



Cruise Details

Name:	Alaska (Inside Passage Route South) – Nature’s Gold Rush
Reference:	HAPAGINS2532
Operator:	Hapag-Lloyd Cruises
Cruise Type:	Ocean
Cruise Rating:	Expedition
Ship:	Hanseatic Inspiration
Regions:	Alaska
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Departs On:	15 Jul 25
Departs From:	Seward, Alaska
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Arrives On:	28 Jul 25
Arrives At:	Vancouver, British Columbia
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Cruise Nights:	13
Total Vacation Days:	14

Itinerary

Day 1: Seward, Alaska (United States)

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Day 2: Katmai National Park and Preserve, Alaska (United States)

Alaska will satisfy your longing for great adventures in the vast wilderness. On this unforgettable cruise, dreams of discovery come true in an impressive form. If you are lucky, you may have the opportunity to spot bears while cruising in the bays of the sprawling Katmai National Park with the HANSEATIC inspiration. The animals are often found in the vegetation near the coast here. Together with your experts, you can keep a lookout from the many open deck spaces.

Arrives On: 16 Jul 25

Day 3: Homer, Alaska (United States)

Homer is the starting point for spectacular bear-watching tours* in the great outdoors: a seaplane will take you on a panoramic flight to Brooks Falls*, where you may be lucky enough to see brown bears fishing for salmon. Or you can fly to Lake Clark National Park* – where, on a hike with a ranger, you may be able to witness brown bears in their natural habitat. Departing from Homer, you can also discover the unspoilt nature of Alaska on an active hike* to the glacial lake or on a relaxing boat trip*.

Arrives On: 17 Jul 25

Departs On: 17 Jul 25

Day 4: Kodiak, Alaska (United States)

The main town on Kodiak Island was the second largest settlement in Russian America until 1867. Today, the Russian Orthodox Church and the Kodiak History Museum are reminders of this time. Discover the charming small Alaskan town on your own. A transfer will take you to Fort Abercrombie State Park* – wander through the moss-covered coastal forest past Arctic flower meadows. With luck, you'll even spot whales off the coast.

Arrives On: 18 Jul 25

Departs On: 18 Jul 25

Day 6: Tsaafjord, Icy Bay, Alaska (United States)

Cruising in Tsaafjord will reveal some of the most beautiful sides of picture-book Alaska: high alpine peaks, green forests, glaciers and ice. Your small expedition ship will be in its element as it nears the active Hubbard Glacier and will make its way through the ice floes towards the edge of the glacier if the conditions are right.

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Day 7: Chichagof Island, Alaska (United States)

At Chichagof Island, in the settlement of Elfin Cove – whose population is around just 30 – you will see how people live in harmony with nature. More wildlife sightings and scenery await as you cruise through the Icy Strait, a favourite summer home for humpback whale families.

Arrives On: 21 Jul 25

Day 8: Port information not found

Guided by the feeling of great freedom, your Inside Passage adventure begins. Now is the best time to discover the pristine soul of Alaska – with deep fjords and scattered islands. Alongside the wildlife, marvel at the huge rock faces in Tracy Arm with an impressive glacier panorama. The same goes for Endicott Arm where, with luck, you will see whales and sea lions.

Arrives On: 22 Jul 25

Day 9: Kupreanof Island, Alaska (United States)

Explore the historic home of the Tlingit people with your experts on Kupreanof Island, watched by the world's tallest totem pole carved from a single piece of wood.

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Day 9: Petersburg, Alaska (United States)

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Day 10: Petersburg, Alaska (United States)

Picturesque Petersburg is known as "Little Norway". Painted flower garlands adorn its houses. The idyll is enhanced by LeConte Glacier – you can enjoy spectacular views of this southernmost tidewater glacier in America during a jetboat trip* or a panoramic scenic flight*.

Arrives On: 24 Jul 25

Departs On: 24 Jul 25

Day 11: Wrangell, Alaska (United States)

The picturesque city of Wrangell is one of Alaska's oldest settlements. From here, go bear watching at Anan Creek* where, with luck, you will spot black and brown bears. Take a trip through the former gold-digging territory of the Stikine and enjoy an adventure on this large river*. Those who prefer to be active can go on a countryside hike* in Tongass National Forest or a kayak tour* along the coast.

Arrives On: 25 Jul 25

Departs On: 25 Jul 25

Day 12: Port information not found

The HANSEATIC inspiration will then spend two days cruising through British Columbia's Inside Passage with its many islands, wooded mountains and small Native American settlements along the banks. Experience magnificent panoramas from the inspiration Walk, perhaps enhanced by orcas and bald eagles. A wonderful way to end your personal story of adventure.

Arrives On: 26 Jul 25

Day 14: Vancouver, British Columbia (Canada)

Arrives On: 28 Jul 25

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