

**Center for Alaskan Coastal Studies
2011-2012 Program Reservation Form**

Please fill out this form completely and return to the Center for Alaskan Coastal Studies by e-mail at jenni@akcoastalstudies.org or by fax at (907) 235-6668. Your trip will be scheduled based on the order received and on the number of other requests for the same dates. We will notify you of your actual trip dates as soon as possible; do not assume you have a reservation until it is confirmed. Please read the confirmation, deposit, and cancellation policies found on the last page of the registration packet.

General Information

School/Group Name:			
Mailing Address:		City, State	Zip
Contact Person:		Contact Person on Day of Trip:	
School/Group Phone:		School/Group fax:	
Home Phone:	Cell Phone on Day of Trip:	E-mail:	
Grade/Age Level:	Number of Students:	Number of Adults:	

Special arrangements are required for groups (students + adults) smaller than 25, larger than 35, or for more adult chaperones than one for each six students.

Trip Leader Information

- I have participated in _____ programs with the Center for Alaskan Coastal Studies in the past.
- I would be interested in participating in a mentor program to work cooperatively with other teachers to plan field trip logistics, classroom activities, and share ideas.
- I am interested in having a naturalist visit my classroom prior to my program (\$50 per program on the Kenai Peninsula).

Additional Comments

Please include any questions, special requests, or areas of interest in the space provided below.

Office Use Only

Confirmation sent (date)	Deposit received (date)	Invoice sent (date)	Payment received (date)

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PLEASE NOTE CLASS DATE AVAILABILITY				
Programs available after June upon request				
Field Trip (mark 1st and 2nd Choice Dates for Field Trips)				
Fall Programs – August 2011 – October 2011				
Alaska Coastal Ecology Day Trip	<input type="checkbox"/> Peterson Bay	1 st Choice Date:	2 nd Choice Date:	\$63 pp
Alaska Coastal Ecology 1 Night (24-hour program)	<input type="checkbox"/> Peterson Bay	1 st Choice Date:	2 nd Choice Date:	\$75 pp
Alaska Coastal Ecology 2 Night (48-hour program)	<input type="checkbox"/> Peterson Bay	1 st Choice Date:	2 nd Choice Date:	\$107 pp
Kachemak Bay OnBoard Oceanography 5 Hour Program	<input type="checkbox"/> Kachemak Bay	1 st Choice Date:	2 nd Choice Date:	\$70 pp
Fall Foliage Day Trip 4-6 Hour Program	Preference: <input type="checkbox"/> Wos River Trail <input type="checkbox"/> Saddle Trail	1 st Choice Date:	2 nd Choice Date:	\$65 pp
Wynn Fall Nature Explorations	Preference: <input type="checkbox"/> 2 hour <input type="checkbox"/> 4 hour	1 st Choice Date:	2 nd Choice Date:	2 hr- \$50 4 hr-\$100

Winter Programs – February 2012 – March 2012				
Winter Ecology Program 1 Night 24-hour program	Ageya Camp <input type="checkbox"/> Lodge only <input type="checkbox"/> Yurt Stay	1 st Choice Date	2 nd Choice Date:	Lodge- \$45* Yurts- \$60 Per person
Winter Ecology Program 2 Night 48-hour program	Ageya Camp <input type="checkbox"/> Lodge Only <input type="checkbox"/> Yurt Stay	1 st Choice Date	2 nd Choice Date:	Lodge- \$70* Yurts- \$100 Per person
Wynn Winter Explorations	Preference: <input type="checkbox"/> 2 hour <input type="checkbox"/> 4 hour	1 st Choice Date	2 nd Choice Date:	2 hr- \$50 4 hr- \$100

