

### Recommendations / Optimize Your Viewing Experience

### Explore works on all modern web browsers including Microsoft Edge, Chrome, Safari and Firefox.

Based on community feedback and extensive testing, we recommend using GOOGLE CHROME for the fastest experience.



https://www.google.com/chrome/browser/desktop/index.html or search for google chrome installer

We recommend going into fullscreen mode on all browsers for the best immersive experience.

#### You can turn this mode on/off by the following hot keys:

(shift-window-enter) Microsoft Edge (control-command-F) Google Chrome / Safari / Firefox

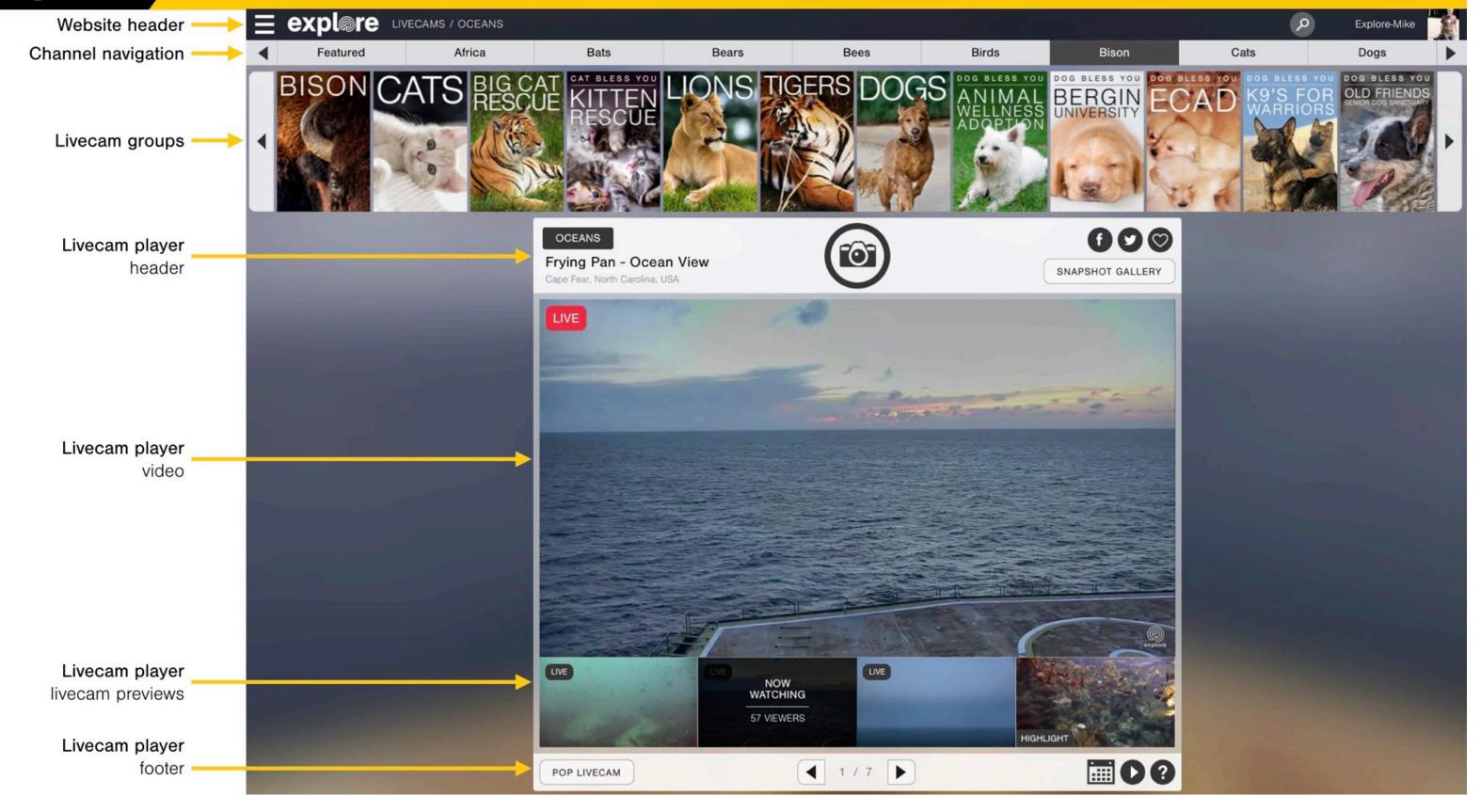
#### Is your screen still too small?

(Control -) adjusts the size of the content within your browser smaller and (Control +) Bigger. We recommend clicking (Control -) a few times to reduce your size of the content to fit your screen size.

#### Using an iPad or other tablet?

The portrait mode works best where the device is oriented vertically.

# explore Overview / Top of Page / Navigation and Livecam Player



## **EXPLORE** Overview / Upper Middle of Page / Info and Comments Columns

Information column Left side section

Includes the following information:

#### Livecam information

Details on what you are seeing Live viewing hours Date livecam established Livecam map location City, State, Country

#### Livecam weather

Weather details Celsius / Fahrenheit 7 day forecast / Moon cycle

#### Livecam partner

Link to partner website Details about the organization Helpful links relating to livecam/org

#### Related videos

Videos relating to the channel Highlights and Livechats

Explore calendar of events Upcoming livechats and other events

#### Related blog

Blog posts relating to the channel

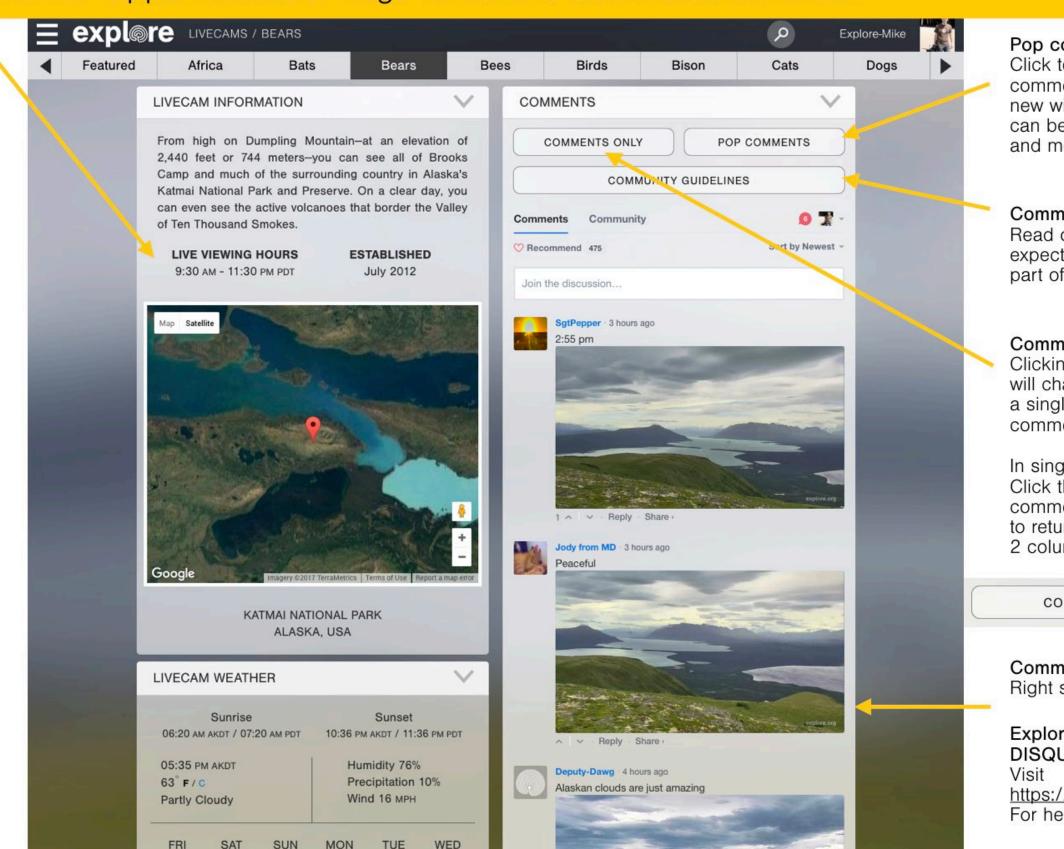
### Explore instagram feed

Latest posts from explore's instagram

#### **Factoids**

Short facts about the livecam

Livecam or Animal Information Common questions answered



Pop comments

Click to pop the comment thread into a new window which can be resized and moved

Community Guidelines

Read on what behavior is expected while being part of the community

Comments Only

Clicking this button will change the view into a single column comments only view

In single column view Click the comments and info button to return to the 2 column view

**COMMENTS & INFO** 

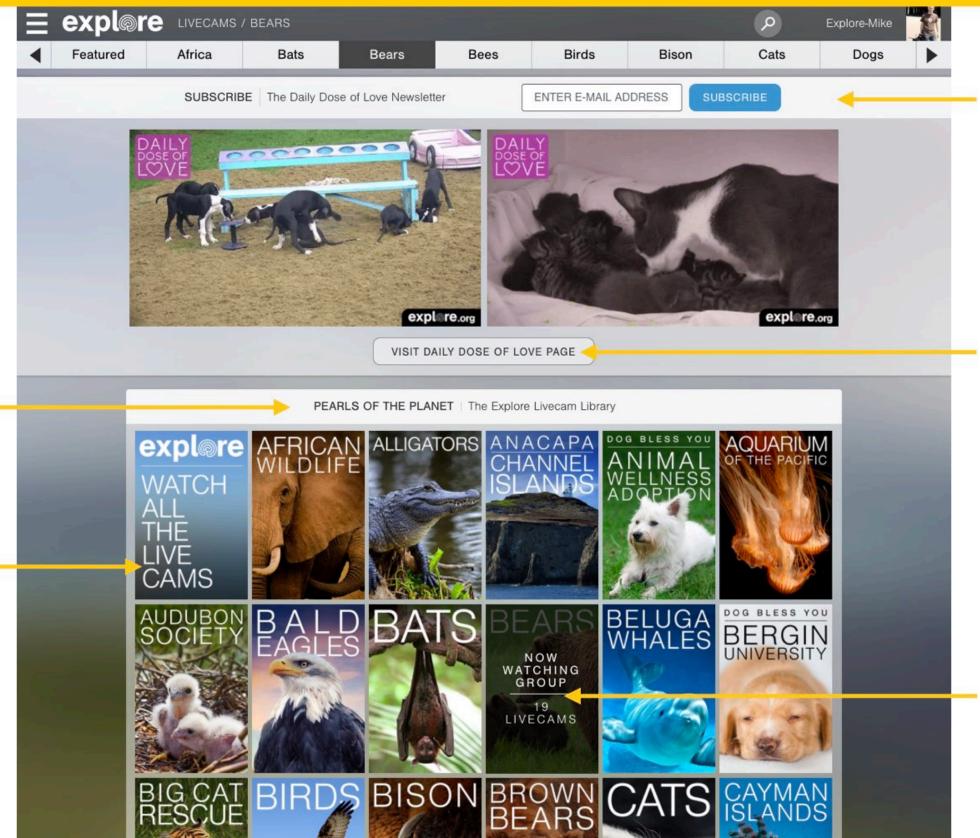
Comments column

Right side section

Explore uses **DISQUS for Comments** 

https://help.disgus.com/ For help with comments

## Overview / Lower Middle of Page / Newsletter and Library of Livecams



Daily dose of love newsletter Subscribe by entering email

Visit daily dose of love page Click this button to see All the daily dose of love animations

