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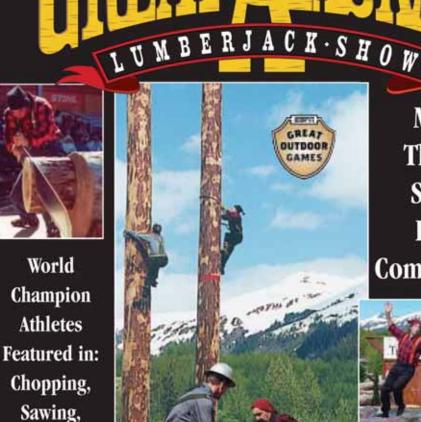
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Cover: Paddling Thomas Basin boat harbor, downtown Ketchikan. Above: Aerial view of downtown. Right: Rotary Beach at sunset. Photos by Clark Mishler



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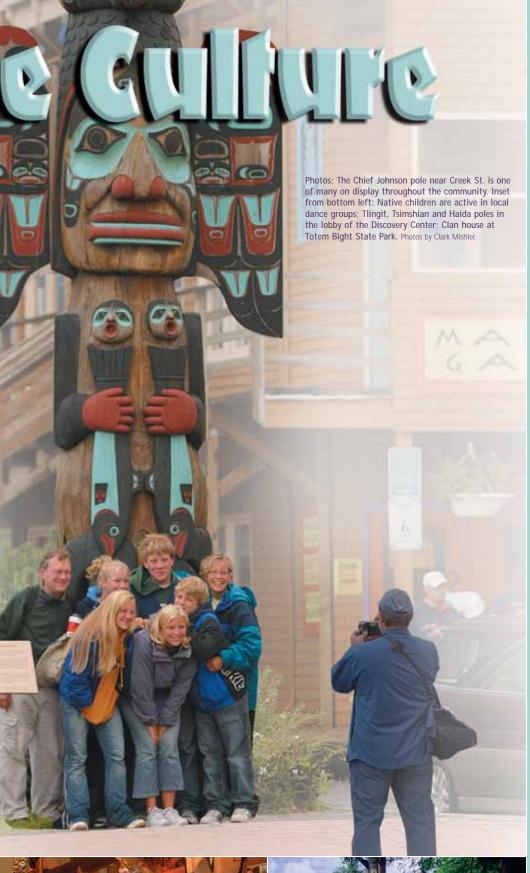
Ketchikan is a popular destination for meetings, conventions, board retreats and corporate incentive programs. The area's remote, scenic location and array of activities and attractions provides an outstanding group destination. The Ted Ferry Civic Center is a versatile, state of the art meeting facility convenient to all Ketchikan hotels and attractions. The center which seats 500 theatre style and 400 for banquets is open year-round for events. Several Ketchikan hotels also offer meeting and banquet space, for groups from 10 to 100. The Ketchikan Visitors Bureau offers professional meeting planning staff and support to help you build the perfect event for your group. Call for our free meeting planners' tools at 800-770-3300 or visit www.meetinalaska.com





ative art and culture flourishes here due to the large population of Native Alaskans. The three indigenous Pacific Northwest Indian tribes are the Tlingit, Haida and Tsimshian. Gaze at the many massive totem poles, timeless monuments in cedar from the first Alaskans. Native dance comes alive with regular performances by skilled groups, just minutes from Ketchikan, at the Saxman Tribal house, and at the Metlakatla Long House. Two miles south from Ketchikan is Saxman Village. Its totem park includes the Abraham Lincoln famed Following in the footsteps of their and ancestors, carvers apprentices can be seen here sculpting totem poles, canoes, paddles and masks. In a beautiful cove eight miles north of Ketchikan is Totem Bight State Park, where a historic collection of totems and a Native community house can be viewed. Ketchikan's Totem Heritage Center displays a large collection of original poles retrieved from abandoned village sites and hosts classes teaching traditional art forms like weaving and regalia making. The Southeast Alaska Discovery Center houses contemporary poles, examples of Native basketry and other crafts; and a traditional Native fish camp exhibit. Fine totemic art can be seen at the Prince of Wales Island communities of Kasaan, Klawock and Hydaburg.









Native Culture Itinerary Ideas

The Ketchikan area is home to three tribes of Northwest Coast Indians: the Tlingit, Haida and Tsimshian. Examples of traditional NW coast art abound throughout Ketchikan. Totems and other cedar carvings are easy to spot in parks and green spaces, and adorn local homes, commercial and public buildings.

- ► Day Once: The Southeast Alaska Discovery Center's Native Traditions room provides a good introduction to the area's indigenous peoples. At the Totem Heritage Center, view original totems on display following their retrieval from abandoned Native Villages; just across the creek the Deer Mountain Tribal Hatchery and Eagle Center rears salmon and maintains a live eagle display. Locations for totems and carvings throughout the downtown area are noted on the walking tour map available at the Ketchikan Visitors Bureau.
- ▶ Day Two: Take an organized or self guided tour to Totem Bight State Park and to Saxman Native Village. Both parks feature clan houses and large collections of poles. Saxman's carving shed allows visitors to watch master carvers and their apprentices practice their craft near the clan house where Native dance performances are held.
- ▶ Day Three: Fly or ferry to Metlakatla, the only Indian reservation in the state, and home to the Tsimshian tribe. Activities include Native dance performances, artist demonstrations, refreshments and a community tour.
- ▶ Opilions: Plan enough time to see our neighboring communities. In Wrangell, Ketchikan's neighbor to the north, visit Chief Shakes Island and photograph the ancient rock carvings scattered throughout Petroglyph Beach State Historic Park. On Prince of Wales Island, totem pole collections can be viewed in the communities of Hydaburg and Klawock.

