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2023/2024 Tour Catalogue

Celebrating our 38th Year in Business
Welcome back, It's been too long!



2023/2024

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Welcome Back. It has been too long!

Hamilton Tours Ltd. was established on November 2, 1985 and has become known for its personalized service. We offer a full range of tour options, from a one day outing to a multi day motor coach tour and various fly/drive programs across North America and around the World. We offer our customers the confidence of traveling with a TICO licensed tour company. We are unique because we as the owners plan, develop and tour guide at least 90% of our tours. We are definitely hands on. Our fly/drive programs have a smaller passenger size of 24 to 34 passengers maximum.

Regarding Covid Vaccinations – at the time of printing, March 2023 – we are still required to show proof of full vaccination status for international land & flight travel. It is best to always carry this information with you, as we know how quickly Travel Regulations can change.

You can contact us at our email address: **info@hamiltontoursltd.com** or follow us on web site www.hamiltontoursltd.com . If you are on Facebook or Instagram - Why not “LIKE US” ? **Be sure to search Hamilton Tours Ltd of Bradford, Ontario**

In addition, we send out a monthly E-Newsletter that outlines the latest travel requirements and our newest trips that have just been added.

If you have moved in the past year, please be sure we have your new mailing address. If you would like to receive your receipts by email, please send us an email at info@hamiltontoursltd.com or call 1-800-584-4941 to keep our records current.

We have decided to continue the practice of closing our office on the Friday of a Long Weekend.

Victoria Day Wkd.	Closed Fri., May 19 to Mon., May 22	Reopen on Tues., May 23
Canada Day Wkd	Closed Fri., June 30 to Mon., July 3	Reopen on Tues., July 4
Civic Holiday Wkd.	Closed Fri., Aug. 4 to Mon., Aug 7	Reopen on Tues., Aug. 8
Labour Day Wkd.	Closed Fri., Sept. 1 to Mon. Sept. 4	Reopen on Tues., Sept. 5
Thanksgiving Wkd.	Closed Fri., Oct. 6 to Mon. Oct. 9	Reopen on Tues., Oct. 10

We look forward to sharing with you new adventures and destinations in the coming year.

Thank you for your continued support.

Sincerely,

Susanne Hamilton & Julie Blythe

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Wed., April 5: *Hamilton: The Musical at the Princess of Wales Theatre, Toronto* ** 4 tickets left

Hamilton is the story of America's Founding Father Alexander Hamilton, an immigrant from the West Indies who became George Washington's right-hand man during the Revolutionary War and was the new nation's first Treasury Secretary. Featuring a score that blends hip-hop, jazz, blues, rap, R&B, and Broadway, Hamilton is the story of America then, as told by America now. With book, music and lyrics by Lin-Manuel Miranda, direction by Thomas Kail, choreography by Andy Blankenbuehler and musical supervision and orchestrations by Alex Lacamoire.



Includes: motor coach transportation, lunch at the “HotHouse Restaurant”, 1:30p.m. performance, Orchestra level seating in rows K, L, M & N and light refreshments enroute home.

Tour departs: Orillia, behind Zehrs at 8:30a.m., Barrie, Bayfield Mall behind Canadian Tire Store at 9:00a.m. & Tour Office at 9:30a.m.

Cost: \$333.00 (includes HST)

Tues., May 2: *Niagara Fallsview Casino*

Includes: a 4 hour (11:45a.m. to 3:45p.m.) stay at the Casino & \$35.00 in slot play (no meals)

Tour departs: Orillia, behind Zehrs at 8:00a.m., Barrie, Bayfield Mall behind Canadian Tire Store at 8:30a.m. & Tour Office at 9:00a.m.

Cost: \$75.00 (includes HST)



Thurs., May 4: *Tiptoe Through the Tulips in Niagara Region*

Our first stop today is The Watering Can Flower Market, a European inspired shop bursting with plants and flowers. Enjoy a Garden Tea for lunch amidst the Tropical Oasis of their spacious indoor greenhouse.

This afternoon we visit the award-winning 13th Street Winery and enjoy a wine tasting as well as time to explore the beautiful grounds, sculptures and the art gallery. Shop at the bakery known to feature Canada's Best Butter Tart by House & Home. This afternoon we enjoy a walk amongst the 2 million tulips and pick a bunch to take home.

Includes: Garden Tea for Lunch, Wine Tasting, Tulip farm visit & Bouquet of Tulips.

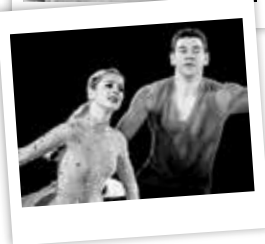
Tour departs: Barrie, Bayfield Mall behind the Canadian Tire Store at 8:30a.m. & Tour Office at 9:00a.m.

Cost: \$179.00 (includes HST)



**Sat., May 6: Stars on Ice 2023
at First Ontario Centre, Hamilton**

The 2023 Stars on Ice tour will boast three of the greatest male figure skaters Canada has ever produced. Returning to the tour after four years will be Olympic Gold Medalist and World and National Champion, Patrick Chan. He will be joined by skating icons Kurt Browning and Elvis Stojko, and an international cast featuring the top competitive Dance and Pair teams in the world. Canada's reigning Dance Champions and World Bronze medalists Piper Gilles & Paul Poirier and Olympic Medalists and World Pair Champions Alexa Knierim & Brandon Frazier will perform with Olympic and World Medalists Madison Chock & Evan Bates, Satoko Miyara, Jason Brown and more!



Includes: an evening buffet dinner at the "Mandarin" followed by wonderful seating for the 7:30p.m. performance in section 110, rows 12 to 16.

Tour departs: Orillia, behind Zehrs at 2:30p.m., Barrie, Bayfield Mall behind Canadian Tire Store at 3:00p.m. & Tour Office at 3:30p.m

Cost: \$177.00 (includes HST)

Wed., May 10: *Hamilton: The Musical* at the Princess of Wales Theatre, Toronto

Hamilton is the story of America's Founding Father Alexander Hamilton, an immigrant from the West Indies who became George Washington's right-hand man during the Revolutionary War and was the new nation's first Treasury Secretary. Featuring a score that blends hip-hop, jazz, blues, rap, R&B, and Broadway, Hamilton is the story of America then, as told by America now. With book, music and lyrics by Lin-Manuel Miranda, direction by Thomas Kail, choreography by Andy Blankenbuehler and musical supervision and orchestrations by Alex Lacamoire.



Includes: motor coach transportation, dinner at the “HotHouse Restaurant”, 7:30p.m. performance, Orchestra level seating in rows K, L, M & N and light refreshments enroute home.

Tour departs: Orillia, behind Zehrs at 1:30p.m., Barrie, Bayfield Mall behind Canadian Tire Store at 2:00p.m. & Tour Office at 2:30p.m.

Cost: \$342.00 (includes HST)

Wed., May 17: *Spring Mystery Tour*

Everyone enjoys a great Mystery, a sense of adventure, the unknown. Why not join us for a great day away!

Includes: lunch and mystery activities.

Activity level: moderate

Tour departs: Barrie, Bayfield Mall behind Canadian Tire Store at 9:00a.m. & Tour Office at 9:30a.m.

Cost: \$194.00 (includes HST)



Wed., May 17: *Gypsy* at the Shaw Festival Theatre, Niagara-on the-Lake

Gypsy Rose Lee was the world's most famous striptease artist; Momma Rose the ultimate stage mother. Follow their extraordinary story in Stephen Sondheim's timeless musical about sex, power and longing. With legendary songs, including “Let Me Entertain You” and “Everything's Coming up Roses,” Gypsy remains the greatest American musical.

Includes: luncheon at “Prince of Wales Restaurant”, followed by the 2:00p.m. performance, orchestra seating.

Tour departs: Barrie, Bayfield Mall behind Canadian Tire Store at 8:00a.m. & Tour Office at 8:30a.m.

Cost: \$221.00 (includes HST)



Tues., May 30: *There's a stunning new way to view Niagara Falls, Ontario*

The grandeur of Niagara Falls keeps tourists seeking new and better views of this natural wonder. The newest view in town may also be the most fascinating. It is found at a decommissioned hydropower station that for 100 years generated electricity for several Canadian cities. We will have a guided tour, starting with a 180-foot descent underground in a glass-enclosed elevator. As the car glides downward, you can see level after level of infrastructure and equipment go by. Once at the bottom, you'll start your walk through the 2,200 foot tunnel with upgrades like a smooth concrete floor, good lighting and interesting exhibits along the way. Now you can walk through the tunnel that once carried water from the plant back into the Niagara River, bringing you to a viewing platform only 100 yards from the bottom of Horseshoe Falls. That puts you within mist range: no worries, rain ponchos are provided.

Includes: lunch overlooking the falls at “Table Rock House Restaurant”, guided tour of the hydropower station & driving tour of the Falls via Niagara-on-the-Lake with a stop at Picard Peanuts.

Tour departs: Barrie, Bayfield Mall behind Canadian Tire Store at 8:30a.m. & Tour Office at 9:00a.m.

Cost: \$156.00 (includes HST)



Thurs., June 1: *St. Jacobs Day Tour*

Includes: a visit to the Market & Outlet Mall, lunch on your own at the Market, free time in the Village with stops at The Poultry Place & Picard Peanuts. You are welcome to bring a cooler or container to place under the coach in which to keep your purchases. An early evening dinner at “Bonnie Lou’s Restaurant” completes our day.

Tour departs: Barrie, Bayfield Mall behind Canadian Tire Store at 8:30a.m. & Tour Office at 9:00a.m.

Cost: \$100.00 (includes HST)



Thurs., June 8: *Beautiful: The Carole King Musical* at the Hamilton Theatre, Cambridge

She made more than beautiful music; she wrote the soundtrack to a generation. Join us as the inspiring true story of Carole King’s remarkable journey from teenage songwriter to the Rock & Roll Hall of Fame is chronicled in this Tony® and Grammy® Award-winning jukebox musical. From the chart-topping hits she wrote for the biggest acts in music to her own life-changing, trailblazing success with Tapestry, this production takes you back to where it all began ... and then takes you on the ride of a lifetime. Featuring such unforgettable classics as “You’ve Got a Friend”, “One Fine Day”, “So Far Away”, “Take Good Care of My Baby”, “Up on the Roof”, “You’ve Lost That Lovin’ Feeling”, “Will You Love Me Tomorrow”, and “Natural Woman”, this musical phenomenon is filled with all the songs you remember: and a story you’ll never forget.

Includes: visit to Reid’s Chocolates, noon luncheon at “Cambridge Hotel” followed by the 2:00p.m. performance

Tour departs: Barrie, Bayfield Mall behind Canadian Tire Store at 8:30a.m. & Tour Office at 9:00a.m.

Cost: \$160.00 (includes HST)



Thurs., June 8: *Niagara Fallsview Casino*

Includes: a 4 hour (11:45a.m. to 3:45p.m.) stay at the Casino & \$35.00 in slot play (no meals)

Tour departs: Orillia, behind Zehrs at 8:00a.m., Barrie, Bayfield Mall behind Canadian Tire Store at 8:30a.m. & Tour Office at 9:00a.m.

Cost: \$75.00 (includes HST)

Tues., June 13: *Four by Four: A musical Tribute to The Beach Boys, The Beatles, The Bee-Gees & Motown: direct from Las Vegas at the Walters Music Venue*

Direct from Las Vegas, this exciting show celebrates the music of the Beach Boys, The Beatles, The Bee Gees and Motown all in one show! The stellar performers in FOUR BY FOUR sing, and dance to the hit songs of these pop icons in fully choreographed musical numbers, Informative yet often humorous banter ties all of this extraordinary music together.



Includes: buffet lunch at “Quehl’s Restaurant” in Tavistock, followed by the entertainment program at the Walter’s Family Music Venue near Bright, Ontario.

Tour departs: Orillia, behind Zehrs at 8:30a.m, Barrie, Bayfield Mall behind Canadian Tire Store at 9:00a.m. & Tour Office at 9:30a.m.

Cost: \$173.00 (includes HST)

Wed., June 14: *The Ballad of Stompin’ Tom at the Capitol Theatre, Port Hope*

The songs and stories that celebrate a Canadian icon. Canadian Legend Stompin’ Tom grew up in an orphanage, travelled throughout Northern Ontario playing the bar circuit, and faced naysayers of all sorts, but he eventually found his success in telling the stories of our country. His captivating story is told through this unique tribute to “The Man of the Land” and a true icon in Canadian music. Featuring his greatest hits, such as Bud the Spud, Tillsonburg, Sudbury



Saturday Night, and of course, The Hockey Song.

Includes: noon luncheon at “Ganaraska Brewing Company” followed by the 2:00p.m. performance.

Tour departs: Barrie, Bayfield Mall behind Canadian Tire Store at 8:45a.m., Barrie, Tollendale Village at 9:00a.m. & Tour Office at 9:30a.m.

Cost: \$160.00 (includes HST)

Thurs., June 15: *Famous People Players present a new musical, “Rock this City! with Fun & Laughter!”*

Bringing magic back to Toronto Theatre! Famous People Players is a Black Light puppetry theatre and is a not-for-profit organization. It employs people with Physical and Intellectual challenges in theatrical and visual arts performances as well as the dining room management duties.



Includes: a noon 3 course dinner and the afternoon show, followed by a visit to the Cheese Boutique. A long-time shop offering a vast, global array of gourmet cheeses & meats, bakery items plus pre-made dishes to go.

Tour departs: Barrie, Bayfield Mall behind Canadian Tire Store at 10:00a.m., Barrie, 94 Dean Ave at 10:20a.m. & Tour Office at 11:00a.m.

Cost: \$144.00 (includes HST)

Tues., June 20: *Grand River Cruise, Caledonia*

Since 1978, Grand River Cruises has been offering a unique and unforgettable dining experience in Southern Ontario. Family owned and operated.

Includes: coffee and muffins served upon arrival, Live Music presentation featuring “The Blazing Fiddles” followed by the 2 hour luncheon cruise (roast beef dinner) on the Grand River. Fresh baked goods and crafts are available to purchase upon return to the dock.



Tour departs: Barrie, Bayfield Mall behind Canadian Tire Store at 8:30a.m. & Tour Office at 9:00a.m.

Cost: \$157.00 (includes HST)

Wed., July 12: *Niagara Fallsview Casino*

Includes: a 4 hour (11:45a.m. to 3:45p.m.) stay at the Casino & \$35.00 in slot play (no meals)

Tour departs: Orillia, behind Zehrs at 8:00a.m., Barrie, Bayfield Mall behind Canadian Tire Store at 8:30a.m.

& Tour Office at 9:00a.m.

Cost: \$75.00 (includes HST)



Tues., July 18: *Blue Jays vs San Diego Padres of the American*

League: 7:07p.m. game time: Section 129R

Includes: tickets in section 129R, rows 22 to 25 (third base outfield), motor coach transportation to the game and parking at the Rogers Centre. (Meals are at the individual's own expense) The Blue Jays organization have gone back to their original program and will be issuing us physical game day tickets. We will distribute the tickets on the coach that day.

Tour departs: Stayner Arena at 3:15p.m. (with a minimum of 10 passengers), Barrie, Bayfield Mall behind Canadian Tire Store at 4:00p.m. & Tour Office at 4:30p.m.

Cost: \$144.00 (includes HST)

Thurs., July 20: *Little Canada & Toronto Guided Tour*

Little Canada is a celebration of all things Canada. It's a unique journey of discovery through the sights and sounds of our great country in miniature scale. A unique Toronto attraction that will unleash your childlike sense of wonder, discovery, and curiosity. Voted Ontario's top indoor attraction in 2022. Lunch will be served at "The Old Spaghetti Factory" a Toronto landmark located on the Esplanade. In the afternoon we will enjoy a guided Toronto city tour with Bruce Bell a noted writer & historian.



Includes: visit to Little Canada attraction, lunch at "The Old Spaghetti Factory" followed by a guided city tour

Tour departs: Barrie, Bayfield Mall behind Canadian Tire Store at 8:00a.m. & Tour Office at 8:30a.m.

Cost: \$140.00 (includes HST)

Tues., August 1: *Summer Mystery Tour*

*Everyone enjoys a great Mystery,
a sense of adventure, the unknown.*

Why not join us for a great day away!

Includes: lunch and mystery activities.

Activity level: moderate

Tour departs: Tour Office at 8:00a.m.
& Barrie, Bayfield Mall behind Canadian
Tire Store at 8:30a.m.

Cost: \$173.00 (includes HST)



Wed., August 2: *Niagara Fallsvie Casino*

Includes: a 4 hour (11:45a.m. to 3:45p.m.) stay at the Casino
& \$35.00 in slot play (no meals)

Tour departs: Orillia, behind Zehrs at 8:00a.m., Barrie, Bayfield Mall
behind Canadian Tire Store at 8:30a.m. & Tour Office at 9:00a.m.

