer

Historic home on scenic property. Lovely clean rooms, all private baths, full breakfast, smoke free, wireless internet. 5 rooms.



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Phone: 907-835-5440

Email: crownbandb@aol.com

Website: http://sites.google.com/site/crownbedbreak-

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Address: 100 Meals Hill Rd. Off Hazelet

Season: Summer.

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Website: www.valdezdowntowninn.org Physical Address: 113 Galena Drive Valdez, AK

Season: Year round

31 rooms, private & shared baths, complimentary breakfast, reasonable rates. Near Small Boat Harbor & free Wi-Fi. Airport & Ferry Pickup.

HEAD HUNTER'S B&B:

Phone: 907-835-2900

Toll Free: 1-877-835-2800 Email: hhinc@gci.net

Website: www.headhunters-inn.com

Mailing Address: PO Box 1489 Valdez, AK 99686

Physical Address: 328 Egan Dr.

Season: Year round

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L&L'S BED & BREAKFAST

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Email: mrlou@lnlalaska.com

Website: www.lnlalaska.com

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Season: Year round

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Email: bytheseaalaska@gcin.net

Website: www.alaskabytheseabnb.com Mailing address: PO Box 3396 Valdez, AK 99686

Physical Address: 629 Fiddlehead Ln. Valdez

Season: Summer

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Season: Summer

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Season: Summer **ADA Accessible**

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Phone: 907-835-2723

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Email: bearpaw@valdez.net

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Physical Address: 101 N. Harbor Dr. Valdez AK 99686

Valdez Service Directory

Season: Summer

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Email: rvpark@alaska.net Website: eaglesrestrv.com

Mailing address: P.O. Box 610 Valdez, AK 99686

Physical Address: 139 E. Pioneer Dr.

Season: Summer **ADA Accessible**

Full Service RV Park in downtown Valdez, close to shops, museums, harbor, & grocery store. Ticket agent for glacier cruises, Kayaking, rafting, & fishing in Valdez.

VALDEZ GLACIER CAMPGROUND / MWR US ARMY AK

Phone: 907-873-4311

Email: glaciercamp@gmail.com

Website: www.greelymwr.com/valdez.html Mailing Address: PO Box 31309 Fort Greely, AK 99737

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Season: Year round

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Season: Summer

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Lu-Lu Belle

Season: Summer

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Website: www.mjwhitneymuseum.org Physical Address: 303 Lowe Street Valdez, AK 99686

Largest collection of Native Alaskan art & artifacts in the world. The collection was donated to PWSCC by Ms. Whitney in 1998 & permanently lives in our state-of-the-art museum, adjacent to the college.

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Phone: 907-835-3555

Email: otto@pacificmountainquides.com Website: www.pacificmountainguides.com Mailing Address: PO Box 967 Valdez, AK 99686 Season: Year round

Quality customized hunting, fishing, & photography

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Phone: 907-835-8442 Toll Free: 1-800-660-9637 Email: info@alaskasummer.com Website: www.alaskasummer.com Mailing Address: PO Box 775 Valdez, AK 99686 Physical Address: 107 N. Harbor Dr.

Season: Summer

Guided sea kayak tours, rentals for experienced paddlers, water taxi, ice-climbing, glacier trekking, backcountry hiking and multi-sport trips. Paddle with us into Columbia Glacier's massive icefield!

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Phone: 907-279-0001 Toll Free: 1-888-486-8725 Email: premier@touralaska.net Website: www.premieralaskatours.com Address: 1900 Premier Ct. Anchorage, Alaska 99502

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Season: Summer ADA Accessible.

Travel with the local experts through the fjords and passageways of Prince William Sound to Meares or Columbia Glacier. View amazing wildlife like seals, sea otters, sea lions, whales and porpoise as well as marine wildlife like puffins. Two tours daily, beginning mid-May through mid-Sept.

VALDEZ MUSEUM & HISTORICAL ARCHIVE

Phone: 907-835-2764 Email: info@valdezmuseum.org Website: valdezmuseum.org Physical Address: 217 Egan Drive Valdez Season: Year round

ADA accessible

Local history exhibits; Gold Rush, 1964 Good Friday Earthquake, Trans-Alaska Pipeline, Oil Spill and Native Culture. Unique gift shop.

