## Sea Wolf Adventures

## Fall Inside Passage Adventure

## Juneau-Petersburg via Endicott Arm and La Conte Glaciers

9/13-9/22 2024

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Day 1: Docked Auke Bay or Downtown. Boarding at 9:00 AM. Once on board we will have an orientation and safety meeting so we can get underway for our first kayaking adventure. Our course will head us south down Gastineau Channel and out into Stephens Passage on our way to an anchorage Wood Spit. After lunch we will have a kayaking orientation and then launch our kayaks for an introductory paddle and beach exploration of this glacial fjord. LD

Day 2: We will be Underway in the very early morning into Endicott Arm. Breakfast will be on the move and soon after you will be on the bow as the Sea Wolf navigates through icebergs as we wind our way into the fjord. It is twenty-seven miles up the arm to the face of Dawes Glacier where we will pause to observe the monumental calving of the glacier. Seals and their pups abound in these waters.

After lunch we will launch our kayaks to paddle across the face of Dawes Glacier and down the fjord to the Sea Wolf. This is a lovely paddle with a break on a beach by the face of Dawes. Anchorage Ford's Terror BLD

Day 3 and 4: Exploring Ford's Terror, an incredibly beautiful area where we will kayak or skiff through a narrow race into an amazing wilderness to explore. We need to come out on the last of the ebb and will have lunch on the beach with a hike to the top of the Mountain for an incredible view of the standing waves of the race on the flood. We then cruise back to Wood Spit for our anchorage. BLD

Day 5: We now head back to Stephens Passage and into Frederick Sound. We'll continue down the coast of Admiralty Island, keeping a constant lookout for whales along the route to the Brothers Islands. This group of islands is one of the prime summer feeding grounds for the migratory Humpback and where whales bubble net feeding is frequently observed. We will anchor up where the sounds of whale blows, the bellowing of Stellar Sea Lions hauled out close by, and the chortling of the eagles will be a feast for the senses as we dine on lunch. After lunch we'll kayak

around the islands and explore the mature coastal rain forest by foot. BLD

Day 6 &7: Breakfast underway as we cruise toward Admiralty Island, home of the largest concentration of Brown Bears in SE Alaska. We will be on the lookout for Humpback whales, Orcas, Sea lions and migrating birds during this morning long cruise. We will spend these days exploring the bays and estuaries by kayak and foot looking for fishing bears, spawning

Day 8: The morning after breakfast we will head to Thomas Bay and Baird Glacier. We hope to see Humpback whales and other marine mammals on our course to Thomas Bay. Our afternoon activity and evening anchorage are near Scenery Cove. We will skiff across to Baird and then hike across the massive moraine that lies at the foot of Baird Glacier with a goal of standing on a ridge overlooking the Baird glacier. BLD

Day 9: In the morning we will be cruising to LA Conte Glacier where we hope the ice allows us to get a glimpse of the face of this stunning glacier. We will paddle down the bay through the ice bergs where the Sea Wolf will pick us up in an ice-free area. We will then head to Petersburg where we will dock. BLD

Day 10: In the morning there will be a choice of a stroll through Petersburg and its wonderful bookstore or a hike up to a beautiful Muskeg on Krupeanof Island. Lunch at 11:30 and then transport to the Airport for those who are flying out on the afternoon flight at 3:30 pm. BL

Our itineraries are subject to weather, wildlife, whales, and whim! We promise you an adventure of a lifetime.