

LEISURE TRAVELERS

These are suggested itineraries for your time in Denali. Please let us know if we can assist you in booking any tours while you are in Denali!

Day 1:

4:00 pm - 6:00 pm: CHECK IN

6:00 pm: Tonglen's **Artisan Cafe** for drinks and snacks

6:30 pm: Dine at an area restaurant

*Order To-Go lunch & breakfast by 8:00 pm

Day 2:

AM: Enjoy breakfast in our **Artisan Cafe** (served from 4:30 - 11:30 am. Order the night before).

9:00 am - 12:00 pm: GUIDED WALKING TOUR (available through local guiding companies)

Take an interpretive, guided walk in the Denali area with a naturalist guide who will point out the landmarks and talk about the amazing geology and glacial history of this part of the world. Walk through boreal forests and discover how plants and animals have adapted to the extreme sub-arctic environment. The pace is usually about one mile per hour, as there are frequent stops. The northern land is wild and natural and one needn't walk far to experience it. Walk in the footsteps of animals, and gain a new appreciation for this far north landscape.

Afternoon: Leisurely drive into the Park and enjoy a **picnic lunch at the Savage River.**

6:00 pm: Tonglen's **Artisan Cafe** for drinks and snacks

6:30 pm: Dine at an area restaurant.

Evening at Tonglen: Enjoy our lawn games, take a walk around the property and spot local birds and wildflowers or relax by the **campfire** to end your day.

*Order Breakfast & To-Go lunch for your next day's adventure

Day 3:

AM: Enjoy breakfast in our **Artisan Cafe** (served from 4:30 - 11:30 am. Order the night before).

Morning Departure: TUNDRA WILDERNESS TOUR (available through reservedenali.com)

Traveling 53 miles into the park to the Toklat River rest area, the Tundra Wilderness Tour offers a wonderful diversity for visitors. Incredible scenery, a narrated history of the park road and some of the best opportunities to view the park's wildlife inhabitants await you on this tour. The tour allows plenty of opportunity to look for Dall sheep, moose, caribou, wolves and grizzly bears. On days when Denali is visible, it may be possible to travel to Stony Hill Overlook (another eight miles down the road) and view

the entire mountain from base to summit. A small snack and hot beverage are offered on this Alaska land tour. We suggest you pre-book a TO-GO lunch for the trip, as there are no concessions available in the wilderness of Denali National Park.

The morning tour departs between 5:00 AM and 9:00 AM. The afternoon tour departs between 1:30 PM and 3:30 PM, **Please note: Exact departure times are not guaranteed and are based on availability - it is possible to be ticketed for any time during the departure windows.**

6:00 pm: Tonglen's **Artisan Cafe** for drinks and snacks

6:30 pm: Dine at an area restaurant.

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Day 4:

AM: Enjoy breakfast in our **Artisan Cafe** (served from 4:30 - 11:30 am. Order the night before).

12:00 pm: SCENIC WILDERNESS RAFT TRIP (available through local guiding companies)

Although this trip will begin at McKinley Village in the midst of local lodges, your river raft will drift slowly away and leave only a quiet encounter with Denali's wilderness. Imagine yourself floating in solitude along the boundaries of Denali National Park. Pass by our surrounding mountains and watch for a variety of wildlife and enjoy class II and mild class III whitewater rapids.

6:00 pm: Dine at **229 Parks Restaurant and Tavern**

Evening at Tonglen: Enjoy our lawn games, take a walk around the property and spot local birds and wildflowers or relax by the **campfire** to end your day.

Day 5:

AM: Breakfast at our **Artisan Café**

CHECK OUT by 11:00 a.m.

Explore the Park's Entrance Area before heading onto your next stop: Stop by the Denali Park Visitor Center and the Murie Science and Learning Center. Interested in Shopping? Take a look around "Glitter Gulch" on the George Parks Hwy just one mile north of the entrance to Denali Park.