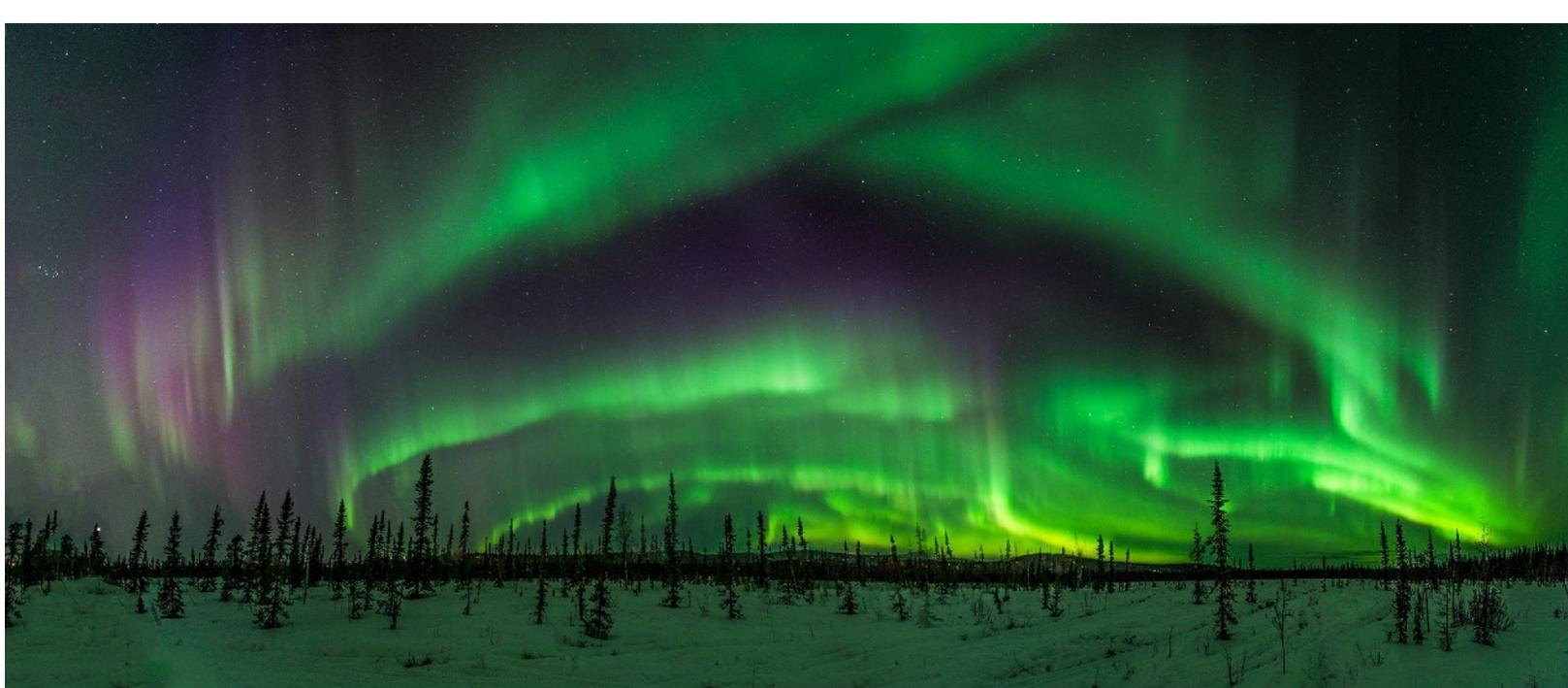


Northern Lights - A Photo Expedition with Barbara Eddy



March 7 - 12, 2022 6 days/6 nights - Limited to 5 Participants

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Northern Lights Photo Expedition in Fairbanks, Alaska

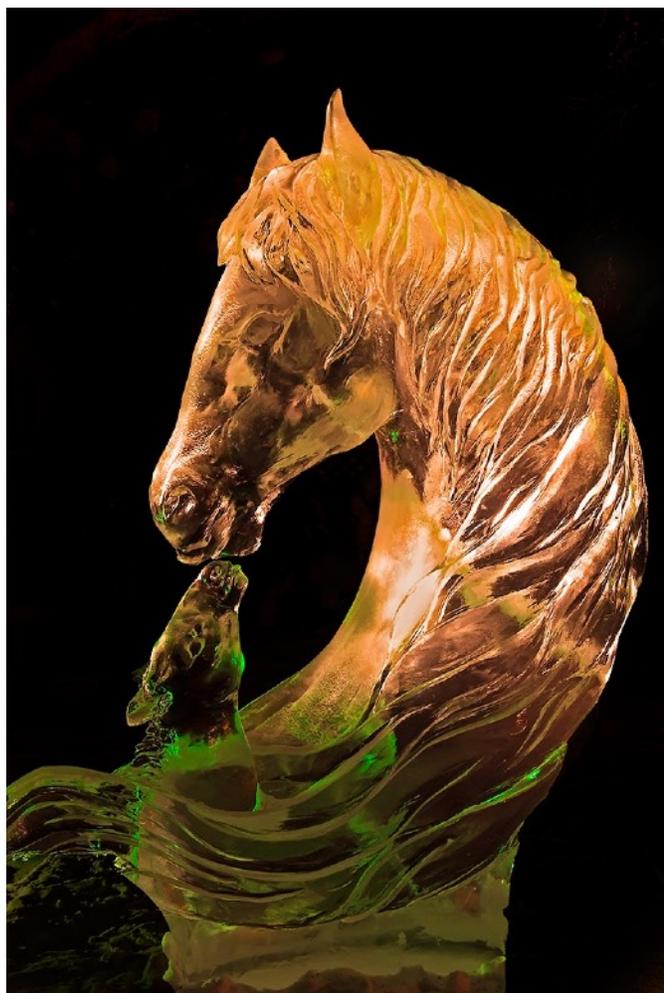
The aurora borealis, or northern lights, is truly one of nature's most spectacular phenomena, one that has fascinated people for centuries. Native Americans believed them to be the luminous spirits of the dead but my favorite folk tale is from Finland where people said the aurora were sparks from the mythical Firefox's tail. Science tells us the aurora is the result of the solar wind entering the earth's atmosphere above the magnetic poles and reacting to gases high above the earth. Mystical or scientific explanations aside, this is one natural wonder not to miss.