Current livecam group displays a black overlay with NOW WATCHING GROUP and the number of livecams contained in that group

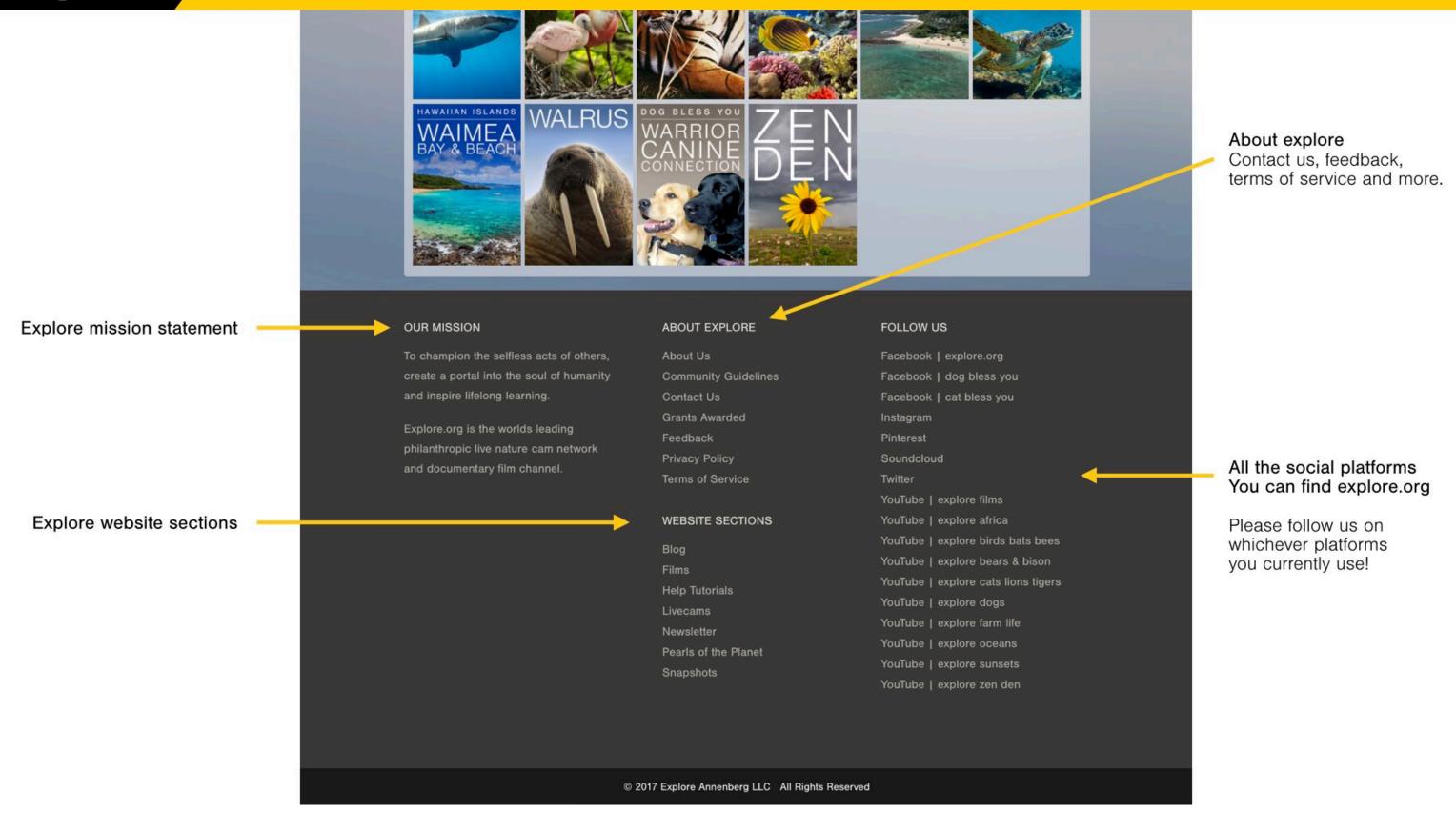
Pearls of the Planet All the livecam groups

> Click a poster to watch a group of livecams

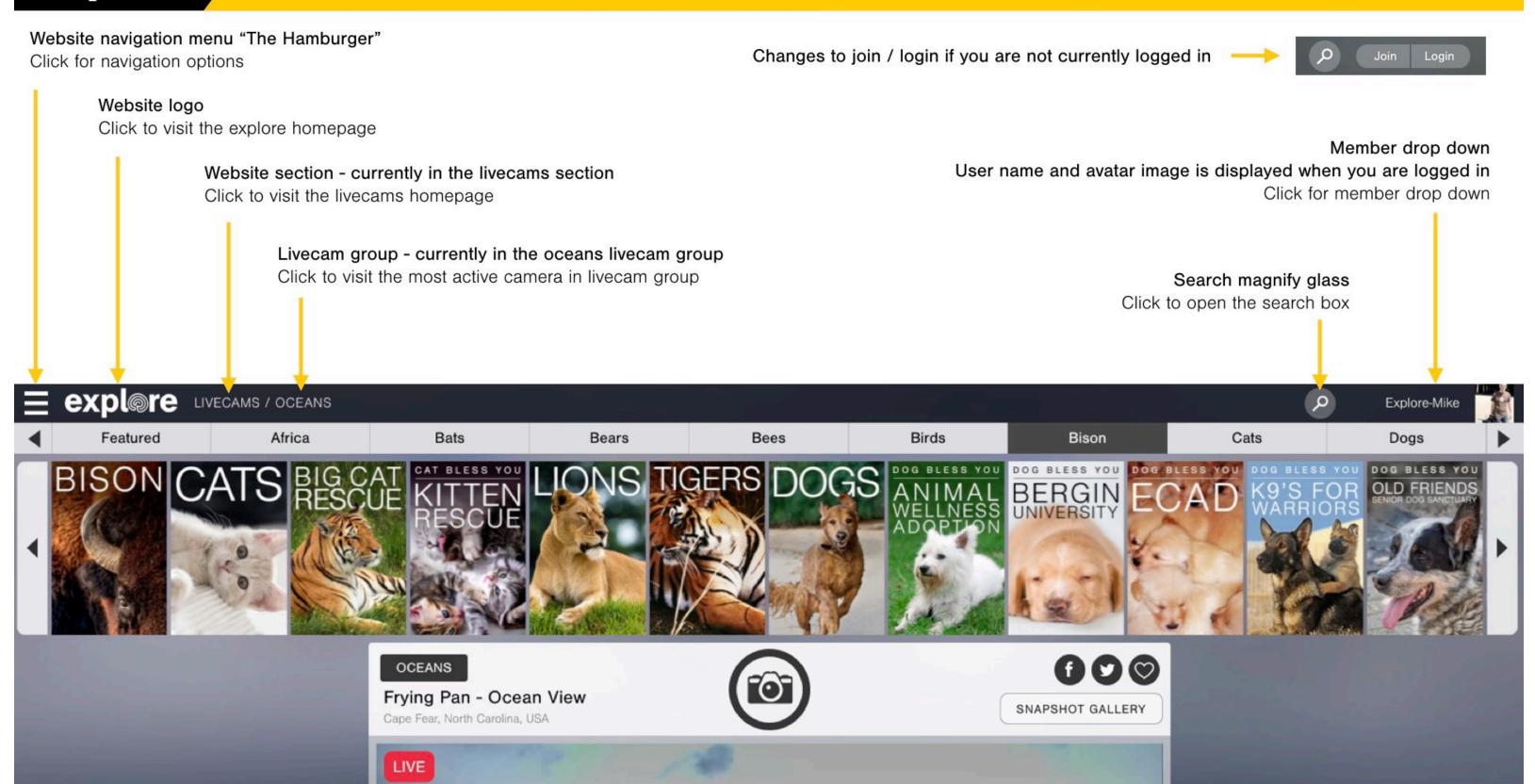
Watch all live cams You can even monitor all the livecams on explore.

