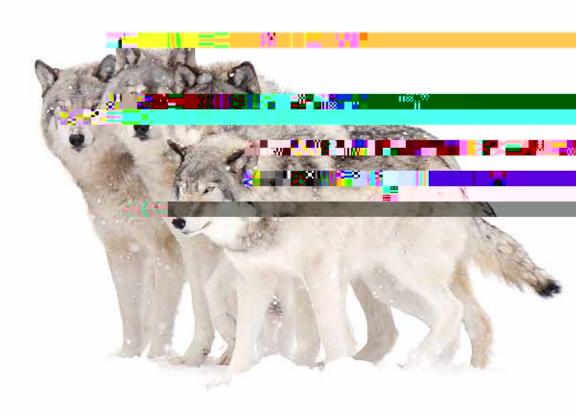
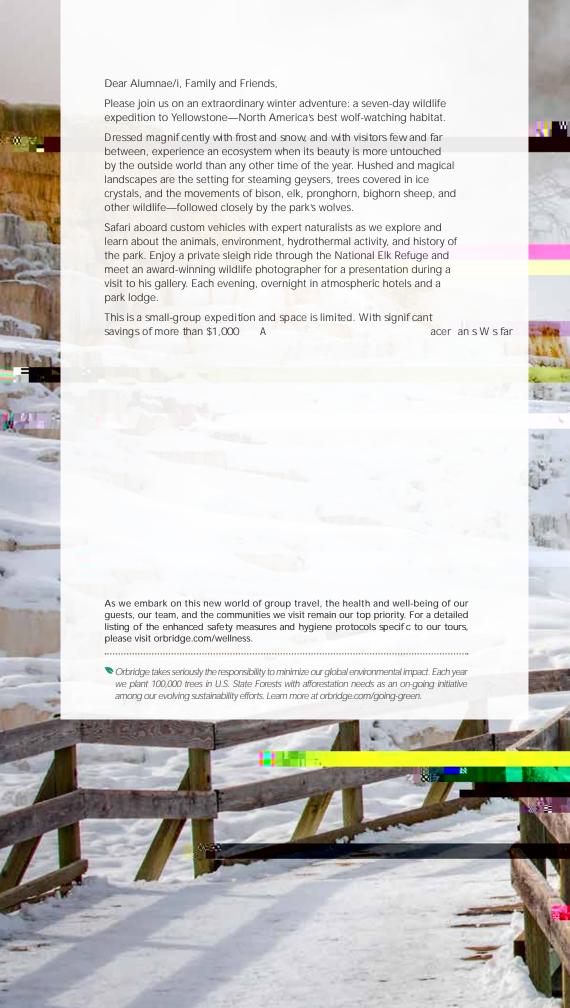
### The Wolves and







Amidst crisp air, bare trees, frosted earth, and brilliant thermal features of Yellowstone National Park, the wildlife viewing in winter is better than any other time of year. The elements of nature are in full sway, and its wild inhabitants—close-knit packs of wolves—are hunting, mating, and surviving.



#### Your 7-Day Itinerary

Day 1: Arrive in Jackson, WY (D)





#### **Discover**

- Immerse yourself in the unspoiled natural beauty, diverse wildlife, and dramatic tales of this unique ecosystem during this exclusive wintertime program.
- Experience Yellowstone in its winter incarnation: a world with frozen geyser rain, ghost trees with a frosty glaze, surprising winter wildf owers, and dynamic hydrothermal features set in snow and ice.

#### **Explore**

- Scout for wildlife from the comfort of a custom-outf tted, heated vehicle featuring oversized windows and a rooftop viewing hatch.
   Yellowstone is considered one of the best wolfwatching habitats in the country.
- Joined by two expert Orbridge Expedition
   Leaders and professional naturalist guides, learn
   informed perspectives and frst-person accounts
   of the wolves' setbacks, survival, and victories.
- Keep binoculars close at hand: this is the Serengeti of North America, home to the largest concentration of mammals in the lower 48 states. Resident bison, elk, pronghorn, bighorn sheep, moose, and other wildlife live among seven large predators, one of the most elusive being the gray wolf.

#### Interact

- Set out on a snowshoe adventure plus meet an award-winning wildlife photographer for a presentation during a visit to his gallery.
- Enjoy a horse-drawn sleigh ride through the National Elk Refuge. Created in 1912, this sanctuary is home to one of the largest elk herds in North America.



#### What's Included

- 6 nights accommodations
- 6 breakfasts, 5 lunches, 5 dinners (including special welcome and farewell dinners), and a wine and cheese reception
- A fully-guided program with 2 Orbridge Expedition Leaders as well as expert local guides and naturalists
- All unique excursions and activities listed in the 7-day itinerary including transportation
- Use of in-feld gear, including high quality binoculars and spotting scopes, Yaktrax, snowshoes, and adjustable hiking poles
- Hot beverages, water, and snacks throughout touring
- · Admission and park fees throughout
- Luggage porterage
- Gratuities to Orbridge Expedition Leaders, local guides, hotel housekeeping staff, drivers, porters, and wait staff for included meals
- Airport transfers for guests arriving and departing during the suggested times



#### Accommodations (subject to change)

#### THE LEXINGTON AT JACKSON HOLE

Located in the heart of picturesque Jackson with endless mountain views, The Lexington offers comfortable, contemporary western-style accommodations with a cozy and charming atmosphere. After a full day of outdoor activities, sip a hot chocolate beside the f replace or take a dip in the beautiful indoor pool or hot tub.



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#### Pre-Tour Itinerary (subject to change)

Day +1: Arrive in Jackson, WY
Welcome to Jackson! Settle into your
accommodations and enjoy the evening
at your leisure.

Overnight: The Lexington at Jackson Hole

Day +2: Jackson Hole / Snowshoe Excursion (B)

Journey into the heart of winter on snowshoes with a naturalist guide.
Learn about different aspects of winter ecology. The remainder of the day is at leisure.

Overnight: The Lexington at Jackson Hole

Day +3: Natural Museum of Wildlife Art / Main Program Begins (B, L)

Take a docent-led tour of the museum to view some of the 5,000 pieces from more than 550 artists, dating from 2500 BCE to the present. Enjoy an artful lunch with a spectacular view at the museum cafe, *Palate*. This evening, join fellow travelers for the main program.

#### What's Included

- 2 nights accommodations at The Lexington at Jackson Hole (or similar) with breakfast each morning
- Admission to the National Museum of Wildlife Art, including a docent-led tour and lunch (alcohol drink allowance included)
- Guided snowshoe excursion, including snowshoe equipment rental, hiking poles, use of binoculars, national park entrance fees, plus bottled water and snacks
- · Excursion transportation
- · Luggage porterage
- · All gratuities
- Airport transfers for guests arriving at the suggested times











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The fact that I'm planning to come back and do this again soon should be a small token of how much Words are inadequate to describe this program. fun, informational and life changing it was. -Tom S., Dallas, TX

possible.

A top tier tour which far exceeded our expectations. Highly professional guides made the grandeur of Yellowstone come alive in a way we did not think

~Frank & Shirley A., Cumming, GA

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