VERTICAL SOLUTIONS LLC HELICOPTER SERVICE

Phone: 907-831-0643 Email: info@vshelicopters.com Website: www.vshelicopters.com Mailing Address: PO Box 3485 Valdez, AK 99686 Physical Address: Valdez Airport, 130 Hanger Way. Season: Summer

Experience the magic of Prince William Sound by Helicopter! Offering a variety of flight seeing & glacier landing tours to Columbia Glacier & more.

SPORT FISHING

ALASKA MARINE GUIDES

Phone: 907-590-3454 Alt. Phone: 907-347-7204 Email: akmarinequides@gmail.com Website: www.alaskamarineguides.com Physical Address: Valdez Small Boat Harbor Season: Summer

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Phone: 907-440-9148

Email: mel@alaskan-adventures-unlimited.com

Website: www.halibutgrove.com

Physical address: Slip E-32, Valdez Small Boat Harbor

Season: Summer

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Phone: 907-835-2140 Email: auroracharters@valdezak.net Mailing address: PO Box 2142 Valdez, AK 99686 Physical Address: Slip E-12, Valdez Small Boat Harbor. Sport Salmon Fishing Services in Prince William Sound.

SHARK TOOTH CHARTERS

Phone: 907-351-8853

Website: www.sharktoothcharters.com

Mailing Address: 1031 W. 71st Ave Anchorage, AK 99518 Physical Address: Valdez Harbor.

Season: Summer

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Phone: 907-835-4208

Email: info@valdezsaltwatercharters.com Website: www.easvfreezeinc.com

Mailing Address: PO box 508 Valdez, AK 99686 Physical Address: 205 Chitina Drive, Valdez, AK

Season: Year round

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Phone: 907-835-5002 Toll free: 1-888-835-5002 Email: fishcentral@ak.net Website: www.fishcentral.net Mailing address: PO Box 1084 Valdez, AK 99686

Physical Address: Valdez Small Boat Harbor

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VALDEZ FISH DERBIES INC

Phone: 907-835-5680 Email: info@valdezfishderbies.com

Website: www.valdezfishderbies.com Mailing address: PO Box 1053 Valdez, AK 99686 Physical Address: Derby Weigh-In Shack, near harbor Season: Summer

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SELAH PRATHER



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Season: Summer

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Phone: 907-227-5341 Toll Free: 1-888-907-9346 Email: 907snowcat@gmail.com Website: www.907snowcat.com Physical Address: Valdez AK, Season: Winter

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Email: info@alaskabackcountry.com Website: www.alaskabackcountry.com Mailing Address: PO Box 1626 Valdez, Alaska, 99686 Physical Address: Mile 29.5 Richardson Hwv.

Season: Winter

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Phone: 907-835-8418 Email: dean@h2oquides.com Websites: www.h2oguides.com, www.alaskahelicopterskiing.com Address: PO Box 2501 Valdez, AK 99686

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Mailing Address: PO Box 1126 Valdez, AK 99686 Physical Address: Mile 6 Richardson Hwy, Lake House Rd. Season: Year round

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Phone: 907-255-2242

Email: info@alaskasnow.org Website: www.alaskasnow.org

Mailing address: P.O. box 911 Valdez, AK 99686 Season: Winter

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Phone: 907-835-4528

Email: info@valdezheliskiguides.com Website: www.valdezheliskiguides.com Mailing Address: PO Box 3281 Valdez, AK 99686 Physical Address: Mile 35, Richardson Hwy

Season: Winter Guided heli skiing & boarding in the Chugach Mountains at the Tsaina Lodge.

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Phone: 907-835-8072 Email: rruffnvldz@gmail.com

Website: www.valdezsnow.com Mailing Address: PO Box 610 Valdez, AK 99686

Season: Winter

Winter events for all ages throughout the season.



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Season: Year round

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Email: kennicottshuttle@gmail.com Website: www.kennicottshuttle.com

Mailing Address: HC60 Box 148T Copper Center, AK 99573

Physical Address: Mile 79 Richardson Hwy

Season: Summer

Daily shuttle to Kennicott & Wrangell-St. Elias National Park & statewide charter service.

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Phone: 907-835-8442

Toll Free: 1-800-660-9637 Email: info@alaskasummer.com

Website: www.alaskasummer.com

Mailing Address: PO Box 775 Valdez, AK 99686

Physical Address: 107 N. Harbor Dr.

