

WINTER YELLOWSTONE COUPLES ADVENTURE PACKAGE

This package includes two nights at Mammoth Hot Springs Hotel, three nights at Old Faithful Snow Lodge, in-park transportation, meals, welcome gift, snowshoe rentals, baggage handling, interpretive guide for the entire package, and all gratuities. Meals include a mix of restaurant and field meals.

Day 1 – Saturday, Monday and Wednesday

4:00pm – Check into Mammoth Hotel.

5:30pm & 5:45pm – Dinner at Mammoth Hotel Dining Room.
(Reservations have been made for you).

7:30pm – Orientation and overview of program with your guide in Mammoth Hot Springs Hotel Opal conference room.

Day 2 – Sunday, Tuesday and Thursday

6:45am – Depart for a morning of wildlife watching on Yellowstone's magnificent Northern Range. Stops will be based on wildlife activity and may include traveling through Lamar Valley and beyond. Includes box breakfast.

11:00am – Return to Mammoth Hotel. Please ready your bags for pick up by the Bell Staff and check out with the Mammoth Hotel Front Desk staff by 11:30am.

11:30am – Lunch at the Mammoth Dining Room.

1:00pm – Meet your guide in front of the hotel and board your snowcoach for a trip down the parks west side, enjoying stops at Rustic & Gibbon Falls, wildlife (if they're cooperating!), pine forests, wide open spaces, and hopefully lots of snow!

5:00-5:30 pm – Arrive at Old Faithful Snow Lodge and check into your room for the next 3 nights.

7:00 or 7:15pm – Dinner at Old Faithful Snow Lodge Dining Room.
(Reservations have been made for you).

Day 3 – Monday, Wednesday and Friday

7:00am – Breakfast at Old Faithful Snow Lodge Dining Room.

8:15am – Your guide will have box lunches loaded up by boarding time, and we'll head out to see a lot of Yellowstone today! Our goal is the Grand Canyon of the Yellowstone River, home to the 109-foot Upper Falls and 308-foot Lower Falls. The route there via Norris is always open, so that's what we'll follow to get there. If the weather is fine, we may be able to return via Yellowstone Lake (and if not, we'll have to retrace our outbound route, and of the many things within our control, the weather just isn't one of them!). Either way, it will be a day of scenery, wildlife, and photographic opportunities!

7:00 or 7:15pm – Dinner at Old Faithful Snow Lodge Dining Room.
(Reservations have been made for you).

Day 4 – Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday

6:45am – Breakfast at Old Faithful Snow Lodge Dining Room.

8:15am – A guided snowshoe tour within the Old Faithful area, and those who so desire may just explore this area on their own (snow shoe rentals are included in package).

12:00pm – Lunch at Old Faithful Snow Lodge Dining Room.

2:00pm – Meet your guide in the Old Faithful Snow Lodge lobby and enjoy a guided walk exploring the Old Faithful Area.

5:00pm – Dinner at Old Faithful Snow Lodge Dining Room. (*Reservations have been made for you*).

6:45pm – Meet your guide in the lobby of the Old Faithful Snow Lodge and board your coach for the Steam, Stars and Winter Soundscapes tour.

Day 5 – Wednesday, Friday and Sunday

7:00am – Breakfast at Old Faithful Snow Lodge Dining Room. Check out of Old Faithful Snow Lodge.

9:30am – We'll say farewell to Old Faithful Snow Lodge and wind our way back north to Mammoth Hot Springs with boxed lunches on board. The Fountain Paint Pot Nature Trail, where one may see and enjoy each of the four major types of thermal features, is saved for this final

morning. Additional stops may include Beryl Spring, Norris Geyser Basin, and/or wildlife viewing as opportunities present themselves. On arrival at Mammoth, we'll walk the otherworldly Mammoth Terraces.

3:30pm – Arrive at Mammoth Hot Springs Hotel and check in.

5:15pm – Group Dinner at Mammoth Hotel Dining Room. (*Reservations have been made for you*).

Day 6 – Thursday, Saturday and Monday

6:00am – Breakfast at Mammoth Hotel Dining Room and then check out. Your package is complete. You'll say goodbye to Yellowstone with the promise of another adventure when you decide to return.

Those of you travelling via the Bozeman Shuttle Bus will need to board the shuttle bus at 8:00am for an 8:15am departure.

Things to Bring:

The layered use of synthetics and wool with protection from the wind is the goal of your clothing choices. Loose fitting layers allow you to maintain a comfortable and dry body by having flexibility in insulation as outside temperatures change and as your own body's temperature and moisture output changes with different levels of exertion. It is strongly recommended that you not wear cotton clothing outdoors in the winter, especially next to your skin.