

Alpenglow Adventures

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General Information

Alpenglow Adventures is the fundraising program for Easter Seal Camp Kysoc. Easter Seals Camp Kysoc is a facility of the Kentucky Easter Seals Cardinal Hill Healthcare System and is affiliated with the Kentucky Easter Seal Society, Inc.

Jim Ebert is the Alpenglow Director as well as the Kentucky Easter Seal Camp Kysoc Executive Camp Director. Jim will personally lead each trip.

Reservations:

Early reservations are recommended. For immediate confirmation on a trip, you can call Toll Free 1-866-357-4712 and charge the initial \$100 deposit to your Visa or Master Card, or mail the enclosed Application Form along with a check. Each participant must submit a separate signed application form prior to departure.

Upon receiving your deposit we will send you a confirmation letter, detailed trip itinerary, visa applications, travel insurance application, and a pre-departure information newsletter with clothing and equipment list, and general information needed to prepare you for your trip. Rendezvous instructions, or any final trip details will be sent about 3 weeks prior to departure.

Payment Schedule:

We will work with you to set up a trip payment schedule that will work best for your budget. Certain monies must be collected ahead of time and paid in advance to certain agencies with whom we are booking, i.e. lodging, transportation, camping permits, etc. and these need to be collected at the appropriate times depending on which trip you have registered. We will keep all participants informed with certain mandatory payments that will need to be collected and that need to be paid in advance and for what is being paid on your behalf. The rest of the trip payments can be worked out on a more personalized payment plan that can be set up to be very accommodating to your individualized budget as you desire.

Trip prices are quoted in US dollars and all payments must be made in US dollars whether by check or credit card.

Single Supplements:

Accommodations are based on double occupancy. Participants who specifically request single accommodations, subject to availability, pay a single supplement. If you are traveling alone and wish to share accommodations, we will try to match you with a roommate. We will have wonderful participants on our trips, so rooming with a nice person will save you a fair amount of money if not paying extra for a single supplement.



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Cancellations & Refunds:

If it becomes necessary for you to cancel your trip we need a cancellation notice from you in writing which can be sent to us by email, fax or by standard mail. No trip cancellation can be made by phone alone, a written cancellation notice must be sent.

All Trip Balances are due in full, prior to your trip departure date, or in full anytime prior to your trip if there is still space. Participants whose trip balances are not received in full by the starting date of their trip, obviously risk the forfeiture of their place on the trip and for certain refunds that would result because the leader would not have enough time to accept a replacement. Certain refunds would also not be refunded if it means that other trip participants would have to pay higher fees to compensate for you suddenly not showing up to participate on the trip. Please keep in communication with us so we can work with you. We are easy to work with so please do not feel intimidated. Everyone should take out trip insurance to protect yourself from any unexpected last minute reasons to cancel your trip. We will attempt to refund all trip money back to you that we possibly can that we receive back from all of the various agents with whom we are working with on each trip on your behalf. All refunded trip money that we get back for you, we will refund back to you.

We will attempt to make a full trip refund back to you regardless of when you cancel prior to your trip. If you desire, we could also credit all of your trip payments to a trip of your choice with Alpenglow Adventures in the future.

We highly recommend that all participants purchase trip cancellation insurance.

Transfers:

You may transfer to another trip departure date by notifying us of your wish, prior to your scheduled departure.

Cancelled Trips:

Alpenglow Adventures reserves the right to cancel any trip prior to departure for any reason whatsoever, including insufficient signup or logistical problems that may impede trip operations, or for safety concerns. The refund of all land payments received shall release Alpenglow Adventures from any further liability. A trip with insufficient signup would normally be cancelled a minimum of one month prior to departure.

Alpenglow Adventures must normally make substantial payments to its suppliers (hotels, transportation companies, etc.) far in advance of the scheduled embarkation date. If a trip is cancelled due to force majeure (acts of God, war, labor strikes, earthquake, flooding, etc.) Alpenglow Adventures will promptly refund the portion of the trip cost not already advanced to suppliers and use its best efforts to recover and refund the balance as promptly as possible.



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Alpenglow Adventures is not responsible for expenses incurred by trip participants in preparing for a canceled trip (e.g., nonrefundable advance purchase air tickets, visa fees, inoculations, equipment, etc.).

Limitation of Liability:

These paragraphs (together with the Release of Liability section of the Application Form) define our responsibility with respect to all of our trips. Please Read It Carefully.

Payment of your \$100 deposit represents your acceptance of the following terms and conditions.

Alpenglow Adventures gives notice that services provided in connection with its itineraries, including transportation, hotel accommodations, restaurants, and other services, are purchased from various independent suppliers who are not affiliated with Alpenglow Adventures in any way. Although we endeavor to choose the best suppliers available, Alpenglow Adventures has no right to control their operations and therefore makes these travel arrangements upon the express condition that Alpenglow Adventures and its own agents and employees, shall not be liable for any delay, mishap, inconvenience, expense, irregularity, bodily injury or death of a person, or damage to property occasioned through the conduct or default of any company or individual engaged in providing these services. Each of these passenger conveyance companies, tour companies, hotels, restaurants, etc. is subject to the laws of the state or country where the service is provided.

Alpenglow Adventures shall not be liable for (a) expenses such as additional hotel nights and meals not specified in the individual trip itineraries, but which may be required to get to or from a trip start or end; (b) expenses due to the delay of a trip for any reason (e.g. bad weather, trail conditions, land slides, flooding, sickness, or terrorism concerns), or other contingency for which Alpenglow Adventures cannot make provision; (c) expenses incurred in recovering luggage lost by airlines, belongings left behind on a trip, or in shipping purchases or other goods home from abroad; (d) bodily injury or property damage for any reason, including but not limited to acts of God, weather, quarantines, strikes, civil disturbance, terrorism, theft, default, changes in government regulations, war, or failure of conveyance to arrive or depart as scheduled, etc. over which Alpenglow Adventures has no control. The right is reserved to substitute trip leaders and hotels from those listed, as well as, reverse the order of places to be visited and make reasonable changes in the itinerary where deemed advisable for the comfort, safety and well being of the trip participants.

Alpenglow Adventures reserves the right to take photographic or film records of any of our trips, and may use any such records for promotional and/or documentary purposes. Alpenglow Adventures reserves the right to decline to accept-or to restrain from further participation-any person it judges to be incapable of meeting the rigors and requirements of participating in the adventure activities, or any person whose actions or deportment it judges unsuitable for group travel. Any person will be dropped from the trip if their actions and or behaviors endanger the safety of themselves or others or if they fail to



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follow required safety procedures or if they deliberately talk negatively and deliberately try to ruin the enjoyment of others by their negative complaining and poor attitudes. A refund based on the cost of any unused land services already paid for is the limit of Alpenglow Adventures responsibility in such a case.

Trip Member's Responsibility:

Trip participants have the responsibility to select a trip appropriate to their abilities and interests. Our trips will be challenging. We are undertaking the world's greatest and most famous hiking challenges and destination adventures that will ascend to the summit of Mount Kilimanjaro (19,340 feet) in Tanzania, Africa and descend one vertical mile to the bottom of the Grand Canyon National Park in Arizona.

Participants are held responsible for being in sufficient good health to undertake each trip. Trip participants are responsible for preparing for the trip by studying the itinerary and pre-departure information packets sent by Alpenglow Adventures and for bringing the appropriate clothing and equipment as advised therein.

Participant Signature: _____

Date: _____

Adventure Trip Booked: _____