Season: Summer

Guided sea kayak tours, rentals for experienced paddlers, water taxi, ice-climbing, glacier trekking, backcountry hiking and multi-sport trips. Paddle with us into Columbia Glacier's massive icefield!

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Season: Year round

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Physical Address: 112 N. Harbor Dr. Valdez

Season: Summer ADA Accessible.

Travel with the local experts through the fjords and passageways of Prince William Sound to Meares or Columbia Glacier. View amazing wildlife like seals, sea otters, sea lions, whales and porpoise as well as marine wildlife like puffins. Two tours daily, beginning mid-May through mid-Sept.

VALDEZ U DRIVE

Phone: 907-835-4402 Toll free: 1-800-478-4402 Email: valdezudrive@cvinternet.net Website: www.valdezudrive.com

Mailing Address: PO Box 1396 Valdez, AK 99686 Physical Address: 300 Airport Rd. Valdez, AK

Season: Year round

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Mailing address: PO Box MXY #25 McCarthy, AK 99588 Physical Address: 100 Kennicott Ave, McCarthy

Season: Year round

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Season: Summer

Native crafts & carvings, souvenirs, jewelry & apparel, best little store in Valdez, something for evervone.

CALICO WHALE

Phone: 907-835-4263

Email: news@calicowhale.com

Mailing address: PO Box 2195 Valdez, AK 99686

Physical Address: 354 Fairbanks St. Valdez Season: Year round

ADA Accessible

Fabric shop with lots of Yarns, fabric, sewing notions & quilting supplies.

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Email: info@valdezsaltwatercharters.com

Website: www.easyfreezeinc.com

Mailing Address: PO box 508 Valdez, AK 99686 Physical Address: 205 Chitina Drive, Valdez

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Phone: 907-835-4519

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Season: Year round

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Season: Year-Round

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Season: Year round

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Season: Summer ADA accessible

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Phone: 907-835-5880

Website: www.roguesgarden.com

Physical Address: 354 Fairbanks Dr. Valdez, AK 99686

Season: Year round ADA accessible

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Email: solomonfalls@valdezfisheries.com

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Season: Year round **ADA Accessible**

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Physical Address: 143 N. Harbor Drive, Valdez

Season: Year round

Waterfront dining in a fun atmosphere; Gourmet Pizza, Sandwiches, Salads, local Seafood & Appetizers. Full bar with spirits & 13 micro brews. Indoor & outdoor seating.

VALDEZ MARINE & OUTDOORS

Phone: 907-835-2628

Mailing Address: PO Box 750 Valdez, AK 99686 Physical Address: 310 Egan Street, Valdez

Season: Year-Round

Boat parts & accessories, fishing tackle, rods, reels,

VALDEZ MUSEUM & HISTORICAL ARCHIVE

Phone: 907-835-2764

Email: info@valdezmuseum.org Website: valdezmuseum.org

Mailing address: PO Box 8 Valdez, AK 99686 Physical Address: 217 Egan Dr. & 436 Hazelet St. Valdez

Season: Year round

ADA Accessible

Local history exhibits: Gold Rush, 1964 Good Friday Earthquake, Trans-Alaska Pipeline, Oil Spill and Native Culture. Unique gift shop.

VALDEZ OFFICE SUPPLY

Phone: 907-835-4667

Fax: 907-835-8628

Email: valdezofficesupply@valdezak.net Mailing Address: PO Box 1476 Valdez, AK 99686

Physical Address: 339 Hazelet Ave. Valdez Season: Year-Round

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Phone: 907-835-5880

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Season: Year round

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Email: info@valdezharborinn.com Website: www.valdezharborinn.com

Mailing address: PO box 468 Valdez, AK 99686 Physical Address: 100 N. Harbor Dr. Valdez, AK

Season: Year round ADA Accessible

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ERNESTO'S TAQUERIA

Phone: 907-835-2519 Email: hhinc@gci.net

Season: Year round

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Phone: 907-835-9866

Email: magpiesbakery@gmail.com Website: www.magpiesbakery.com Physical Address: 224 Galena Street, Valdez

Season: Year round

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Mai Thai

Phone: 907-835-5606

Mailing Address: PO Box 3145 Valdez, AK 99686 Physical Address: 310 Pioneer Dr. Valdez

Season: Year-Round

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MIKE'S PALACE

Phone: 907-835-2365 Website: mikespalace.com Physical Address: 205 N. Harbor Dr.

