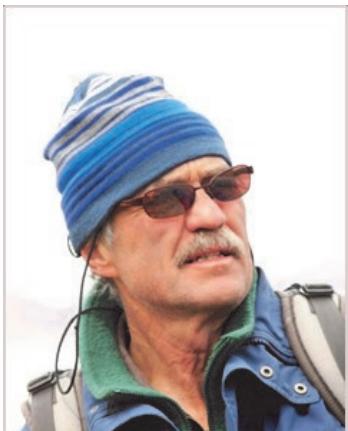




YPF Winter Excursion into Yellowstone with guide Tom Murphy, professional photographer February 9-13, 2016

Enjoy the magic and wonder of winter in Yellowstone
with the **Yellowstone Park Foundation (YPF)**!



Yellowstone in the winter is an adventurer's paradise. Steam rises from hot springs and bison graze in snowy fields. Low temperatures and a blanket of snow make this wonderland twinkle.



Our guide will be renowned wildlife photographer and naturalist **Tom Murphy**.

We will start and end the trip at Mammoth Hot Springs at the North entrance to Yellowstone. Read more about Tom at his website, www.tmurphywild.com.

Trip highlights:

- Watch for bison, elk, coyotes, raptors, wolves, and many more. All are easy to spot in the winter against the snow.
- Ski, walk, or snowshoe around the Old Faithful geyser basin without the crowds in the summer.
- Winter photography outings with a professional photographer.
- Journey through the Park in the warm comfort of a snow coach.
- Expert interpretation by NPS rangers and informative evening presentations.



Itinerary

Tuesday, February 9 - Welcome and reception at the Superintendent's house in Mammoth Hot Springs, followed by dinner in Terrace Grill and an evening Yellowstone-themed program.

Wednesday, February 10 - After breakfast in the Mammoth Hotel dining room, we will board snow coaches and start our scenic journey into the Park's interior. We plan to stop at the Grand Canyon of the Yellowstone and Yellowstone Lake (weather permitting). We will arrive at the Old Faithful Snow Lodge for dinner in the Obsidian dining room.

Thursday, February 11 - We'll have a full day at Old Faithful to explore the geyser basin, ski/snowshoe trails, and/or explore the Old Faithful Visitor Education Center. Tom will lead optional morning and sunset photography field trips. Enjoy a private dinner in the Snow Lodge Conference Room followed by an evening presentation.

Friday, February 12 - We will return to Mammoth on snow coaches by the afternoon. Ski or walk on the Mammoth Terraces in the afternoon, and dinner and presentation in Terrace Grill that evening.

Saturday, February 13 - Board a bus going to Lamar Valley for a morning of wildlife watching. Trip concludes at lunchtime.

Pricing

The all-inclusive prices per person for four nights of lodging, snow coach transport, luggage transfer, ski rental, and meals are:

Single occupancy: \$2,209/person plus tax and utility fees

Double occupancy: \$1,859/person plus tax and utility fees

Maximum number in group is 16

If interested, please RSVP to events@ypf.org or call 406.586.6303



Photographs courtesy of Tom Murphy and NPS