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## **Alaska Winter Extravaganza**

**Feb 22, 2024 - Mar 3, 2024**

## Trip Summary

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### February 22 - Thursday

- 6:23 AM Depart from Home City
- 12:35 PM Arrive at Ted Stevens Anchorage International Airport (ANC)
- 1:30 PM Pick up rental car in Anchorage
- 3:00 PM Check in at The Hotel Captain Cook - The Hotel Captain Cook
- 7:00 PM Dinner at Marx Brothers Cafe

### February 23 - Friday

- 11:00 AM 2024 World Championship Sled Dog Race
- 3:00 PM Fur Shopping @ David Green's
- 7:45 PM Dinner @ Crow's Nest in Hotel

### February 24 - Saturday

- 11:00 AM 2024 World Championship Sled Dog Race

### February 25 - Sunday

- 11:00 AM 2024 World Championship Sled Dog Race - Final Day!
- 7:00 PM Dinner @ Simon & Seafort's

### February 26 - Monday

- 8:00 AM Drive to Fairbanks - 360 miles
- 8:00 AM Check out from The Hotel Captain Cook - The Hotel Captain Cook
- 4:00 PM Check in at Pike's Waterfront Lodge - Pike's Waterfront Lodge
- 7:00 PM International Ice Carving Festival

### February 27 - Tuesday

- 11:00 AM University of Alaska Museum
- 7:00 PM Dinner @ The Pump House

### February 28 - Wednesday

- 9:00 AM Check out at Pike's Waterfront Lodge - Pike's Waterfront Lodge
- 12:00 PM Drive to Chena Hot Springs - 62 miles
- 3:00 PM Check in at Chena Hot Springs Resort - Chena Hot Springs Resort
- 10:00 PM Northern Lights Viewing

### February 29 - Thursday

- Activities in and Around Chena Hot Springs
- 10:00 PM Northern Lights Viewing

### March 1 - Friday

- 8:00 AM Check out from Chena Hot Springs Resort - Chena Hot Springs Resort
- 8:00 AM Drive to Anchorage
- 6:00 PM Check in at The Hotel Captain Cook

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### **March 2 - Saturday**

11:00 AM Iditarod Start - 4th Avenue in Anchorage  
3:00 PM Reindeer Run - 4th Avenue Anchorage

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### **March 3 - Sunday**

3:45 AM Check out from The Hotel Captain Cook - The Hotel Captain Cook  
4:00 AM Return car in Anchorage  
5:57 AM Depart from Ted Stevens Anchorage International Airport (ANC)  
11:02 PM Arrive Home City

## February 22 - Thursday



**6:23 AM DEPARTURE** - Alaska Standard Time  
**Depart from Home City**



**12:35 PM ARRIVAL** - Alaska Standard Time  
**Arrive at Ted Stevens Anchorage International Airport (ANC)**



**1:30 PM PICK-UP** - Alaska Standard Time  
**Pick up rental car in Anchorage**



**3:00 PM CHECK-IN** - Alaska Standard Time  
**Check in at The Hotel Captain Cook**  
**Location**

This hotel is located in Anchorage. The nearest airport is Anchorage - International (ANC).

### Facilities

The hotel has an elevator and features 546 rooms. The friendly staff at the reception desk are happy to answer any questions. Amenities include a baggage storage service, a safe and an ATM. Wireless internet access is provided in public areas (no extra charge). The tour desk offers assistance with booking excursions. Wheelchair-accessible facilities are available. A fireplace creates a cozy atmosphere. A number of shops, including a supermarket, are great for shopping or just browsing. Parking spaces are available to guests traveling by car. Further services include translation services, a hairdresser, a coin-operated laundry and a hotel shuttle bus. Complimentary newspapers are available.