2 To Learn More About Native Culture Contact:

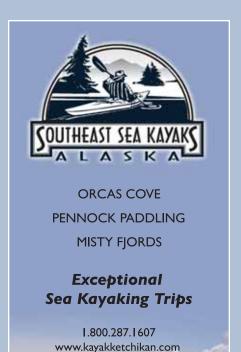
Cape Fox Native Corporation: P.O. Box 8558, Ketchikan, AK 99901 907-225-5163

Ketchikan Indian Corporation Deer Mountain Tribal Hatchery & Eagle Center: 1158 Salmon Road, Ketchikan, AK 99901 907-225-5158

Totem Bight State Park: 9883 North Tongass Highway, Ketchikan, AK 99901 907-247-8574

Totem Heritage Center/Ketchikan Museums: 629 Dock Street, Ketchikan, AK 99901 907-225-5900

Southeast Alaska Discovery Center: 50 Main Street, Ketchikan, AK 99901 907-228-6220, www.fs.fed.us/r10/ketchikan



2 For More Information on Wildlife

Southeast Alaska Discovery Center: 50 Main Street, Ketchikan, AK 99901 907-228-6220 • www.fs.fed.us/r10/ketchikan

Alaska Department of Fish & Game, Wildlife Division: 2030 Sea Level Dr., Suite 205, Ketchikan, AK 99901 (907) 225-2475 • www.state.ak.us

Photo: Dungeness crabs are one of many species of local marine life. Photos by Clark Mishler



/ildlife sightings are an everyday experience here and a visit to Ketchikan offers many options for viewing. Majestic Bald eagles abound, and are easy to spot perched in shoreline trees and even atop church steeples with advantageous views. In season find them near salmon spawning streams and nesting areas. The variety of land and sea birds in the region will keep birders busy. Of special note is the Stikine River area in Wrangell, a haven for over 120 migrating species of bird in the spring and fall.

Black bear are common throughout the region, along with brown (grizzly) bears in mainland areas. Boaters and hikers sight them often, especially in Misty Fiords National Monument and on Prince of Wales Island. Some of the finest black and brown bear viewing locations in Alaska are at Anan Creek near Wrangell and at Salmon Creek in Hyder.

Sitka black-tailed deer almost pose for cameras on beaches, and along roadsides and trails. Mountain goats are plentiful, wolf may be sighted and moose range the mainland. Sightings of Orca and Humpback whales, sea lions, seals, playful sea otters and porpoise may be enjoyed on cruise excursions and from state ferries. Marten, mink and river otter can be seen along beaches, streams and lakefronts.

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Viewing Contact:



BROWN BEAR (Mainland areas) Viewing Opportunities: May-September; near food sources- berry patches, salmon spawning areas.

BLACK BEAR

Viewing Opportunities: May-September; near food sources; berry patches, salmon spawning areas.

MOUNTAIN GOATS Viewing Opportunities:

Late April- December; flightseeing excursions, on area trails in Alpine terrain.

SITKA BLACK TAIL DEER Viewing Opportunities: Year around; near roads, trails and on beaches

RED SOUIRRELS

Viewing Opportunities: Year around; wooded areas, park settings.

RIVER OTTERS Viewing Opportunities: Year around; look for groups on beaches.

Wildlife Chart



HUMPBACK WHALES Viewing Opportunities: April-September; Humpbacks have extremely long flippers and often lift their flukes out of the water prior to diving.

ORCA WHALES (Killer Whales) Viewing Opportunities: Year around, peaking from April-September. Pods follow salmon runs.

HARBOR SEAL Viewing Opportunities: Year around; near beach areas.

STELLER'S SEA LION Viewing Opportunities: April-November; Several area rookeries Pups are born Mid-May-July.

PORPOISE (White-sided and Harbor species) Viewing Opportunities: April-October.



BALD EAGLES

Viewing Opportunities: Year around; peak-ing from April-September. Perched on high spots overlooking the waterfront ranging from trees to church steeples and roof tops.

RAVEN (and crows)

Viewing Opportunities: Year around; plentiful both in town and surrounding

RUFOUS HUMMINGBIRD

Viewing Opportunities: Migratory, May-August. Near salmon berry patches, other succulent flowers. Breeding area for the species.

STELLER'S JAY

Viewing Opportunities: Year around. Residential areas, parks and forest areas.

CANADA GOOSE

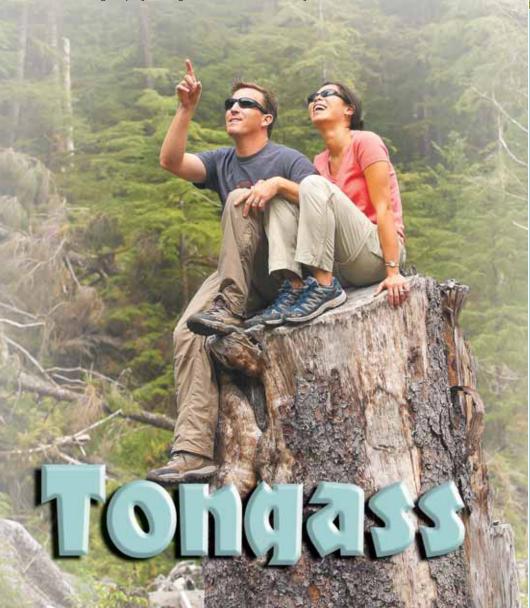
Viewing Opportunities: Year around; plentiful both in town and surrounding Ketchikan is located in the heart of the 17 million-acre Tongass National Forest, the largest in the United States. Designated for multiple use, the Tongass is managed by the US Forest Service for recreation and wilderness activities, wildlife habitat and resource based industry- primarily timber, fishing, tourism and mining. The Tongass is an integral part of the visitor experience and resident lifestyle in Southeast Alaska.

The resources of the Tongass provide the means for a unique way of life. Native tribes harvested wood to build long houses and canoes and create household implements and art. Spruce roots provided valuable weaving material, while the vegetation and animals living in the forest provided food, dyes and medicinal remedies.

Later settlers also found the Tongass a rich source of premium wood- Red and Yellow Cedar, Western Hemlock (far superior to the more commonly known Eastern Hemlock), and Sitka Spruce, prized for it's strength to weight ratio.

The timber industry's development in Southeast Alaska created small communities within the forest. A highlight of logging camp social life were "timber carnivals" or logging shows where woodsmen would compete in ax throwing, tree climbing, and obstacle course competitions that were patterned after the types of skills needed to work in the woods.

