

TRAVEL AND ACCOMMODATIONS FOR GRAND TETON NATIONAL PARK AND JACKSON

Grand Teton National Park, located near Jackson, WY hosts many of our trips and classes out of our headquarters, located in the south part of Jackson at 1325 S. Highway 89, Suite 104. We share a parking area with Smith's food store. Our phone number is (800) 239-7642, or 307-733-4979.

AIR TRAVEL

Throughout the summer and winter, there are regular flights to Jackson Hole from Denver, Salt Lake City, Chicago, Dallas/Ft. Worth, and Minneapolis. We suggest making your flight reservation as soon as possible. If flights are sold out or too expensive, your options include flying into Idaho Falls, Salt Lake City, Bozeman, or Cody and renting a car. Idaho Falls is the closest option, just two hours away. Otherwise, Salt Lake City, Bozeman, and Cody are all about a five-hour drive from Jackson. Also, the Salt Lake Express provides daily shuttle service from Salt Lake City and Idaho Falls.

ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE DATES

It is helpful to arrive a couple of days prior to your trip/class in order to acclimatize. Otherwise, you should arrive the day before and stop by our office for an equipment check. Do not plan on traveling the day after a significant climb - you will be tired and there are no guaranteed times when we will return to the trailhead.

LOCAL TRANSPORTATION

Please plan on providing your own transportation. Jackson Hole Mountain Guides does not provide transportation services but it is often possible to arrange car pools with other clients and the guide. Car rental, ride share, and taxi services are available.

DIRECTIONS TO JACKSON HOLE OFFICE

From the airport, (north of town) drive south on Highway 89. Follow Highway 89 through Jackson. You'll take a right at the lights at the town square with antler arches and from this point stay on Hwy 89 for another 2.5 miles approximately. Turn into the Smith's parking lot on your right. We are in the offices on the north side of the parking lot.

From south of town, drive north on Highway 89. When you reach the first stoplights at High School Rd., take a left and then an immediate right to enter the Smith's parking lot. We are located in the offices on the north side of the parking lot.

ACCOMMODATIONS

Plan on having accommodations for the night prior to and the night you return from a significant climb. There are a plethora of hotels, motels, and bed and breakfasts in Jackson and the surrounding area. There are also AIRBNB options as well as a hostel. Accommodations near town make your transitions convenient. It is highly advisable to make reservations as early as possible. Jackson Hole is quite busy throughout the summer and holiday periods are often sold out.

CAMPING

The American Alpine Club's Grand Teton Climbers Ranch, located near Lupine Meadows in Grand Teton National Park, is excellent and affordable. It has bunkhouses, community eating areas, and shared bathrooms. Read more at the American Alpine Club website. Reservations start April 15th.

In Grand Teton National Park, there are many campgrounds available via a reservation on the recreation.gov site. The Gros Ventre Campground, with 360 sites, is the least likely to fill up and the most convenient, located between Jackson and Moose on the Gros Ventre River.

The Bridger-Teton National Forest also has camping via the recreation.gov site. Should the campground be full, free undeveloped camping is available further up the Curtis Canyon road for one or two night stays. There are other National Forest campgrounds northeast of Kelly, including Atherton, Red Hills, and Crystal Creek, all of which have 5-20 and are reserved through recreation.gov

Hostels

The Hostel Jackson Hole

Reservations - thehostel.us

The Cache House

Reservations - thecachehouse.com