

Welcome & General Information

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Thank you for your interest in Holliday Air and the services provided by our group. The following is general information you may find helpful in having a successful hunt.

Holliday Air is comprised of a group of pilots who own their own Air Taxi Certificates, aircraft and love to fly and experience the Alaska outdoors. Each hunting season we work together under the name of Holliday Air, owned by Terry Holliday with over 40 years of flying hunters in the bush. We operate a fleet of Super Cubs and Cessna 185's both wheels and floats with the ability to take you where the best hunting is. Our crew - Mike Petrie, (pilot) owner of MLJ Aircraft, Tom Atkins (pilot/guide) of Tom's Alaska Guide Service. John Phipps registered guide (Terry's son in law) of John's Alaskan Adventures handles the guide outfitting with his many years of experience and expert crew.

On all hunts we strive to check on you every couple of days, weather permitting. We move you as needed to keep you in good hunting areas, and we try to get your meat into Iliamna as soon as we know you have an animal down. If you are not taking your meat home we can arrange for it to be donated to local charities. You can have the animal boned and boxed for shipment in Iliamna for an extra fee. Your antlers, capes and hides can be expedited from Iliamna to your home by our agent for a reasonable fee.

Iliamna, Alaska - hourly charter rates are as follows:

Super Cub (wheels) 1 passenger \$275/hr.

Cessna 185 (wheels) 3 passengers \$450/hr.

Anchorage, Alaska - hourly charter rates are as follows:

Super Cub (wheels) 1 passenger \$200/hr.

Cessna 185 (wheels) 3 passengers \$400/hr.

We will charter you by the hour anywhere out of Iliamna, but years of experience have shown hunters usually pay less when hunting by our fixed drop-out rates. We hunt game management units 9,17, and 9. We also offer fully guided hunts for caribou, moose, black bear, and brown bear. Our registered guides have a long history of hunting in Alaska and are very good at finding trophy animals. We can arrange float trips for hunting and fishing and saltwater trips for halibut and salmon in season. Should you need to stay overnight in Iliamna local accommodations are available:

- Karl's Lodge - PO Box 64 Iliamna, Alaska - (907) 571-1709
- Iliamna Lake Lodge - PO Box 110 Iliamna, Alaska (907) 571-1526
- Roadhouse Inn Iliamna, Alaska - (907) 571-1272
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For travel to Iliamna from Anchorage

Iliamna Air - Iliamna Air, a family owned and operated charter and scheduled air carrier has operated in Alaska since 1977. Reservations can be made by calling :**907 571-1248**

Birchwood Air Service - 1000 Merrill Field Dr. Anchorage, AK 99501. Reservations can be made by calling : 907 276-0402

Lake & Pen Air - Lake & Pen Air provide charter and regularly scheduled transportation from Anchorage to Iliamna. For reservations call 907 781-2228

Your meat and trophies may also be shipped from Iliamna to Anchorage on Northern Air Cargo or Air Cargo Express, and then on to your destination via your air carrier. For estimates on shipping your meat and trophies contact.

Northern Air Cargo 1- 800-478-3330
Air Cargo Express (907) 243-7333

All Alaska residents 16 years of age or older must possess a license to hunt. Non - resident hunters, regardless of age , must possess a hunting license. Hunters must carry a valid license and any required harvest tickets, permits, and/or tag(s) while hunting. Licenses, harvest tickets, and big game tags are available from most licensed vendors (sporting good stores, etc.) in Anchorage, in Iliamna, across from the airport terminal at Iliamna Airport Market by contacting Jerry Armstrong (907) 571-1586, by writing to ADF&G Licensing Section, PO Box 255525, Juneau, Alaska 99802 (907) 465-2376, or on line at <http://www.admin.adfg.state.ak.us/license/>

Hunting licenses and big game tags are valid from the date of purchase through December 31 of that year. Harvest tickets are valid from the date issued through the following June.

Payment: For any services Holliday Air provides in Iliamna in the field is strictly cash, travelers checks, or credit cards (Visa or Mastercard). Personal checks will be accepted for hunt deposits only prior to the hunt as long as they have time to clear the bank. All services are paid for prior to departing for the hunting grounds.

Deposit: A 50% deposit is required to confirm your reservations, unless other arrangements have been made. The balance is due prior to departure.

Cancellations: 100% of the deposit will be returned for reservations cancelled 90 days prior to departure date. 50% of deposit will be returned for reservations cancelled 30 days prior to departure date. There will be no refunds for reservations cancelled less than 30 days prior to departure date unless another client can fill the date. Holliday Air will work hard to ensure that you have a good time on your trip, whether it be hunting, fishing, or just enjoying Alaska's beautiful scenery.

Good Hunting
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Equipment List for Drop-Out Hunts

The items listed below are recommended minimum equipment for no-outfitted, drop-out hunts.