Cost: \$75.00 (includes HST)

Sat., August 12: *Peach Festival, Niagara-on-the-Lake*

*Join us for the 33rd Annual Peach
Festival on Queen St., in Niagara-on-
the-Lake. In celebration of the local
peach harvest, throughout the day
enjoy live music and entertainment.
The festival will feature a sidewalk sale
of the merchants along the Main Street.*

Includes: free time to stroll the
beautiful Main Street, a visit to Picard
Peanuts & enjoy dinner at “Betty’s
Restaurant” in Chippewa.

Tour departs: Barrie, Bayfield Mall behind
Canadian Tire Store at 8:00a.m. & Tour
Office at 8:30a.m.

Cost: \$112.00 (includes HST)



Kinky Boots

Tues., August 15: *Kinky Boots* at the Hamilton Theatre, Cambridge

“Step into a dream where glamour is extreme” with the international smash-hit musical Kinky Boots! Winner of six Tony® Awards, London’s Olivier Award, and a Grammy®, this huge-hearted, high-heeled hit features a sensational score by pop icon Cyndi Lauper. Based on a true story, this uplifting mega-musical chronicles the story of Charlie Price, who is struggling to save the men’s shoe factory inherited from his father in Northampton, England. When all seems lost, a chance encounter with the dazzling drag queen Lola spurs an outrageous idea for creating “women’s boots for women who are men.” With a little compassion and a lot of understanding, this unexpected pair eventually embrace their differences and outfit themselves for success by creating a sparkling line of sturdy stilettos unlike any the world has ever seen.

Includes: visit to Reid’s Chocolates, noon luncheon at “Cambridge Hotel” followed by the 2:00p.m. performance.

Tour departs: Barrie, Bayfield Mall behind Canadian Tire Store at 8:30a.m. & Tour Office at 9:00a.m.

Cost: \$165.00 (includes HST)

Thurs., August 17: *Twitty & Lynn: a salute to Conway & Loretta* starring their grandchildren Tre Twitty & Tayla Lynn at the Walters Music Venue

Conway’s grandson Tre, and Loretta’s granddaughter, Tayla, honour their grandparents legacy in this outstanding production! Conway Twitty and Loretta Lynn are truly two of the greatest Country Music Legends of our time and there is no



one better to perform their songs than their own grandchildren! Both Tre Twitty and Tayla Lynn recently graced the stage of the Grand Ole Opry and will perform many of the chart-topping songs that their grandparents made famous! Direct from Nashville.

Includes: buffet lunch at “Quehl’s Restaurant” in Tavistock, followed by the entertainment program at the Walter’s Family Music Venue near Bright, Ontario.

Tour departs: Orillia, behind Zehrs at 8:30a.m, Barrie, Bayfield Mall behind Canadian Tire Store at 9:00a.m. & Tour Office at 9:30a.m.

Cost: \$173.00 (includes HST)

Tues., September 5: *The Fitzgeralds: Fiddling & Step Dancing Sensation at the Walters Music Venue*

Meet The Fitzgeralds - a family group consisting of fiddling and step dancing sensations. These siblings, from Canada’s renowned Ottawa Valley, have come a long way from their small-town roots to become world-renowned fiddling and step dancing champions! You

will be amazed with their high-energy fiddling and mind-blowing step dancing.

Includes: buffet lunch at “Quehl’s Restaurant” in Tavistock, followed by the entertainment program at the Walter’s Family Music Venue near Bright, Ontario.

Tour departs: Orillia, behind Zehrs at 8:30a.m, Barrie, Bayfield Mall behind Canadian Tire Store at 9:00a.m. & Tour Office at 9:30a.m.

Cost: \$173.00 (includes HST)



Thurs., September 7: *King Lear as portrayed by Paul Gross at Stratford Festival Theatre*

Perhaps Shakespeare’s greatest tragedy, King Lear is the story of an aging king, who, in demanding a show of devotion from his three daughters, leaves his kingdom divided, his



Paul Gross of
Due South Fame

family destroyed, the faithful banished and the hateful left to wreak inhuman havoc in the realm.

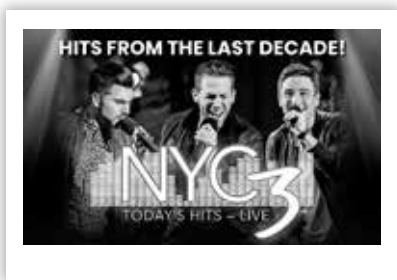
Includes: noon lunch at “The Arden Park Hotel” in Stratford followed by the 2:00p.m. performance, orchestra level seating

Tour departs: Barrie, Bayfield Mall behind Canadian Tire Store at 8:30a.m. & Tour Office at 9:00a.m.

Cost: \$227.00 (includes HST)

Tues., September 12: *NYC3: Hits from the Last Decade: direct from New York City at the Walters Music Venue*

This high energy show features three incredible New York City based vocalists performing hit songs from the last decade. Touring on cruise ships and theatres with their exciting performances, they bring audiences on their feet worldwide! With songs such as “Just the Way You Are”, “I Wanna Dance with Somebody”, and “Hallelujah”, this fun show is just the ticket to put a huge smile on your face! It’s new. It’s now. It’s NYC3!



Includes: buffet lunch at “Quehl’s Restaurant” in Tavistock, followed by the entertainment program at the Walter’s Family Music Venue near Bright, Ontario.

Tour departs: Orillia, behind Zehrs at 8:30a.m, Barrie, Bayfield Mall behind Canadian Tire Store at 9:00a.m. & Tour Office at 9:30a.m.

Cost: \$173.00 (includes HST)

Sun., September 17: *Blue Jays vs Boston Red Sox: 1:37p.m. game time: Section 128L*

Includes: tickets in section 128L, rows 29 to 33 (third base outfield), motor coach transportation to the game and parking at the Rogers Centre. (Meals are at the individual’s own expense) The Blue Jays organization have gone back to their original program and will be issuing us physical game day tickets.



We will distribute the tickets on the coach that day.

Tour departs: Wasaga Beach Rec Plex at 10:15a.m., Barrie, Bayfield Mall behind Canadian Tire Store at 11:00a.m. & Tour Office at 11:30a.m.

Cost: \$170.00 (includes HST)

Wed., September 20: *Niagara Fallsview Casino*

Includes: a 4 hour (11:45a.m. to 3:45p.m.) stay at the Casino & \$35.00 in slot play (no meals)

Tour departs: Wasaga Rec Plex at 7:45a.m. (with a minimum of 10 passengers), Barrie, Bayfield Mall behind Canadian Tire Store at 8:30a.m. & Tour Office at 9:00a.m.

Cost: \$75.00 (includes HST)

Sat., September 30: *Apple Harvest & Craft Show, Meaford*

Includes: Time at the craft show, a driving tour of the Meaford Scarecrow Invasion and a stop at Grandma Lambes for apples and baked goods. An evening dinner at “Mylar and Loreta’s Restaurant” in Singhampton will conclude our day.

Tour departs: Tour Office at 8:00a.m. & Barrie, Bayfield Mall behind Canadian Tire Store at 8:30a.m.

Cost: \$120.00 (includes HST)



Sun., October 1: *Blue Jays vs Tampa Bay Rays: 3:07p.m. game time: Section 128L*

We are being very optimistic and want to invite you to attend the last regular home game of the season before the Blue Jays begin the playoff series.

Includes: tickets in section 128L, rows 28 to 32 (third base outfield), motor coach transportation to the game and parking at the Rogers Centre. (Meals are at the individual’s own expense) The Blue Jays organization have gone back to their original program and will be issuing us physical game day tickets. We will distribute the tickets on the coach that day.



Tour departs: Orillia behind Zehrs at 11:30a.m., Barrie, Bayfield Mall behind Canadian Tire Store at 12noon & Tour Office at 12:30p.m.

Cost: \$170.00 (includes HST)

Wed., October 4: *Island Queen Boat Cruise, Parry Sound*

This is the tour that put the Island Queen Cruise on the map around the world. Get your camera ready as we cruise through the Hole in the Wall, Killbear Provincial Park and Massasauga Provincial Park, through the channels of the outer islands and the Rose Point Swing Bridge. This is definitely a cruise to remember.

Includes: 3 course served luncheon at “The Log Cabin Inn” followed by our 3-hour afternoon cruise.

Tour departs: Tour Office at 8:30a.m. & Barrie, Bayfield Mall behind Canadian Tire Store at 9:00a.m.

Cost: \$165.00 (includes HST)

Wed., October 11: *Oktoberfest Celebration at the Concordia Club, Kitchener*

This year marks their 150th Anniversary

Includes: 3 meat buffet complete with apple strudel, first beer on the house, afternoon entertainment program and a visit to Picard Peanuts in St Jacobs enroute home.

Tour departs: Barrie, Bayfield Mall behind Canadian Tire Store at 8:30a.m.,
Barrie, Tollendale Village at 8:50a.m.
& Tour Office at 9:30a.m.

Cost: \$127.00 (includes HST)



Thurs., October 12: *Fall Mystery Tour*

Everyone enjoys a great Mystery, a sense of adventure, the unknown. Why not join us for a great day away!

Includes: lunch and mystery activities.
Activity level: moderate

Tour departs: Barrie, Bayfield Mall behind Canadian Tire Store at 8:00a.m. & Tour Office at 8:30a.m.

Cost: \$139.00 (includes HST)



Sat., October 21: *St. Jacobs Day Tour*

Includes: a visit to the Market & Outlet Mall, lunch on your own at the Market, free time in the Village with stops at The Poultry Place & Picard Peanuts. You are welcome to bring a cooler or container to place under the coach in which to keep your purchases. An early evening dinner at “Bonnie Lou’s Restaurant” completes our day.

Tour departs: Barrie, Bayfield Mall behind Canadian Tire Store at 8:30a.m. & Tour Office at 9:00a.m

Cost: \$100.00 (includes HST)



Thurs., October 26: *Rent at Stratford Festival Theatre*

Set in Manhattan in the 1990s and inspired by Puccini’s opera La Bohème, this rock musical by Jonathan Larson follows a group of young East Village artists, performers and philosophers as they struggle through the hardships of poverty, societal discord and the AIDS epidemic in the search for life, love and art. With a song list that includes the iconic “Seasons of Love,” Rent tells a story as relevant today as when it took Broadway by storm more than 25 years ago.

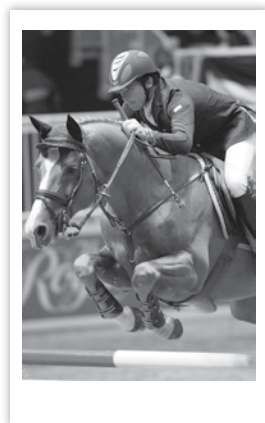
Includes: noon lunch at “Anna Mae’s” Restaurant in Millbank followed by the 2:00p.m. performance, orchestra level seating

Tour departs: Barrie, Bayfield Mall behind Canadian Tire Store at 8:30a.m. & Tour Office at 9:00a.m.

Cost: \$212.00 (includes HST)

Sat., November 11: *Royal Winter Fair Horse Show: 101st Anniversary (Tentative date)*

The Royal Agricultural Winter Fair takes place every November in the City of Toronto. The Royal is the largest combined indoor agricultural fair and international equestrian competition in the world. It is where Canadian and international breeders, growers and exhibitors are declared champions and where hundreds of thousands of attendees come to learn, compete, shop and have a great time with friends and family.



Includes: Free time in the morning at the Royal, followed by top ticket price, reserved seating for the 1:00p.m.

Horse Show. We will stop at the ONroute King City for a short Dinner Break on our way home. (meals at individual's own expense)

Tour departs: Stayner Arena (with a minimum of 10 passengers) at 8:00a.m., Barrie, Bayfield Mall behind Canadian Tire Store at 8:45a.m. & Tour Office at 9:15a.m.

Cost: \$TBC (includes HST)

Wed., November 15: *A Country Christmas with the Walters Family at the Sanderson Centre, Brantford*

Join the thousands of people who make this entertaining show a Christmas Tradition! Family harmonies, humour, fiddle-playing and well-loved Christmas songs make this an enchanting holiday show. Direct from their own dinner theatre in Bright, Ontario, The Walters Family will present a timeless Country Christmas Performance.



Includes: noon luncheon at "Schoolhouse Restaurant" followed by the 2:00p.m. concert.

Tour departs: Barrie, Bayfield Mall behind Canadian Tire Store at 8:30a.m. & Tour Office at 9:00a.m.

Cost: \$176.00 (includes HST)

Thurs., November 23: *Brigadoon at the Shaw Festival Theatre, Niagara-on-the-Lake*

Celebrate the holiday season with the return of one of the most romantic and magical musicals! What would you give up for love? Stumbling upon a magical village that appears out of the Scottish mist for one day every century, Tommy, a modern boy, meets Fiona, a girl from the past. Should he stay with her in Brigadoon, or return to the world he knows and never see her again? This feast of song and dance from Lerner and



Loewe (the team behind My Fair Lady) has been entrancing audiences for more than seven decades. Classic songs like “Almost like being in love” and “I’ll go home with Bonnie Jean” will stay with you forever.

Includes: early buffet luncheon at “Queens Landing Restaurant”, 1:00p.m. performance, orchestra seating and free time on the Main Street following the show.

Tour departs: Barrie, Bayfield Mall behind Canadian Tire Store at 8:00a.m. & Tour Office at 8:30a.m.

Cost: \$221.00 (includes HST)

**Tues., November 28: Niagara Falls
Christmas Lights & Sights**

Perfectly carved during the ice age more than 12,000 years ago. A wonder of the world so spectacular that 14 million people a year come to experience it. The most

enchancing of Niagara Falls attractions, the 40th annual Ontario Power Generation Winter Festival of Lights is Canada’s largest

FREE outdoor light festival. Experience the spectacular displays with 3 million lights along the Niagara Parkway, Dufferin Islands and across Niagara Falls.



Includes: a visit to NEOB Lavender Boutique, evening dinner overlooking the falls at “Table Rock House Restaurant” & driving tour of the Christmas Lights Illumination.

Tour departs: Barrie, Bayfield Mall behind Canadian Tire Store at 12:00p.m. & Tour Office at 12:30p.m.

Cost: \$133.00 (includes HST)



Gift Certificates are Available

for Christmas, Birthdays & Anniversaries

Thurs., December 7: *Famous People Players* present a new musical, *“Winter Wonderland”*

Bringing magic back to Toronto Theatre! Famous People Players is a Black Light puppetry theatre and is a not-for-profit organization. It employs people with Physical and Intellectual challenges in theatrical and visual arts performances as well as the dining room management duties.

Includes: a noon 3 course dinner and the afternoon show, followed by a visit to the Cheese Boutique. A long-time shop offering a vast, global array of gourmet cheeses & meats, bakery items plus pre-made dishes to go.

Tour departs: Stayner Arena at 9:45a.m. (with a minimum of 10 passengers), Barrie, Bayfield Mall behind Canadian Tire Store at 10:30a.m. & Tour Office at 11:00a.m.

Cost: \$144.00 (includes HST)



December: *Christmas Mystery Tour*

Everyone enjoys a great Mystery, a sense of adventure, the unknown. Why not join us for a great day away!

Includes: lunch and mystery activities.
Activity level: moderate

Tour departs: Barrie, Bayfield Mall behind Canadian Tire Store at 8:00a.m. & Tour Office at 8:30a.m.

Cost: \$TBC (includes HST)



December: *Christmas Concert at Roy Thomson Hall, Toronto*

Watch for details.

Includes: lunch and performance.

Tour departs: Barrie, Bayfield Mall behind Canadian Tire Store, Barrie Tollendale Village & Tour Office

Cost: \$TBC (includes HST)

Thurs., December 14: St. Lawrence Market & the Toronto Christmas Market in the Distillery District

A Christmas market is a street market which celebrates the traditional sights, sounds and scents of Christmas and is staged during the weeks leading up to Christmas. These markets originated in Germany, beginning in the early 1400's, and are now being held in countries all over the world.

Includes: shopping and exploring the St. Lawrence Market in the morning, lunch will be enjoyed at the "HotHouse Restaurant" followed by 2 hours at the Toronto Christmas Market.

Tour departs: Stayner Arena at 7:00a.m., Alliston, Gibson Centre at 7:45a.m. & Tour Office at 8:30a.m.

Cost: \$115.00 (includes HST)



Tues., December 19: St. Lawrence Market & the Toronto Christmas Market in the Distillery District

A Christmas market is a street market which celebrates the traditional sights, sounds and scents of Christmas and is staged during the weeks leading up to Christmas. These markets originated in Germany, beginning in the early 1400's, and are now being held in countries all over the world.

