

## DENALI PRINCESS WILDERNESS LODGE Fact Sheet

### **INTRODUCTION:**

Located one mile from the entrance to Denali National Park on the banks of the Nenana River, the Denali Princess Wilderness Lodge offers activities and modern comforts on the edge of the wilderness, with easy access to the park. Here guests can go on natural history tours, raft the Nenana River, experience a thrilling helicopter flightseeing trip, or just enjoy the main lodge and setting, complete with hot tubs, restaurants, gift shops, spa, and spectacular outdoor viewing terraces located along the river walk.

2015 Operating Dates	Check in/out Times	Number of Rooms	Number of Staff	General Manager
May 2015 through September 2015	Check in: 3:30 pm Check out: 11 am	656	Summer season: 500+ (including transportation staff)	Ms. Bonnie Westlund

Room Types	Number of Rooms
Double Double	90
Queens	256
Kings	249
King Deluxe	40
King Deluxe Suites	3
Twin/Double ADA	1
Queen ADA	6
King ADA	11

## **DINING AND LOUNGE FACILITIES:**

King Salmon Restaurant	Our signature restaurant located on the banks of	Hours:	
	the Nenana River, King Salmon is the only	Breakfast:	
	restaurant where you can enjoy several different	6 am – 10:30 am	
	types of Fresh Alaskan Salmon using a variety of	Lunch:	
	cooking techniques. Other favorites include Fresh	11:30 am – 2 pm	
	Alaskan King Crab, Alaskan Halibut and slow	Dinner:	
	roasted Prime Rib. Well appointed yet casual,	4:30 pm – 10 pm	
	this exceptional restaurant offers views of Denali		
	National Park through panoramic vaulted		
	windows. For Reservations, call 907-683-8435.		
Base Camp Bar and Grill	For dinner, dine inside or out on the deck	Hours:	
	overlooking Denali National Park and the Nenana	Breakfast:	
	River. Enjoy hot sandwiches, specialty salads and	Closed	
	appetizers including our famous crab dip &	Lunch & Dinner:	

	seafood nachos platter. Located next door to the King Salmon Restaurant.	2 pm – 11 pm (Grill) 2 pm – 12 am (Bar)
Music of Denali Dinner Theatre	Add a little humor and history to your Denali visit as you learn about Mt. McKinley. Our gifted cast of actors will entertain and serve you! Dinner include smokehouse rib tips, Alaskan salmon, side dishes and apple crisp for dessert, all served family style.	<u>Hours:</u> Shows nightly at 5:15 pm & 7:45 pm
Sourdough Breakfast Buffet	Make a quick stop at the Music of Denali Theater where you can feast on an all-you-can-eat breakfast buffet featuring Alaskan sourdough French toast casserole, scrambled eggs, cheesy gold miner potatoes, fresh biscuits & gravy, and Alaskan reindeer sausage.	<u>Hours:</u> <b>Breakfast:</b> 5 am – 9 am (Music of Denali Theater)
Lynx Creek Pizza & Pub	Enjoy a beer and a slice of pizza in the setting of an Alaskan Log Cabin. Other favorites include specialty pizzas, calzones, salads and sandwiches. Delivery is available to your room, call 907-683- 2547.	Hours: Breakfast: Closed Lunch & Dinner: 11 am – 2:00 am *Food not served past 11 pm
River Run Espresso & Rapids Morning Express	Find quick service items including the famous Denali Cinnamon Roll, delectable pastries, espresso and featuring Alaskan homemade ice cream (in River Run Espresso only).	Hours: River Run Espresso: 5 am – 9 pm Rapids Morning Express: 5 am – 9 am
Rapids Bar	Enjoy a glass of wine and awe inspiring views on the Nenana River. Located in The Great Room at Guest Buildings A & B.	Hours: Breakfast & Lunch: Closed Light Snacks: 4 pm – 11 pm
Restaurant hours are subject to chan	ge	
AMENITIES:		

Music of Denali Dinner Theatre	Guest Computers	Timberline Salon & Massage
Princess Village Shops	Tour Desk	Guest Laundry
Sourdough Breakfast Buffet	Daily Shuttle to Denali Visitor's Center	River Run Espresso
Complimentary Wireless Internet Access in Main Lodge	Hot Tubs	Rapids Morning Express & Bar

# ACTIVITIES

Denali Princess Wilderness Lodge offers a variety of optional excursions. The activities listed below can be booked at the Tour Desk mid-May through mid-September.

Alaska Adventure Walking TourCovered Wagon Adventure with Backcountry Dining	Black Diamond ATV Adventure	Black Diamond Treasure Hunt & Dining
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Denali Excursion by Helicopter	Denali Express Flightseeing Tour	Denali Fly Fishing for Arctic Grayling (Half Day)	Denali Glacier Landing by Helicopter
Denali Jeep Backcountry Safari	Denali Natural History Tour	Denali Wilderness Jet Boat Safari	Discover Denali Flightseeing
Husky Homestead Tour	Kantishna Experience	McKinley Glacier Landing by Airplane	Music of Denali Dinner Theatre
Nenana Gorge Whitewater	Nenana River Scenic Wilderness Run	Stampede Wilderness Tour	Summit McKinley Flight
Teklanika Tour	Tundra Mountain Golfing	Tundra Wilderness Tour	Wilderness Living Adventure & Dog Cart Ride
Windows into the Wilderness			

## **KID-FRIENDLY ACTIVITIES**

Many of the Optional Land Excursions are appropriate for children. The lodge also offers free activities that are great for children.

Card/Board Games	Music of Denali Dinner Theater	
Park Ranger Programs	Shuttle to dog sled demonstration	
Walking Trails		

### **BUILDING HISTORY:**

Construction began in 1986 and the lodge opened in the summer of 1987 as Harper Lodge Princess. First expansion completed summer 1990. Second expansion and name change completed summer 1993 at an approximate cost of \$21 million. In 1999 Princess acquired an adjacent lodge on 4.9 acres and incorporated this property into the existing lodge for the summer 2000 season. In 2004 an extensive expansion added 88 new guest rooms, a new main lodge building and a main street walking village with new retail outlets. In 2006 the lodge expanded by 166 rooms bringing the room total to 651 and making it the largest hotel in the state of Alaska. In early 2008, renovations increased the room total to 656 rooms.

## CONTACT:

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