This will organize them in order of viewers watching

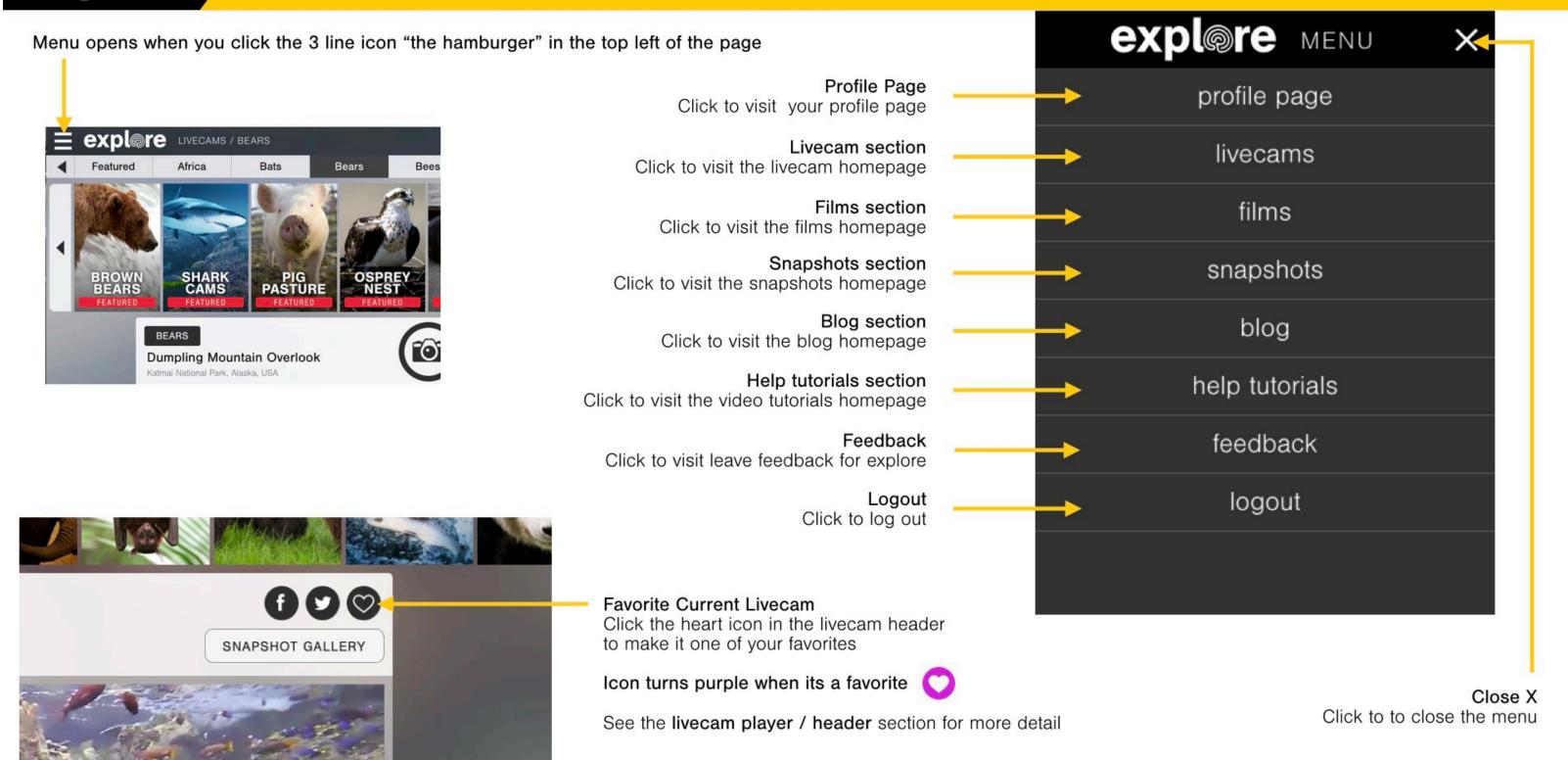
# explore Overview / Bottom of Page / Footer & Sitemap