Visitors will experience the Tongass in a number of ways. In and around Ketchikan, you will "visit" the Tongass while cruising along its shores aboard ships, ferries, pleasure boats and kayaks. Other options for exploring the forest include several day hikes and trails for all abilities (see trail map on page 23). Fly or hike into a remote lake for a stay at a wilderness cabin. Camp and picnic at a recreation area. Outside of Hyder near Stewart, BC you can stop along the road to view a glacier. As you plan your visit, it will be apparent that the Tongass plays a large role in much of what you will see and do in Southeast Alaska.







Forestry Facts

- The Tongass encompasses 17 million acres (roughly the size of West Virginia) and dominates about 90% of Southeast Alaska.
- During World War I, spruce logs were commissioned by the military for building aircraft and in WWII for gliders, due to the wood's strength. Howard Hughes' famous "Spruce Goose" was crafted of Sitka Spruce.
- 145 wilderness cabins throughout the Tongass are available for public use, 80 are accessible from Ketchikan.
- The forest has an accelerated rate of growth compared to other forests, due to the unique climatic conditions of the temperate rain forest.
- Glaciers or "rivers of ice" found throughout the Tongass, often move at rate of 1-2 inches per day.
- If traveling through Southeast Alaska, you could visit Ketchikan, Wrangell, Petersburg, Juneau, Sitka, Haines, Skagway and Yakutat and never leave the Tongass.

To Learn More About the Tongass & Forest Products Industry, Contact

Alaska Forest Association:

111 Stedman Street, Suite 200, Ketchikan, AK 99901 907-225-6114, E-mail: afa@akforest.org, www.akforest.org

USFS: Southeast Alaska Discovery Center: 50 Main Street, Ketchikan, AK 99901 907-228-6220, www.fs.fed.us/r10/ketchikan

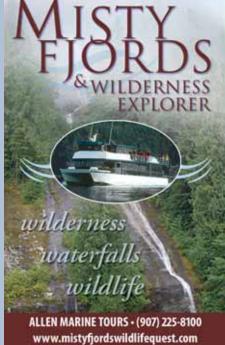
Photos: A resting spot while hiking the Tongass. Inset from top: Wild huckleberries add vibrant color to the local landscape; Local tours provide a variety of options for viewing the Tongass. Photos by Clark Mishler.

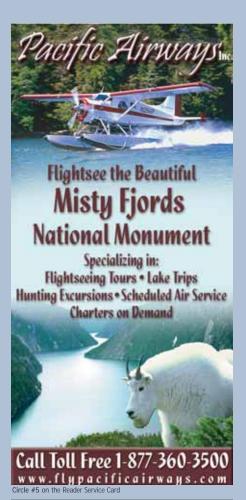
Misty Fjords Itinerary Ideas

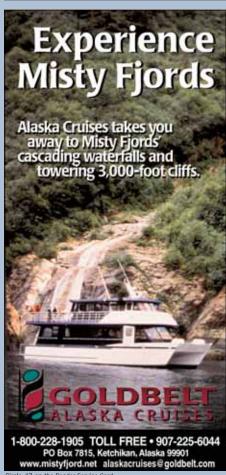
The geographical features of the area contribute to its scenic beauty and can be explored from below ground to above the mountain tops.

- ► Day Two: Misty Fjords National Monument, retreating glaciers have carved what many refer to as a northern equivalent of the Grand Canyon. Tour by boat, plane or both.
- Day Two: On Prince of Wales Island, El Capitan cave is part of a vast karst network discovered just a decade ago. Artifacts show evidence of human occupancy over 9,500 years ago and grizzly bear bones dated 30,000 years old. Managed by the US Forest Service, guided tours can be arranged in advance.
- ▶ Day Two: Glaciers. Explore several within easy travel of Ketchikan. Hyder, Alaska on the British Columbia border is home to the Salmon and Bear Glaciers, easily accessible by road. Wrangell and Petersburg offer outstanding viewing opportunities along the Stikine River and at LeConte Glacier.
- Day Two: Kayak through Misty Fjords, camping in nearby USFS cabins or on the beach. Bare boat charters allow exploration at your own pace around the numerous islands in the area. Raft down the Stikine River: or explore a wilderness-hiking trail leading to campsites, even hot springs.

Explore Misty Fjords National Monument - Alaska's glacier-carved masterpiece and one of nature's most spectacular creations - while cruising in comfort aboard one of the fastest sightseeing vessels in Alaska.









agnificent Misty Fjords National Monument is a pristine masterpiece. Its fjords were created by massive glacier action in the ice-rimmed wilderness. Here is one of the country's greatest treasures and some of Alaska's most spectacular scenery. Its 2.3 million acres include soaring cliffs, sawtooth ridges shrouded in mists, sky-blue lakes, hanging valleys, countless waterfalls, bottomless saltwater fjords, and miles of glaciers. And the monument is home to a multitude of wildlife.

Misty Fjords' roadless location is accessed only by floatplane or boat from Ketchikan. It's possible to cruise in 3 hours one way, fly in (35 minutes one way), or choose to cruise one way and fly the other. Excursion vessels will carry your kayak to and from Misty Fjords, where you can paddle the pristine waters from a campsite or one of the U.S. Forest Service Cabins.