Includes: shopping and exploring the St. Lawrence Market in the morning, lunch will be enjoyed at the "HotHouse Restaurant" followed by 2 hours at the Toronto Christmas Market.

Tour departs: Barrie, Bayfield Mall behind Canadian Tire Store at 8:00a.m. & Tour Office at 8:30a.m.

Cost: \$115.00 (includes HST)



Mirvish Productions has just announced their 2023/2024 season. The tickets are not on sale at this time. If you are interested in any of these productions, please contact our office and leave your name on file.

Summer 2023: *Hadestown* at the Royal Alexandra Theatre

Hadestown, where a song can change your fate. Winner of eight 2019 Tony Awards® including Best Musical and the 2020 Grammy® Award for Best Musical Theatre Album. *Hadestown* intertwines two mythic tales — that of young dreamers Orpheus and Eurydice, and that of King Hades and his wife Persephone — as it invites you on a hell-raising journey to the underworld and back. Mitchell's beguiling melodies and Chavkin's poetic imagination pit industry against nature, doubt against faith, and fear against love.



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September to November 2023: *Six the Musical* at Royal Alexandra Theatre

Divorced, beheaded, died, divorced, beheaded, survived. From Tudor Queens to Pop Icons, the SIX wives of Henry VIII take the microphone to remix five hundred years of historical heartbreak into a Euphoric Celebration of 21st century girl power! This new original musical is the global sensation that won 23 awards in the 2021/2022 Broadway season, including the Tony Award for Best Original Score (Music and Lyrics) and the Outer Critics Circle Award for Best Musical.



December 2023 to January 2024: *42nd STREET* at the Princess of Wales Theatre

It's big... it's bright... it's a brand spanking-new production of 'the original showbiz musical. It is an iconic song-and dance spectacular featuring a hit parade of toe-tapping songs including "42nd Street,"

"We're In The Money," "Lullaby of Broadway," "Shuffle Off To Buffalo" and "I Only Have Eyes For You." Fresh off the bus from small:-own America, young and beautiful Peggy Sawyer arrives in New York City dreaming of her name in lights.



February to March 2024: *Aladdin at the Princess of Wales Theatre*

Discover a whole new world at Disney's Aladdin, the hit Broadway musical. From the producer of The Lion King comes the timeless story of Aladdin, a thrilling new production filled with unforgettable beauty, magic, comedy, and breathtaking spectacle. It's an extraordinary theatrical event where one lamp and three wishes make the possibilities infinite.

March - June 2024: *Les Misérables at the Princess of Wales Theatre*

Cameron Mackintosh presents the acclaimed production of Alain Boublil & Claude-Michel Schönberg's Tony Award-winning musical phenomenon, Les Misérables. Set against the backdrop of 19th century France, Les Misérables tells an enthralling story of broken dreams and unrequited love, passion, sacrifice and redemption: a timeless testament to the survival of the human spirit. This epic and uplifting story has become one of the most celebrated musicals in theatrical history. The magnificent score of Les Misérables includes the songs "I Dreamed a Dream," "On My Own," "Bring Him Home," "One Day More," "Master of the House" and many more. Seen by over 130 million people worldwide in 53 countries and 22 languages, Les Misérables is undisputedly one of the world's most popular musicals.



June - July 2024: *TINA: The Tina Turner Musical at the Royal Alexandra Theatre*

THERE IS ONLY ONE.

HER VOICE IS UNDENIABLE. HER FIRE IS UNSTOPPABLE.

HER TRIUMPH IS UNLIKE ANY OTHER.

An uplifting comeback story like no other, TINA: The Tina Turner Musical is the inspiring journey of a woman who broke barriers and became the Queen of Rock n' Roll. Set to the pulse-pounding soundtrack of her most beloved hits, this electrifying sensation will send you soaring to the rafters. One of the world's best-selling artists of all time, Tina Turner has won 12 Grammy Awards and her live shows have been seen by millions, with more concert tickets sold than any other solo performer in music history.

OVERNIGHT TOURS

Travel Insurance is available through our office
at the time of booking at an additional charge

Monday, May 8 to Friday, May 12, 2023: “I Love Quilting & Lucy”
Spring Tour exploring Western New York State including Jamestown
For the past 16 years we have been offering a Quilting tour open to all ladies who love to quilt, enjoy handiwork and enjoy the comradery of women who enjoy life and like to have fun. It is a few days of retail therapy, great food and interesting local attractions.

Tentative itinerary:

Day 1: Mon., May 8 - The tour will depart from Orillia at 7:00a.m.(with a minimum of 6 customers), Barrie, Bayfield Mall behind Canadian Tire Store at 7:30a.m. & the Tour Office at 8:00a.m.. Overnight parking is available at our Tour Office. A Canadian Passport will be required for the border crossing into the USA. We will allow time for duty free shopping. We will kick off our tour with a visit to Jackie Lynn’s Fabric Centre in Rochester. This afternoon we will travel to Syracuse for our 2-night stay at the Embassy Suites by Hilton Hotel. The hotel offers breakfast daily, free wifi, indoor pool and fitness centre. All rooms are equipped with a fridge, microwave & coffee maker. The hotel is located just across the street from Destiny USA Shopping Complex. Destiny USA is a 2.4 million square foot tourist destination in Syracuse, NY that includes a strong mix of luxury outlet tenants, restaurants and entertainment. A stunning three-story glass atrium provides perfect weather year-round. Oxford Economics has projected an annual visitation rate of over 29 million visitors from throughout the U.S. and Canada.



Day 2: Tues., May 9 - Following our group breakfast we will depart for a day of quilt fabric & wool shopping. Stores will include: Calico Gals and Seams Possible Quilt Shoppe. A complete list of stores will be available by March 1st. An evening group dinner will conclude our day. (B & D)



Day 3: Wed., May 10 - This morning following breakfast we will start our journey across the state including stops at possibly 3 Fabric Shops. Our destination is Celoron located in the southwest part of the state. This afternoon we will check into the beautiful Harbor Hotel located on Lake Chautauqua. The hotel offers a restaurant on site, free wifi, indoor & outdoor saltwater pools and fitness centre. (B & D)

Day 4: Thurs., May 11 – This morning following our hot buffet breakfast we will visit Jamestown, N.Y. The legacy of Lucille Ball has been proudly honored right here in Lucy's hometown of Jamestown by the Lucille Ball Desi Arnaz Museum since 1996. For decades, Lucille Ball and Desi Arnaz played a vital role in television and on the big screen, and we're fortunate to have the privilege of preserving their memory and the impact they've both had on the world through all of the fun costumes and screen-used memorabilia on display, awards they were both given, photographs of both their personal and TV lives, and much more! As pioneering artists and industry leaders, Lucille Ball and Desi Arnaz shaped our cultural heritage and charted a course for American entertainment history. Known as the "First Couple of Comedy," Lucille and Desi were innovators behind the scenes, risk-takers in business, and masters of the comedic craft. Together, they revolutionized the broadcasting industry with the creation of the beloved and ground-breaking sitcom *I Love Lucy*, and the founding of Desilu Studios - one of the most innovative production centers in Hollywood history.

We will visit the Lucille Ball Desi Arnaz Museum, followed by lunch in the Tropicana Room while watching an old episode of the show. Our afternoon includes a visit to the National Comedy Centre for some laughs and fun. In the late afternoon we will visit a local fabric shop and conclude our day with dinner at the Olive Garden restaurant. (B, L & D)

Day 5: Fri., May 12 - A group breakfast will be served at the hotel before departing for home. We will visit one additional fabric shop in the area before heading north. We will include stops at JoAnn Fabrics & Crafts and Hobby Lobby in Niagara Falls before crossing the border. We will stop for duty free shopping & meal breaks enroute home. Return to Bradford at approximately 5:00p.m, Barrie at 5:30p.m. & Orillia at 6:00p.m. (B)

Tour includes: motor coach transportation with Hamilton Tours Director, 4 nights hotel & taxes, baggage handling, 4 hot breakfasts, 1 lunch, 3 dinners, visits to 10 Quilt & Fabric Stores, attractions as listed in the itinerary, duty free shopping & HST EXEMPT.

A finalized list of Quilt & Fabric Stores will be provided one month prior to the tour.

Recommended Read: Lucille Ball's autobiography Love, Lucy

Cost per person: Twin \$1590.00 & Single \$2120.00

A deposit of \$600.00 is required at the time of booking, with the balance due in full by April 11, 2023.

Travel Insurance is available through our office at the time of booking at an additional charge.

Nfld. Tour #1 of 2023

Saturday, June 17 to Monday, June 26, 2023 -

Newfoundland – In the pursuit of Icebergs & National Park Beauty

Tentative Itinerary:

Day 1: Sat., June 17 - The tour will depart from Wasaga Beach Rec Plex at 4:45a.m., Barrie, Bayfield Mall behind Canadian Tire Store at 5:30a.m. & Tour Office at 6:00a.m. for our shuttle to Pearson International Airport. (Overnight parking is available at our Tour Office) We will depart on our Air Canada flight at 8:50a.m. to St. John's, the capital city of Newfoundland arriving at 1:21p.m. local time for a 2-night stay at the Capital Hotel A Welcome Dinner awaits our arrival. (D)

Day 2: Sun., June 18 - This morning we head straight to Bay Bulls to enjoy 1.5





hour Gatherall's Whale watching boat cruise which includes viewing the Witless Bay Ecological Reserve, home to thousands of puffins & seabirds. Today's highlights include Petty Harbour, Cape Spear, guided city tour of St. John's & Signal Hill. (B)

Day 3: Mon., June 19 - Today we leave the Avalon Peninsula and head north to Gander. We will travel through Terra Nova National Park and stop at Gambo at Joey's Lookout. Today's activities in Gander will include a visit the Silent Witness Memorial, The North Atlantic Aviation Museum, the Gander Airport and the Peacekeeper's Memorial Park. We will see pieces of the Twin Towers in both the Museum & Airport dedicated to the events of 9/11 before arriving at Sinbad's Hotel for a 2-night stay. Tonight, we will enjoy meeting our guest speaker, Claude Elliott who is the former Mayor of Gander. Claude is portrayed in the musical "Come from Away". We will learn first-hand about the events and efforts of the incredible people of Gander and the surrounding communities during the week that began on September 11 when approximately 6,600 passengers and crew members were diverted to Gander Airport. (B & D)

Day 4: Tues., June 20 - Today we will explore the beautiful outpost community of Twillingate - an excellent vantage point for iceberg & whale sightings. Highlight's include: Boyd's Cove Beothuk Centre, Twillingate Museum & Long Point Lighthouse. This evening we will return to Gander for a group dinner. (B, L & D)

Day 5: Wed., June 21 - This morning we will travel through Grand Falls and onto King's Point for lunch. We will visit Kings Point Pottery & the Whale Museum before traveling onto Gros Morne National Park, a UNESCO World Heritage Site. You will marvel at the spectacular

ocean scenery, mountains, and fjords. We will be staying at the Ocean View Hotel in Rocky Harbour for 2 nights. Tonight, is a special treat as we have reserved tickets to enjoy the “Pub Night featuring the Anchors Aweigh Band”. (B & L)

Day 6: Thurs., June 22 - This morning there will be some free time after breakfast to breath in the salt air and explore the shops and vistas. We will visit Lobster Cove Lighthouse and Photographers Lookout before travelling to Norris Point where you will experience an afternoon cruise on beautiful Bonne Bay. (B)

Day 7: Fri., June 23 - This morning we continue our drive up the Northern Peninsula, known as the Viking Trail to St. Anthony. We will have a group lunch at Plum Point. This afternoon we will visit L'Anse aux Meadows Interpretative Centre. Here is the only known Viking Site in North America & the earliest evidence of Europeans in the western hemisphere. We will be staying at Burnt Cape Cabins & the Viking Lodge Motel which are owned by the same family at Raleigh for our 2-night stay. An evening group dinner will be served upon arrival. (B, L & D)

Day 8: Sat., June 24 - Following breakfast we will experience a 2-hour award winning boat tour with Northland Discovery in hopes of iceberg sightings, humpbacks and dolphins. In the afternoon we will visit Grenfell Interpretative Centre & the Grenfell Home with the opportunity to learn about the amazing life and work of Sir Wilfred Grenfell. (B & D).

Day 9: Sun., June 25 - Today will be a leisurely driving day down the coast. We will include a visit to the Torrent River Salmon Centre. We will stay overnight at the Fisherman's Landing Inn at Rocky Harbour. (B & D)

Day 10: Mon., June 26 - This morning following breakfast we will once again travel through Gros Morne National Park. We will enjoy a driving tour of the south side of Gros Morne known as the Tablelands and



visit the Discovery Centre before departing for Deer Lake Airport. This afternoon we will depart for home from Deer Lake Airport at 2:25p.m. on Air Canada arriving at Pearson International Airport at 4:00p.m. Our Hammond Coach will be there to pick us up and return us to our original departure points. (B)

Tour includes: transfer to Pearson International Airport in Toronto by motor coach, return direct flights, departure taxes, airport baggage fees round trip, motor coach transportation with Hamilton Tours Director, 9 nights' accommodation, hotel taxes, baggage handling for 1 large suitcase each, 9 breakfasts, 3 lunches, 6 dinners, National Park pass, 3 boat cruises, attractions, museum visits and guided tours as listed in the itinerary & HST of 15% in NL.

Recommended Read: The Day the World Came to Town 9/11 in Gander, Newfoundland by Jim Defede

Cost per person: Twin \$4780.00 (includes HST of \$623.00)

& Single \$5560.00 (includes HST of \$726.00)

An initial deposit of \$1000. per person is required upon booking.

A 2nd deposit of \$1500.00 is due on March 1 with the balance due in full by May 1, 2023

Travel Insurance is available through our office at the time of booking at an additional charge.

**Tuesday, June 20 to Tuesday, July 4, 2023 - *Maritime Sampler
The Hidden Gems of Prince Edward Island, New Brunswick and
Nova Scotia including the Royal Nova
Scotia International Tattoo***

Tentative Itinerary:

Day 1: Tues., June 20 - The tour will depart from Barrie, Bayfield Mall behind Canadian Tire Store at 8:00a.m. & Tour Office at 8:30a.m. (Overnight parking is available at our Tour Office) Today we travel to Trois Riviere for the first night stay on our Maritime tour. This evening we enjoy dinner and French-Canadian hospitality at Chez Danys Sugar Shack. (D)



Day 2: Wed., June 21 - After breakfast, we continue our journey travelling through Quebec and into New Brunswick for our overnight

stay in Fredericton. (B)

Day 3: Thurs., June 22 - Today we arrive in Moncton for a 2-night stay. This afternoon we will visit the Hopewell Rocks where you may have an opportunity to walk on the ocean floor if the tide is low. See where the world's highest tides have gouged four-story sculptures from the cliffs. (B & D)

Day 4: Fri., June 23 - This morning is free to relax. This afternoon we are off to Shediac for the scenic cruise and Lobster Dinner. (Alternative meal is available) (B & D)

Day 5: Sat., June 24 - Once only accessible by ferry, today we arrive on Prince Edward Island via the Confederation Bridge, the world's longest continuous multi-span bridge. This afternoon with the help of our Step-on Guide we will learn about Province House and explore historic Charlottetown. We will check in to The Loyalist Country Inn in Summerside for our 2-night stay. (B & D)

Day 6: Sun., June 25 - This morning is at your leisure. This afternoon we visit Green Gables, the house immortalized by Lucy Maud Montgomery in her "Anne" books. Spend time in Prince Edward Island National Park, renowned for its red sandstone cliffs, rolling sand dunes and lush green fields. A traditional PEI lobster supper is included this evening. (B & D)

Day 7: Mon., June 26 - This morning we will take the ferry from Wood Islands to Caribou, Nova Scotia. There will be free time to explore the town of Pictou during your lunch hour. In the afternoon we will travel to Baddeck on Cape Breton Island. A visit to the Alexander Graham Bell Historic Site is planned for midafternoon before checking into our hotel. This evening's entertainment provides us with great tunes, stories, and tea cakes as we attend the local Ceilidh. (B & D)

Day 8: Tues., June 27 - Today we will explore the Cabot Trail, with many photo stops along the way - be sure to bring your camera. Known world-wide for its spectacular scenery, the Cabot Trail is circular and takes travelers along the rugged seacoast and through lofty mountains. Enjoy our unique 2-night stay at the Northstar Hotel, Louisbourg's only



ocean front hotel. Arranged across five acres, the resort boasts 22 guest suites and rooms, many with ocean views, 2 restaurants, a cocktail bar and a private shingle beach. Just a short drive from The Fortress of Louisbourg, a National Parks Canada historic site (and partial reconstruction of an 18th-century battlement) North Star* is owned and operated by international designers Colin and Justin, whose shows have aired on HGTV and Cottage Life in Canada, and on the BBC, ITV and Channel 5 in Great Britain. Colin and



Justin, whilst based in Toronto and Glasgow during winter, are resident - on site - at North Star* during the resort's May to October operation. It is indeed their pleasure to welcome you to their – and indeed your - home away from home. (B, Box Lunch & D)

Day 9: Wed., June 28 - Start your day with a visit to Louisbourg, Nova Scotia, home to the historic jewel, the Fortress of Louisbourg National Historic Site. During the summer months hundreds of re-enactors or “animators” of all ages, from wealthy merchants to poor soldiers, populate the streets of the restored fortress working, playing, and living life as they would have in 1744. The afternoon is free to enjoy the North Star. (B & D)

Day 10: Thurs., June 29 - Today we depart after lunch and cross the Canso Causeway to continue your journey to mainland Nova Scotia enroute to Halifax. We will check into Hotel Halifax for our 3-night stay. (B & D)

Day 11: Fri., June 30 - We will explore the South Shore with our Step-on Guide visiting the historic fishing towns of Lunenburg, Mahone Bay and Peggy's Cove. Lunenburg was designated a UNESCO World Heritage Site in 1995 and is home to the Bluenose II. (B)

Day 12: Sat., July 1 - CANADA DAY!! HAPPY 156th BIRTHDAY!! This morning we will have an overview tour of this historic port city, the capital of Nova Scotia with your Step on Guide. You will visit The Canadian Museum of Immigration at Pier 21, Canada's national museum of immigration. This afternoon we will attend a performance of the

Royal Nova Scotia International Tattoo, the largest indoor show in the world. You will hear and see military bands, pipes and drums, choirs, gymnasts, dancers, military displays, and competitions which offer the most exciting 2 ½ hours of entertainment ever found under one roof. (B)

Day 13: Sun., July 2 - Today we must pack our suitcases and depart, starting our journey towards home. Our overnight stay is in Riviere du Loup. (B & D)

Day 14: Mon., July 3 - We travel today to Montreal for our overnight stay. Our hotel is centrally located downtown. Enjoy some free time in the afternoon to explore on your own. (B)

Day 15: Tues., July 4 – Enjoy a morning visit to the Jean Talon Market. We will travel home, arriving at approximately 8:00p.m. (B)

Tour includes: motor coach transportation with Hamilton Tours

Director, 14 nights accommodation, hotel taxes, baggage handling, 14 breakfasts, 1 lunch, 10 dinners, National Park pass, lobster boat cruise, Ferry Crossing & Toll bridges, attractions, museum visits and guided tours as listed in the itinerary & HST of 15% in the Maritimes.