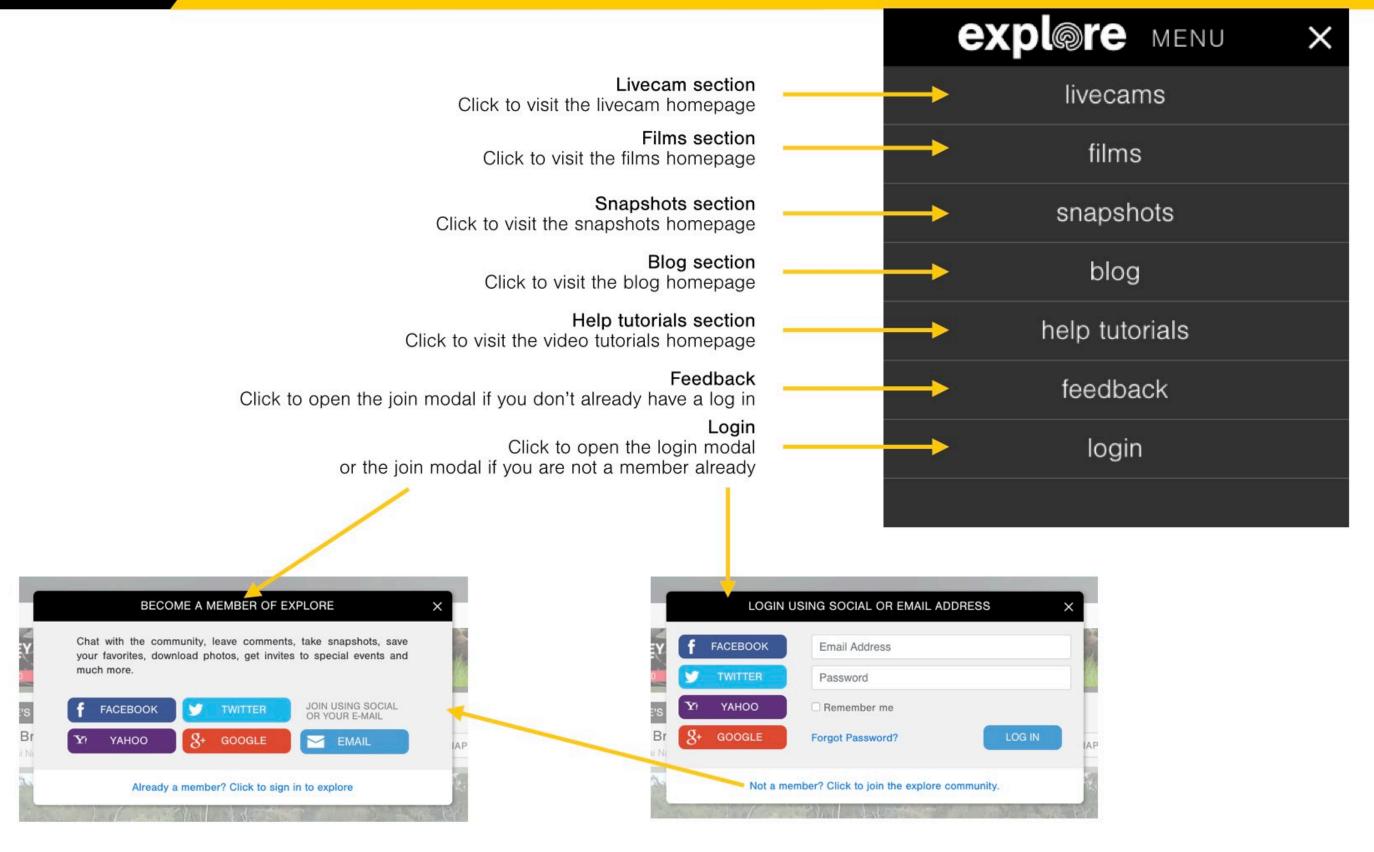
### expl@re Website Header



### **explore** Website Header / Website Navigation Menu / Already Logged In



### **explare** Website Header / Website Navigation Menu / Not Logged In

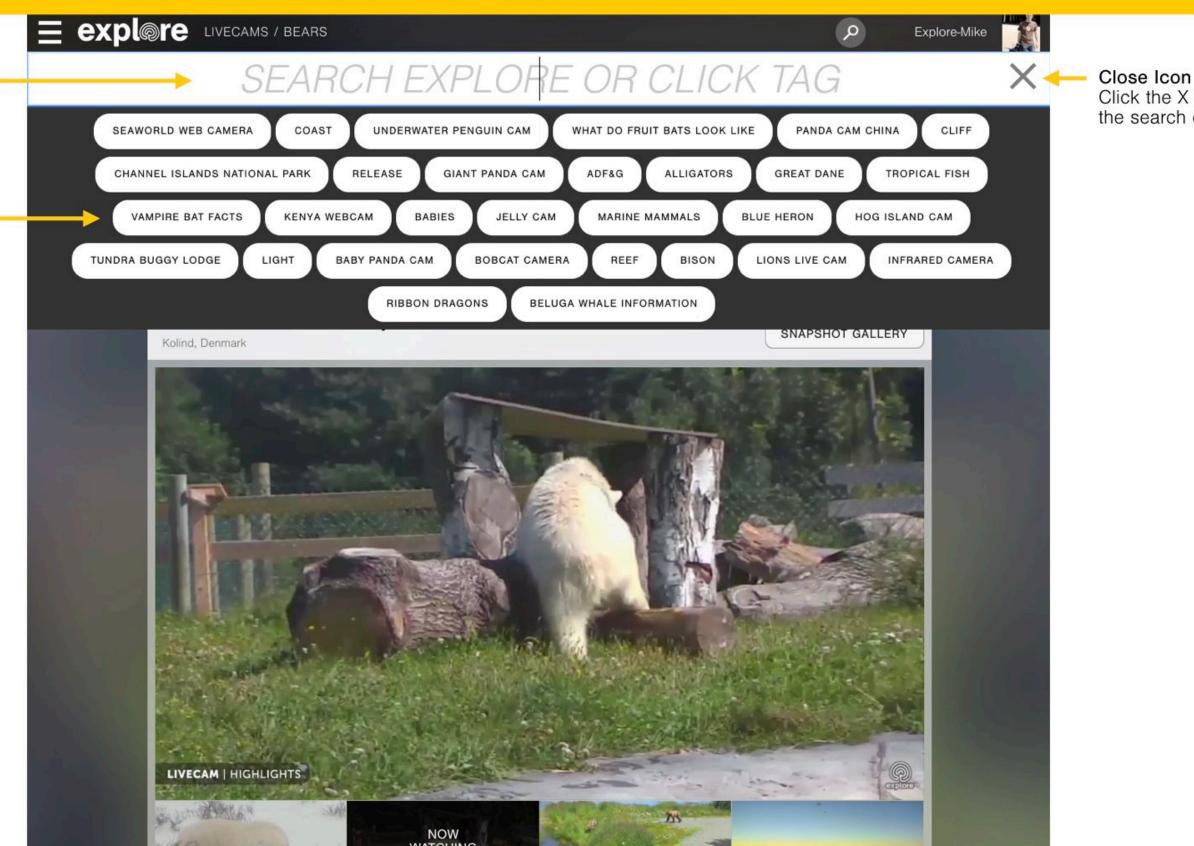


Click the X to close the search drop down

# explore Website Header / Search Drop Down

Type a word Spell a word to search

Suggested topics Click on button to search



### explore Website Header / Search Results

Navigation menu Click to leave the search page for a different section

#### Bear

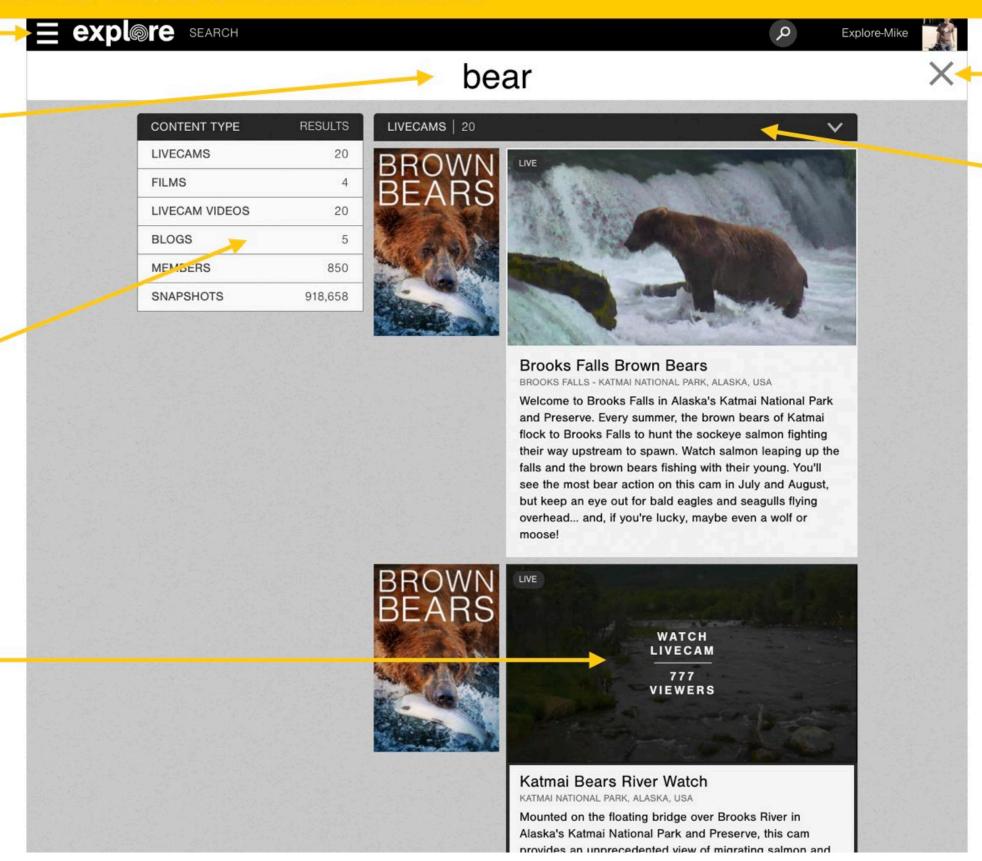
Word was typed into search Or chosen from suggested topics list

Search results are grouped by content type Click word to jump to that section of results

Number of results shown for each content type

Rollover State Click on content to watch that search result

Videos will play on the page



Close Icon Click the X to close the search page

Collapse section Click anywhere in the section header to collapse the section Click again to reopen the section

#### Search results include:

#### LIVECAM

Camera description Camera location Camera Live/Highlight status Number of viewers watching Camera Live Thumbnail

#### FILM & VIDEO

Film or Video Title Video Thumbnail

#### BLOG

Blog Title Blog Preview Thumbnail

#### **MEMBERS**

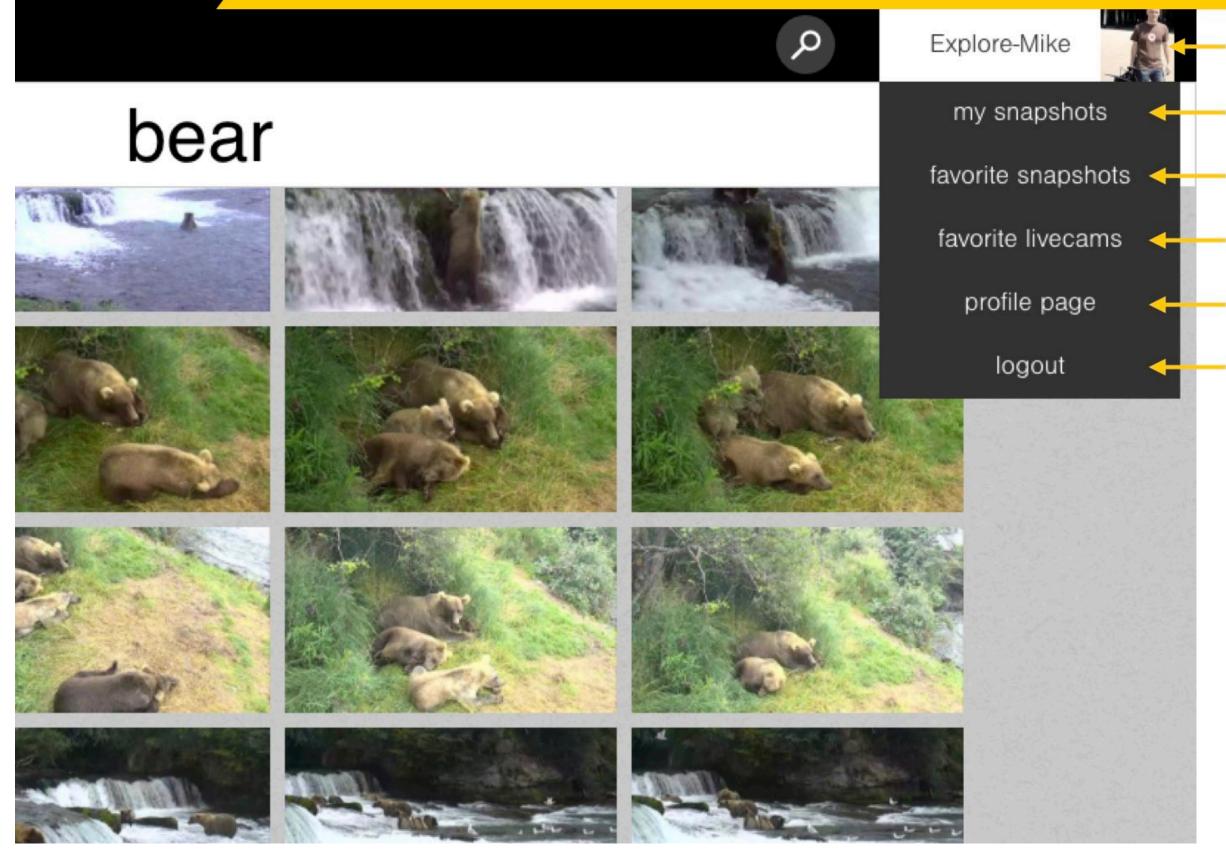
Member Name Member Avatar Image Date Joined Total Snapshots Taken

#### **SNAPSHOTS**

Image

explore

### Website Header / Member Drop Down



Member name and avatar image
Click to activate the drop down menu

My snapshots
Click to visit your snapshots section

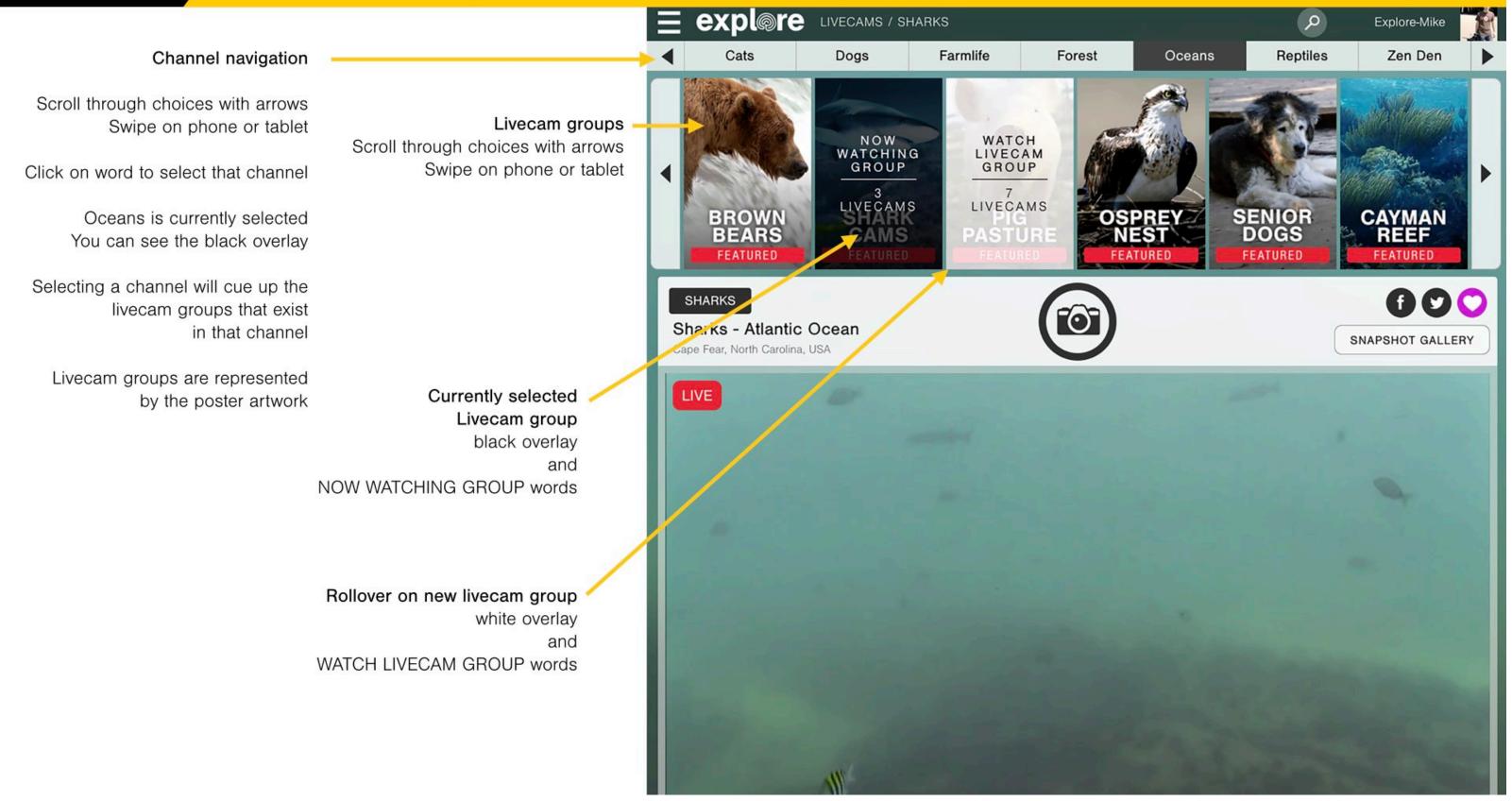
Favorite snapshots
Click to visit your favorite snapshots

