



m/v Ptarmigan & Portage Glacier

The *m/v Ptarmigan* is the only vessel on Portage Lake, and is available as part of a Gray Line of Alaska tour package, or for independent travelers.

With Gray Line of Alaska, you can visit the sheer, awesome face of a mighty Alaska glacier located just an hour from Anchorage. Cruising on the *m/v Ptarmigan*, you'll stand just 300 yards from a relic of the Ice Age and watch for icebergs break off the glacier and crash into the water below. You will find out why Portage Glacier is Alaska's second most visited attraction.

2009 Schedule (May 15 - September 17)

Daily departures at 10:30 am, 12 noon, 1:30 pm, 3:00 pm, 4:30 pm

2009 Rates

Portage Glacier Cruise Adult: \$29; Child (2-12): \$16

Portage Glacier Cruise/Tour Adult: \$75; Child: \$39
Includes glacier cruise, a stop at Alyeska Resort and narrated tour from Anchorage

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CRUISE TO PORTAGE GLACIER

- the *m/v Ptarmigan* cruises to the face of Portage Glacier five times daily
- fully narrated by an on-board representative of the U.S. Forest Service
- one-hour roundtrip cruise allows guests to spend twenty minutes at the face of the glacier, just 300 yards away from the ice
- cruising is the best way to see Portage Glacier, along with a visit to the Begich Boggs Visitors Center to learn more about the "river of ice"
- watch for wildlife and waterfalls

THE *m/v* PTARMIGAN

- *m/v Ptarmigan* is the *only* boat operating on Portage Lake
- fully enclosed, heated cabin comfortably seats 200 people
- expansive windows for enhanced viewing
- topside view deck offers a great vantage point for watching the glacier "calve," and for visitors to enjoy the fresh air
- 80-foot vessel was built on site at Portage Lake to U.S. Coast Guard specifications
- 6.5-foot draft for minimal environmental impact

- operates on national forest service lands of the Chugach National Forest and is operated under a special-use permit from the USDA Forest Service
- the *m/v Ptarmigan's* sound system cannot be heard from the shore, ensuring preservation of this naturally peaceful setting for wildlife and for other visitors
- hull designed for safety in ice-filled waters
- operates daily mid-May through mid-September



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