Cost per person: Twin \$6275.00 & Single \$7590.00

An initial deposit of \$1500.00 is required at time of booking.

The balance is due in full by May 1, 2023.

Travel Insurance is available through our office at the time of booking at an additional charge.



Thursday, July 6 & Friday, July 7, 2023 - Niagara-on-the-Lake Overnight Tour staying at the Prince of Wales featuring an evening performance of Gypsy

Gypsy Rose Lee was the world's most famous striptease artist; Momma Rose the ultimate stage mother. Follow their extraordinary story in Stephen Sondheim's timeless musical. With legendary songs, including "Let Me Entertain You" and "Everything's Coming up Roses," Gypsy remains the greatest American musical.

Optional matinee: *A theatre-lovers' favourite ever since it was written, Blithe Spirit is a tug-of-love comedy with a difference: one of the lovers*



is a ghost. Novelist Charles, hoping to gather material for his next book, asks Madame Arcati (one of the great characters in all of theatre) to conduct a séance in his house. It works too well: his first wife returns from the other side, with predictably disastrous results for his second marriage. Noël Coward at his deadliest.

Tentative Itinerary:

Day 1: Thurs., July 6 - The tour departs from Barrie, Bayfield Mall behind Canadian Tire Store at 9:00a.m. & Tour Office at 9:30a.m.

Overnight parking is available at our Tour Office. We will travel to Niagara-on-the-Lake. Enjoy lunch and wine tasting at a local Winery, as well as a visit to Pickard Peanuts, prior to checking in to the Prince of Wales Hotel at 3:30p.m. A group dinner will be enjoyed in the Escabeche Restaurant. This evening we have orchestra level seating for the 8:00p.m. performance of Gypsy at the Festival Theatre. (L & D)

Day 2: Fri., July 7 - This morning, enjoy a leisurely breakfast and the amenities of this beautiful hotel. A backstage tour of the Festival Theatre has been arranged for mid-morning followed by a choice of activities. You can choose to include the 2:00p.m. performance of Blithe Spirit or enjoy free time in Niagara-on-the-Lake. We will depart for home following the afternoon performance. (B)

Tour includes: motor coach transportation with Hamilton Tours Director, 1 night at the Vintage Inn – Prince of Wales, baggage handling, hotel taxes, 1 breakfast, 1 lunch & 1 evening dinner, winery visit,

backstage tour, orchestra level theatre ticket, shuttle to local shopping & HST.

Cost per person: Option # 1 (1 play) - Twin \$745.00 & Single \$885.00

Cost per person: Option # 2 (2 plays) - Twin \$820.00

& Single \$955.00

A \$150.00 deposit is required upon booking with the balance due in full on May 14, 2023

Travel Insurance is available through our office at the time of booking at an additional charge.

Nfld. Tour # 2 of 2023

Friday, July 7 to Friday, July 21, 2023 - Our Premier Newfoundland & Labrador Tour including

Battle Harbour, Labrador..... Let us take you “Off the Beaten Path”

Tentative Itinerary:

Day 1: Fri., July 7 - The tour will depart from Orillia, behind Zehrs at 5:00a.m., Barrie, Bayfield Mall behind Canadian Tire Store at 5:30a.m. & Tour Office at 6:00a.m. for our shuttle to Pearson International Airport. (Overnight parking is available at our Tour Office) We will depart on our Air Canada flight at 8:50a.m. to St. John's, the capital city of Newfoundland arriving at 1:21p.m. local time for a 2-night stay at the Capital Hotel. A Welcome Dinner awaits our arrival. (D)

Day 2: Sat., July 8 - Our tour of this beautiful province will begin with a 1.5 hour Gatherall's Puffin & Whale watching boat cruise which includes viewing the Witless Bay Ecological Reserve, home to thousands of puffins. There will be free time in the downtown core for lunch. This afternoon we will have a guided city tour of St. John's, which will include Signal Hill & Cape Spear National Historic Site, the most easterly point in North America. (B)

Day 3: Sun., July 9 - Today we leave the Avalon Peninsula and head north to Gander. We will travel through Terra Nova National Park and stop at Gambo at Joey's Lookout. Today's activities in Gander will include The North Atlantic Aviation Museum, the Gander Airport and the Peacekeeper's Memorial Park. We will see pieces of



the Twin Towers at both the Museum & Airport dedicated to the events of 9/11 before arriving at Sinbad's Hotel for a 2-night stay. Tonight we will enjoy meeting our guest speaker, Claude Elliott who is the former Mayor of Gander. Claude is portrayed in the musical "Come from Away". We will learn first-hand about the events and efforts of the incredible people of Gander and the surrounding communities during the week that began on September 11 when approximately 6,600 passengers and crew members were diverted to Gander Airport. (B & D)

Day 4: Mon., July 10 - Today we will explore the beautiful outport community of Twillingate. Highlights include Boyd's Cove Beothuk Centre, Twillingate Museum & Long Point Lighthouse. Lunch will be at the Auk Island Winery and our evening dinner will be in Gander upon our return. (B, L & D)



Day 5: Tues., July 11 - This morning we will travel through Grand Falls and onto King's Point for lunch. We will visit Kings Point Pottery & the Whale Museum before traveling on to Corner Brook for our 2-night stay at the historic Glynmill Inn. (B, L & D)

Day 6: Wed., July 12 - Today we'll visit Cook's Lookout before heading south to Stephenville. From there we will drive out to Port au Port Peninsula – locally known as the French Shore, this area remains the French hub of Newfoundland. I think of it as "Newfoundland's Miniature Cabot Trail" – such a scenic drive. Today we will visit "Our Lady of Mercy Church" and then enjoy lunch at the Mainland Cultural Centre. We will travel through such villages as Cape St. George, Three Rock Cove and Lourdes before returning to our hotel. (B & L)



Day 7: Thurs., July 13 - Today may become your favourite day of the tour. This morning we will depart for Gros Morne National Park, a UNESCO World Heritage Site. We will explore the south side of the park known as the Tablelands. Lunch will be served in Woody Point with free time to explore the village. This afternoon we will continue our drive

to Rocky Harbour. You will marvel at the spectacular ocean scenery, mountains and fjords. We will be staying at the Ocean View Hotel in Rocky Harbour for 2 nights. (B & L)

Day 8: Fri., July 14 - This morning there will be free time to relax. This afternoon we will visit Photographers Lookout before travelling to Norris Point where you will experience an afternoon cruise on beautiful Bonne Bay. Tonight, is a special treat as we have reserved tickets to enjoy the “Pub Night featuring the Anchors Aweigh Band”. (B)

Day 9: Sat., July 15 - This morning we continue our drive up the Northern Peninsula, known as the Viking Trail to St. Anthony. We will have a group lunch at Plum Point. This afternoon we will take the ferry from St. Barbe to Blanc Sablon. We will be staying overnight at the Northern Light Inn in L’Anse Au Clair, Labrador. (B & L)

Day 10: Sun., July 16 - Labrador is known as The Big Land. Today we will travel north to Mary’s Harbour where we will board the ferry that will take us to Battle Harbour. There is off the Beaten Path and then there is this place!! Battle Harbour was for two centuries the economic and social centre of the southeastern Labrador coast. Battle Harbour has been restored to its former glory and a living commemoration to the life and society created there by Newfoundlanders and Labradoreans during the 18th, 19th and 20th centuries.

(B, L & D)

Day 11: Mon., July 17 - Today relax and enjoy this unique part of our country. This morning there is an optional walking tour to further experience this fascinating era of Labrador history. This afternoon relax in the Loft, hike the island or explore the museum and artifacts. Enjoy this amazing home cooking for our 3 meals in the newly renovated dining room overlooking the water. (B, L & D)

Day 12: Tues., July 18 - Today we sail back to Mary’s Harbour at 9:00a.m.

We will then travel south to the Parks Canada Site in Red Bay to learn about

the Basque Whaling Port. A visit to Point Amour Lighthouse, towering





at 109 feet, it is the tallest in Atlantic Canada and second highest in the country will complete our day. Tonight, we will return to the Northern Light Inn in L'Anse Au Clair for our overnight stay. (B, L & D)

Day 13: Wed., July 19 - This morning we will leave Labrador on the first ferry and continue our drive north along the Viking Trail. This afternoon we will visit L'Anse aux Meadows Interpretative Centre. Here is the only known Viking Site in North America & the earliest evidence of Europeans in the western hemisphere. We will be staying at the Haven Inn in St. Anthony. An evening group dinner will be served upon arrival. (B & D)

Day 14: Thurs., July 20 - This morning we will experience a 2.5 hour award winning boat tour with Northland Discovery in hopes of iceberg sightings, humpbacks and dolphins. It is a certified vessel with music, onboard Biologist & washroom equipped. In the afternoon we will visit Grenfell Interpretative Centre before departing for Rocky Harbour. We will stay overnight at the Fisherman's Landing Inn. (B & D)

Day 15: Fri, July 21 - This morning we will visit the Newfoundland Insectarium & Butterfly Pavilion. The Insectarium is a world class Nature Museum. This afternoon we will depart for home from Deer Lake Airport at 2:25p.m. on Air Canada arriving into Pearson International Airport at 4:00p.m.. Our Hammond Coach will be there to pick us up and return us to our original departure points. (B)

Tour includes: transfer to Pearson International Airport in Toronto by motor coach, return flights, departure taxes, airport baggage fees round trip, motor coach transportation with Hamilton Tours Director, 14 nights' accommodation, hotel taxes, baggage handling for 1 large suitcase each, 14 breakfasts, 8 lunches, 9 dinners, National Park pass, 3 boat cruises, 2 Ferry Crossings, Pub Night Entertainment in Rocky Harbour, attractions,

museum visits and guided tours as listed in the itinerary
& HST of 15% in NL.

Recommended Read: The Day the World Came to Town 9/11 in
Gander, Newfoundland by Jim Defede

Cost per person: Twin \$6895.00 (includes HST of \$899.70)

& Single \$7750.00 (includes HST of \$1012.22)

An initial deposit of \$1000.00 per person is required upon booking.

A 2nd deposit of \$1000.00 is due on March 15 with the balance due in
full by June 1, 2023

*Travel Insurance is available through our office at the time of booking at
an additional charge*

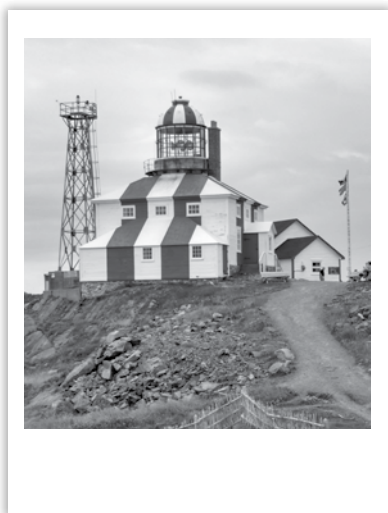
Nfld. Tour # 3 of 2023

Tuesday, August 15 to Saturday, August 26, 2023

Experience the Geography & Culture of Newfoundland

Tentative Itinerary:

Day 1: Tues., Aug. 15 - The tour
will depart from the Stayner Arena at
7:45a.m., Barrie, Bayfield Mall behind
Canadian Tire Store at 8:30a.m. &
Tour Office at 9:00a.m. for our shuttle
to Pearson International Airport.
(Overnight parking is available at
our Tour Office). We will depart on
our Air Canada flight at 12:35p.m.
to St. John's, the capital city of
Newfoundland arriving at 5:07p.m.
local time for a 2-night stay at the
Capital Hotel. A Welcome Dinner
awaits our arrival. (D)



Day 2: Wed., Aug. 16 - Our tour of
this beautiful province will begin with a 1.5 hour Gatherall's Puffin &
Whale watching boat cruise which includes viewing the Witless Bay
Ecological Reserve, home to thousands of puffins. There will be free
time in the downtown core for lunch. This afternoon we will have a
guided city tour of St. John's, which will include Signal Hill & Cape Spear
National Historic Site, the most easterly point in North America. (B)

Day 3: Thurs., Aug. 17 - Today we leave the Avalon Peninsula and head north to explore the Bonavista Loop. Points of interest will include Cape Bonavista Lighthouse & the Dungeon Provincial Park. We will overnight at the Seaport Inn in Port Union. (B & D)

Day 4: Fri., Aug. 18 - Today our route takes us through Terra Nova National Park, with a stop at Joey's Lookout overlooking Gambo. Our activities in Gander will include a visit to The North Atlantic Aviation Museum, the Gander Airport and the Peacekeeper's Memorial Park. We will see pieces of the Twin Towers at both the Museum & Airport dedicated to the events of 9/11 before arriving at Sinbad's Hotel for a 2-night stay. Tonight, we will enjoy meeting our guest speaker, Claude Elliott who is the former Mayor of Gander. We will learn first-hand about the events and efforts of the incredible people of Gander and the surrounding communities during the week that began on September 11 when approximately 6,600 passengers and crew members were diverted to Gander Airport. (B & D)

Day 5: Sat., Aug. 19 - This morning we head north to the beautiful outport community of Twillingate. Today's activities include a visit to the Twillingate Museum dedicated to Georgia Stirling, Long Point Lighthouse & the Boyd Cove Beothuk Museum. Lunch will be at the Auk Island Winery and our evening dinner will be in Gander upon our return. (B, L & D)

Day 6: Sun., Aug. 20 - This morning we will travel through Grand Falls and onto King's Point for lunch. We will visit Kings Point Pottery & the Whale Museum before traveling onto Gros Morne National Park,



a UNESCO World Heritage Site. You will marvel at the spectacular ocean scenery, mountains and fjords. We will be staying at the Ocean View Hotel in Rocky Harbour for 2 nights. (B & L)

Day 7: Mon., Aug. 21 - This morning there will be free time after breakfast to breathe in the salt air and explore the shops and vistas. We will visit Photographers Lookout before travelling to Norris Point where you will experience an afternoon cruise on beautiful Bonne Bay. Tonight, is a special treat as we have reserved tickets to enjoy the “Pub Night featuring the Anchors Aweigh Band”. (B)

Day 8: Tues., Aug. 22 - This morning we continue our drive up the Northern Peninsula, known as the Viking Trail to St. Anthony. We will have a group lunch at Plum Point. This afternoon we will visit L’Anse aux Meadows Interpretative Centre. Here is the only known Viking Site in North America & the earliest evidence of Europeans in the western hemisphere. We will be staying at Burnt Cape Cabins & the Viking Lodge Motel which are owned by the same family at Raleigh for our 2-night stay. An evening group dinner will complete our day. (B, L & D)

Day 9: Wed., Aug. 23 - Following breakfast we will experience a 2-hour award winning boat tour with Northland Discovery in hopes of iceberg sightings, humpbacks and dolphins. In the afternoon we will visit Grenfell Interpretative Centre & the Grenfell Home with the opportunity to learn about the amazing life and work of Sir Wilfred Grenfell. (B, L & D)

Day 10: Thurs., Aug. 24 - Today will be a leisurely driving day down the coast. We will include a visit to the Torrent River Salmon Centre. We will stay overnight at Fisherman’s Landing Inn in Rocky Harbour. (B & D)

Day 11: Fri., Aug. 25 - This morning following breakfast we will once again travel through Gros Morne National Park. We will explore the



south side of the park, enjoying lunch in Woody Point before visiting the new Discovery Centre. We will take a drive out to Trout River and take a short 1 hour guided walk of the famous Tableland Mountains. We will overnight at the Deer Lake Motel. (B, L & D)

Day 12: Sat., Aug. 26 - This morning we will visit the Newfoundland Insectarium & Butterfly Pavilion. The Insectarium is a world class Nature Museum. This afternoon we will depart for home from Deer Lake Airport at 2:25p.m. on Air Canada arriving at Pearson International Airport at 4:00p.m. Our Hammond Coach will be there to pick us up and return us to our original departure points. (B)

Tour includes: transfer to Pearson International Airport in Toronto by motor coach, return flights, departure taxes, airport baggage fees round trip, motor coach transportation with Hamilton Tours Director, 11 nights' accommodation, hotel taxes, baggage handling for 1 large suitcase each, 11 breakfasts, 5 lunches, 8 dinners, National Park pass, 3 boat cruises, 2 UNESCO site, attractions, museum visits and guided tours as listed in the itinerary & HST of 15% in NL.



