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**Alaskans can visit Denali National Park this summer and save big**

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Anchorage, AK (March 1, 2010) > Denali Park Resorts, operator of McKinley Chalet Resort and McKinley Village Lodge, announced a new deeply discounted package for Alaskans who want to visit Denali National Park this summer. The new "Discover Denali Package" is just \$195 per person (based on double occupancy) plus taxes – a savings of 34% off the regular price. This price is available to Alaskan residents as well as their visiting friends and family.

The "Discover Denali Package" is a two-day, one-night Denali experience that includes a room at either McKinley Chalet Resort or McKinley Village Lodge, followed by a fully guided trip into the mid-country of Denali National Park on the popular Tundra Wilderness Tour. "We know that interest in traveling to Alaska is high, and that many travelers try to save money by staying with family and friends instead of spending the entire trip in a hotel," said Carol Fraser, director of sales and marketing for Denali Park Resorts. "By creating this package at an incredibly affordable price, we've made it possible for Alaskans to travel to Denali with their relatives so that they can all discover Denali together."

The Tundra Wilderness Tour is one of the most popular ways to see Denali National Park. This six-eight hour mid-country adventure departs twice daily and travels 53 miles into Denali National Park. The tour is hosted by a guide who interprets the flora and fauna seen along the drive into the park, and guests will enjoy incredible scenery and some of the best opportunities

to spot and watch Denali's abundant wildlife. This tour can also allow for spectacular views of Mt. McKinley on clear days and includes a snack box in the price of the tour. A DVD featuring footage from the tour may also be purchased.

The Discover Denali package is available every day from May 15 through September 20, 2010, subject to availability. To make a booking, call 866-296-0327 and ask for the package by name. Additional nights can be booked at the discounted hotel rate and a single supplement price is available for those traveling alone.

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#### **About Denali Park Resorts**

Denali Park Resorts (DPR) is managed by ARAMARK Parks and Destinations. DPR owns and operates the McKinley Chalet Resort, which features 345 pine-paneled two-room suites in cedar lodges along the river less than a mile from the park entrance, and the McKinley Village Lodge, which features 188 guest rooms in several intimate lodges set on the banks of the Nenana River in a serene forest setting eight miles south of the park entrance. In addition, Denali Park Resorts hosts the spirited Cabin Nite Dinner Theater in an authentic roadhouse at the McKinley Chalet Resort; operates Alaska Raft Adventures, which provides raft trips on the Nenana River; and Explore Denali, which offers guided hikes throughout the area. To make reservations or receive more information about tours and activities, call 1-866-296-0327, or visit [www.denaliparkresorts.com](http://www.denaliparkresorts.com).

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