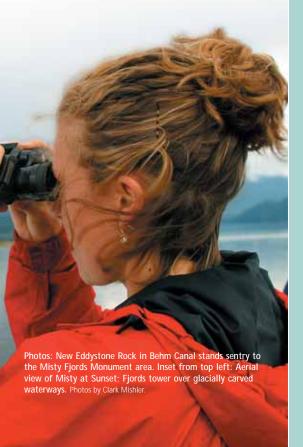


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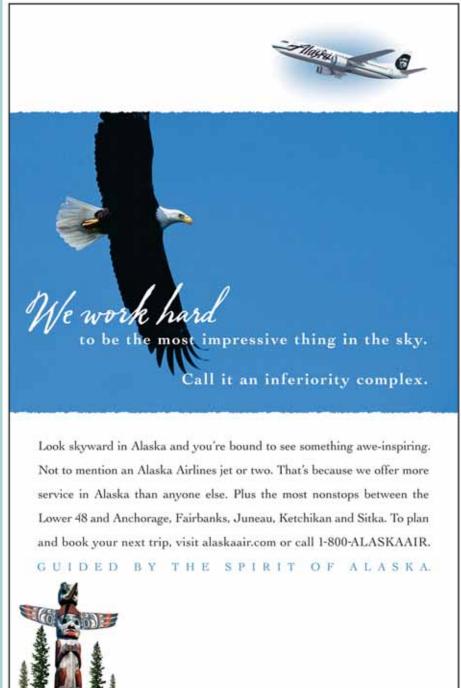
Cruise passengers can see old pictographs (Native rock art) painted along the walls within the monument, drink from fjord waterfalls, enjoy relaxed cruising while watching for shore side wildlife, and see famous New Eddystone Rock, a picturesque volcanic core. Floatplanes provide a bird's-eye view of the entire locale and land on an alpine lake, so passengers can absorb the serenity and astonishing beauty.

7 For More Information About Mistv Fiords National Monument. Contact

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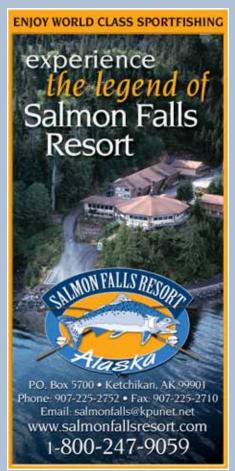
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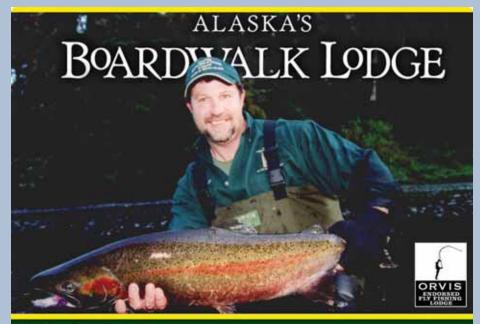
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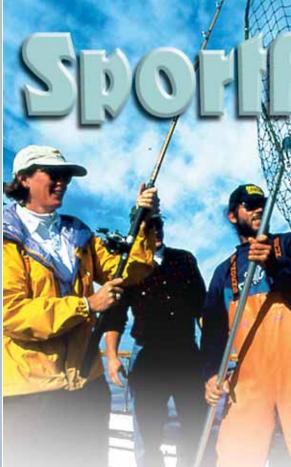
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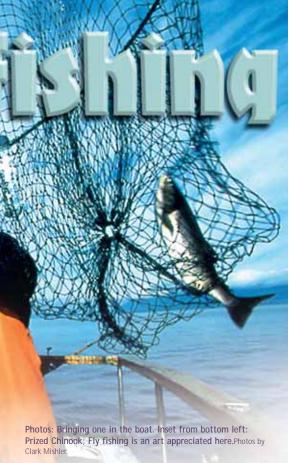


uge runs of salmon migrate from the open ocean, around Prince of Wales Island, and into the protected waters of the Inside Passage near Ketchikan. This mass gathering of five species of Pacific salmon is the reason that this area is known as the "Salmon Capital of the World". This region of Alaska is particularly noted for its strong runs of trophy size fish, including king (chinook), silver (coho), red (sockeye), pink (humpy), and chum (dog) salmon. The finest salt water fishing for giant halibut, red snapper, ling cod and rock cod is also available.

Numerous wilderness lakes and streams provide incredible fishing for steelhead, dolly varden, grayling, rainbow and cutthroat trout. The fighting spirit of these native species is enough to satisfy the most demanding angler. Fly fishing in these remote areas is excellent.

Ketchikan and neighboring Prince of Wales Island offer an outstanding variety of fishing experiences. First class lodges and resorts will

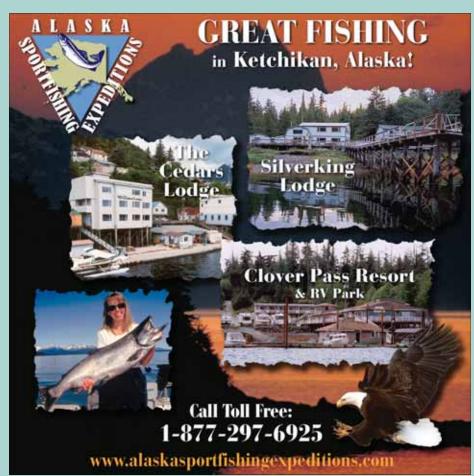




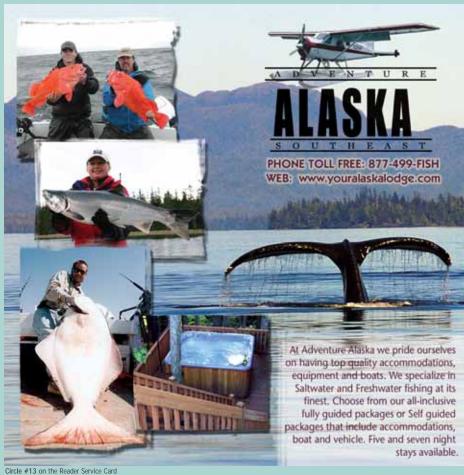
pamper you with personalized service and handle all aspects of your fishing adventure. Charter operators will guide you to the hot spots for half, full or multi-day fishing trips. Hotels and some B & B's offer booking services. The US Forest Service maintains over 80 remote cabins accessible from Ketchikan, located on or adjacent to fresh and salt water. Reservations are recommended well in advance. Consult the directory at the back of the guide for more information. Transportation options vary, depending on the location and the type of fishing experience you select. Most lodges offer pick up and transfers from the Ketchikan International Airport via car, boat or float plane. Remote wilderness areas can be reached by float plane, boat or hiking trail.

