

Tour Code: BTW24



Wyoming

August 15 - 20, 2024



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West Thumb in Yellowstone National Park

**Day 1: Thursday, August 15, 2024 •
Bozeman – West Yellowstone**

Our journey begins as we land in Bozeman, Montana this morning (before 11:30 am). We meet our guide and head to West Yellowstone. After lunch and a scenic drive, we experience the Grizzly and Wolf Discovery Center for the chance to observe, understand and ultimately appreciate grizzly bears and gray wolves. After checking into our hotel, we enjoy a group dinner at one of the local haunts. **Meals: L, D**

**Day 2: Friday, August 16, 2024 •
West Yellowstone – Yellowstone National Park**

We depart bright and early for a full day in Yellowstone National Park. We spend the day exploring the upper loop of this iconic park. Begin with views and vistas of the Grand Canyon of Yellowstone including Yellowstone Falls. After exploring this masterpiece of Yellowstone, we continue north over Dunraven Pass to see Tower Falls and to explore some of Lamar Valley for wildlife spotting. This is a great place to spot bison, bears, wolves and lots of incredible birds. After lunch, we continue to explore the western side of Yellowstone including stops at Mammoth Hot Springs and Norris Geyser Basin. Once finished, we head back to our lodging in West Yellowstone, MT and have dinner on our own as we explore this western town. Enjoy your evening. **Meals: B, L**

**Day 3: Saturday, August 17, 2024 •
West Yellowstone – Yellowstone National Park - Cody**

This morning, we return to Yellowstone and begin the day exploring the main geothermal section of Yellowstone National



Park. We begin with visits to Fountain Paint Pots and Midway Geyser Basin for a view of the Grand Prismatic Spring. We enjoy lunch on our own at Old Faithful Geyser basin as you experience this historic lodge, geyser, and the surrounding area. In the afternoon, we continue exploring Yellowstone with a stop at Lake Yellowstone. We exit the park out the east entrance of Yellowstone and travel to historic Cody, WY. We spend the rest of the day exploring this wild west town founded by Buffalo Bill. We watch the Cody Gunfighters as they reenact a shootout in front of the historic Irma Hotel. Tonight, we visit the Cody Cattle Company for an American Buffet dinner and a lively Western Show. **Meals: B, D**

**Day 4: Sunday, August 18, 2024 •
Grand Teton - Jackson Hole**

This morning, your guide will take you back through the east entrance of Yellowstone on the way to Grand Teton National Park. Once you enter Grand Teton, spend the morning exploring around Jackson Lake and Colter Bay areas with some easy hikes and wildlife watching. After lunch on your own at Jackson Lake Lodge you will continue to explore Grand Teton with various scenic views and stops. In the afternoon, enjoy the original Jackson Hole scenic float trip experience entirely within Grand Teton National Park, on the most scenic stretch of the Snake River. Relax and enjoy Grand Teton National Park's natural beauty while discovering the magic of the Snake River. Your knowledgeable river guide will lead you into a protected sanctuary of pristine wildlife, beautiful wildflowers, sagebrush plateaus, cottonwood and spruce forests, and spectacular panoramic views of the entire Teton Range. Plan for an



Lower Falls of the Yellowstone





informative and most enjoyable experience. Afterward, you'll head to Dornan's famous chuckwagon dinner! Enjoy eating your delicious western meal on the banks of Snake River with a view of the Tetons before heading to your lodging in Jackson to enjoy your evening. **Meals: B, D**

Day 5: Monday, August 19, 2024 • Jackson Hole

This morning, our guide brings us back into Grand Teton National Park and we start the day with wildlife watching, a visit to Mormon Row, and vistas of the Tetons! Once finished, we continue our adventures with a boat ride across Jenny Lake and a self-guided hike to Hidden Falls and Inspiration Point. Afterwards we return to town and enjoy some relaxing downtime in the resort town of Jackson Hole. Our guide takes all who are interested on a one hour horseback ride atop the East Gros Butte. We have amazing scenery and views of the Teton range. Tonight, we enjoy the famous Jackson Hole Rodeo at 8:00 PM. We ride the edge of our seat while watching our brave athletes compete in bareback riding, bull riding, barrel racing, team roping, saddle bronc riding, mini bull riding, and more. **Meals: B, L**

Day 6: Tuesday, August 20, 2024 • Return

Today, we transfer to the Jackson Airport for our flight home. **B**

Abbreviations for Meals
B=Breakfast L=Lunch D=Dinner



Tour Price: \$3,999

Prices are *per person, land only, double occupancy* with a minimum of 25 participants

