



**Alaska Mountain Guides  
& Climbing School Inc.**

## **PRE-TRIP INFORMATION - ALTA, UTAH**



Thank you for your interest in Alaska Mountain Guides & Climbing School Inc. The following information is included to help you with planning your travel arrangements.

We ask that you arrive the evening before your trip starts, and it's often easiest to stay in Utah the day your trip ends. If you are unable to schedule your travel to arrive the evening before, please contact us and we will be happy to make other arrangements. Below there is information to help in making travel and accommodation arrangements.

We will meet at our offices located below Alta Sports in the Albion Building at 9:00 AM (unless otherwise noted) to begin our trip. Plan on eating breakfast before the meeting. Bring your backpack and gear; we will go over equipment, itinerary, questions, etc.

We will generally return in the late afternoon on the last day of the trip. If you have a specific time you need to be back in Alta, please let us know.

To reserve a space in a course or trip, please return the registration form with a \$250 deposit for multi day trips, and payment in full for half day and one day trips. Please see our trip policies for more information regarding deposits and payments.

Please contact us if you have any questions, or if you would like any additional information.

We look forward to having you join us in the mountains!



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## **TRAVEL & ACCOMMODATION INFORMATION ALTA, UTAH**

### **Airline Tickets**

Make certain that your ticket matches the full name on your passport. Plan your arrival in Salt Lake City no later than 6pm the night before your course start date. If time permits, we recommend arriving one day early to provide leeway for any flight or baggage connection trouble. Please make certain that we have your flight and arrival information so that we can meet you at the airport! Always reconfirm your flights within 72hours of departure time.

### **Airline Routing and/or Other Travel Options**

Salt Lake City International Airport is a major hub with multiple daily flights from most major cities in the United States. Most major airlines serve Salt Lake City. This is also the main hub for Delta.

### **Baggage**

Baggage limits vary by carrier; typically you are allowed two 50 lb. bags at no extra charge. For bags weighing 50-70 lbs. there is usually an additional charge per bag. It is often cheaper to have two bags over 50 lbs. than a third bag. If you travel through other countries for a stopover you may be charged excess baggage fees for anything over 44lbs. (20 kilos) each flight. If possible, pack your backpack and gear inside a large duffel bag.

### **Photocopy all Documents**

Make certain to copy your passport, airline tickets, credit cards, traveler's checks, immunization book, etc. This can be very helpful in the event that anything is lost or stolen. It is also a good idea to send an electronic copy of your documents to a personal email account.

### **Local Transportation**

There are many excellent transportation options from the airport and downtown. There are many local taxi companies (we recommend Canyon Transportation <http://www.canyontransport.com>), bus and rail services ([www.uta.com](http://www.uta.com)) available.

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### Time Zones

MST – Mountain Time Zone (East Coast minus 2 hours).

### Climate

Salt Lake City has a moderate and snowy winter climate that warms to an arid high desert climate in the summer.

### Accommodations in Alta

**Alta Peruvian Lodge –**

[www.altaperuvian.com](http://www.altaperuvian.com) - (800) 453-8488

**Goldminer's Daughter Lodge –**

<http://www.goldminersdaughterlodge.com/> - (800) 453-4573

**Alta Lodge -**

[www.altalodge.com](http://www.altalodge.com) - (800) 707-ALTA (2582)

**Alta's Rustler Lodge -**

[www.rustlerlodge.com](http://www.rustlerlodge.com) - (888) 532-ALTA (2582)

### Condos

**Hell Gate Condos -** [www.altalodging.com/hellgate.htm](http://www.altalodging.com/hellgate.htm)

**Blackjack Condominium Lodge**

[www.blackjacklodge.com](http://www.blackjacklodge.com) - 800-742-8959

### Rental Gear and Ski Shops

**Alta Sports, Alta, Utah** (801) 742 3110

**Alta Nordic Shop, Alta, Utah** (801) 359-1078 ext 293

**Deep Powder House, Alta, Utah** (801) 742 2400

**Alta Peruvian Lodge, Alta, Utah** (801) 742-3000

**Black Diamond Equipment** - 2084 E 3900 S, Salt Lake City, UT 841125 –  
(801) 278-0233

**REI** - 3285 E 3300 S Salt Lake City, UT 84109 (801) 486-2100



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### Travel Insurance *(Highly Recommended)*

MEDICAL, TRAVEL, & CANCELLATION INSURANCE: Individuals are responsible for any medical costs, including all associated rescue, evacuation, and transportation costs. Please take time to review your medical insurance policy. Make certain that your coverage extends to the location of your trip, and that it provides coverage for any potential associated costs, including rescue and evacuation. Many policies will provide coverage for travel abroad for a small additional fee. We highly recommend the Adventure Travel Protection Plan from AIG. Click the link below to learn more. You can also purchase the insurance from this site.



Please contact us if you have any questions.

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