From do it yourself packages to full-service world-class resorts and charming lodges, the Ketchikan area has a fishing experience that will appeal to your style and budget.





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Fishing Chart

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KING (CHINOOK) SALMON AV=15-50 LBS. Trophy 50 LBS.



SILVER (COHO) SALMON AV=12-15 LBS. Trophy 20 LBS.



PINK (HUMPBACK) SALMON AV=4-5 LBS. Trophy 9 LBS.



RED (SOCKEYE) SALMON AV=5-7 LBS. Trophy 12 LBS.



CHUM (DOG) SALMON AV=12 LBS. Trophy 15 LBS.



ROCK FISH AV=4-6 LBS. Trophy 20 LBS.



HALIBUT AV=25-100 LBS. Trophy 100 LBS.



LING COD AV=10-20 LBS. Trophy 30 LBS.



DOLLEY VARDEN AV=1-3 LBS. Trophy 8 LBS.



CUTTHROAT TROUT AV=1-3 LBS. Trophy 6 LBS.



RAINBOW TROUT AV=2 LBS. Trophy 10 LBS.



GRAYLING AV=1-2 LBS. Trophy 3 LBS.

STEELHEAD TROUT AV=8-10 LBS. Trophy 12 LBS

SALTWATER FISH FRESH WATER FISH

PEAK PEAK AVAILABLE AVAILABLE



An angler's dream, Ketchikan promises and delivers! Five species of salmon, numerous bottom fish and fresh water varieties are all plentiful.

- ▶ Day One: Book a space on one of the area's many guided charter boats. You'll get a feel for the species available during your visit and pick up tips from the pros on board. Charters depart daily-choose a half or full day. Your catch can be sent out for processing and delivered back home.
- Day Two: Three or more-Consider a remote fishing adventure selecting from one of the area's lodges, resorts or chartered yachts. Many offer both salt and fresh water expeditions. Most packages provide lodging, guided fishing or boats for your use, meals and some processing of your catch.
- **Options:** The US Forest Service maintains remote wilderness cabins throughout the region. Many are situated on lakeshores (skiff usually provided), some on salt-water beaches. Access is by floatplane or by boat. Outfitters can provide camping and fishing gear, even cook stoves and sleeping bags. Truly a way to get away from it all.

2 For More Information on Sportfishing Contact:

Alaska Department of Fish and Game: 2030 Sea Level Drive, Suite 205, Ketchikan, AK 99901 907-225-2859, www.state.ak.us

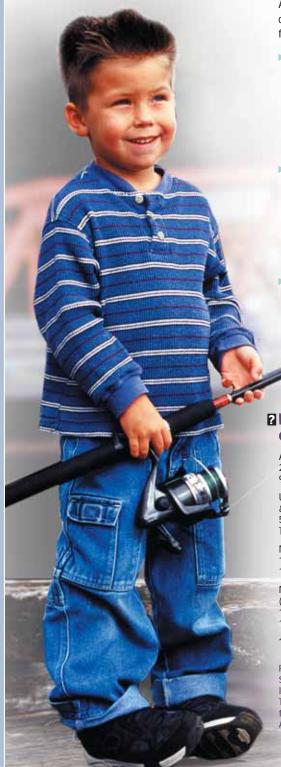
US Forest Service Campground & Cabin Reservations: 50 Main Street, Ketchikan, AK 99901 Toll free 877-444-6777, www.reserveusa.com

Non Resident Fishing Licenses*: 1 Day \$10; 3 Day \$20; 7 Day \$30 14 Day \$50; Annual \$100

Non Resident King Salmon Stamps (Required for King Salmon)*: 1 Day \$10; 3 Day \$20; 7 Day \$30 14 Day \$50; Annual \$100

*As of publication. Fees are subject to change.

Photos: Fishing captivates all ages. Inset from top left: Steelhead hopefuls; Floatplanes offer access to pristine trout lakes; Pier fishing in the heart of downtown. Page 13: Teamwork and imagination in action at Rotary Beach. Inset from top left: Day hikes offer family fun at Ward Lake; Alaskan husky enjoys attention. Photos by Clark Mishler.







Families traveling to Ketchikan will find our community very kid-friendly. Ketchikan's population is largely made up of families, whom you're sure to see at work and play when you visit. Much of what serves to attract adult visitors to our area will be fun and educational for younger travelers as well.

Ketchikan's busy waterfront, with cruise ships, ferries, fishing boats, tugs and barges, float planes, kayaks and pleasure boats cruising by provides an almost non-stop parade of sights and sounds. Pick up a Ketchikan walking tour map and let the kids help navigate your route past salmon spawning creeks and a fish ladder, totem poles, local parks, busy fishing harbors, our unique 'stair streets' and historic buildings. Area attractions along the way include museums, a fish hatchery and eagle center as well as shops and eateries for a guick break or snack.

Local sightseeing tour options range from buses (including a double-decker) and more intimate van tours to street cars, a '57 Chevy or a horse drawn trolley. Explore the surrounding area onboard day cruise vessels, during a fishing charter or experience the aerial views from a float plane tour.

The entire family will enjoy a visit to one of Ketchikan's public beaches, particularly during low tide. The inter-tidal areas abound with fascinating sea life, shells and rocks. Gulls, eagles and sea otters reside close by, and occasionally a pod of whales will be spotted offshore.

Ketchikan's rich Native cultural presence offers opportunities to view traditional clan houses, totem collections and to see carvers in action. Or take the kids fishing, Ketchikan's bountiful waters are home to numerous species of fresh and salt water fish. Most activities can easily accommodate children, and some offer discounts for younger participants.

Things to Do

- Rotary Beach, 3 miles south of town, features a wading area, plenty of sand and a playground.
- Ketchikan is located in a temperate rainforest, showers and drizzle are frequent and so natural to local kids that they take it for granted. Sports events are rarely called due to rain, kids just dress accordingly and take it in stride. Bring rain-proof outerwear and shoes for your kids and let them enjoy the rain (and the puddles) too.
- For longer visits, kids may enjoy swimming at the local public pools or an afternoon at the Indoor Recreation Center, featuring indoor basketball, raquetball, air hockey, fitness rooms and craft programs.
- Totem Bight and Settler's Cove state parks offer regularly scheduled programs for kids with hands on activities by trained park personnel.
- Local special events including parades, festivals, concerts and theatre performances are often appropriate for all ages.