Season: Year round

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ADA Accessible

Phone: 907-835-4443 Toll Free: 1-888-808-4431 Email: info@toteminn.com

Website: www.toteminn.com Mailing: PO Box 648 Valdez, Alaska 99686

Physical Address: 144 E. Egan Dr. Valdez, AK

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Season: Year round **ADA Accessible**

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Phone: 907-831-0999

Mailing Address: PO Box 585 Valdez, AK 99686 Physical Address: Pioneer Dr., Eagles Rest RV Park Season: Summer

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THC off the Hook

Phone: 907-835-8114

Email: THC@cvinternet.net Mailing Address: PO Box 1183 Valdez, AK 99686

Physical Address: 100 North Harbor Dr. (located in Best

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Season: Year round

Waterfront dining in a fun atmosphere: Gourmet Pizza, Sandwiches, Salads, local Seafood & Appetizers. Full bar with spirits & 13 micro brews. Indoor & outdoor seating.

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Season: Year round

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Season: Year round

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Season: Year round

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Season: Year round

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Mailing Address: PO Box 530 Haines, AK 99827

Physical Address: 122 Second Ave. Season: Year round

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Phone: 907-235-7740

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Email: info@traveljuneau.com Website: www.traveljuneau.com

Season: Year round

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Season: Year round: ADA accessible

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Season: Year round ADA Accessible



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Phone: 907-835-4951 Fmail: vnt@cvinternet.net

Mailing Address: PO Box 1108 Valdez, AK 99686

Physical Address: 1750 Zurich Loop Rd.

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Phone: 907-835-4665 Website: www.kchu.org

Mailing address: PO Box 467 Valdez, AK 99686 Physical Address: 128 Pioneer Dr., Valdez, AK 99686

KCHU/KXKM/KXGA - Public radio serving the PWS & the Copper River basin. Valdez 770 AM; Cordova area 88.1 FM; Glennallen 90.5 FM & McCarthy 89.7 FM.

KVAK 93.3FM & 1230 AM RADIO

Phone: 907-835-5825 Email: kvak@kvakradio.com Website: www.kvakradio.com

Mailing Address: PO Box 367 Valdez, AK 99686 Physical Address: 501 E. Bremner St. #2

Season: Year round ADA Accessible

93.3FM. Hit music/classic rock 1230AM- Country music. Home of Valdez fishing report and local news.

BANKS

FIRST NATIONAL BANK ALASKA

Phone: 907-834-4800 Toll free: 1-800 856-4362

Address: 101 Egan Drive Valdez, AK. Website: fnbalaska.com

Full service banking & ATM. Lobby hrs: Mon-Thurs. 10 am-5 pm; Fri. 10 am - 6pm. Drive thru Mon.-Fri. 9am-6-pm.

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OTHER SERVICES

ALYESKA PIPELINE SERVICE COMPANY

Phone: 907-834-7303

Website: www.alveska-pipe.com

Address: 300 Dayville Rd. Valdez, AK 99686 (access

restricted)

Season: Year round

Alyeska Pipeline owns & operates the 800 mile Trans-Alaska Pipeline System (TAPS). It terminates in Valdez at the Valdez Marine Terminal

COPPER VALLEY ELECTRIC ASSOCIATION

Phone: 907-835-4301

Toll free: 1-866-835-2832 (After hrs. only)

Website: www.cvea.org

Mailing address: P.O. Box 45 Valdez, AK 99686 Physical address: 467 Fairbanks Dr. Valdez, AK 99686

Local electric cooperative providing exceptional customer service through safe, reliable, cost-effective

electric service and programs.

COPPER VALLEY TELECOM

Phone: 907-835-2231 Toll Free: 1-800-478-6612 Website: www.cvtc.org

Mailing Address: PO Box 337 Valdez, AK 99686

Physical Address: 329 Fairbanks Dr. Season: Year round

ADA Accessible

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Phone: 907-835-2231 Toll Free: 1-800-478-6612 Website: www.cvtc.org

Mailing address: PO Box 337 Valdez, AK 99686

Physical Address: 329 Fairbanks Dr.