Recommended Read: The Day the World Came to Town 9/11 in Gander, Newfoundland by Jim Defede

Cost per person: Twin \$5500.00 (includes HST of \$719.25)
& **Single \$6475.00** (includes HST of \$845.10)

An initial deposit of \$1000.00 per person is required upon booking.
A 2nd deposit of \$1000.00 is due on April 1 with the balance due in full by July 2, 2023

Travel Insurance is available through our office at the time of booking at an additional charge

**Monday, September 11 to
Tuesday, September 26, 2023**

Discover Scotland and Ireland

*Join us on our Celtic Adventure
featuring local guides, smaller group
tour & several two-night stays.*

Tentative Itinerary:

Day 1: Mon., Sept. 11 - The tour will depart from Orillia, behind Zehrs at 7:00p.m., Barrie, Bayfield Mall behind Canadian Tire Store at 7:30p.m. & Tour Office at 8:00p.m. for our shuttle to Pearson International Airport. (Overnight parking is available at our Tour Office) We will fly on Air Transat for our overnight flight to Dublin, Ireland.



Day 2: Tues., Sept. 12 - Today we arrive in Dublin. This afternoon we will check in to our hotel which will be our home for the next two nights. This evening we will enjoy a welcome dinner. (D)

Day 3: Wed., Sept. 13 - This morning we will meet a local guide and explore Dublin. Travel along the River Liffey, visit the Guinness Brewery, Christchurch Cathedral and St. Patrick's Cathedral. Enjoy entrance to the 9th century Book of Kells and a walk through the cobbled courtyards of Trinity College to gain insight into the establishment's impressive history. Enjoy some free time on Grafton Street before dinner. (D)

Day 4: Thurs., Sept. 14 - This morning we will travel from Dublin to County Wicklow known as the Garden of Ireland. In the afternoon enjoy a guided tour of the Irish National Stud, an area of incredible natural beauty that's home to regal thoroughbreds and opulent Japanese gardens. We will continue to Cork, Ireland's second most populous city, built on the river Lee for a 2-night stay. (B & D)

Day 5: Fri., Sept. 15 - This morning is free to relax and explore on your own. In the afternoon we visit Jameson Distillery in the town of Midleton. Learn about Jameson's rich heritage and finish the tour with a tasting or two. (B & D)

Day 6: Sat., Sept. 16 - This morning we enjoy a jaunting car ride through Killarney National Park. We will visit the fishing port of Dingle and view the Blasket Islands. We will visit Bunratty Castle and Folk Park before checking in to our overnight accommodation in Limerick. (B & D)



Day 7: Sun., Sept. 17 - Today we travel up the scenic West coast through Galway and Sligo and crossing into Northern Ireland with several stops along the way. We visit the iconic Giant's Causeway to explore this geological masterpiece. It was created by the cooling of lava which burst through the earth's crust millions of years ago. Enjoy a spectacular drive along the Antrim Coast prior to checking in to our hotel for an overnight stay. (B & D)

Day 8: Mon., Sept. 18 - This morning we explore Belfast with a local guide followed by a visit to the Titanic Belfast Museum and Exhibition in the afternoon. (B & D)

Day 9: Tues., Sept. 19 - Today we travel from Belfast to Cairnryan, Scotland on the Stena Ferry. Travel the Ayrshire coast. Enjoy a visit to the Burns Centre to learn about Scotland's famous bard, Robert Burns. Our overnight stay is in Glasgow at the centrally located Voco Grand Central Hotel. The evening is free to explore on your own. (B & D)

Day 10: Wed., Sept. 20 - This morning we will start our journey to Oban via Loch Lomond and Inverary to the seaside town, which will be our home for the next two nights. (B & D)

Day 11: Thurs., Sept. 21 - This morning we will board the Ferry and travel to Craignure on the Isle of Mull. Our coach will then take us to the most southern tip of the Island, and we will cross over by passenger ferry to the tiny Island of Iona. It is here that St. Columba brought Christianity to Scotland. Arriving in AD563, he established a Centre of Religious Studies. Visit the Abbey and enjoy exploring this peaceful island. (B & D)

Day 12: Fri., Sept. 22 - Today we continue our journey North. Our visits include Glencoe, known as the Valley of the weeping. We stop at

the Commando Memorial for a view of Britain's highest mountain Ben Nevis before reaching the Great Glen. We will travel past Loch Ness on our way to an overnight stay in Inverness. (B & D)

Day 13: Sat., Sept. 23 - Our journey today takes us to Pitlochry. Our day includes a whisky distillery visit and entry to Blair Castle in Perthshire. The remainder of the day is yours to explore the town at your leisure. (B & D)

Day 14: Sun., Sept. 24 - We will travel to Edinburgh this morning via Sterling. (B)

Day 15: Mon., Sept. 25 - Today we explore the "Athens of the North", the city of Edinburgh with a local blue badge guide including visits to Edinburgh Castle and Holyrood. Enjoy free time in the afternoon to explore the city on your own. (B)

Day 16: Tues., Sept. 26 - Home. This morning we depart for Glasgow Airport and our flight home. Our coach will be waiting for our arrival at Pearson International Airport to return us to our original departure points.

Includes: transfer by motor coach to Pearson International Airport, return flights, departure taxes, motor coach transportation, Hamilton Tours Ltd. Tour Director, 14 nights hotel accommodation, hotel taxes, baggage handling for 1 large suitcase each, 14 breakfasts, 10 dinners, attractions and guided tours as listed in the itinerary, ferry crossings & HST EXEMPT.

Cost per person: Twin \$8550.00 & Single \$9775.00

An initial deposit of \$1000.00 is required at the time of booking.

A second deposit of \$2000.00 is due on May 1, 2023, with the balance due in full by July 15, 2023

Travel Insurance is available through our office at the time of booking at an additional charge.





Saturday, September 23 to Saturday, September 30, 2023

Missouri Star Quilt Company Tour to Hamilton, Missouri

Tentative Itinerary:

Day 1: Sat., Sept. 23 - The tour will depart from Orillia at 7:00a.m.(with a minimum of 6 customers), Barrie, Bayfield Mall behind Canadian Tire Store at 7:30a.m. & the Tour Office at 8:00a.m.. Overnight parking is available at our Tour Office. A Canadian Passport will be required for the border crossing into the USA. We will allow time for duty free shopping. We will have lunch at the “Cracker Barrel” in Port Huron. This afternoon we will visit one of our favourite stores RMC Quilts also located in Port Huron. RMC is an authorized distributor for quality batting and interfacing by Pellon and known for their over 600 bolts of wide backing. Today we travel to Findlay, Ohio staying at the Hilton Garden Inn. (Travel time 7 hours)

Day 2: Sun., Sept. 24 - Following breakfast at the hotel we will visit Hardy Reindeer Ranch in Champaign County to learn about these unique deer & enjoy a BBQ dinner. Then we travel on to Springfield, Illinois for a one-night stay at the Drury Inn. (B & D) (Travel time 7 hours)

Day 3: Mon., Sept. 25 - A group breakfast will be served at the hotel before departing for Hamilton, Missouri home of the Missouri Star Quilt Company. We will have the afternoon to shop & explore this dedicated to everything Quilting town. We will check into the Sure Stay Hotel by Best Western in Cameron, Missouri for our 2-night stay. (B & D) (Travel time 4 hours)

Day 4: Tues., Sept. 26 - A group breakfast will be served at the hotel. Today's highlights include: Time with Jenny Doan of the Missouri Star Quilt Company including Q & A and Meet & Greet, visit the Quilt Museum and free time for shopping in the 14 themed Quilt stores of

Hamilton. A catered evening dinner will conclude our day. (B & D)
(Travel time 20 mins)

Day 5: Wed., Sept. 27 - Today we return to Hamilton for a free day of shopping, departing at 2:00p.m. and then heading north to Des Moines, Iowa staying at the Drury Inn. (B) (Travel time 2.5 hours)

Day 6: Thurs., Sept. 28 - This morning following breakfast we will travel to Shippshewana in the heart of Northern Indiana's Amish Country. We will be staying at the Van Buren Hotel for our 2-night stay. (B) (Travel time 7 hours)

Day 7: Fri., Sept. 29 - Today's highlights include: free time in the morning for shopping at Yoder's Shopping Centre which boasts 10,000 bolts of fabric, Davis Mercantile which includes Lolly's Fabrics with approx. 15,000 bolts, books and supplies plus 22 other shops and features a 100 year old Denzel Carousel. We will have a guided tour of the Shippshewana Quilt Gardens & surrounding area in LaGrange County in the afternoon. An evening dinner at the Blue Gate Restaurant and Bakery will complete our day. (B & D)

Day 8: Sat., Sept. 30 - Today following breakfast we depart for home. We will stop for duty free shopping & meal breaks enroute. Return to Bradford at approximately 8:00p.m, Barrie at 8:30p.m. & Orillia at 9:00p.m. (B) (Travel time 7.5 hours)

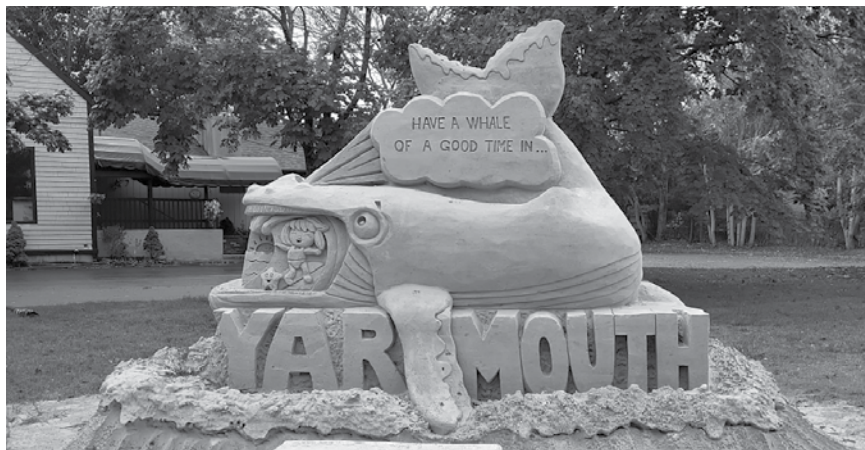
Tour includes: motor coach transportation with Hamilton Tours Director, 7 nights hotel & taxes, baggage handling, 7 breakfasts, 4 evening dinners, admission to the Quilt Museum, Lecture with Jenny Doan, New Eco Hamilton Tote with pattern & lanyard, guided tour of the Shippshewana area, countless quilt & fabric stores, duty free shopping & HST EXEMPT. A finalized list of Quilt & Fabric Stores will be provided one month prior to the tour.

Cost per person: Twin \$2235.00 & Single \$2855.00

A deposit of \$600.00 is required at the time of booking, with the balance due in full by August 1, 2023

Travel Insurance is available through our office at the time of booking at an additional charge.





Monday, October 16 to Monday, October 23, 2023 - *Autumn Cape Cod Vacation Including Martha's Vineyard, Boston & Vermont*

If you are looking for a relaxed vacation that includes fall colours, seashores, mountains and an interesting mix of history from whaling to the lives of The Rich & Famous – you will enjoy this tour.

Tentative Itinerary:

Day 1: Mon., Oct. 16 - The tour will depart from Barrie, Bayfield Mall behind Canadian Tire Store at 7:30a.m. & Tour Office at 8:00a.m. Overnight parking is available at our Tour Office. A Canadian Passport will be required for the border crossing into the USA. We will allow time for duty free shopping. Today we travel to Albany, New York for our overnight stay.

Day 2: Tues., Oct. 17 - Today we are off to Newport, Rhode Island - America's first resort and yachting capitol of the world. We will have a guided tour of this Nautical Playground for the rich and famous! Journey along the magnificent Ten Mile Drive for a step back in time to the opulent era of the Gilded age.

Elite families such as the Vanderbilt's and Astor's have built their "summer cottages" to retreat from the city life. After our tour, we'll visit the grand dame of all the Mansions - The Breakers.

In the late afternoon we will travel to Yarmouth, Massachusetts where you can unpack and relax for our 4-night stay. Enjoy an evening dinner at our hotel,



The Red Jacket Inn (B & D)

Day 3: Wed., Oct. 18 - After breakfast, we will depart for a day on the beautiful storybook island of “Martha’s Vineyard”. Located 7 miles off coastline, this Island offers a vacation ambience unlike any other. Once an early refuge for coastal ship traffic, it blossomed into a whaling community in the 18th and 19th century and evolved to what is now a popular tourist destination of today. We’ll take our own guide and coach to the island and enjoy a guided tour of Oak Bluffs which is noted for its collection of small Carpenter Gothic cottages clustered in the Methodist Camp Meeting Grounds, and Edgartown, known for its stately Greek revival homes built by sea captains of years ago. There will be free time in Edgartown for shopping and lunch on own. We will continue our tour of the island, returning on the afternoon ferry. Dinner will be served before returning to the hotel. (B & D)



Day 4: Thurs., Oct. 19 - Today is a day at leisure at the resort. You will have time to walk on the beach, enjoy the pools and relax. Enjoy an evening dinner at our hotel at 6:00p.m. (B & D)

Day 5: Fri., Oct. 20 - It’s Friday morning and we are going to enjoy a leisurely drive and a day filled with Kennedy history. Today’s highlights will include a guided tour of Hyannis, a visit to the JFK Memorial, free time over lunch to explore the town, driving tour with picture stops along the Old Kings Highway with Lighthouse stops. Tonight we will enjoy a lobster dinner - alternate entrée choices are available. (B & D)

Day 6: Sat., Oct. 21 - After breakfast, we bid farewell to the Cape and head for the city of Boston. We will make a brief stop in Plymouth enroute. This morning we will visit the JFK Library followed by free time at Quincy Market and Faneuil Hall. In the afternoon there will be a guided city tour which includes the Freedom Trail. We will overnight in Andover, Mass. (B)

Day 7: Sun., Oct. 22 - A group breakfast will be served before departing for St. Albans, Vermont. We'll enjoy a leisurely drive through the picturesque White Mountains of New Hampshire and the Green Mountains of Vermont as we start our journey homeward. A group farewell dinner is planned for this evening. (B & D)

Day 8: Mon., Oct. 23 - A group breakfast will be served before departing for home. We will stop at the duty-free store before entering Canada. Our return to Barrie will be at approximately 7:00p.m (B)

Tour includes: motor coach transportation with Hamilton Tours Director, 7 nights hotel & taxes, baggage handling (including a 4-night stay at The Red Jacket Inn an ocean front property) 7 breakfasts, 5 dinners, guided tours, a full day on the beautiful island of Martha's Vineyard, 1 ferry crossing, admissions as outlined in the itinerary, duty free shopping & HST EXEMPT.

Cost per person: Twin \$3295.00 & Single \$4500.00

An initial deposit of \$1000.00 is required at the time of booking, A 2nd deposit of \$1000 is due on June 1st with the balance due in full by September 6, 2023.

