

## More To Your Life Alaska Adventures adds Glacier Hiking to its Itinerary

offering vactioners the opportunity to see how climate change is effecting the natural state of Worthington Glacier.

**FEBRUARY 26, 2013 • Geneva, Illinois** I How climate change effects glaciers continues to spark public interest. Trips that offer the ability to witness these wonders first-hand were up last summer by 2% according to the Visitor Volume Report prepared by the McDowell Group. After successfully completing an inaugural trip hiking to the face of Worthington Glacier in Valdez, Alaska, More To Your Life Alaska Adventures owner Jim Robertson added this unique adventure to the 2013 itinerary. Amidst dramatic raw scenery, More To Your Life Alaska Adventures guides vacationers through a wide range of activities that start on the coast of Prince William Sound, move inland 100 miles to the Cooper River area and back with changing terrains and weather systems. It is a truly unique experience - part of a 9-day/8-night adventure that the company organizes.

Jim Robertson, owner of More To Your Life Alaska Adventures commented "Seeing a glacier first-hand is an unbelievable experience. Most people have it on their bucket lists. The ever changing environment makes provides a sense of urgency for being able to witness these natural wonders."

Like most of Alaska's glaciers, this Valdez valley glacier has been steadily retreating for the last 150 years, but not as dramatically as many others, according to the Alaska Geographic Organization. Worthington Glacier is part of an on-going study funded by the National Science Foundation to study ice flow dynamics as they relate to climate change. By comparing movement at Worthington with numerical models for glacier flow, scientists hope to answer important questions about the future of climate change, the organization reports.

The Alaska Adventures trips by More To Your Life are comprehensive - offering opportunities to kayak, raft fish, explore and hike. Founder Jim Robertson taps in to the locals of Valdez, partnering with professional experienced outfitters and guides to allow the vacationer to fully experience every opportunity and to discover local secrets. Participants will experience the thrill of paddling near glaciers, sea ice, sea lions, whales and majestic eagles. They will experience gorgeous canyons, waterfalls and rivers.

"Local Alaskan guides and providers comment all the time how no other tour operator is offering the broad menu of activities that we are at such an incredible price. We are truly unique," says Mr. Robertson.

Hotel accommodations, guided experiences and fees are included. Airfare is additional. 9-day/8-night trips are available during the months of June, July, August and early September. The next 9-day Valdez trip departs in June, 2013 for a price of \$3,250 per person. Clients can select their own travel dates assuming they are available. The company will to continue to add additional trips and locations in 2014 and beyond. For photographs and more information, please visit http://www.moretoyourlife.com.

## ABOUT MORE TO YOUR LIFE ALASKA ADVENTURES

Alaska Adventures caters to vacation explorers who appreciate nature and activity. Founder Jim Robertson is an avid outdoor enthusiast and traveler. An experienced sea kayaker, he has traveled all over the world and enjoyed adventures in such places as Australia, New Zealand and Greece. In Oct of 09' he traveled to Tanzania, Africa to climb Mt Kilimanjaro.

## ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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