**Based on a 20 person minimum*

Spring Programs – April 9, 2012- June 2012				
Alaska Coastal Ecology Day Trip	Preference: <input type="checkbox"/> China Poot Bay <input type="checkbox"/> Jakalof Bay	1 st Choice Date	2 nd Choice Date:	\$63 pp \$80 pp
Alaska Coastal Ecology 1 Night (24-hour)	Preference: <input type="checkbox"/> Field Station <input type="checkbox"/> Kasitsna Lab	1 st Choice Date	2 nd Choice Dates:	\$75 pp \$102 pp
Alaska Coastal Ecology 2 Nights (48-hour)	Preference: <input type="checkbox"/> Field Station <input type="checkbox"/> Kasitsna Lab	1 st Choice Date	2 nd Choice Dates:	\$107 pp \$147 pp
Kachemak Bay Onboard Oceanography 5 hours	<input type="checkbox"/> Kachemak Bay	1 st Choice Date	2 nd Choice Date:	\$65 pp
Beluga Wetlands 2 hours	<input type="checkbox"/> Beluga Lake	1 st Choice Date:	2 nd Choice Date:	\$50 per class
Creatures of the Dock 1 hour	<input type="checkbox"/> Homer Harbor	1 st Choice Date:	2 nd Choice Date:	\$5 pp

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Booking and Reservation Information

Alaska Coastal Ecology and Winter Ecology Programs

Alaska Coastal Ecology and Onboard Oceanography Programs are available from August-October of 2011 and April-June of 2012. We are currently accepting reservations for Fall 2011 and we will begin accepting reservation requests for Alaska Coastal Ecology Programs for Spring 2012 on **September 8th at 7:30 a.m.** by fax or email. Reservations will be taken on a first come, first serve bases and you will receive a confirmation letter setting your official trip date within three weeks of submitting your request form.

Alaska Coastal Ecology programs are available at the CACS Peterson Bay Field Station and at the NOAA/UAF Kasitsna Bay Laboratories. The semi-remote Peterson Bay Field Station facilities include classroom space, microscope lab, and kitchen and can accommodate groups of 32 in 4 heated yurts. More information can be found at www.akcoastalstudies.org. The Kasitsna Bay Laboratory facilities provide a large kitchen, a bunkhouse that sleeps 32, and use of the research laboratory. More information can be found at <http://www.westnurc.uaf.edu/kbay.html>. Overnight programs include lodging, boat transportation, and quality environmental education programming. Groups are responsible for providing for their own food and bedding.

Reservations for residential Winter Ecology programs need to be received by November 1, 2012. These programs will be held at the Ageya Wilderness Camp, <http://ageya.org/>, adjacent to the Wynn Nature Center on the bluff above Homer. The lodge offers full kitchen facilities and can accommodate a group of 30 with sleeping mats in the classroom. Four twenty-foot, heated yurts that sleep eight are also available for overnight stays at a slightly higher per person rate. Overnight programs include facility use, lodging, and quality environmental education programming.

Wynn Nature Center and Beluga Wetlands Day Programs

Reservations for the Wynn Nature Center and other CACS day programs can be made at any time by submitting this form by email to jenni@akcoastalstudies.org or by faxing to our office at (907) 235-6668.

Confirmation and Deposit Information

Field Trip Date Confirmation

Expect field trip date confirmation within three weeks of submitting your reservation request. It is very important to notify the CACS office immediately if there is a problem with the assigned field trip date.

Deposits

A non-refundable deposit of \$100 is due for each Alaska Coastal Ecology, Oceanography, or Winter Ecology program (\$200 for the Combination Program) within 30 days of receiving your Field Trip Date Confirmation. If needed, curriculum materials will be sent upon receipt of deposit. If the deposit is not made by the 30-day deadline, the trip dates will be offered to classes on our waiting list. An additional \$200 deposit is due 60 days after receipt of your trip confirmation. In the event of a cancellation, \$200 of your deposit will be refunded if the cancellation takes place before February 1. The cancellation fee will be refunded if the reservation can be replaced.

*Program scholarships may be available depending of grant funding.
Please contact CACS for more information on scholarship opportunities.*