Favorite livecams
Click to watch your favorite livecams

Profile page Click to visit your profile page

Logout Click to logout from the website

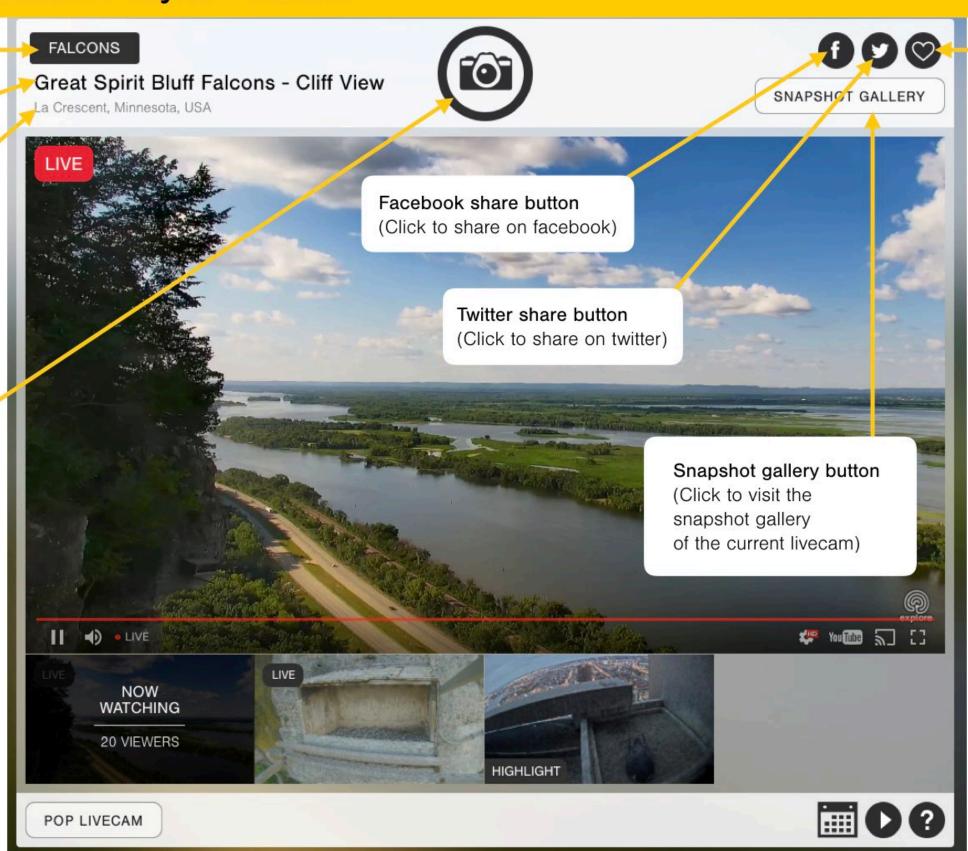
## explore Channel Navigation & Livecam Groups



# explore Livecam Player / Header

Livecam group Livecam name Livecam location

Snapshot button Click to take a snapshot of the current moment of the livecam



Favorite livecam button

Click to save livecam to your favorites

Turns purple when saved as a favorite



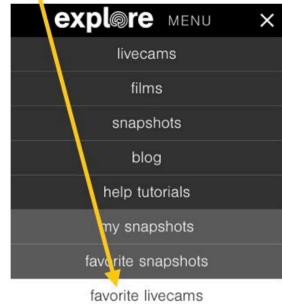
To watch your favorite livecams

Click the navigation menu

3 line icon in the upper left corner of the website



Click favorite livecams



profile page

logout

### **EXPLORE** Livecam Player / Header / Take Snapshot

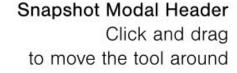
explore LIVECAMS / BROWN BEARS

BROWN BEARS

Brooks Falls Brown Bea

SNAPSHOT TOOL

comment about the photo



#### Back arrow

Go back through snapshots in 1 second increments

Find the perfect image to save

You can go back as far as you want

#### Reshoot snapshot

Click to reshoot a new snapshot from the current moment

#### Comment / Description

Type in a description or comment into this box to save with image

#### Send to comments

Click to send the image and type to the current comment thread

### Share on Facebook Click to share on Facebook

Share on Twitter Click to share on Facebook

#### Share on Pinterest Click to share on Pinterest

SNAPSHOT GAL

Share via email

Click to share within email

#### Close Modal X

Click to close the snapshot tool

#### Forward Arrow

Go forward through snapshots in 1 second increments

Find the perfect image to save

#### +1 Icon

The number of seconds To the right you have clicked to access a new image

This shows up on the left side as a negative number when you are clicking to the left

#### Visit your snapshot gallery Click to go to your snapshots

#### **Download Snapshot**

Click to go open the image In a new window

You then can save the image to your computer

Livecam status

Hide other cams Click to hide/show

the other livecams in the

current livecam group

Not needed for speed

if you don't want to see

the other livecams

Video Volume

video volume

Pause Feed

Live icon

Click to pause

the live stream

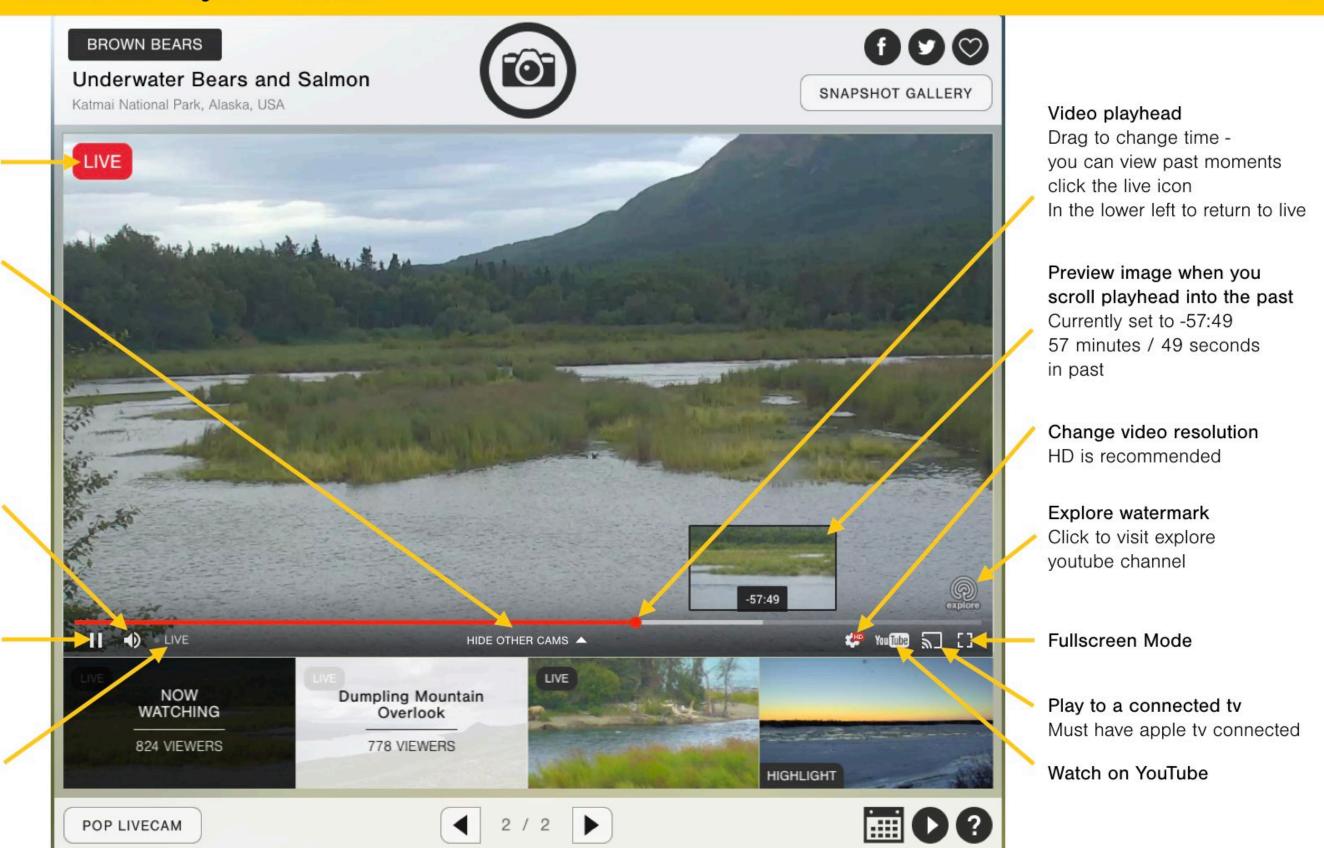
Click to jump to live

part of the video timeline

Click to adjust the

just for cleaning up the view

# explore Livecam Player / Video



# explore Livecam Player / Livecam Previews

Livecam Previews update every 5-10 seconds

> You no longer need to hide these feeds if your computer is slow.