- Tent - good quality, water and wind resistant, with extra lines and stakes.
- Sleeping bag and pad or cot (temperatures can drop into the 20's in September)
- Cook Stove - we recommend white gas over propane type, which tend to use more fuel.
- Cooking and eating utensils, garbage bags, paper towels, etc.
- Collapsible 5 gallon water containers (1 per person)
- Food and spices - keep weight and bulk to a minimum
- Pack frame with bag (you can pack a lot of your gear in this bag)
- Salt for preserving animal hides (5 lb. bags stored in zip lock bags to keep it dry)
- Rain gear - good quality coat and pants (it can rain hard)
- Two changes of clothing and extra socks.
- Hip boots - optional for caribou and bear but a must for moose hunts.
- Weapons - gun, bow, slingshot, fishing pole etc.
- Optics - spotting scope and binoculars recommended
- Camera, film and flashlight
- Knife and saw (to remove antlers)
- Personal toiletry items, pills, band aids, toilet paper, etc.
- Hunting License and tags

Please try to limit your weight to 75 lbs. per person and keep bags and boxes as small as possible. We use Super Cubs to fly most of our hunters to their camps, and these planes do not have the space for large coolers, Rubbermaid totes, etc. We usually store your gun case at the airport until you return. We have Coleman fuel and propane canisters for sale at cost since the airlines do not allow them to be shipped. Also federal regulations prohibit the carrying of pepper spray and bear repellents in passenger aircraft, so please leave these at home. We may have left items off this list that you feel you need in order to make your hunt more enjoyable. Please do not hesitate to bring such items along, but please keep the total bulk and weight of your camp to a minimum.

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Holiday Air Equipment List for Outfitted Hunts

Holiday Air provides the following equipment on outfitted hunts

- Tent - top quality, water and wind resistant
- Go-cots and pads - you supply your own sleeping bag
- Cook stove, fuel and kitchen utensils
- Food - some freeze dried, some canned, and some fresh, including but not limited to, soda pop and beer of your choice (upon request), bread, cheeses, and meats for sandwiches, potatoes, onions, and basic cooking spices and oil.
- Garbage bags, toilet paper, paper towels, paper cups, etc.
- Water - 5 gallon containers
- Meat bags and tarps to protect and cover meat
- Salt for preserving the animal hides - 5 lb. bags store in zip lock bags to keep them dry
- Flashlight for camp
- Hatchet and collapsible shovel for camp

The following is recommended minimum list of items you will need to bring. You may add items of your choice in order to make your hunt more enjoyable, however, please keep the maximum weight of your gear to 75lbs. per person. The aircraft we use to travel to the best hunting areas have limited storage space, so please keep your gear to a minimum.

- Warm sleeping bag (temperatures can drop into the 20's in September)
- Pack frame with bag (you can pack a lot of your gear in this bag)
- Salt for preserving animal hides (5lb. bags stored in zip lock bags to keep it dry)
- Rain gear - good quality coat and pants (it can rain hard)
- Two changes of clothing and extra socks.
- Hip boots - optional for caribou and bear but a must for moose hunts.
- Weapons - gun, bow, slingshot, fishing pole etc.
- Optics - spotting scope and binoculars recommended
- Camera, film and flashlight
- Knife and saw (to remove antlers)
- Personal toiletry items, pills, band aids, toilet paper, etc.
- Hunting License and tags

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Holliday Air, Inc. Care of meat & Antlers

It is the hunter's responsibility to know and comply with State of Alaska Hunting regulations. Wanton waste of meat is considered an extremely serious offense. All meat from caribou or moose must be salvaged and removed from the field. Antlers may not be removed from the field or kill site prior to the salvage of the meat (although the cape can be removed). It is the hunters responsibility on all unguided hunts to transport meat and trophies to camp or to a designated landing zone predetermined and approved by your pilot. It is the hunters responsibility to care for all meat and antlers and to arrange for their transfer of possession and/or transportation from Iliamna. Holliday Air will assist you with your efforts, but will not take responsibility for care or disposal of meat and antlers. Donations to charities may not be accepted if meat returns from the field in poor, wet, dirty or in other condition rendering it not fit for human consumption. For care of capes, hides and antlers, plus shipping to anywhere in the lower 48 states we use Jerry Hammack Taxidermy with a receiving station at our facility in Iliamna. Jerry has been in the tanning and taxidermy business for many years and comes to Alaska each fall to help our clients. He can be contacted for pricing and details at:

Jerry Hammack
1301 Broadway Kerrville, Texas 78028
Tel 830 895-1030 Fax 830 792-4550
and at Holliday Air in the fall (907) 688-4337

Meat should be quartered and placed in breathable game bags. Your pilot can give you tips on keeping your game dry and cool. Harvest tickets and locking tags are to be punched and attached in the field immediately after the kill. Antlers remain at the kill site until all meat is packed to camp. Capes may be packed out at anytime. Bring out all meat, bone in quarters, evidence of sex attached.

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