**The Hotel Captain Cook**  
 939 West 5th Avenue, Anchorage, United States



**7:00 PM** - Alaska Standard Time  
**Dinner at Marx Brothers Cafe**

## February 23 - Friday



**11:00 AM - 4 hr**  
**2024 World Championship Sled Dog Race**  
 4th Avenue in Anchorage



**3:00 PM**  
**Fur Shopping @ David Green's**



7:45 PM  
Dinner @ Crow's Nest in Hotel

## February 24 - Saturday

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11:00 AM - 4 hr  
**2024 World Championship Sled Dog Race**  
4th Avenue in Anchorage

## February 25 - Sunday

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11:00 AM - 4 hr  
**2024 World Championship Sled Dog Race - Final Day!**  
4th Avenue in Anchorage



7:00 PM  
Dinner @ Simon & Seafort's

## February 26 - Monday

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8:00 AM PICK-UP - Alaska Standard Time - 7 hr  
Drive to Fairbanks - 360 miles



8:00 AM CHECK-OUT - Alaska Standard Time  
Check out from The Hotel Captain Cook



**The Hotel Captain Cook**  
939 West 5th Avenue, Anchorage, United States



4:00 PM CHECK-IN - Alaska Standard Time  
Check in at Pike's Waterfront Lodge



**Pike's Waterfront Lodge**  
1850 Hoselton Rd, Fairbanks, AK, US, 99709  
(877) 774-2400



7:00 PM - Alaska Standard Time  
International Ice Carving Festival

## February 27 - Tuesday

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11:00 AM - 4 hr  
University of Alaska Museum



7:00 PM  
Dinner @ The Pump House

## February 28 - Wednesday

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**9:00 AM CHECK-OUT** - Alaska Standard Time  
**Check out at Pike's Waterfront Lodge**



**Pike's Waterfront Lodge**  
 1850 Hoselton Rd, Fairbanks, AK, US, 99709  
 (877) 774-2400



**12:00 PM PICK-UP** - Alaska Standard Time - 1 hr 30 min  
**Drive to Chena Hot Springs - 62 miles**



**3:00 PM CHECK-IN** - Alaska Standard Time  
**Check in at Chena Hot Springs Resort**

ROOM / BED TYPE  
 beds

### Location

This hotel warmly welcomes guests in Fairbanks.

### Facilities

The hotel has 80 rooms. The friendly staff at the reception desk are happy to answer any questions. To ensure guests a comfortable and relaxing stay, the hotel provides various services and facilities, including a baggage storage service, a safe, a transfer service, a conference room, a banquet hall and a coin-operated laundry. Wireless internet access is provided in public areas (for a fee). The tour desk offers assistance with booking excursions. Wheelchair-accessible facilities are available. A garden provides extra space for rest and relaxation in the open air. Parking spaces are available to guests traveling by car (no extra charge). A bicycle rental service gives guests the opportunity to explore the surrounding area independently.



**Chena Hot Springs Resort**  
 Mile 56.5 Chena Hot Springs Road, Fairbanks, United States



**10:00 PM** - Alaska Standard Time - 3 hr  
**Northern Lights Viewing**

## February 29 - Thursday

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**Activities in and Around Chena Hot Springs**  
 Dog sledding, greenhouse tour, hot springs



**10:00 PM** - 3 hr  
**Northern Lights Viewing**

## March 1 - Friday

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**8:00 AM CHECK-OUT** - Alaska Standard Time  
**Check out from Chena Hot Springs Resort**



### Chena Hot Springs Resort

Mile 56.5 Chena Hot Springs Road, Fairbanks, United States



**8:00 AM PICK-UP** - Alaska Standard Time - 9 hr  
**Drive to Anchorage**



**6:00 PM CHECK-IN** - Alaska Standard Time  
**Check in at The Hotel Captain Cook**  
**Location**

This hotel is located in Anchorage. The nearest airport is Anchorage - International (ANC).

#### Facilities

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## March 2 - Saturday

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**11:00 AM** - 3 hr  
**Iditarod Start - 4th Avenue in Anchorage**



**3:00 PM**  
**Reindeer Run - 4th Avenue Anchorage**

## March 3 - Sunday

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**3:45 AM CHECK-OUT** - Alaska Standard Time  
**Check out from The Hotel Captain Cook**



### The Hotel Captain Cook

939 West 5th Avenue, Anchorage, United States



**4:00 AM DROP-OFF** - Alaska Standard Time  
**Return car in Anchorage**



**5:57 AM DEPARTURE** - Alaska Standard Time  
**Depart from Ted Stevens Anchorage International Airport (ANC)**



**11:02 PM ARRIVAL** - Central Standard Time  
**Arrive Home City**