

## **ATIA 2017 Convention – Kodiak Thursday Adventure Afternoon Tours as of 3-10-17**

### **Kodiak Island Kayak Eco-Tour**

Join us for a 2.5 hour kayak trek exploring the outlying tiny islands just off Kodiak's coast. Take in stunning mountain views across the sea and enjoy the wild beauty of our incredibly rich marine ecosystem. You'll nerd out a bit with your marine biologist guide and experience this Alaskan island in the best way possible- from the water.

Cost- \$110/ person, Max capacity- 8 people

Includes- All your essentials for our kayak excursion- Expedition sea kayaks, paddles, spray skirts, life vests, and dry bags. Bring your camera for photos and your own reusable water bottle to stay hydrated!

We'll meet at the Trident Float Plane docks on Near Island at 2:30pm, just a 5 minute cab ride from the Convention Center downtown.

For booking please contact: [kayakingkodiak.com](http://kayakingkodiak.com) or 907-512-5112

\*Tour subject to weather- we will cancel if safety is an issue for our kayaking.

### **Reel Extreme Alaska Road System Fishing**

Real Extreme Alaska will offer the ATAI Convention goes a road system fishing excursion for \$80 p.p. Silvers are still plentiful and we should be able to put a few in the coolers. We can accommodate up to 4. We also can help process and ship your catch.

For those who wish to stay longer we will also offer an off Road excursion to Saltery Cove. This is a 40 mile round trip excursion into Kodiaks back country and is a full day affair. ATAI Convention discounted price is \$300 p.p. We can accommodate up to 8 people for this trip.

For more information call or visit (907)942-1356 / [www.ReelExtremeAlaska.com](http://www.ReelExtremeAlaska.com) "

### **Tour Designs North -Tour #1) - End of the Road Tour**

Familiarize and explore the full length of the Kodiak Road system. After a loop through downtown points of interest, see "Cannery Row" upon leaving business district. Drive past the largest Coast Guard base in the U.S. as the bus makes its way down the Chiniak highway. Watch for wildlife along the tidal flats and river systems along Women's Bay, Middle Bay and Kalsin

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Bay. Turn south on Pasagshak Bay road and head towards the beaches of Narrow Cape. Watch for Buffalo. See the Kodiak Aerospace Complex. Brief photo and restroom breaks included on this trek. If time permits, stop at the Olds River Inn\* for quick cocktail upon return. End at 5:00 pm. There can be optional drop off locations at end of tour.

Cost: \$50 pp

Drinks and snacks available on bus

Brief photo and restroom breaks included

Intermittent narration included.

An optional free 45 minute round trip to the top of Pillar Mountain will be offered at end of tour from(5-5:45pm)\*\*

Capacity 15

For booking please visit: <http://www.tourdesignsnorth.com/us.html> or call 907-522-1321

### **Tour#2) - City Tour and Ft. Abercrombie**

Tour is designed to familiarize with local attractions. Tour the downtown, cannery row, harbor area. We will point out the museums, Russian Orthodox Church and St. Herman Seminary. Continue down the older neighborhoods along Mission Rd towards Mill Bay and Ft Abercrombie State Historical Park. While at the park, explore nature, hit a beach, take a short hike through Spruce forest and see relics from the past, visit the Kodiak Military Museum, or listen to the surf hitting the reefs below the cliffs. After leaving the park we drive across bridge to Near Island. See Deadliest Catch vessels gearing up for the coming crab season at St Herman Harbor. See the Seaplane base at Trident Basin. A short visit to the Kodiak Fisheries Research Center is included. Next, drive out past the U.S. Coast Guard Base to Bell's Flats for a quick beer or a sample of the world' finest clam chowder at The Rendevous Bar and Grill. Tour ends at 5:00 pm. There is an option to drop off at Kodiak Brewing Co, or museums if still open.

Cost: \$50pp

Drinks and snacks available on bus

Photo stops included

Restrooms available throughout

An optional free 45 minute round trip to top of Pillar Mountain will be offered at end of tour(5-5:45)\*\*

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**Deckload Aviation- Helicopter Tour**

2.5 hour helicopter tour around Kodiak Island. View Pillar Mountain and other City sights from the air as you soar around in Kodiak's finest helicopter. Deckload Aviation provides safe and comfortable air taxi and adventure services throughout the Kodiak Archipelago and Alaska Peninsula.

Cost: \$350 per person

Capacity: 3 people

Call (907) 512-0744 and mention ATIA convention

Website: <http://www.deckloadaviation.com/>

**First Student Tours- Road System**

3 venue museum tour includes stops at the Alutiiq Museum, Military History Museum and Baranov Museum. Explore Kodiak's culture, learning about the native heritage on Kodiak Island, the WWII devastations and how Kodiak Island was prepared, and the Russian history surrounding our Island.

\$55.00 per person.

It would be approximately 30 minutes stops at each venue. All entry fees are included. 35 passenger max per tour.

For more information contact First Student Tours at 855-870-8747 and mention ATIA convention.

**Lucky Nine Charters- Boat Sight Seeing Tours**

Sightseeing / wildlife viewing around Kodiak, Long Island & Woody Island by boat. To view sea otters, sea lions, birds and maybe whales. Our max capacity is 6 people and it would be \$200 per person.

For information contact Pam Cawley at 360-807-3357

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