Travel Insurance is available through our office at the time of booking at an additional charge



Sunday, October 29 to Thursday, November 2, 2023 - Polar Bear Migration, Churchill, Manitoba – the Ultimate Canadian Experience
Time Magazine just announced that Churchill, Manitoba is one of 50 extraordinary destinations to explore According to their list of THE WORLD'S GREATEST PLACES OF 2023

Tentative Itinerary:

Day 1: Sun., Oct. 29 - The tour will depart from Collingwood, Barrie, Bayfield Mall behind Canadian Tire Store & Tour Office for our shuttle to Pearson International Airport. (Overnight parking is available at our

Tour Office) We will depart on a midday Air Canada flight to Winnipeg and check in for the evening at the Lakeview Signature by Wyndham Hotel, located at Winnipeg's International airport. The group will join their Frontiers North Interpretive Guide for a brief orientation this evening to review the trip itinerary details. Overnight in Winnipeg.

Day 2: Mon., Oct. 30 - After breakfast we will depart on an early morning flight from Winnipeg to Churchill. Upon arrival, set out for a Churchill and area tour taking the group to local and historical points of interest such as Cape Merry, the Port of Churchill, and Manitoba Conservation's Polar Bear



Holding Facility, weather permitting. Following lunch together at a local restaurant, guests will visit the Polar Bears International (PBI) House, an innovative public space allowing visitors to learn about polar bears, polar bear TOUR PROPOSAL conservation and research. Here guests will enjoy an exclusive tour of the facilities followed by a private presentation hosted by PBI species experts and representatives. Overnight at a Churchill hotel. (B, L & D)

Day 3: Tues., Oct. 31 - After an early morning breakfast the group will depart for their first full-day Tundra Buggy® adventure, exploring the Churchill Wildlife Management Area (CWMA) in search of polar bears, arctic fox, ptarmigan and other subarctic wildlife. Venturing on a network of established trails, the Tundra Buggy takes you to the best locations in the CWMA to view and photograph the subarctic tundra. Following dinner at a local restaurant the evening can be spent exploring Churchill's authentic shops, enjoying a beverage at the local pub or relaxing at the hotel. Overnight at a Churchill hotel. (B, L & D)

Day 4: Wed., Nov. 1 - After breakfast guests will once again have the opportunity to view wild polar bears from a Tundra Buggy on their second and final full-day adventure. Today guests will be accompanied

by a Polar Bears International species expert who will join guests on board for an in-depth discussion on polar bears and their habitat. After a day of exploring the tundra, the group will be transferred directly to the Churchill Airport for an evening flight back to Winnipeg. A light meal will be served onboard. Upon arrival in Winnipeg guests will check in for the night at the Lakeview Signature by Wyndham Hotel, located at the Winnipeg International Airport. Overnight in Winnipeg. (B, L & D)

Day 5: Thurs., Nov. 2 - After breakfast we will enjoy The Heart of a Nation Trolley Tour. Learn why Manitoba's capital should be called 'Secret New York' and our city's shocking connection to James Bond. Tour highlights include: St. Boniface, Winnipeg's charming French quarter, the Exchange District, Canada Life Centre hockey arena, home of the NHL's Winnipeg Jets hockey team, the community club where rock legends The Guess Who and Neil Young got their start. Assiniboine Park & the Manitoba Legislative Building. This afternoon we will depart for home on our Air Canada flight arriving at Pearson International Airport where our Hammond Coach will be there to pick us up and return us to our original departure points. (B)

Tour includes: transfer to Pearson International Airport in Toronto, return direct flights, departure taxes, airport baggage fees round trip, Hamilton Tours Director, 4 nights' accommodation, hotel taxes, 4

breakfasts, 3 lunches, 3 dinners, gratuities on included meals, 2 full days on the Tundra Buggy to photograph and observe the Polar Bears, gratuities for the Tundra Buggy drivers and guides, attractions, museum visits and guided tours as listed in the itinerary & HST.

Cost per person: Twin \$9195.00 (includes HST of \$1057.88)

& Single \$10155.00 (includes HST of \$1168.27)

Please note that this tour is limited to 16 passengers and a total of 10 rooms. With a maximum of only 2 single places.

An initial deposit of \$2000.00 per person is required upon booking.

A 2nd deposit of \$2500.00 is due on May 1.

3rd deposit of \$2500.00 is due on June 1.

Balance due in full by July 4, 2023

Travel Insurance is available through our office at the time of booking at an additional charge



Friday, November 10 to Sunday, November 12, 2023

Erie, Pennsylvania Shopping Trip

Day 1: Fri., Nov. 10 - The tour will depart from Barrie, Bayfield Mall behind Canadian Tire Store at 8:30a.m. & the Tour Office at 9:00a.m. (Overnight parking is available at our Tour Office)

All passengers will require a valid Canadian Passport for the border crossing. We will

visit the Duty-Free Store upon entering the USA. We will arrive in Erie, late afternoon and will start our shopping with visits to Hobby Lobby, Kohls and the Burlington Coat Factory. This evening we will shop at the Millcreek Mall and check in to the Fairfield Inn for our 2-night stay. It has an indoor pool for your enjoyment. Breakfast will be provided in the Lobby area each morning. The Hotel is located at the Mill Creek Mall near the DSW Shoe store and Gander Mountain.

Day 2: Sat., Nov. 11 - Today is known as “Shop till you drop!” from 9:00a.m. to 6:00p.m which includes time in Grove City at the Prime Outlet Mall, Target & Marshalls. Note: there is no tax on clothing and footwear in the state of Pennsylvania. (B)

Day 3: Sun., Nov. 12 - Following breakfast we will have time to shop at the Super Wal-Mart before departing for Niagara Falls, N.Y. Visits to the Fashion Outlets Mall and Tops Grocery store will complete our tour. We will cross the border at Queenston/Lewiston. with a stop at the Duty Free returning to the Tour Office at approximately 8:30p.m., and Barrie at 9:00p.m.

Tour includes: motor coach transportation with Hamilton Tours Director, 2 nights hotel & taxes, as outlined in the itinerary, 2 breakfasts & HST EXEMPT.

Cost per person: Twin \$475.00 & Single \$625.00

A deposit of \$200.00 is required at the time of booking, with the balance due in full by October 11, 2023.

Travel Insurance is available through our office at the time of booking at an additional charge.





Saturday, November 18 to Wednesday, November 29, 2023
Premier Christmas Country Tour highlighting the Music Cities of
Tennessee: Memphis, Nashville & Pigeon Forge

Tentative itinerary:

Day 1: Sat., Nov. 18 - The tour will depart from Barrie, Bayfield Mall behind Canadian Tire Store at 7:30a.m. & the Tour Office at 8:00a.m. Overnight parking is available at our Tour Office. A Canadian Passport will be required for the border crossing into the USA. At the time of printing this itinerary, we are still required to show proof of full Covid Vaccination. We will allow time for duty free shopping. We will cross at Port Huron and have lunch at the Cracker Barrel. Today we travel to Findlay, Ohio staying at the Hilton Garden Inn.

Day 2: Sun., Nov. 19 - Following breakfast we will depart for Louisville, Kentucky. This morning we will visit Churchill Downs & Museum, home to the Kentucky Derby. There will be free time on Market Street for lunch and then we will travel to Paducah, Kentucky for an overnight stay at the Drury Inn & Suites. (B)

Day 3: Mon., Nov. 20 - This morning after breakfast we depart the hotel and travel to Memphis. We will enjoy a guided city tour prior to check in at "The Guest House at Graceland" located just steps away from Graceland Mansion for our 2-night stay. This new luxury hotel is located on a beautifully



landscaped property and offers southern hospitality yet modern style, inspired by Elvis' unique taste. It has 2 restaurants including a themed sports bar and fitness facilities. (B)

Day 4: Tues., Nov. 21 - Today we visit Graceland, with time to visit the Mansion, Elvis' two airplanes, the newly expanded Automobile Museum, Elvis Discovery Exhibits, and his gravesite. This evening we will visit the Peabody Hotel for the Parade of the Ducks. Enjoy a traditional southern cuisine dinner at a local restaurant on Beale Street. (B & D)



Day 5: Wed., Nov. 22 - This morning we will tour Sun Studios, the birthplace of Rock and Roll and the Million Dollar Quartet. Let history come alive as we reflect upon such famous artists as Jerry Lee Lewis, Elvis Presley, Johnny Cash & Carl Perkins. We continue our Musical Journey and travel to Nashville for a 4-night stay. We will check in to the spectacular Opryland Hotel. The resort features 9 acres of indoor gardens, water park, lush waterfalls and waterways all decorated for the Christmas season. This evening take time to explore the Atriums at your leisure and take a ride on the Delta River Flatboats. (B)

Day 6: Thurs., Nov. 23 - American Thanksgiving. Today's highlights include admission to ICE, a Gaylord Hotel's signature holiday attraction carved from 2 million pounds of ice, a lunch cruise on the General Jackson Showboat and free time in the afternoon. An evening Country Christmas dinner and show concludes our day. (B, L & D)

Day 7: Fri., Nov. 24 - This morning we will visit The Country Music Hall of Fame & Studio B. When you step into the Country Music Hall of Fame and Museum, you will be embarking on a trip through decades of country music history in this architecturally stunning building. We will have lunch at Blake Shelton's, Ole Red Bar on Broadway. The balance of the day is at your leisure to enjoy the resort, use the pool facilities, waterpark or shop at the Opry Mills Mall. (B & L)

Day 8: Sat., Nov. 25 - Following breakfast, we will enjoy a tour of Music City with our local guide. Lunch will be served at the World

Famous Wildhorse Saloon, which features Southern Smokehouse BBQ and group line dancing lessons on the largest dance floor in Nashville. We will return to the hotel for a free afternoon. This evening we will enjoy a group dinner at “Paula Dean’s Restaurant” prior to attending the Grand Ole Opry. (B, L & D)



Day 9: Sun., Nov. 26 - After breakfast we will continue our journey to Pigeon Forge, Tennessee which is set in the foothills of the Great Smoky Mountains. This afternoon we will visit Dollywood – Dolly Parton’s Theme Park beautifully decorated for Christmas with several musical shows to experience. Dinner will be at Dollywood. This evening we will check in to the Inn on the River for our 2-night stay. (B & D)

Day 10: Mon., Nov. 27 - One of our main points of interest on this tour is to experience the Great Smoky Mountains National Park with our local guide. (Weather permitting). There will be free time in Gatlinburg over the lunch hour. This afternoon we will visit the Christmas Store in Pigeon Forge. A special ending to our visit will be reserved seats for the Country Tonite Theatre Holiday Show. (B & D)

Day 11: Tues., Nov. 28 - Today we start our journey homeward and travel to Findlay, Ohio for our overnight stay at the Drury Inn. (B)

Day 12: Wed., Nov. 29 - Following breakfast, we will return to Canada via Port Huron which will include meal stops, coffee breaks and Duty-Free shopping arriving in Bradford at approximately 5:00p.m. & Barrie at 5:45p.m. (B)

Tour includes: motor coach transportation with Hamilton Tours Director, 11 nights hotel & taxes, baggage handling for 1 suitcase each, 11 breakfasts, 3 lunches, 5 dinners, Grand Ole Opry Theatre tickets, Graceland, Dollywood, Smoky Mountain National Park Admission, 3 guided tours, admissions to all attractions as listed in the itinerary, duty free shopping & HST EXEMPT.

Cost per person: Twin \$4369.00 & Single \$5769.00

An initial deposit of \$1000.00 is required at the time of booking.

The 2nd deposit of \$1000.00 is due on July 4, with the balance due in full by Oct. 4, 2023.

Travel Insurance is available through our office at the time of booking at an additional charge

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Tuesday, November 21 to Sunday, November 26, 2023 - *The Best of New York City staying in Times Square including the Radio City Music Hall Rockettes and a Broadway Show. The Christmas season is spectacular in the Big Apple.*

Tentative Itinerary:

Day 1: Tues., Nov. 21 – The tour will depart Barrie, Bayfield Mall behind the Canadian Tire Store at 7:30a.m. & the Tour Office at 8:00a.m. Overnight parking is available at our office.

Remember to bring your Canadian Passport for the border crossing. We will stay overnight in Lantham, New York at the Century House. (D)

Day 2: Wed., Nov. 22 - New York, NY - This morning, we travel through the Lincoln Tunnel to New York City and meet our local guide. Today we discover Manhattan from Battery Park to Columbus Circle with a full day of touring with our local guide.

Our home for the next 3 nights is the Edison, located in Times Square and within walking distance of many attractions. Enjoy a group dinner this evening in the heart of the Theatre District followed by the evening performance of the Rockettes at Radio City Music Hall. (B&D)

Day 3: Thurs., Nov. 23 – This morning is free to explore on your own OR watch the 97th Annual Macy's Thanksgiving Day Parade. The hotel is located within walking distance of the parade route. This evening, see the New York skyline from the water as we enjoy a dinner cruise on the Bateau New York. (B&D)

Day 4: Fri., Nov. 24- This morning we visit the Metropolitan Art Museum for a highlights tour. Free time in the afternoon to explore the city on your own. We return to the hotel in time to get ready for dinner at Carmines, located in Times Square followed by an evening performance on Broadway. ***We will confirm which play we will attend once we have received confirmation of availability. (B& D)



Day 5: Sat., Nov. 25 – We conclude our time in Manhattan, with a visit to the Chelsea market prior to starting our journey home with an overnight stay at the Fairfield Inn, Albany, New York. (B)

Day 6: Sun., Nov. 26 - Homeward Bound - A comfortable drive today returns us to Canada! We will stop enroute at the duty free shop. Our return time to Barrie is approximately 8:00p.m. (B)

Tour includes: motor coach transportation with Hamilton Tours Director, 5 nights' accommodation, hotel taxes, baggage handling, admissions as listed in itinerary, 9 meals, 2 theatre performances, shuttle to local shopping & HST EXEMPT.

Cost per person: Twin: \$4400.00 & Single: \$5480.00

A deposit of \$1000.00 is required at the time of booking, with the balance due by October 6, 2023

Travel insurance is available through our office at time of booking for an additional charge.



Wednesday, November 29 to Saturday, December 2, 2023 – Embrace the Christmas Spirit as we visit Montreal, the Eastern Townships including Traditional Christmas Markets

Tentative Itinerary:

Day 1: Wed., Nov. 29 - The tour will depart Orillia at 7:00a.m., Barrie, Bayfield Mall behind Canadian Tire Store at 7:30a.m. & Tour Office at 8:00a.m. (Overnight parking is available at our Tour Office) Today we travel to Montreal and check in to our centrally located hotel for the next three nights. (D)

Day 2: Thurs, Nov. 30 - This morning enjoy a guided tour of Montreal followed by some free time to shop downtown. Later in the afternoon we visit the Grand Marché de Noël de Montréal, which is located in



the Quartier des Spectacles on the Place des Festivals. Visit over 30 chalets of the markets featuring local and regional craftspeople while sipping on spiced mulled wine and sampling many other delicacies. (B)

Day 3: Fri., Dec. 1 - Today enjoy a visit to the Eastern Townships. Our first stop this morning will be at the Sherbrooke History Museum where you will have plenty of time to explore its many exhibits and enjoy its Christmas theme. Lunch will be on your own

on Wellington Street where you will discover Sherbrooke's delightful "elf hunt." Your afternoon will be free to enjoy the Christmas Markets or shop in the many stores that offer a variety of wonderful gift ideas. Enjoy a group dinner this evening prior to returning to Montreal. (B & D)

Day 4: Sat., Dec. 2 - This morning we will complete our stay with a visit to the Jean Talon Market, prior to starting our journey home. (B)

Tour includes: motor coach transportation with Hamilton Tours Director, 3 nights hotel accommodation, baggage handling, meals, tours and admissions as listed & HST

Cost per person: Twin \$TBC & Single \$TBC **Pricing will be available May 2, 2023

Travel Insurance is available through our office at the time of booking at an additional charge.



Monday, December 4 to Friday, December 8, 2023

***Lancaster, Pennsylvania featuring the Miracle of Christmas
at the Sight and Sound Theatre***

Highlights: Theatre productions,
Shopping, Sightseeing,
Hershey Chocolate & Corning Glass

Tentative Itinerary:

Day 1: Mon., Dec. 4 - The tour will
depart from Orillia at 7:00a.m., Barrie,
Bayfield Mall behind Canadian Tire
Store at 7:30a.m. & the Tour Office at

8:00a.m. (Overnight parking is available at our office) Remember to
bring your Canadian Passport for the border crossing into the USA. We
will travel to Lewisburg, Penn and stay overnight at the Best Western
Country Cupboard Inn.