For More Information on Family Activities. Contact:

Ketchikan Visitors Bureau: 131 Front Street, Ketchikan, AK 99901 800-770-3300, www.visit-ketchikan.com

Ketchikan Area Arts and Humanities Council: 716 Totem Way, Ketchikan, AK 99901 907-225-2211, www.ketchikanarts.org

Greater Ketchikan Chamber of Commerce: P.O. Box 5957, Ketchikan, AK 99901 907-225-3184, www.ketchikanchamber.com

Ketchikan Parks and Recreation Department 601 Schoenbar Road, Ketchikan, AK 99901 907-225-9579, www.borough.ketchikan.ak.us









Ketchikan Area Events

February

- Festival of the North-Ketchikan
- ▶ Tent City Days-Wrangell

April

- Craig/Klawock Salmon Derby-Prince of Wales
- Alaska Hummingbird Festival-Ketchikan
- Garnet Festival-Wrangell

May

- Celebration of the Sea-Ketchikan
- Totem to Totem Run-Ketchikan
- King Salmon Derbies-Ketchikan, Petersburg and Wrangell
- Prince of Wales International Marathon
- Little Norway Festival-Petersburg

June

- King Salmon Derby and Little League Salmon Derby - Ketchikan
- Wrangell Salmon Derby
- Seafest-Prince Rupert, BC
- >8th Annual Salmon Run-Ketchikan

July

- Fish Pirates Daughter Melodrama-Ketchikan
- Fourth of July Celebrations-all communities
- Ketchikan Timber Carnival
- Prince of Wales Logging Show & Fair

August

- ▶ Founders Day-Metlakatla
- Blueberry Arts Festival-Ketchikan

October

- October Artfest-Peterburg
- Harvest Festival-Metlakatla

November

- Parks & Recreation 5K-Ketchikan
- Winter Arts Faire-Ketchikan
- Festival of Lights-Ketchikan

December

- Festival of Lights-Wrangell
- Winterfest-Prince Rupert
- Enchanted Forest-Ketchikan

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Prince of Wales Island Chamber of Commerce: P.O. Box 497, Craig, AK 99921 907-826-3870 www.princeofwalescoc.org



Letchikan offers an exciting array of activities and special events. Designated one of the "Top 100 Small Arts Communities in the United States", Ketchikan hosts arts themed festivals and special events throughout the year. The Ketchikan Arts Guide, available locally, provides information on museums, galleries. performances and other arts outlets in the community.

Workshops and lectures offer learning opportunities in traditional native and classical art forms, natural and local history and science. Athletes will enjoy events like the Totem to Totem run or the annual triathalon. Bare boat rentals from skiffs to yachts allow you to set your own pace.

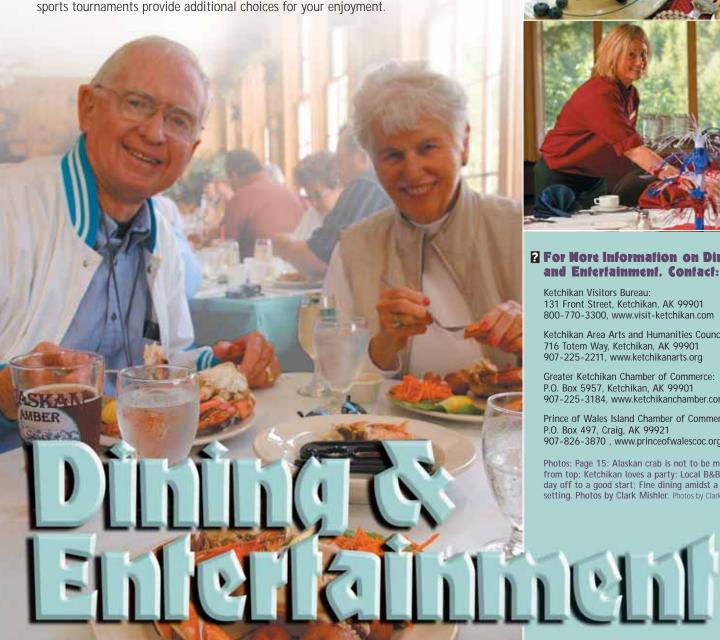
Local tours range from comfortable coaches to tour the city, to self guided bike and car rentals or choose a unique trolley or even amphibious craft. The Ketchikan Visitors Bureau offers an extensive collection of information. Pick up a copy of the walking tour map or check our calendar of events for a list of things to see and do while in town. Be sure to visit our tour center to choose from dozens of activities ranging from fishing charters to guided tours. Hunting is available for deer, bear, mountain goat and waterfowl.

Photos: Guided kayaking expeditions are a popular way to see the area. Inset from top left: Jeep excursions offer backroad exploration; Touring on a Harley is a memorable experience; Ketchikan offers unique activities for all ages. Photos by Clark Mishler.

etchikan features an enticing variety of restaurants from which to choose. Alaska is famous for fresh seafood such as: salmon, halibut, crab, shrimp, oysters and clams. These delicacies are fresh from the icy cold waters of the Pacific Ocean. Enjoy our local favorites: creamy seafood chowders, crab and shrimp tossed into omelets, salads or sandwiches; salmon, cod or halibut smoked, sautéed, broiled, battered, baked in an elegant sauce or in traditional fish and chips. Try a salmon burger or salmon jerky- deliciously different from the beef versions. Gather beach asparagus, berries, seaweed and Hudson's Bay Tea leaves-all traditional Native foods. Rest assured that your hometown favorites, from hearty steaks to pizza and fast foods to a country style breakfast are also available. Your favorite beverages are available too whether you crave a latté and biscotti, or are interested in trying an Alaskan brand brew. Choose from casual or formal dining settings. Restaurants, cafés, snack bars, and dining rooms at area resorts and lodges offer variety or plan a picnic by stopping at a deli for a savory meal to go.