Season: Year round ADA accessible

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Phone: 907-835-2373 Toll Free: 1-800-553-7275 Email: rvpark@alaska.net Website: www.eaglesrestrv.com Address: 139 E. Pioneer Dr.

24 Hour gas station with convenience store, car wash, laundry, & showers.

PROVIDENCE VALDEZ MEDICAL CENTER

Phone: 907-835-2249

Season: Year Round

Website: www.providence.org/alaska/valdez Mailing address: P.O. Box 550 Valdez, AK 99686 Physical address: 911 Meals Ave. Valdez, AK 99686

In/out patient, emergency, health, lab, radiology, & extended care facility.

PRINCE WILLIAM SOUND COMMUNITY COLLEGE

Phone: 907-834-1600 Toll free: 1-888-478-8800 Fax: 907-834-1691 Website: www.pwscc.edu

programs.

Mailing Address: PO Box 97 Valdez, AK 99686 Physical Address: 303 Lowe Street Valdez, AK 99686

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Phone: 907-834-1600 Toll free: 1-888-478-8800 Website: www.pwscc.edu

Physical Address: 303 Lowe Street Valdez, AK 99686 Stay active with us. Cardio & fitness equipment & assessments; walk-ins & short-term enrollment available. Friendly environment for all your fitness needs. X Country Ski & snowshoe loans in winter.

SOUND REALTY

Phone: 907-835-5818 Fax: 907-835-2468

Email: sound@cvinternet.net Website: www.soundrealty.net

Mailing address: PO Box 1628 Valdez, AK 99686 Physical Address: 130 Meals, Suite 106 Valdez, AK 99686

Season: Year round

Residential, Commercial, Home & Land Sales, & **Property Management**

VALDEZ CONVENTION & CIVIC CENTER/ CIVIC CENTER CINEMA

Phone: 907-835-4440 Email: plunt@ci.valdez.ak.us Website: ci.valdez.ak.us/civic Mailing Address: PO Box 1849 Valdez, AK 99686 Physical Address: 314 Clifton Dr. Valdez Season: Year round **ADA Accessible**

Movie Theatre- Current movies, digital with 3D; Year round Conventions, Meetings, banquets, performance theatre.

VALDEZ JOB CENTER

Phone: 907-835-4910 Email: valdez.jobcenter@alaska.gov Website: www.jobs.state.ak.us

Mailing address: PO Box 590 Valdez, AK 99686 Physical Address: 213 Meals Ave. - State Court Building

Season: Year round ADA accessible

Providing job seekers & employers with services to meet their employment needs.

VALDEZ OFFICE SUPPLY

Phone: 907-835-4667 Fax: 907-835-8628

Email: valdezofficesupply@valdezak.net Physical Address: 339 Hazelet, Valdez AK, 99686

Season: Year round

Copy, FAX & laminate services, school & office supplies, craft items, Rite in the Rain products, cards, Alaska Communications cell phones & lots more

VALDEZ VETERINARY CLINIC INC

Phone: 907-835-5280

Address: 321 Egan St. Suite 104, Valdez, AK, 99686

Season: Year round

Full service veterinary practice for dogs & cats.

OUT OF TOWN LISTINGS

Valdez Convention & Visitors Bureau is happy to promote our Out-Of-Town Business members. As you travel to and from Valdez, connect to a variety of businesses and services listed below to serve your needs.

OUT OF TOWN HOTELS

FOUNTAINHEAD HOTELS

Phone: 907-456-3692 Toll Free: 1-800-528-4916 Fmail: hotels@fdifairbanks.com Website: www.fountainheadhotels.com Mailing Address: 1501 Queens Way Fairbanks 99701

Physical Address: Fairbanks Season: Year round

700+ guest rooms, gr8 service, comfy, affordable suits- Restaurant & Lounges - Auto Museum, Wedgewood Resort, Sophie Station Suites& Bridgewater Hotel.

GILPATRICK'S HOTEL CHITINA

Phone: 907-823-2244 Email: info@hotelchitina.com Website: www.hotelchitina.com

Mailing Address: PO Box 2886 Valdez, AK 99686 Physical Address: Mile 33 of Edgerton Hwy.

Season: Summer ADA Accessible

Built in 1914; newly updated rooms have private baths & queen beds, full service restaurant & Saloon, Gateway to Wrangell St. Elias National Park.

