



NW Discoveries

Terms and Conditions

Responsibility – NWD's safety record is excellent. But hiking, biking and winter activities, involves an element of risk. These risks are described in our Participant Agreement, which you will be required to sign. Your signature on this form will be taken as an expression of your willingness to assume personal responsibility for risks that may be encountered on the trip.

If we cancel a trip – NWD rarely cancels a trip, but we reserve the right to cancel or reschedule due to weather conditions or other factors beyond our control. If we cancel, we'll refund your fees in full, but we cannot reimburse you for other travel expenses you may have incurred.

TRIPS RUN AS SCHEDULED EVEN WHEN IT RAINS OR SNOWS.

HALF & FULL DAY TRIPS:

Deposits and payments: Half day and full day trips require payment in full when reservation is placed. (Exception: If more than seven days remain before the trip begins, groups of ten or more may call to reserve with a \$25 per person deposit.)

Cancellations, Transfers and Refunds: Please notify us as soon as possible if you find it necessary to cancel your reservation. Because we lose the ability to sell reserved spaces to other individuals or groups, we strictly adhere to the following policies:

7 Days or More:

- OPTION 1: A refund of your deposit less a \$25 per person cancellation fee.
- OPTION 2: Credit towards an available NWD trip in the current season less a \$25 per reservation transfer fee. In either case you will receive a full refund for any amount paid above the trip deposit.

6 Days or Less:

- ***No credits or refunds will be issued if you cancel 4 or fewer days prior to a day trip***

Please note that cancellation fees may apply to cancellation of the entire reservation as well as to partial cancellations (for instance, reduction in your party size from six to five).

MULTIDAY TRIPS:

Deposit and final payment requirements – A deposit, payable by check, or credit or debit card, confirms your reservation. Deposit amounts are \$200 per person for all overnight/multiday trips.

(Exception: Full payment is required at time of reservation if less than 30 days remain before the trip begins.)

FINAL PAYMENT IS DUE 30 DAYS PRIOR TO YOUR MULTI-DAY TRIP.

Cancellations, Transfers and Refunds: Please notify us as soon as possible if you find it necessary to cancel your reservation. Because we lose the ability to sell reserved spaces to other individuals or groups, we strictly adhere to the following policies:

- 91 or More Days in Advance: Full refund of all payments.
- 90 to 60 Days in Advance: Deposit held as credit for future trip. Full refund of any additional payments.
- 60 to 31 Days in Advance: Deposit held as credit for future trip, minus \$100 administrative fee. Any additional payments will be refunded.
- 30 to 14 Days in Advance: Full deposit held. Any additional payments will be refunded. (Lodge trips may incur more, depending upon deposits to lodges)
- 14 to 7 Days in Advance: Full deposit held. Any additional payments will be credited for future trip. (Lodge trips may incur more, depending upon deposits to lodges)
- 7 Days or Less in Advance: No refund. All payments held.

IF TRAVEL RESTRICTIONS ARE PUT IN PLACE DURING THE PERIOD IMMEDIATELY PRIOR OR DURING YOUR TRIP THAT PREVENTS TRAVEL NWD WILL DO THE FOLLOWING:

Full refund of all payments, less a \$100 administrative fee per person

OR

Payments held in full for future trip with NWD

Travel Insurance – We recommend that you consider protecting yourself and your equipment with the purchase of travel insurance. Your home, health and other policies may have the coverage you need, but if not then consider protecting yourself with additional coverage. Short-term travel insurance policies provide protection against loss of payments you have made for travel and lodging, loss to personal items while travelling, and provide for emergency transportation to a medical facility. For more information check with your insurance agent or research online.