



## GREATER YELLOWSTONE COALITION'S *Spring Wildlife Viewing*

IN YELLOWSTONE NATIONAL PARK AND SILVERGATE, MT  
THURSDAY, MAY 17TH - SUNDAY, MAY 20TH, 2012

*Imagine crisp spring air, a colorful sunrise over the mountains, and you watching a grizzly amble through a meadow. Then, imagine you are not only viewing a sow grizzly, but also two furry little creatures in tow. Imagine spotting a mother grizzly with her cubs in the heart of Yellowstone National Park – the famed Lamar Valley!*



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Greater Yellowstone Coalition's Spring Wildlife Trip offers exactly this type of adventure. You will have the opportunity to watch grizzlies and their cubs; wolves and their pups; and bison with calves the color of cinnamon, in deep contrast to the bright green grass of spring. Expert guides and GYC staff members will share their knowledge and stories about the wildlife of the Lamar Valley while you enjoy the view.

Each day you will travel 18 miles from the quaint mountain village of Silver Gate, Montana, into the heart of the Lamar Valley for wildlife viewing. Silver Gate is ideally positioned as a gateway to Yellowstone National Park's Lamar Valley, America's Serengeti. Situated at an elevation of 7,438 feet, Silver Gate is a small, rustic, alpine town nestled amidst the willow-banked Soda Butte Creek, a conifer forest climbing up from the valley floor to towering snow-covered mountain peaks some 3,500 feet above, and meadows carpeted with wildflowers.

Yellowstone National Park's North East Entrance is a mere mile to the west with the unsurpassed wildlife viewing of the Lamar Valley only a few minutes' drive beyond.



Guests will stay in cozy rustic cabins at Silver Gate Lodging Company. Meals will be provided by the historic Log Cabin Café just across the street. Gourmet meals are prepared with local fare whenever possible and with the freshest ingredients for a delightful beginning and ending to each day.

Silver Gate businesses promote quiet nature oriented activities including hiking, climbing, biking, fishing and wildlife watching. Families can hike from their cabin door to Silver Falls, Bridal Falls, and the Bannock Indian Trail. Or walk to the local park, explore the side roads, or fish in the creek running through town.



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\*Price per person is \$995 and includes three nights' lodging in the quaint cabins of Silver Gate Lodging Company in the alpine community of Silver Gate; three meals per day; and expert guides and transportation to and from Yellowstone National Park.

\*Price does not include transportation to or from Silver Gate, Montana.

**THIS TRIP IS SURE TO PLEASE AND SPACE IS LIMITED. CALL TODAY AND RESERVE YOUR SPACE FOR GREATER YELLOWSTONE COALITION'S SPRING WILDLIFE WATCHING TRIP.**

*Cancellation policy: Full payment is due at the time of reservation. A full refund will be given if cancellation is made more than 30 days prior to the trip. A 50% refund will be given if cancellation is made less than 30 days prior to the trip. Non-refundable deposits are considered a 100% tax-deductible contribution to GYC.*

### TO REGISTER FOR GYC'S SPRING WILDLIFE VIEWING TRIP:

Please contact Heidi Barrett at 800-775-1834 or [hbarrett@greateryellowstone.org](mailto:hbarrett@greateryellowstone.org) to reserve your space today.

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