You'll find that Ketchikan plays host to a wide spectrum of sourdough entertainment. Dance to live music by local and visiting performers in local lounges; attend a Native dance performance; view the award winning "Mystical Southeast Alaska" audio-visual presentation. Learn more about Ketchikan's history by attending the melodrama "Fish Pirates Daughter".

Local galleries host art show openings monthly. Other special events from theatre to sports tournaments provide additional choices for your enjoyment.









2 For More Information on Dining and Entertainment, Contact:

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Photos: Page 15: Alaskan crab is not to be missed. Inset from top: Ketchikan loves a party; Local B&Bs get your day off to a good start; Fine dining amidst a beautiful setting. Photos by Clark Mishler. Photos by Clark Mishler

Camping Facilities

- Public campsite fees: \$5.00 to \$10.00 per night.
- Wilderness cabins: \$25.00 to 45.00 per night.
- Public campsites provide water and public rest rooms, but do not offer electrical hook ups.
 Maximum stay is 7 nights.
- ► The City of Ketchikan provides an RV dump station, located just one mile north of the Alaska Marine Highway ferry terminal, at 3915 Tongass. The facility is available 24 hours per day.
- Services such as groceries, propane, auto parts, laundry and shower facilities are available at locations throughout Ketchikan.
- Local outfitters provide sleeping bags, cookstoves, utensils and fishing gear for use at cabins.
- Public campgrounds offer a variety of hiking trails, are adjacent to lakes or salt water, and provide interesting interpretive programs for all ages.
- Camping facilities are also available on Prince of Wales Island, Wrangell and Petersburg.

For More Information on Camping and RV Facilities. Contact

US Forest Service Campground & Cabin Reservations: 50 Main Street, Ketchikan, AK 99901 Toll free 1-877-444-6777, www.reserveusa.com

Alaska State Parks: 9883 North Tongass Highway, Ketchikan, AK 99901 907-247-8574, www.dnr.state.ak.us

For Additional Information on Ketchikan Area Attractions. Contact:

Southeast Alaska Discovery Center: 50 Main St., Ketchikan, AK 99901, 907-228-6220, www.fs.fed.us/r10/ketchikan

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The Ketchikan area offers several camping facilities for visitors to enjoy. Camping is a favorite local pastime too- your neighbors could very well be residents out for a weekend getaway.

The US Forest Service operates the Ward Lake Recreational Area, located 8 miles north of town. Three campgrounds: Signal Creek, Last Chance and Three C's provide a total of 47 sites. Campsites are of varying size and accommodate vehicles up to 45' long; most sites handle 30' to 36' vehicles. Reservations are available for some sites.

Ketchikan's Settler's Cove Campground, operated by the Alaska State Parks system provides 14 campsites situated on salt water, 18 miles north of Ketchikan. Access is by highway, followed by a dirt road the last two miles to the campground. 13 accommodate RVs, 4 handle vehicles up to 35' long. All sites are available on a first-come, first-served basis.

Private RV facilities are also available on a limited basis, but fill quickly during peak summer months. Reservations well in advance are strongly recommended.

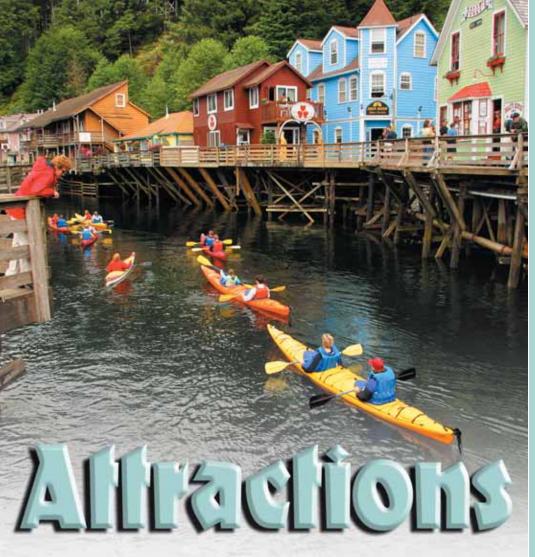
For a truly remote getaway, consider a US Forest Service or Alaska State Parks operated recreational cabin. The cabins located on either lakefront or saltwater settings are furnished with bunks, tables, wood or oil fired stoves, and skiffs. Transportation, via floatplane or boat can be arranged through local charter companies.

The US Forest Service utilizes a nationwide reservations system on the Internet as well as a toll free phone number to reserve your campsite or cabin. Contact information for the Alaska State Parks system is also listed at left.

Photos: Ward Cove Recreational Area is a popular camping destination. Inset from bottom left: Camping options include lakeside or saltwater accessible sites. One of dozens of USFS cabins available for use.

Page 17: Ketchikan's historic Creek Street. Inset from bottom left: Dolly's boudoir; Great Alaskan Lumberjack Show athlete. Photos by Clark Mishler



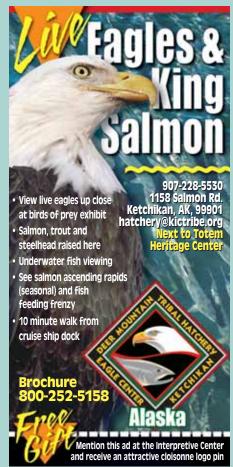


The rich history and scenic beauty of Ketchikan, lays the groundwork for visits to many interesting attractions. The Tongass Historical Museum's exhibits and archival office provide a gold mine of information on early Ketchikan. Just outside, Ketchikan Creek's shoreline bends and curves past nearby Creek Street, a pedestrian thoroughfare, and the downtown area. During prohibition and in later years buildings on the street housed several bordellos. Today, restaurants, galleries and gift shops are a popular stop for visitors. During your stroll, be sure to stop in at Dolly's House Museum, home to one of the creek's most famous businesswomen, Dolly Arthur. At the mouth of the creek, The Great Alaskan Lumberjack Show showcases the skill of woodsmen competing against each other in events like log rolling and tree-climbing. Next door, the Southeast Alaska Discovery Center is an outstanding interpretive facility highlighting the Tongass National Forest. South of town, the George Inlet Cannery provides a historical perspective on the fishing industry as visitors walk through the site's original buildings and display of equipment used in the 1940's.