OUT OF TOWN BED & BREAKFAST

COPPER MOOSE B&B

Phone: 907-822-4244

Toll Free: 1-866-922-4244 Email: coppermoose@cvinternet.net Website: www.coppermoosebb.com

Mailing Address: HC 60 Box 227H Copper Center, AK 99573 Physical Address: Milepost 5.85 Edgerton Hwy

Season: Year round

4 Rooms, 3 Baths. Rooms on ground floor have private entrance. Rooms include internet, phone, TV w/220 channels, and breakfast & desert.

Wellwood Center Bed & Breakfast

Phone: 907-822-3418

Email: contact@wellwoodcenter.com Website: www.wellwoodcenter.com

Mailing Address: HC60 Box 227 Copper Center, AK 99573 Physical Address: Mile 5.75 Edgerton Highway (Alaska

Route 10), Kenny Lake, AK

Season: Year round

3 guest rooms, 110 Acre nature preserve with trails; Full kitchen, full bath, private living room, homelike comfort, Private entrance, Free Wifi.



OUT OF TOWN CABINS & DINING

SHEEP MOUNTAIN LODGE

Phone: 907-745-5121 Toll free: 1-877-645-5121 Email: info@sheepmountain.com Website: www.sheepmountain.com

Physical Address: Milepost 113.5 Glenn Highway, Sutton,

AK 99674 Season: Year round

Private bath & shower. Cabins with Kitchens available year round.

OUT OF TOWN WILDERNESS LODGES

COPPER RIVER PRINCESS WILDERNESS LODGE

Phone: 907-822-4000 Toll free: 1-800-426-0500 Email: aklodges@princesstours.com

Website: www.princesslodges.com Mailing Address: PO Box 422 Copper Center AK 99573 Physical Address: Mile 102 Richardson Hwy, Brenwick

Craig Rd. Season: Summer **ADA Accessible**

85 room lodge at the gateway to N. America's largest national park; Wrangell - St. Elias. Amazing mountain views, exceptional service & fine dining.

KENNICOTT GLACIER LODGE

Phone: 907-258-2350 Toll Free: 1-800-582-5128 Email: info@kennicottlodge.com Website: www.kennicottlodge.com

Physical Address: #15 Millsite, Kennicott, AK 99588

Season:Summer

Wilderness Lodge and Restaurant in Wrangell-St. Elias National Park. 35 Guest Rooms. Glacier Hikes, River Rafting, Flightseeing, Historic Tours.

LAKE LOUISE LODGE

Phone: 907-822-3311 Toll Free: 1877-878-3311 Email: III@alaska.net

Website: www.lakelouiselodge.com

Mailing Address: HC01 Box 1716 Glennallen, AK Physical Address: Mile 16.1 Lake Louise Lodge Road 99588

Season: Year round

7 Room lodge w/ private, full baths & full service restaurant & bar overlooking Lake Louise. Smoke free, fishing license, propane, gas available.

PREMIER ALASKA TOURS

Phone: 907-279-0001 Toll Free: 1-888-486-8725 Email: premier@touralaska.net Website: www.premieralaskatours.com

Physical Address: 1900 Premier Ct. Anchorage, Alaska 99502

Season: Year round Authentic and escorted Alaska land tours in group or quaranteed departure formats.

OUT OF TOWN ATTRACTIONS

FOUNTAINHEAD ANTIQUE AUTO

MUSEUM Phone: 907-450-2100 Toll Free: 1-800-528-4916

Email: info@fountainheadmuseum.com Website: www.fountainheadmuseum.com

Mailing Address: 1501 Queens Way Fairbanks 99701 Physical Address: Fairbanks

Season: Year round ADA Accessible

Over 80 rare autos, from 1898 carriage-elegant 1930's classics, a rare, must see collection. Original fashions, historic photos & videos, gift shop.

OUT OF TOWN WINTER OPERATIONS

ALASKA SNOW SAFARIS

Phone: 907-745-2505 Toll free: 1-800-478-2506

Email: info@snowmobile-alaska.com Website: www.snowmobile-alaska.com

Physical Address: 17436 Marcus Baker Dr., Palmer, AK

99645 Season: Winter

Backcountry snowmobile tours for beginner to advanced riders. We provide custom multi-day trips.

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