They will work painlessly on slow internet connections

#### Now watching

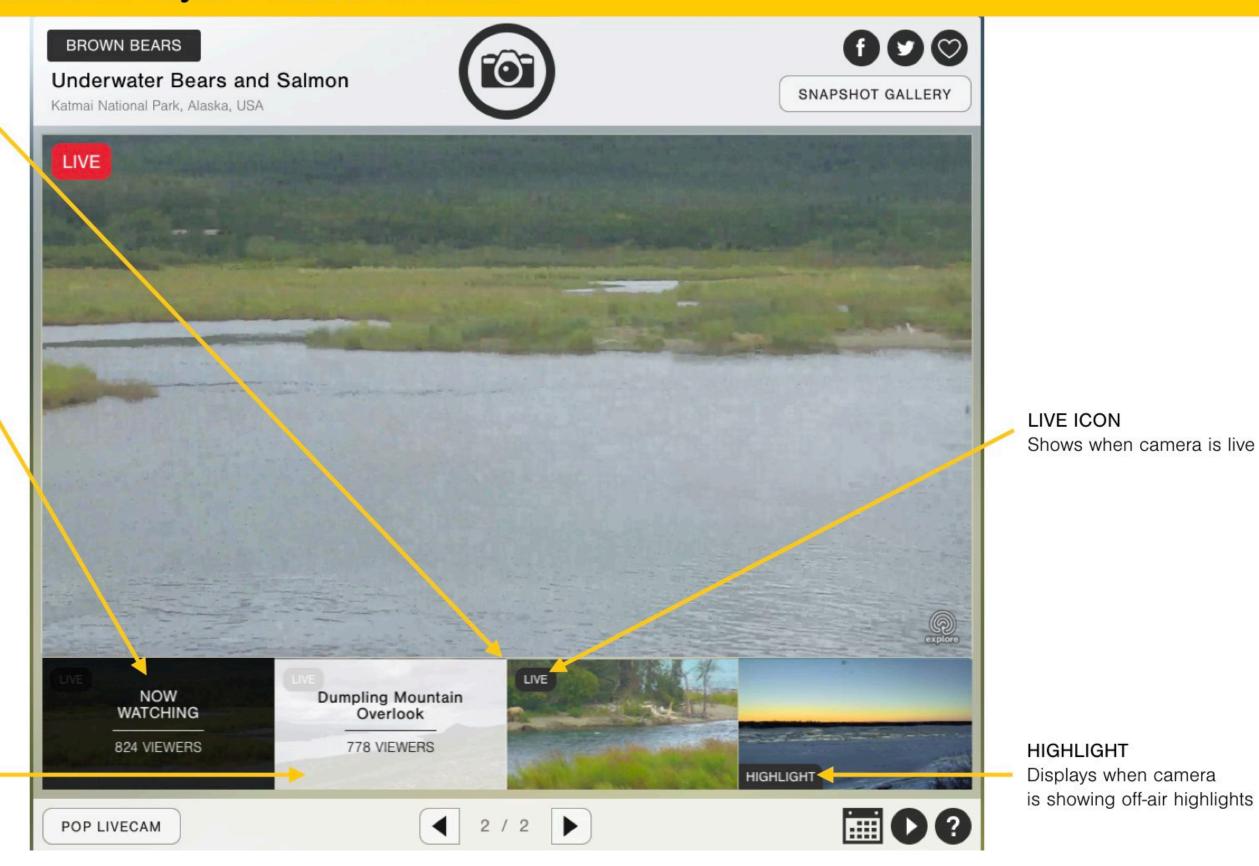
The one with black overlay

This is the current livecam playing in the player

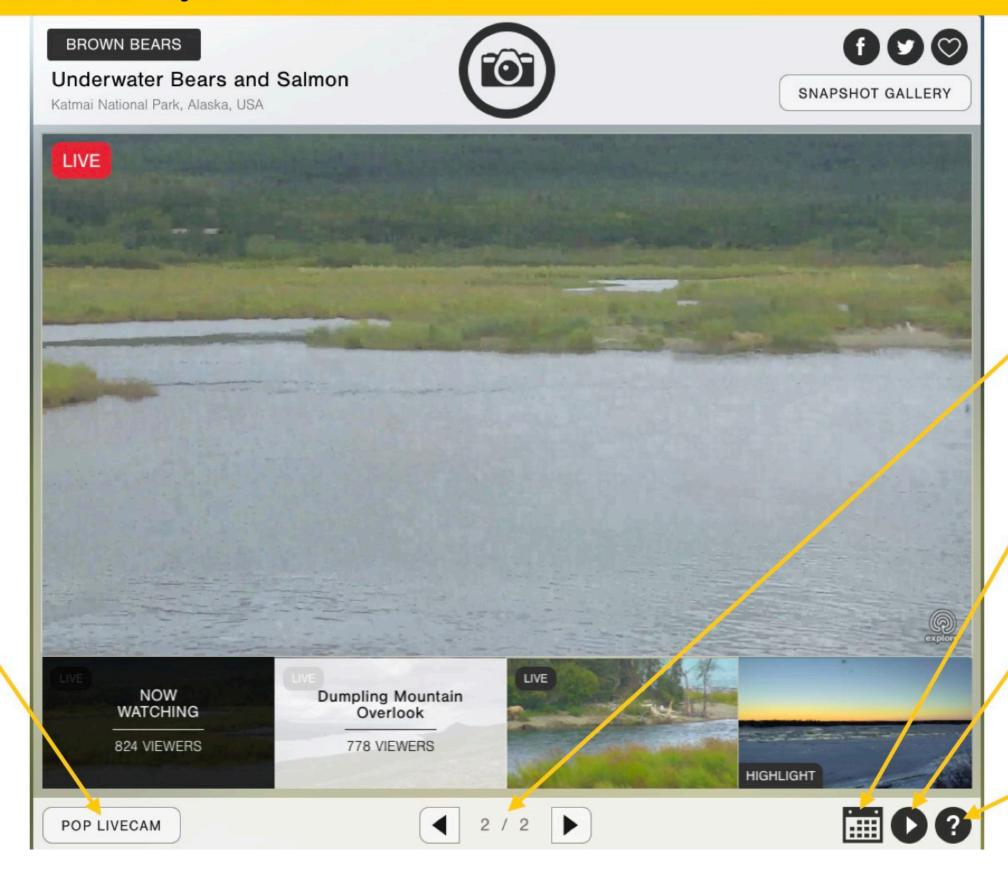
This shows current Number of viewers on cam

Selecting another cam Rollover and click a thumb White overlay happens

Rollover will display the livecam name and current number of viewers



# explore Livecam Player / Footer



#### **Paging Controls**

Control which group of 4 livecams you are previewing Use arrows to move or Swipe on mobile / tablet