Single supplement: \$1,550

Triple Reduction: -\$320

Quad Reduction: -\$475

Children under 12

(accompanied by adult, in triple or quad room) -\$1,600

Your Tour Includes:

- **Land Transportation** via private deluxe air-conditioned motor coach
- **Accommodations** (double occupancy) proposed hotels or similar:
 - ⇒ 2 nights in West Yellowstone @ Kelly Inn West Yellowstone
 - ⇒ 1 night in Cody @ Comfort Inn at Buffalo Bill Village Resort
 - ⇒ 2 nights in Jackson Hole @ The Lodge At Jackson Hole
- **Meals** per the itinerary (5 breakfast, 4 lunches, and 3 dinners)
- **Admission** to all activities indicated in the itinerary except those listed as optional
- Services of a **professional tour manager**
- **Handling of one piece of luggage** per person at hotels where available
- **All taxes and tips** for provided services on land tour, including **End of tour tips** for Coach Driver and tour manager

Your Tour Does Not Include:

- Meals other than indicated above
- **Beverages**, except with breakfast
- Items of a personal nature.
- **Optional insurance** for health, baggage and cancellation. *(This insurance is available and recommended.)*

Payment Schedule:

A deposit of \$500 per person is due with reservation. Final payment is due May 15, 2024. Invoice will be sent out prior to final payment. Passengers may add after this date subject to availability. Early registration is encouraged.

Refund/Cancellation Policy:

All cancellations must be in writing. The date of postmark will determine the amount of refund due. Refunds are based on the number of days prior to departure date. From the time of deposit to final payment due date, a \$100 administrative fee will be assessed. From final payment due date until 45 days prior to departure, a \$500 cancellation penalty and any unrecoverable deposits to ground suppliers will be assessed. Anyone canceling 44 days or less prior to departure will receive **no refund**.

Purchase of health, baggage, and trip cancellation/interruption insurance is strongly recommended.

Terms and Conditions

We reserve the right to cancel this trip due to lack of subscription. In the event of cancellation of the trip in its entirety, a full refund of all deposits will be made to passengers enrolled at the time of cancellation. Tour price is based on the value of the dollar and the cost of airfare and is subject to change without notice. Extensions are usually available, but must be requested when booking the tour. Any changes in airfare booking may result in a processing fee. It may be possible, that due to unforeseen events, conditions, or changes in airline schedules, the land portion of the trip may be extended or shortened. Any savings realized by such occurrences will be refunded, however any extra expenses incurred must be borne by the client. Trip cancellation insurance is available. This low-cost protection can save you money if you are forced to cancel or alter your trip for a medical reason only. You will be mailed trip cancellation insurance information with the brochure or upon receipt of your deposit.

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Due to COVID-19, we reserve the right to adjust the tour in order to follow the guidelines and policies set by the CDC and the local governments.

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Please register me for:

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- Single Supplement • \$1,360

Passenger Information (1st Traveler)

Please record information exactly as it appears on the government issued ID (i.e. passport or driver's license) you will be using.

Legal Name: _____

(Name for namebadge): _____

Date of Birth: _____

Dietary Needs: _____

Passenger Information (2nd Traveler)

Please record information exactly as it appears on the government issued ID (i.e. passport or driver's license) you will be using.

Legal Name: _____

(Name for namebadge): _____

Date of Birth: _____

Dietary Needs: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____ Phone: _____

Work phone/cell: _____ E-mail: _____

Emergency Contact Name: _____ Phone: _____

Sleeping Preference (circle one): Double bed (1 bed) Twin Beds (2 beds)

Roommate name: _____ OR Single supplement: _____ Yes _____ No

Travel Insurance (7.2% of tour cost; policy must be purchased at time of initial deposit to cover pre-existing medical conditions)

- I wish to purchase Travel Guard insurance and have included the premium with my deposit.
- I wish to decline the travel insurance offered. I understand I am solely responsible for any cancellation penalties and out of pocket expenses occurred should I have an emergency before or during the tour.

Deposit Payment Information (please check one)

- Enclosed is my \$ _____ deposit and insurance premium (if applicable). **Make check payable to Bursch Travel**
- Please charge \$ _____ deposit and insurance premium (if applicable) to my Discover/MasterCard/Visa

Credit Card Number: _____ Exp. Date: _____

Card ID Code:* _____ *last 3 digits in signature box on the back of the card

Prices in this brochure were effective on 11.20.23. By signing below, I understand that price changes are possible at the time of final invoicing, fuel costs, taxes and tariffs, and the number of passengers travelling in the group. I agree to the terms and conditions of this tour.

Signature of 1st traveler: _____ Date: _____

Signature of 2nd traveler: _____ Date: _____



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