

Major Marine Tours Receives Two Prestigious Tourism Awards

Anchorage, Alaska –Major Marine Tours, one of Alaska’s top operators of day cruises in Kenai Fjords National Park and Prince William Sound, has recently been awarded two awards for their outstanding service to tourism in Alaska.

The first award, given by the Kenai Fjords National Park Service, named Major Marine Tours “2003 Partner of the Year”. Major Marine Tours is the only cruise operator in Southcentral Alaska to have National Park Rangers on every one of its Kenai Fjords cruises. These Rangers serve as hosts and help guests to better understand the wildlife and geology of the National Park. They also help with a Jr. Ranger Program for kids.

“We’re very proud of our 7-year association with the Park Rangers,” says Russ Mager, owner of Major Marine Tours. “They are a tremendous addition to our cruises and our passengers tell us again and again just how great they are.”

The second award, presented at the 2003 Industry Appreciation Day picnic in August, named Major Marine Tours the “2003 Outstanding Business in Tourism on the Kenai Peninsula.”

Seward Mayor Stu Clark presented the award to Russ and Kathy Mager and said in his presenter’s comments, “Major Marine Tours is a visible business on the Seward waterfront and supports the Seward community. In addition, they are visible year-round with attendance at a variety of travel shows nationwide, educating travel agents, tour operators and consumers to include the Kenai Peninsula as their destination of choice when traveling to Alaska.”

Major Marine Tours is a family owned and operated company, offering wildlife and glacier day cruises in Kenai Fjords and Prince William Sound. They are well-known for their Park Ranger hosts and for the famous Alaska salmon and prime-rib buffet they serve on every cruise.

Call Major Marine Tours with any questions at 907-277-6067, ext. 11.

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