#### Explore calendar of events

Click to jump to the calendar of events widget in the information column

#### Related videos

Click to jump to the related videos widget in the information column

#### Help Tutorials

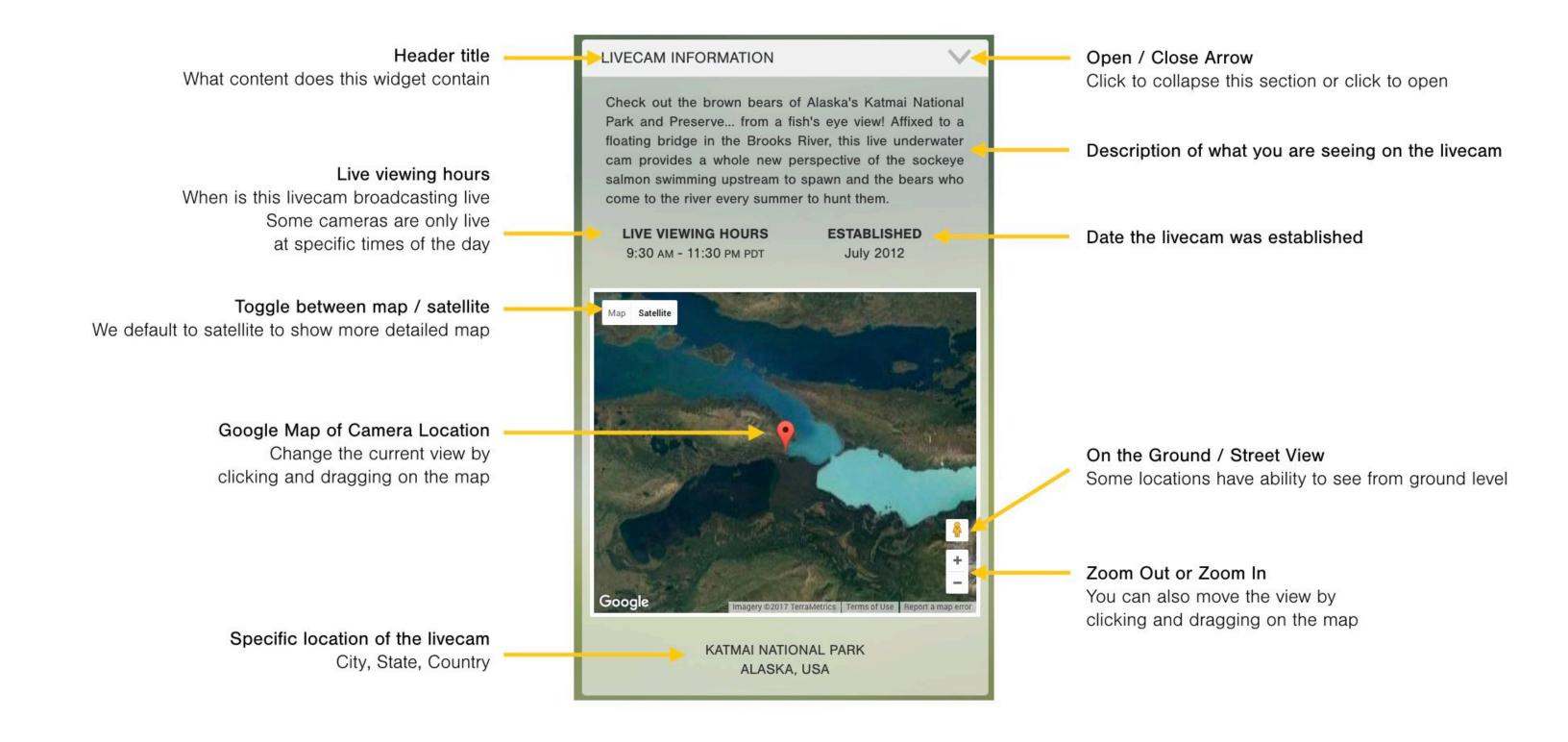
Click to visit the tutorial page

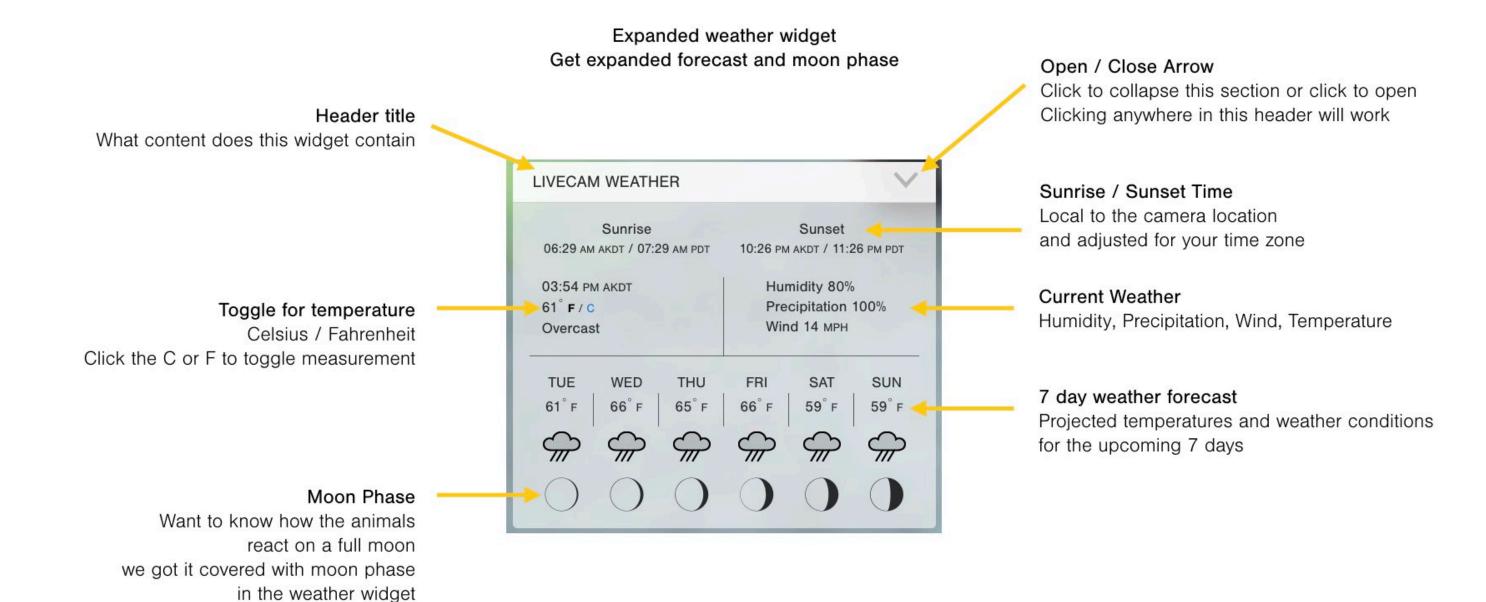
#### Pop livecam Click to open

the current livecam in new web browser window

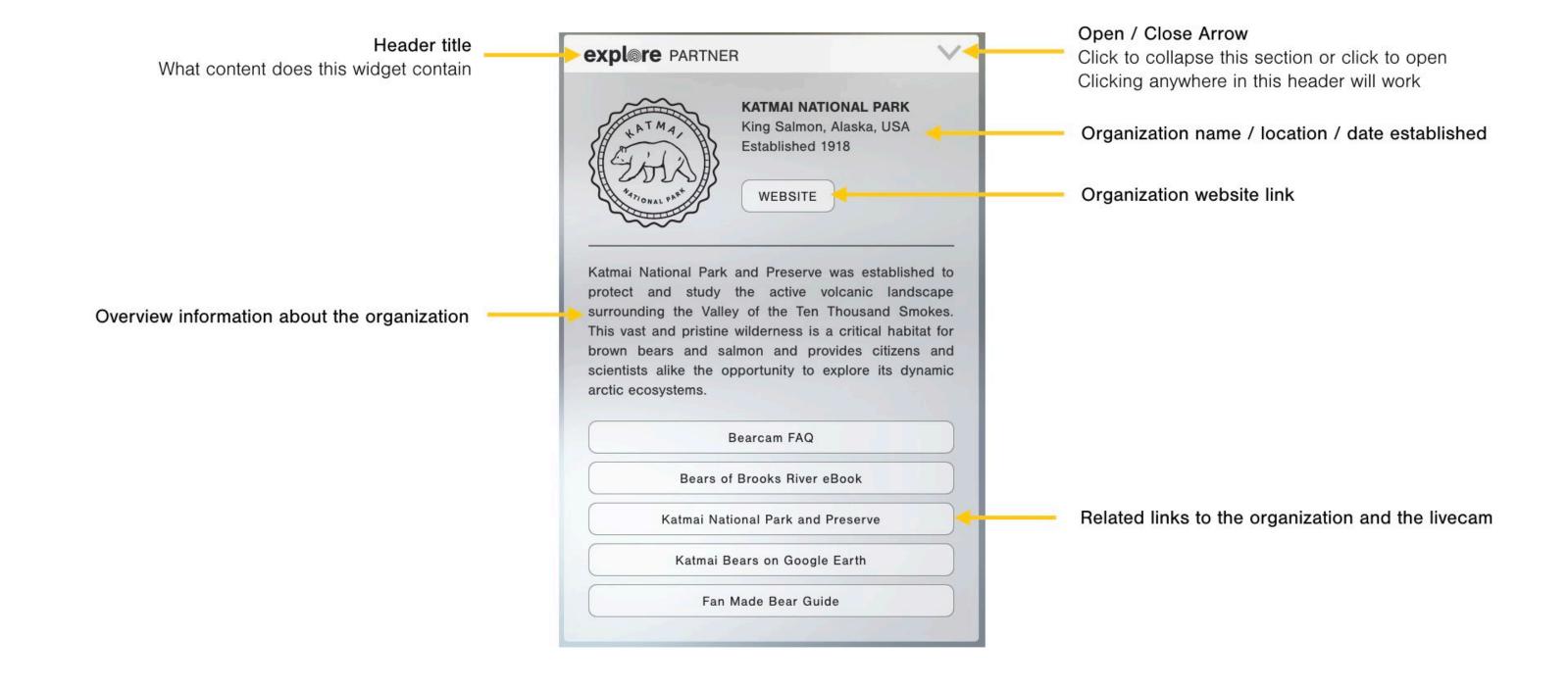
This new window can be moved and resized as you like.

## explare Information Column / Livecam Information



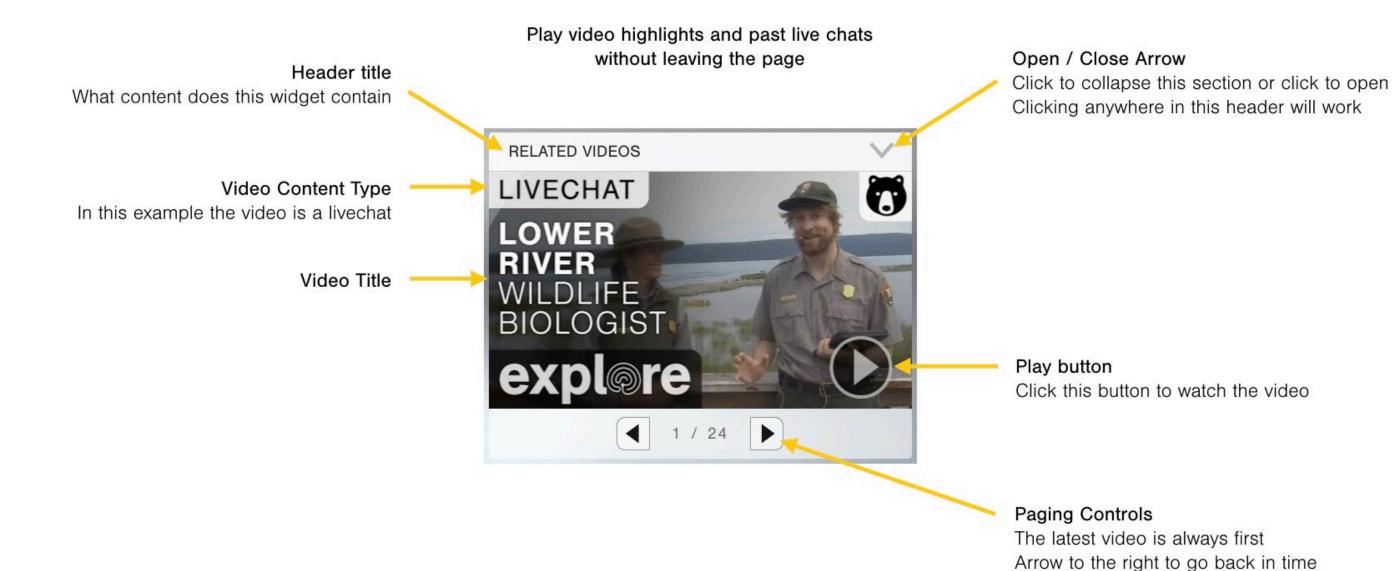


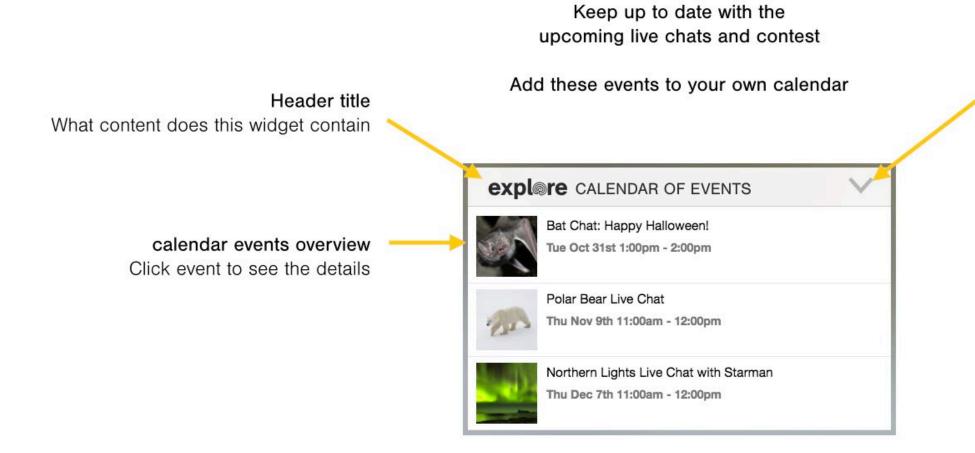




Use arrows to find the video you want to play

or Swipe on mobile / tablet





#### Open / Close Arrow

Click to collapse this section or click to open Clicking anywhere in this header will work