Flights by plane and helicopter are popular. Tour options include bear watching, trips to Misty Fjords, freight and mail runs to outlying communities, and drops at recreational areas. To enjoy the area by water, consider a guided or bare boat cruise for day trips, with or without fishing, as well as overnight stays; or choose a harbor cruise along Ketchikan's fascinating waterfront.







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For More Information on Shopping See Pages 29.30

Photos: Art galleries and local shops feature Alaskan artists. Inset from top left: Alaskan motif apparel is popular and practical. Downtown Ketchikan offers an extensive variety of shopping opportunities. Shoppers stroll the Creek Street boardwalk. Photos by Clark Mishler.

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\$350.00 to \$650.00/per person, per day

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Group discounts for hotel accommodations and airfare can be arranged through the Ketchikan Visitors Bureau.

Taxes are additional and vary based on location (City -11.5%, Borough- 6%, outlying areas-0%).

*Lodge and Resort rates are usually all inclusive: accommodations, meals, fishing packages, processing of catch and transportation to/from Kotchikan







etchikan provides a wide range of accommodations offering the perfect place to relax after an exciting day. Visitors can select from a variety ranging from the local youth hostel to a full spectrum of bed and breakfasts, hotels and motels, fishing lodges and world class resorts. Choose a place to stay in the heart of town, or a secluded waterfront getaway.

Most bed and breakfast facilities offer private, apartment style living, still others offer more traditional B&B experiences within the owner's home. Hotels and motels range in size from 8 to 80 rooms, many feature restaurants and lounges on premises or are located just a short walk from dining establishments.

Fishing lodges and resorts are located in town and at remote locations to provide ready access to the hot fishing spots. Choose from fully guided resort packages or do it yourself options, with boats and gear provided.

Accommodations range in price from moderate to expensive. You're sure to find comfortable lodgings that suit any budget. Rates vary according to season. The fall, winter and spring seasons provide a special opportunity to visit Alaska at greatly reduced rates.

Photos: Lodge style comfort in lobby invites you to linger. Inset from top left: Choose from downtown convenience, waterfront views or a peaceful retreat in the woods at local B&Bs. Photos by Clark Mishler.

Accommodations







transportation

Letchikan is only a 90 minute flight by Alaska Airlines jet from Seattle. Scheduled daily jet service is available from Seattle, as well as Anchorage, Juneau, Sitka, Petersburg and Wrangell.

Local commuter air carriers connect Ketchikan with all of the outlying communities of southern Southeast Alaska, and Prince Rupert, Canada. The aircraft are called "floatplanes" because of the large floats that allow them to take off and land safely on the water. Floatplanes can land in bays and harbors to access waterfront communities and on lakes to reach remote fishing hot spots.

Ketchikan is a major cruise ship port along the Inside Passage, welcoming hundreds of thousands of visitors each year. The Alaska Marine Highway System operates a fleet of ferries connecting Ketchikan with the lower 48 states and to the rest of Alaska's Inside Passage. The scenic trip north from Bellingham, Washington takes 36 hours, from Prince Rupert, B.C. 6 hours. Convenient connections are available to Wrangell, Petersburg, Sitka, Juneau, Haines and Skagway. The Inter-Island ferry service operates daily service to and from Prince of Wales Island. Ketchikan has plenty of moorage for visiting yachts, several recreational vehicle facilities and space for private aircraft at the Ketchikan International Airport.

Ketchikan is accessible in less time, and at a lower cost than any other region of Alaska.

Photos: Cruise ship, float planes and boats are transportation options in Ketchikan. Inset from top left: Alaska 's Marine Highway System ferries passengers and vehicles along the Inside Passage to and from the lower 48 states; The Inter-Island ferry provides daily service from Prince of Wales Island; Ketchikan enjoys frequent daily jet service via Alaska-Airlines. Photos



Getting Around

- Ketchikan International Airport is located on Gravina Island, a five minute ferry ride to town. Ferries depart the airport on the hour/half hour. During peak summer periods departures are every 15 minutes. Fares are \$4.00 adult, \$6.00 for vehicles one way.
- Airport shuttle vans meet all flights, transporting passengers and luggage from baggage claim to your Ketchikan destination.
- Rental cars can be arranged and picked up at the airport, as well as in Ketchikan.
- ► Taxis meet airport ferry and state ferry arrivals. Rates are \$2.65 drop, \$2.35/mile.
- The Alaska Marine Highway ferries accommodate vehicles of any size; staterooms with private baths, dining service and passenger lounges are all available.
- Municipal bus service operates 7 days a week providing service on major streets and larger residential areas. Fares start at \$1.50; buses run every 30 minutes.
- Air Taxis provide scheduled commuter service as well as lake trips and charter flights.
- Public parking lots have time restrictions and/or require a parking permit. One day permits are \$5.00, available for purchase at City Hall, downtown.

To Assist in Planning your Transportation Needs, Contact:

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Ketchikan International Airport Transportation Services: (private aircraft, municipal bus service) 1000 Airport Terminal Bldg., Ketchikan, AK 99901 907-225-6800 www.borough.ketchikan.ak.us

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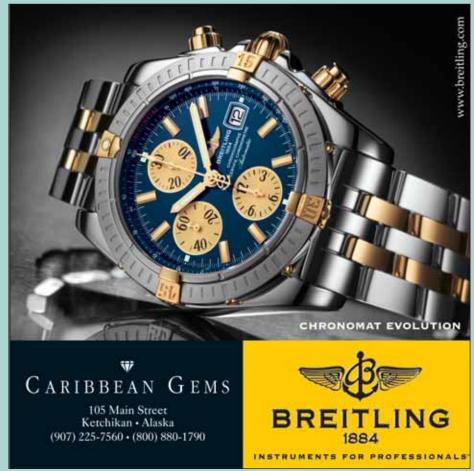
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