Day 2: Tues., Dec. 5 - Following breakfast we will depart for Lancaster
County. Our first stop will be at Shady Maple Smorgasbord & Gift
Shop. This afternoon we will attend the production of "The First Noel"
at the American Music Theatre. Our evening dinner will be served
at Greenfield Inn. Built in 1780, this wonderfully restored and well-
maintained Pennsylvania stone farmhouse has a tradition of warmth and
friendship while creating foods made especially for you. This evening
we will check into The Eden Resort & Suites, our home for the next 2
nights. The hotel has 2 restaurants, a cocktail lounge on premises, plus a
large indoor heated pool with whirlpool spa. (B & L)

Day 3: Wed., Dec. 6 – Today with our local guide we will explore the
Amish Farmlands including a stop at an Amish Quilt & Craft Store.
There will be free time to stroll the 42 shops & Restaurants in Kitchen
Kettle Village in the town of Intercourse. A visit to the area would not
be complete without attending a performance at the spectacular Sight &
Sound Millennium Theatre. This afternoon we will enjoy the production
of "The Miracle of Christmas". We have excellent orchestra level seats
for the 2:00p.m. show. See the Christmas story brought to life with high
drama, special effects, and live animals. Rejoice as the true meaning
of Christmas unfolds right before your eyes! Dinner will be served at
Millers Smorgasbord offering a family-owned tradition of good food and
exceptional service since 1929. (B & D)

Day 4: Thurs., Dec. 7 - Following breakfast, we are off to the "sweetest



place on earth” the town of Hershey. We will visit Hershey Chocolate World and enjoy a simulated factory tour ride that takes you from the harvesting of cocoa beans to the production of Hershey’s chocolate. Enjoy your free sample at the end of the ride. Lunch will be on your own in the Food Court. We will depart for Corning, New York for our overnight stay. (B)

Day 5: Fri., Dec. 8 - Following a late breakfast we will visit The Corning Museum of Glass. It will be a self-guided tour with lunch on our own. We will depart for home at 1:00p.m.

We will stop for coffee & meal breaks and duty-free shopping as we make our way back to Canada. (B)

Tour includes: motor coach transportation with Hamilton Tours Director, 4 nights hotel & taxes, baggage handling, 2 music theatre performance, 6 meals, guided tour, admissions as listed in the itinerary & HST EXEMPT.

Cost per person: Twin \$1625.00 & Single \$1995.00

A deposit of \$600.00 is required upon booking with the balance is due in full on October 20, 2023

Travel Insurance is available through our office at the time of booking at an additional charge.

Saturday, December 9 to Monday, December 11, 2023 - Frankenmuth, Michigan
A little Christmas Magic including an Amazing Concert!

Day 1: Sat., Dec. 9 - The tour will depart from Barrie, Bayfield Mall behind Canadian Tire Store at 8:00a.m. & Tour Office at 8:30a.m. Overnight parking is available at our Tour Office. All passengers will require a Canadian Passport for the border crossing. There will be



stops made enroute for duty free shopping and lunch at the Cracker Barrel at Port Huron. We will arrive in Frankenmuth at approximately 4:00p.m. for our 2-night stay at the Bavarian Inn Lodge. Please note the hotel has an indoor pool for your enjoyment. We will have a guided tour of the town prior to dinner at the Frankenmuth Bavarian Inn Restaurant. (D)

Day 2: Sun., Dec. 10 - In the morning there will be an optional shuttle to shop at the Birch Run Prime Outlet Mall. This afternoon we will attend the Christmas Concert at the St. Lorenz Church from 3:00p.m. to 4:30p.m. An evening dinner with entertainment at the Bavarian Inn Lodge will complete our day. (B & D)

Day 3: Mon., Dec. 11 - Following breakfast we will visit The Clock Store & Bronner's Christmas Store and then have free time on the Main Street over the lunch

hour. We will depart for home at 2:00p.m. with a stop at the duty free, returning at approximately 8:30p.m. to the Tour Office, 9:00p.m. to Barrie. (B)

Tour includes: motor coach transportation with Hamilton Tours Director, 2 night stay at the Bavarian Inn Lodge, all hotel taxes and baggage handling, 2 breakfasts, 2 evening dinners, shopping at Birch Run Outlet Mall, Bronners Christmas Store, guided tour of the town, Christmas Concert at St. Lorenz Lutheran Church, free time to explore the downtown core, duty free shopping & HST EXEMPT.

Cost per person: Twin \$765.00 & Single \$995.00

An initial deposit of \$250.00 is required at time of booking. The balance is due in full by November 3, 2023.

Travel Insurance is available through our office at the time of booking at an additional charge.





Thursday, January 4 to Sunday, January 21, 2024 - “Once in a Lifetime Adventure” Join Us on this 14 Night Antarctica & South America Cruise departing Buenos Aires, Argentina aboard Celebrity Eclipse

Set off on a once-in-a-lifetime journey to Antarctica from the romantic port of Buenos Aires. Explore Tierra del Fuego National Park in Ushuaia and cruise past Cape Horn, the southernmost point of the Americas. Spot penguin colonies while sailing down the Schollart Channel, and admire towering peaks and glaciers in Paradise Bay. Marvel at a humpback whale breaching the water while you cruise down the Gerlache Strait and see elephant seals and Antarctic fur seal on Elephant Island. Go hiking at the Falkland Islands and learn all about animal conservation in Puerto Madryn. Finish off your vacation with a stop in Montevideo, a modern city with lively beaches and a vibrant arts scene.

Flight & Pre night package. Buenos Aires, Argentina, is a wonderful combination of sleek skyscrapers and past grandeur, a collision of the ultrachic and tumbledown.

Thurs., Jan 4 - Tour departs Pearson International Airport on our flight to Argentina.

Fri., Jan. 5 - mid day arrival in Buenos Aires for our prenight stay prior

to the Cruise departure on Saturday, January 6th. After a rest and chance to freshen up we will join our travel group for a welcome dinner to celebrate the start of this amazing journey. (D)

Cruise Portion:

Day 1: Sat. Jan. 6 - Buenos Aires, Argentina. Today we will transfer to our ship and settle in for our amazing cruise, setting sail at 5:00p.m. Enjoy your balcony room, with floor to ceiling glass doors leading to your private outdoor seating area. (B & D)

Day 2, 3, 4: Sun., Jan 7 to Tues., Jan. 9 - At Sea for 3 days - While at sea, take the time to recharge before the next adventure. Lounge by the pool, be spoiled at the spa, taste the delicacies, or explore the venues on-board, until we arrive at the next amazing destination.

(B, L & D each day)

Day 5: Wed., Jan. 10 - Ushuaia - Most consider Ushuaia to be the southernmost city in the world. Ushuaia's port is a common stopover for visits to Antarctica. No city on the planet has a more southerly latitude. As a result, the sun shines for 18 hours during each summer day, providing ample opportunity to view the mix of glaciers, forests and sea, all framed by Mount Martial to the west and Mounts Olivia and Cinco Hermanos to the east. Explore Tierra del Fuego National Park on a day hike through the wilderness, or hike along the coast and glacial lakes.

(B, L & D)

Day 6: Thurs. Jan. 11 - Cape Horn - Rounding the extreme southern tip of South America, you'll be awestruck by the rugged beauty and imposing vision of Cape Horn. Named after the Dutch town of Hoorn in 1616, its craggy cliffs and windswept shores are stark, with a rugged beauty that creates a dramatic setting for the collision between the Atlantic and Pacific Oceans. And, depending on the time of year, you'll either encounter "hold on to your hat" waves, or gentle currents on a Cape Horn cruise. (B, L & D)

Day 7: Fri., Jan. 12 - Schollart Channel is located between Anvers Island and Brabant Island. It was discovered in 1898 by the Belgian Antarctic Expedition. Through the Channel you will be able to experience the beauty of what the



Antarctic has to offer along with wildlife and wondrous icebergs. Paradise Bay - This protected harbour lives up to its name. Ringed by hanging ice cliffs and dotted with floating icebergs reflecting every colour of the spectrum, it has a heavenly aura about it. Hear the breathy sound of surfacing humpback, minke, and killer whales, who come to feed in the krill-rich waters. At the sometimes-occupied Chilean station you will be entertained by the gentoo and chinstrap penguins and have the chance to set foot on the Antarctic continent. Gerlache Strait - Several geographical anomalies around the



Gerlache Strait make these waters among the most plankton-rich in the world. So, in addition to some of the most stunning polar mountains, and majestic floating ice floes in the distance, you are likely to see a profusion of humpback whales feeding in this rich ecosystem. (B, L & D)

Day 8: Sat., Jan. 13 - Elephant Island - When the Endurance was crushed by the ice of the Weddell Sea, it is on Elephant Island in the South Shetlands that Sir Ernest Shackleton and his crew sought refuge, floating on three small boats through mammoth icebergs and landing between steep cliffs. The island is covered with elephant seals, hence the name Elephant Island. At Cape Lookout, a bluff on the southern coast where various penguins (chinstrap, gentoo, and macaroni) call home. (B, L & D)

Day 9: Sun., Jan. 14 - At Sea (B, L & D)

Day 10: Mon., Jan. 15 - Port Stanley is the only town on the Falkland Islands, and though it has little more than 2000 residents, it contains half of the islands' population. There are 700,000 sheep, and a wonderful assortment of sea birds and elephant seals. (B, L & D)

Day 11: Tues., Jan. 16 - At Sea (B, L & D)

Day 12: Wed., Jan. 17 - Puerto Madryn is a quickly growing tourist destination that serves as the gateway to Valdes Peninsula, a nearby

wildlife sanctuary where vast numbers of sea elephants, whales and penguins far outnumber the few human visitors who make it out this far. (B, L & D)

Day 13: Thurs., Jan. 18 - At Sea (B, L & D)

Day 14: Fri., Jan. 19 - Uruguay's capital, Montevideo, Montevideo is a thoroughly modern city with a rich artistic tradition, the reach of the rural estancias is all around you. If ever there were a time you were inclined to indulge, delicious steaks are the specialty of the house in virtually every restaurant. (B, L & D)

Day 15: Sat., Jan. 20 - Buenos Aires, Argentina – disembark – overnight return flights to Toronto (B)

Day 16: Sun., Jan. 21 – Toronto - Early morning Arrival to Toronto Pearson International Airport and return shuttle to our original departure points

Includes: motor coach departure from Collingwood, Stayner, Barrie & Tour Office to Pearson International Airport, Hamilton Tours Director will accompany the group, 1 night stay in Buenos Aires, Argentina prior to cruise departure, 14 night Celebrity Cruise, all taxes and port charges of \$456.00 per person, 43 meals & HST EXEMPT.

Each cabin will also receive early booking perks of \$200. US on board credit as well as a free Wifi, Gratuities & Classic Beverage package.

Does not include: items of a personal nature & optional side trips while in port.

**Cost per person based on outside, balcony cabins – Category V2
Twin \$9650.00 & Single \$14330.00**

A Valid Canadian Passport is required for this tour with an expiry date of at least 6 months past the return date of travel

An initial deposit of \$1000.00 is required at time of booking.

A second deposit of \$4000.00 is due on July 4, 2023 with the balance due in full by October 1, 2023.

Travel Insurance is available through our office at the time of booking at an additional charge.

The prices listed are guaranteed - based on the cabins in our present inventory at the time of printing. Once our cabin inventory has been depleted, bookings will still be taken but are based on availability and the price is subject to change.

This tour requires a minimum of 16 passengers to run

Saturday, April 6 to Sunday, April 14, 2024
Pacific Coastal Cruise with Princess Cruise Lines

We are currently investigating the details for this cruise. It is known as a repositioning cruise. This is where cruise lines typically are moving their ships from one major area to another for the upcoming season. In this case the Ruby Princess is being moved north as she will be conducting Alaskan cruises during the summer months. Repositioning cruises are attractively priced. We would fly to LAX one day early, arriving on Saturday, April 6, setting sail the next day.

It is also a great time as next year Easter weekend is March 29 to April 1. By April we are all tired of winter, but we know

there will be a snow storm or two during the first half of April.

If we have peaked your interest, please call the office and leave your name. We will send the trip details in May 2023.

Departing on Sun., April 7, 2024 - 7 Day Pacific Wine Country
Cruise itinerary: from Los Angeles, California to Vancouver, Canada

4 Ports: Los Angeles, California, Santa Barbara, San Francisco, Astoria, Oregon, Victoria, British Columbia & Vancouver, B.C., Canada

Ruby Princess is a luminous jewel on the seas and a romantic destination in itself. She offers nearly 900 balconies from which to view the world, an array of entertainment options including Movies Under the Stars®, and sumptuous dining choices from Crown Grill to the International Café.

Last Refurbished: October 2018, Guest Capacity: 3,080 lower berths,



Trips on the 2024 Drafting Board:

June 2024 – Lilac Festival on Mackinaw Island

July 2024 – Newfoundland & Labrador

August 2024 – Newfoundland

August/September 2024 – Scotland



Thursday, May 16 to Saturday, June 1, 2024 - *Discover Spectacular Scandinavia and Iceland*

Join Hamilton Tours Ltd. and Collette Vacations and watch a Nordic postcard unfold before your eyes and discover the lands where Vikings reigned.

Day 1: Thurs., May 16 - Our coach will transfer us from Barrie, Bayfield Mall behind the Canadian Tire Store and the Tour Office for our shuttle to Pearson International Airport for our overnight flight to Copenhagen, Denmark.

A welcome dinner awaits us this evening. (D)

Day 2: Fri., May 17 -Your tour opens in the beautiful city of Copenhagen. Take some time to venture out on your own and come to know this cosmopolitan capital, dubbed the “gastro capital of Scandinavia.” Tonight, meet your fellow travelers for dinner. (D)

Day 3: Sat., May 18 - After breakfast, join a local expert and set off on an engaging tour of Denmark’s capital city. Explore Nyhavn, the picturesque harbor lined with colorful facades and charming cafes, as well as Amalienborg Palace, the residence of the Danish royal family. Visit the Little Mermaid Statue, a 1913 sculpture honoring Hans Christian Andersen’s famous fictional character. See Christiansborg Palace, home to the Danish parliament, before enjoying some free time to explore Copenhagen on your own. (B)

Day 4: Sun., May 19 - Today we bid farewell to Copenhagen and travel north to meet the Hage family on their organic farm. Learn about their work conserving ancient grains and the old Danish livestock breeds before enjoying some homemade treats. Continue on to Helsingør, home of Kronborg Castle, and board a local ferry for a short ride across the famous Oresund to Sweden. This afternoon, we arrive at Toftaholm Herrgård, a family-run lakeside manor house and your home for the evening. Before dinner, a local storyteller will enchant you with fabled



stories from Sweden's past. (B&D)

Day 5: Mon., May 20 - Today we travel to Granna, a town situated on the shores of Lake Vättern and famous for its charming wooden houses, cobblestone streets and delectable candy shops. We continue north to Stockholm, Sweden's capital city. Tonight, enjoy a twist on modern dishes from Swedish and European cuisine at a local restaurant. (B&D)

Day 6: Tues., May 21 - View Stockholm's greatest vistas and attractions, including Gamla Stan (Old Town), Riddarholm Church, the Royal Palace and the Parliament. You'll also enjoy a visit inside Stockholm's stunning City Hall which displays towering brick walls paired with an opulent interior. This afternoon it's your choice! You may choose to explore the Vasa Ship Museum and learn about the vessel's shocking maiden voyage, when it sank in a single nautical mile; the perfectly preserved ship, commissioned in the 1600s by King Vasa, was raised 334 years later from the bottom of the harbour -OR- visit the ABBA Museum, an interactive exhibition about the Swedish pop sensation. The remainder of the day is yours to explore Stockholm independently. (B)

Day 7: Wed., May 22 - We will take a quick flight to Oslo, Norway one of Europe's fastest-growing cities. As Norway's capital since 1814, Oslo is the center of the country's government and the home to the royal family. Here, you'll find a vibrant, cosmopolitan hub with an abundance of world-class museums, restaurants, and art. This evening, enjoy traditional Norwegian fare in one of Oslo's oldest buildings. (B&D)

Day 8: Thurs., May 23 - A tour of Oslo begins at the remarkable Fram Museum, dedicated to telling the story of Norwegian polar exploration. Continue along Karl Johan Street and view the Royal Palace and city hall in quaint downtown Oslo. We will visit Vigeland Park, home to the collection of statues and sculptures that comprise Gustav Vigeland's



life's work. Later this afternoon enjoy free time to explore Oslo independently. (B)

Day 9: Fri., May 24 - Travel north from Norway's capital to the majestic fjord region. Visit the Borgund Stave Church, the intricate structure built in dedication to the Apostle Andrew in 1180. Arrive next in the quaint village of Flåm, nestled at the entrance to the stunning Aurlandsfjord. (B&D)



Day 10: Sat., May 25 - Embark on the renowned Flåm Railway, one of the world's steepest train rides, and ascend 3,000 feet past mighty waterfalls, towering mountains and amazing valleys. Journey to the mountain plateau of Myrdal and cascade down to the fjord of Flåm, taking in the breathtaking views each way. Continue onto the village of Loen, for a relaxing stay in the heart for Norway's fjord region. (B&D)

Day 11: Sun., May 26 - Spend the day enchanted by the inspiring landscape of the fjord region of Norway. While in Geiranger, a UNESCO World Heritage site, embark on an exhilarating Geirangerfjord cruise, soaking in some of Norway's most beautiful scenery along the way. Known to be one of the most famous fjords in the world, Geirangerfjord is where you'll find Norway's mightiest waterfalls: the Seven Sisters, the Bridal Veil and the Suitor. You'll notice that homesteads are a continued presence on the steep sides of the mountains, where these farms have been kept for centuries. (B&D)

Day 12: Mon., May 27 - Be inspired by Norway's most impressive landscapes en route to Bergen – the gateway to the fjords. Founded with Viking roots, the Bergen of today is known for its old-world charm and scenic landscapes. (B)

Day 13: Tues., May 28 - Join a guided walking tour of Bergen. Stroll along the historic and iconic harbourfront, known as the Bryggen (UNESCO). Enjoy the afternoon at leisure. Reunite with your fellow passengers for an atmospheric farewell dinner in the historic Bryggen neighbourhood (B&D)

Day 14: Wed., May 29 - Bergen - Fly to Reykjavík, Iceland and discover Iceland, a land and culture forged by fire and ice. Steaming lava

fields reflect a volcanic nature. Massive glaciers sculpt mountains and valleys, leaving thundering waterfalls and breathtaking landscapes. This evening join fellow travelers for an included Icelandic dinner at a local restaurant. (B&D)

Day 15: Thurs., May 30 -

Reykjavík This morning, join a local expert for a walking tour of the city's old section featuring Hallgrimskirkja church, city hall, the harbour, and Reykjavík's oldest building – home of the Kraum Icelandic design center. Enjoy the remainder of your day at leisure.