The shifting action and color of the aurora borealis can be mesmerizing. Photographing the lights can be challenging and if you don't use the proper techniques, the results can be disappointing. On this trip I will teach you how to capture all the action. Perhaps like me, you'll get hooked on this amazing spectacle.

From my prior experience, this trip is scheduled at the prime time for auroral activity. Since 2013, I have scouted locations in Central Alaska for superb photography of the oscillating bands of green, red and yellow. Our destination is one of the best areas in North America for aurora watching and despite typical winter weather, the trip length should be sufficient to allow at least a few opportunities to find clear skies. Each night we'll visit different areas in search of good foregrounds for the auroral light show. The small group size ensures I will be on hand to teach you the special techniques for great photographs.

The trip is timed to coincide with ***The World Ice Art Championships***. We'll have the opportunity to photograph these unique carvings. Even if the weather hampers aurora viewing, we will still come away with dozens of unique photos. I have other daylight activities planned if the nights are cloudy.

I hope you can join me on this expedition. You can see many of my images on both my website www.barbaraeddyphotography.com and in posts on my informational Facebook page. To view, please go to <https://www.facebook.com/BarbaraEddyNaturePhotographyWorkshops/>



This expedition will be based out of a Fairbanks hotel with nightly excursions to photograph the northern lights. Each night, weather dependent, we will travel some distance from town to find dark skies unhampered by light pollution from the city lights. Travel time will vary depending on chosen location, determined by conditions.

We will spend at least one afternoon and one evening photographing the fabulous ice art and possibly one day at the Chena Hotsprings resort if there is interest in this activity. Night sky photography is our priority.

Where: Fairbanks, Alaska

Arrival Point: Fairbanks International Airport

When: March 7-12 - arriving on March 6th

Days of tour: 6 days/6 nights

Days including travel days: 8 days / 7 nights

Starting: March 7 - Introductory morning meeting.

Ending: March 12 (early morning March 1)

Maximum Number of Photographers: 5

Price: \$3350

Fitness and Health - Physical Level - EASY

Special Considerations - Night shooting - Winter conditions - Deviation from normal sleep patterns.

Packing List - Recommended camera equipment and clothing list will be sent upon receipt of deposit.



**What is included:**

- Hotel Room - 7 nights - 7 breakfasts at hotel
- Intensive Photo Instruction in field from Barbara Eddy
- Classroom Instructions
- Transportation to and from photography locations
- Entrance fee to World Ice Art x 2
- One Lunch or Dinner

What is NOT included:

- Lunch and Dinner
- Transportation to and from Fairbanks
- Items of personal nature

To Enroll:

Please email contact@barbaraeddyphotography.com to check availability. Full payment is due at time of enrollment.

**Make Check out to: Barbara Eddy and mail to:
Barbara Eddy - PO Box 575 - Ronan MT 59864**

Cancellation Policy:

If you must cancel, please give notification as soon as possible. I will make every attempt to fill your spot.

If you must cancel from time of booking to within 121 days of departure, a \$250 cancellation fee will be assessed.

If you must cancel between **91 to 120 days prior to departure**, a \$600 cancellation fee plus any funds paid by Barbara Eddy Photography to suppliers that are non-refundable will be assessed. If I can refill your space on short notice the non-refundable supplier fees will be refunded.

In the case of cancellations received **90 days or less prior** to trip departure all fees are non-refundable. If I can refill your booking all payments will be refunded, minus a cancellation fee of \$600.

Trip Insurance:

For complete peace of mind, I strongly recommend that you purchase trip insurance to protect yourself against cancellation penalties and travel costs. You will also be covered for losses due to a trip cut short by illness or family emergencies or costs of baggage lost or damaged. Travel insurance at www.insuremytrip.com offers a wide range of services at reasonable rates. Other insurers offer competitive prices.

Thank you for your interest in my photography expeditions. Any questions please email me at contact@barbaraeddyphotography.com

Warm Wishes,

Barbara

