

# Tundra Tours Inc.

*Top of the World Hotel* Top of the World Hotel



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Top of the World Hotel is located in Barrow, Alaska, on the edge of the Arctic Ocean. We are the northernmost city in the United States and are only accessible by plane. Our village is a community of vast cultural and socioeconomic diversity; a town where the past can be explored while enjoying the comforts of modern amenities. We invite you to come experience the "Land of the Midnight Sun" and stay at the Top of the World Hotel for a long summer night of adventure you will never forget. We are well known for our authentic Inupiat hospitality. The Day Tour is offered during our summer season beginning May 15<sup>th</sup>. The tour starts daily at 10:00am ending at approximately at 2:30pm. During the tour, photo opportunities will be abundant, make sure your camera is charged and ready to go. Weather and temperature in the Arctic can fluctuate at a moment's notice, so be sure to dress in layers for your comfort.

The guided tour provides:

- φ A complimentary shuttle that will take you to/from the hotel. We have a restaurant conveniently located on the first floor of our hotel.
- φ Be on the lookout for arctic fowl and small animals. Other animals that may be seen but cannot be guaranteed are snowy owls, arctic foxes, caribou, polar bears, seals, walruses, and whales.
- φ A narration through the communities scenic and cultural sites. The tour will take you on a short walk through the tundra to view ancient Inupiat sod hut remains. As well as other historical locations throughout Barrow (Utqiagvik).
- φ A drive out towards Point Barrow, as far as the road is able to take you. Here you will have the chance to dip your toes into the Arctic Ocean. Don't worry, if you're brave enough, you'll have a chance to earn your Polar Plunge Patch at the end of the tour.
- φ A firsthand look at the Inupiat Heritage Center's Traditional Room, where you can meet Inupiat artists and see their intricate work on baleen and carved ivory crafts.
- φ Also highlighted is the whaling history exhibition. Take a look into whaling traditions, tools, equipment and Umiapiaq (traditional whaling skin boat).
- φ A cultural presentation to experience Inupiat songs and dances from various communities on the North Slope that tell stories of the past. You'll meet locals who use traditional drums and sing songs that have been passed down for many generations. (this is TBD \*to be determined)
- φ You will also see a demonstration of our Inupiat native games like the one-foot-high kick, seal hop or stick pull. (this is TBD \*to be determined)

The maximum occupancy in a standard room with 2 full beds is 4 people. The deluxe room has one king sized bed and a twin pull out couch and can accommodate 3 people. The maximum occupancy in an ADA accessible room is 3 people featuring 1 full bed and 1 twin bed.

\*Tour routes and schedule are contingent on safety, weather and time allowances and limitations. The tour may participate in village and cultural events and activities when available. Tundra Tours Inc. – Top of the World Hotel reserves the right to cancel or modify reservations where it appears that a customer has engaged in fraudulent or inappropriate activity. Rates are subject to change at any time. Email General Manager, Stefanie Lozano at [slozano@tundratoursinc.com](mailto:slozano@tundratoursinc.com) for more information.

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