Perhaps you will choose to relax on a scenic whale watching cruise; venture out on a horseback riding excursion; or travel out to the Reykjanes peninsula to spend quality time relaxing in the geo-thermal waters of the famed Blue Lagoon. (B)

Day 16: Fri., May 31 - Reykjavík - Golden Circle - Reykjavík Travel the incredible Golden Circle, a route that encompasses many of Iceland's most renowned natural wonders. Marvel at the beauty of the Gullfoss (Golden Falls) waterfall, a stunning 100-foot double cascade. Journey to Thingvellir National Park, the nation's most historic area. Here, Icelanders gathered in A.D. 930 and established what is one of the world's first parliaments. Find yourself standing upon one of the globe's most geologically significant landscapes, Thingvellir's rugged rift valley (UNESCO) that marks the crest of the Mid-Atlantic Ridge, the point where the North American and Eurasian tectonic plates meet. Return to Reykjavík and have time to explore the city on your own. (B)

Day 17: Sat. June 1 - Reykjavík - Tour Ends

Depart from home today with incredible memories of your Scandinavian journey. Our coach will be waiting for our arrival at Pearson Airport to return us home. (B)

Tour includes: transfer to Pearson International Airport in Toronto



by motor coach, return flights, departure taxes, airport baggage fees round trip, motor coach transportation with Hamilton Tours Director, 15 nights' accommodation, hotel taxes, 15 breakfasts, 10 dinners, baggage handling, attractions, museum visits and guided tours as listed in the itinerary & HST.

Cost per person: Twin \$TBC & Single \$TBC

****pricing available April 30, 2023**

Travel Insurance is available through our office at the time of booking at an additional charge.

Tuesday, June 4 to Friday, June 21, 2024 - Discover the Great Yukon & Alaska on a road less travelled plus Southbound Alaskan Cruise - A once in a lifetime tour!

Highlights include: Whitehorse, Dawson City, Fairbanks, Denali National Park, Anchorage, Hubbard Glacier, Juneau, Skagway, journey aboard the "Scenic Railway of the World" to the White Pass Summit, Icy Strait Point, Ketchikan, Inside Passage & Vancouver, British Columbia

Tentative Itinerary:

Day 1: Tues., June 4 - The tour will depart from Collingwood, Stayner, Barrie & The Tour Office.

Please note: Overnight parking is only available at our Tour Office. We will travel to Pearson International Airport for our flight to Whitehorse, Yukon. The flight path is Toronto to Vancouver with a 2-hour layover connecting onto Whitehorse – total travel time is approximately 10 hours. A Canadian Passport will be required for identification at the airport and later in the tour for our border crossing into the USA. We will be transferred to our hotel by our motor coach carrier that will be with us for the entire tour. This evening we will reach Whitehorse, the Capital City of the Yukon our home for the next 3 nights. A welcome dinner will conclude our day. Overnight: The Sternwheeler Hotel. (D)

Day 2: Wed., June 5 - Whitehorse:
Today we will explore the town, starting



with a visit to the Whitehorse Fish Ladder. It is the world's longest wooden fish ladder that helps migrating Chinook salmon on the final leg of their journey. We will visit the McBride Museum of Yukon History and learn about the local history and folklore of Sam Magee. Then it is on to the Yukon Beringia Interpretive Centre, S.S. Klondike Paddle Wheeler & photo stops. Later this afternoon there will be free time to go shopping, hike one of the great trails along the Yukon River, explore the town or perhaps just relax with a good book. (B & D)

Day 3: Thurs., June 6 - Whitehorse: Today we will travel to Haines Junction and explore Kluane National Park & Reserve. We will return in the late afternoon to Whitehorse. (B & L)

Day 4: Fri., June 7 - Dawson City: Following the same basic route as the old prospectors of the Klondike Gold Rush we will drive to Dawson City, our home for the next two nights. We will make photo stops and meal breaks along the way, stopping at Braeburn for cinnamon buns in the morning, Five Finger Rapids at noon and Moose Creek Lodge in the afternoon. Dawson City is a national historic treasure. The old buildings have been preserved from the gold rush period at the turn of the 20th century, making you feel like you've travelled back to those colourful times. Overnight: Aurora Inn (B, L & D)

Day 5: Sat., June 8 - Dawson City: Today we will have a guided tour and learn all about the history of the gold rush, gold panning techniques as well as more large-scale methods of prizing the shiny metal out of the earth. The afternoon can be enjoyed on your own. You may want to see Pierre Burton's homestead, visit the Robert Service Cabin or Diamond Tooth Gertie's, visit the quaint shops or just relax in this peaceful village setting. (B)



Day 6: Sun., June 9 - Fairbanks:

The drive to Fairbanks takes you to the Top of the World and back. This highway gives you sense of the vastness of the land. We will enter Alaska at Poker Creek, travelling through unique settlements like Chicken and Tok as we make our way to the northern terminus of the Alaska Highway in Fairbanks. Overnight: Bear Lodge at the Wedgewood Resort for the next 3 nights (B & L)

Day 7: Mon., June 10 - Fairbanks:

FREE DAY - Today is a rest day to enjoy the resort, relax & do your laundry. You can explore the Antique Auto Museum on site, walk the trails or visit the Wedgewood Wildlife Sanctuary, which is a beautiful, 75-acre refuge that provides habitat for a variety of Interior Alaska's wildlife, located next to Wedgewood Resort. (B & L)

Day 8: Tues., June 11 - Fairbanks: Sternwheelers once serviced the gold seekers in Dawson by navigating the Yukon River all the way through Alaska from the Bering Sea. Today, you can relive some of that experience on the Riverboat Discovery Cruise. You'll see a wonderful interpretive site depicting Alaska of old as well as have a chance to see a dog sled demonstration. This evening we will visit Pioneer Park to enjoy a Salmon BBQ dinner and Vaudeville show. (B & D)

Day 9: Wed., June 12 - Denali Park/Denali: This morning we will checkout immediately following breakfast and depart for Denali National Park. We will travel through Denali National Park with hopes of viewing Denali formerly known as Mt. McKinley, the highest mountain on the continent, as we make our way to the Denali Interpretative Centre. This afternoon we are booked for a Natural History Tour of Denali Park which will take us to Mile 17 within the park limits with hopes of viewing wildlife in their natural habitat. Overnight: Grand Denali Lodge (B)



Day 10: Thurs., June 13 - Denali

Park/Anchorage: This morning we will visit the Denali Interpretive Centre before travelling to Anchorage, the largest city north of the 60th parallel. Overnight: Springhill Suites Anchorage (B & L)



Day 11: Fri., June 14 - Anchorage/

Seward: Following breakfast we'll experience a guided city tour. There will be some free time for shopping and lunch in the downtown core. Then we will travel along the picturesque route to Seward. In the late afternoon we will board the Celebrity Summit cruise ship for our amazing southbound cruise. (B & D)



Day 12: Sat., June 15 - Hubbard Glacier, Alaska: Stretching over 90 miles long and covering over 1,350 square miles in area, Hubbard Glacier is the largest tidewater glacier in North America. It is also one of the most impressive, a 300-foot wall of ice rising sheer & jagged from the ocean. (arrive 2:00pm/ depart 6:00pm) (B, L & D)

Day 13: Sun., June 16 - Juneau, Alaska: Accessible only by air or sea, Alaska's capital is surprisingly urban and cultured for such a remote destination. When you arrive by sea, you will be greeted dockside by numerous flags and an abundance of summer flowers. For further insight into the Inuit culture and crafts, visit the museum. (arrive 8:00am/depart 9:00pm) (B, L & D)

Day 14: Mon., June 17 - Skagway, Alaska: Skagway was born during the great Klondike gold rush. Those were the days when Skagway had 80 saloons and was known as "the roughest town on earth". This afternoon our tour group will experience an unforgettable journey aboard the "Scenic Railway of the World" to the White Pass Summit. We begin our excursion as we board the train in Skagway and travel 20 miles from tidewater to the Summit of the White Pass – a 2,865 foot elevation! We will return to the town by bus, making photo stops enroute. (arrive 7:00am/depart 8:30pm) (B, L & D)

Day 15: Tues., June 18 - Icy Strait Point, Alaska: Icy Strait Point, established in 1912 is a new port of call for cruise lines and enthusiasts of the real Alaska. Icy Strait Point opens its untouched, pristine lands to visitors. Hosting only one ship at a time, it provides guests with rich wildlife tours and authentic native Tlingit culture. This port requires that we arrive by tender. (arrive 7:00am/depart 4:00pm) (B, L & D)

Day 16: Wed., June 19 - Ketchikan, Alaska: Ketchikan is the salmon capital of the world. The canneries are busy and the stream below Creek Street's rustic boardwalk bustles with life. Visit the ancient grove of Totem Bight, the largest collection of authentic totem poles anywhere. (arrive 9:00am/depart 6:00pm) (B, L & D)

Day 17: Thurs., June 20 - Inside Passage: Stretching from the Canadian border in the south, to the start of the Gulf of Alaska in the north, the Inside Passage runs through the area known as Southeast Alaska, just below Glacier Bay National Park. (B, L & D)

Day 18: Fri., June 21 - Vancouver, British Columbia to Home: We will arrive in port at 7:00am. Following breakfast and departure from the ship we will board our coach and enjoy a brief guided city tour of Vancouver. You will discover why this is one of Canada's most popular destinations. We will head to the Vancouver Airport for our return flight at 2:00p.m. Arriving at Pearson International Airport at 9:30p.m. Our Hammond coach will meet us and return us to our original departure points. (B)

Tour includes: transfer by motor coach to Pearson International Airport, return flights, baggage fee for one large suitcase per person is included per flight, motor coach transportation with Hamilton Tours Director, 10 nights hotel accommodation, Celebrity Summit 7 night southbound cruise, baggage handling, 17 breakfasts, 11 lunches, 11 evening dinners, 2 National Park passes, 1 boat cruise in Fairbanks, White Pass & Yukon Route Train Trip, attractions and guided tours as listed in the itinerary, Cruise port charges & taxes of \$347.00 per person & HST on the Canadian portion only. Each cabin will also receive early booking perks of \$200. US on board credit as well as a free Wifi, Gratuities & Classic



Beverage package.

18 Day: Cost per person based on return flights, Land & Cruise outside, cabins with balcony:

Twin \$TBC & Single \$TBC

A Valid Canadian Passport is required for this tour with the expiry date being a minimum of 6 months past the date of travel. You will be required to provide a photocopy of your passport at the time of booking. Covid Vaccinations are highly recommended as travel requirements are subject to change prior to departure.



Initial deposit of \$1000 is due upon booking.

A second deposit of \$2000.00 is due on August 1, 2023

A third deposit of \$3000.00 is due on December 1, 2023

The balance is due in full by April 1, 2024

Travel Insurance is available through our office at the time of booking at an additional charge.

Travel Trivia

Challenge your mind and name the destination.



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RATES: Tour rates are calculated according to transportation fares and accommodation rates in effect as of March 2023. Although efforts are made to maintain the tour rates as published, Hamilton Tours Ltd. reserves the right to adjust prices at any time should this become necessary.

DEPOSITS & PAYMENTS: Overnight Tours require a set deposit that is listed in the itinerary within 14 days of booking. If the deposit is not received within this time period, reservations may be cancelled. The balance of payment due date, is also listed with the itinerary therefore guaranteeing the confirmed rate. When reservations are received less than 45 days prior to departure, full payment is required immediately.

FORMS OF PAYMENT: Payment by cheque is preferred, with the date of the tour in the Memo portion. We do accept cash, debit, Visa and Mastercard. Cheques must be made payable to Hamilton Tours Ltd. A service charge of 2% will be added to credit card purchases. TAX: H.S.T. charges, if any, that apply to the cost of your tour are included in the price. Prices are all in Canadian dollars.

DOCUMENTATION REQUIREMENTS: Canadian Citizens are required to present a valid passport when travelling outside of Canada. We require that you provide us with your Passport number & expiration date, your name as it appears on your passport and your birthdate for all international tours. Please note that entry into another country may be refused even if the required information and travel documents are complete. Living standards and practises at your destination may differ from those found in Canada.

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TRAVEL INSURANCE: Hamilton Tours Ltd. strongly recommends the purchase of insurance for overnight tours. Our office offers travel insurance for tour and individual travel. Insurance is quoted on an individual basis and should be arranged and paid for at the time of booking. If insurance is declined, a waiver must be signed and returned to our office prior to departure. All tour itineraries are subject to change or cancellation without prior notice. Hamilton Tours Ltd. shall have no responsibilities beyond their refund of all monies paid by the passenger, which is deemed to constitute full settlement.

The tour organizer reserves the right to decline any person as a member of the tour at any time before or during the tour should such person's presence be considered detrimental to the interest, comfort and enjoyment of the other tour members. Persons leaving the tour during operation will not receive a refund of unused services. Persons Requiring special assistance with personal care must be accompanied by a caregiver.

Hamilton Tours Ltd. -Levels of Activity & Dietary Concerns & Restrictions

The level of activity required for each tour varies greatly. Should you have any concerns regarding this issue, such as the amount of walking, standing, use of mobility aides, motion sickness, etc., please contact our office prior to booking.

Dietary restrictions and allergies are the responsibility of the passenger.

We will try to accommodate these concerns to our best ability when we have sufficient notification.

Please be aware that culinary choices are sometimes limited by region.

Diabetics are encouraged to have sufficient snacks or food choices with them in case of delays.

Please be aware that we “Share the Air” and refrain from the use of heavy perfumes and colognes when traveling on the coaches.

Terms and Conditions regarding our Cancellation Policy: Day Trips are non-refundable

Overnight Tours involving Airline Tickets and/or Cruise portion:

For cancellation between 120 days and booking date - the initial deposit is non-refundable

For cancellation between 76 days to 119 days - 50% of the tour cost

For cancellation between day of departure to 75 days - 100% of the tour cost

Overnight Coach Tours

For cancellation between 121 days and booking date - 25% of the tour cost

For cancellation between 120 days to 91 days - 50% of the tour cost

For cancellation between 60 days to 90 days - 75% of the tour cost

For cancellation between day of departure to 59 days - 100% of the tour cost

Cancellation protection insurance is highly recommended and must be purchased at the time of deposit

Chart of Departure Points

1. Barrie - Bayfield Mall - At the rear of the Canadian Tire Store

Please park facing Highway 400 close to Coulter Street

Barrie - Tollendale Village - Phase 2 building - 290 Hurst Drive

Barrie - 94 Dean Avenue

2. Tour Office - 3479 Hwy 88 - at the Entrance to the Husky Restaurant/Esso

3. Newmarket - Ray Twinney Centre - park near McCaffrey St.

4. Orillia - Orillia Square Mall

5. Collingwood - As per request

6. Wasaga Beach - at the Rec Plex

7. Alliston - As per request

8. Elmvale - at the Community Hall

9. Orangeville - at the Walmart Store

10. Stayner - at the Arena



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