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### **Paging Controls**

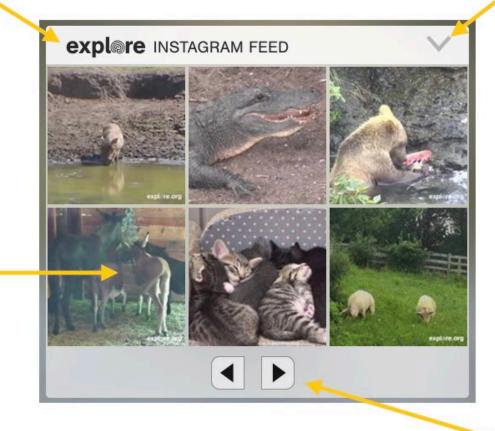
The latest blog post is always first Arrow to the right to go back in time Use arrows to find the blog you want to read or Swipe on mobile / tablet

# explore Information Column / Explore Instagram Feed

Are you on instagram? Don't worry, we show you the latest posts without even joining instagram!

Header title What content does this widget contain

Instagram Post Click to open the post on instagram



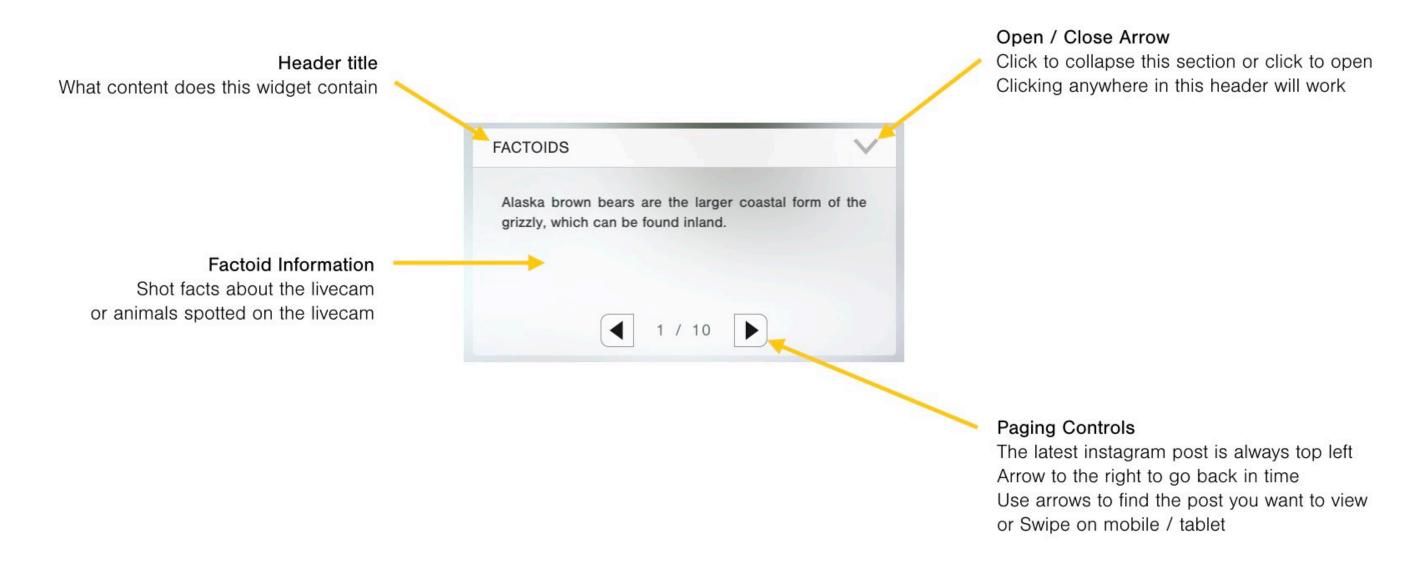
#### Open / Close Arrow

Click to collapse this section or click to open Clicking anywhere in this header will work

#### **Paging Controls**

The latest instagram post is always top left Arrow to the right to go back in time Use arrows to find the post you want to view or Swipe on mobile / tablet

#### Nothing like some useful factoids to fill your mind



### **explore** Information Column / Animal & Livecam Information

#### Header title

What content does this widget contain

#### Question / Answer Information

Common questions about the livecam or animals spotted on the cam Answered

#### BROWN BEAR INFORMATION

#### When will I see the most bears?

The most activity on the bear cams here in Katmai National Park and Preserve happens in July and September. Bears seek out the places where they can get the most fish with the least amount of energy, and the location of these places shift throughout the summer. In July and September, Brooks River has a high overall density of fish, but in August, smaller streams in the area tend to have more salmon, so bears will follow them there.

#### Where is the bear cam located?

This live bear cam overlooks Brooks Falls on the Brooks River, located in Alaska's stunning Katmai National Park and Preserve.

#### Why do bears come to this particular place?

After the bears of Katmai emerge from hibernation in the spring, they descend on a mile-long stretch of the Brooks River, where sockeye salmon are migrating upstream to spawn.

The waterfalls in this cam create a temporary barrier for salmon as they swim, making it an ideal fishing spot for hungry brown bears.

#### Are brown bears and grizzly bears the same species?

Technically, yes. Grizzly bears are considered to be a subspecies, but the differences between the two are arbitrary; "grizzly bear" is often used to refer to bears further inland, while "brown bears" have access to coastal areas. As a result of their locations, brown bears tend to eat more fish than grizzly bears and are often slightly larger.

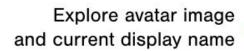
#### Where else do brown bears live?

Brown bears are the most widely distributed bears in the world, found in the forests, mountains, and coastal areas of the northern part of North America, Europe, and Asia.

#### Open / Close Arrow

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## Member Profile Page



### Member statistics Date joined

Date last visited site
Total snapshots taken

#### Favorite livecams

Click to watch the member's Favorite livecams

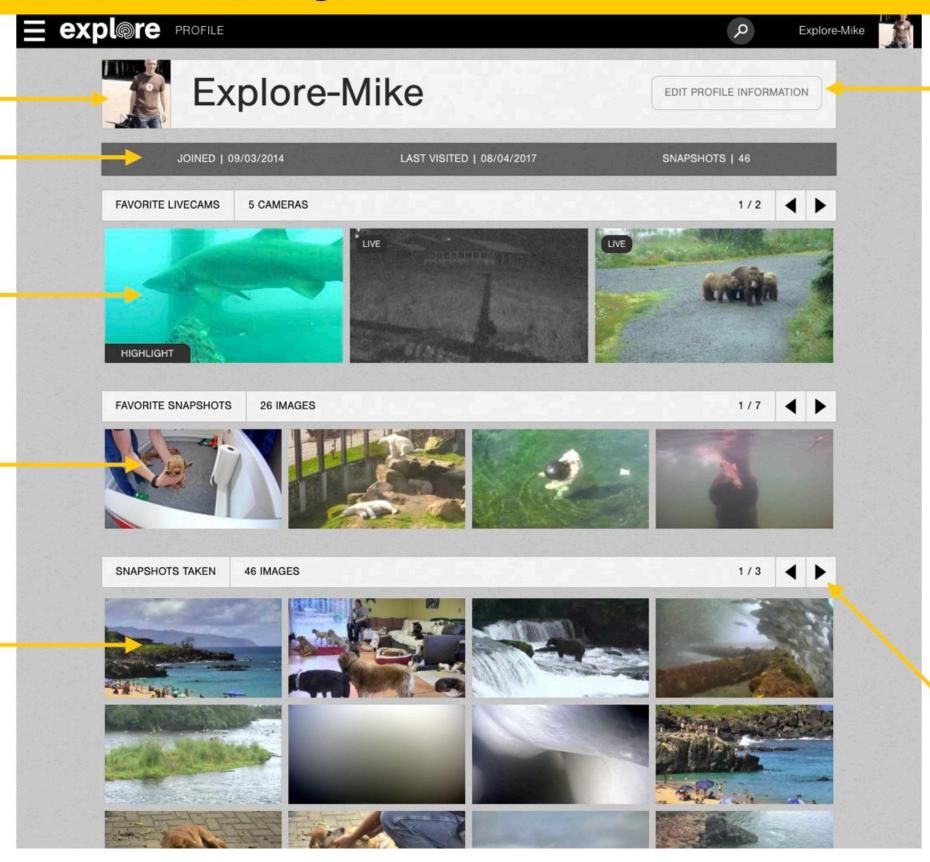
#### Favorite snapshots

Click to view the member's Favorite snapshots

#### Snapshots taken

Click to view snapshots taken by the member

You can find member profile pages by using search



## Edit profile information Only shows on your profile page

Click to edit your information:

Avatar Image

First Name

Last Name

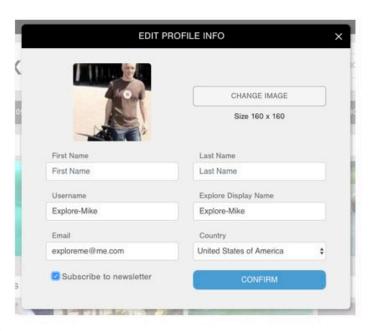
User Name (can not change)

Explore Display Name

**Email Address** 

Country

Subscribe to the Newsletter



#### **Paging Controls**

Arrow to the right to go back in time Use arrows to scroll through images or Swipe on mobile / tablet

Subscribe

Enter your email address

Then click the subscribe button

Recent Daily Dose GIFS

clicking the share icon In the lower right corner

Newsletter

Link in the footer

which takes you to the

newsletter subscribe page

You can share the latest GIFs by rolling over them and then

## explore Subscribe to the Newsletter

