# WASHINGTON, DC AND WILLIAMSBURG, VA

#### DAY ONE

- Arrive Washington, DC and meet your Group Tour Company escort/guide and motorcoach, both of whom will be with you for the next seven days
- > Sightseeing as arrival time allows
- > Check in suggested hotel
- ➤ Welcome Dinner
- ➤ Illuminated Night Tour of Washington's Monuments and Memorials

[Dinner included]

## **DAY TWO**

- ➤ Breakfast at the hotel
- ➤ The White House
- ➤ The Jefferson, Franklin D. Roosevelt and Martin Luther King, Jr. Memorials
- Ford's Theatre and Petersen House
- ➤ Various museums and galleries of the Smithsonian Institution with lunch at your own expense
- Embassy Row and the National Cathedral
- > The World War II Veterans Memorial
- Return to the hotel to freshen up
- Dinner at your own expense in Georgetown
- > Evening performance at The John F. Kennedy Memorial Center for the Performing Arts or alternative arts venue

[Breakfast included]

### **DAY THREE**

- ➤ Breakfast at the hotel
- Capitol Hill including the Library of Congress and the Supreme Court
- Capitol Building Visitor Center and tour
- Lunch at own expense at Union Station
- Arlington National Cemetery including the Changing of the Guard at the Tomb of the Unknowns and the Kennedy gravesites
- > The Iwo Jima Marine Memorial
- > The United States Holocaust Memorial Museum
- > The Washington Monument
- Return to your hotel to freshen up
- Hosted dinner

[Breakfast and dinner included]

Helpful Hint: Contact your congressional representative to schedule a tour of the White House and Capitol Buildings.

#### **DAY FOUR**

- Breakfast at the hotel followed by check out
- ➤ George Washington's Mount Vernon
- ➤ Lunch at the Mount Vernon Inn
- > Depart Washington, DC for Williamsburg, VA
- > Stop Richmond with a visit to the Virginia State House
- > Continue onto Williamsburg, VA for hotel check in
- ➤ Welcome Dinner

[Breakfast, lunch and dinner included]

#### **DAY FIVE**

- ➤ Breakfast at the hotel
- > Jamestown Settlement and Island
- Colonial Williamsburg with a deluxe ticket including admissions to the Governor's Palace
- Late afternoon visit to Shirley Plantation
- > Return to the hotel to freshen up
- > Free evening for dinner at your own expense

[Breakfast included]

### DAY SIX

- > Breakfast at the hotel
- Yorktown Victory Center and Battlefield
- Free time for lunch at own expense and to explore Colonial Williamsburg for a second day
- Return to the hotel to freshen up
- ➤ Colonial Williamsburg Tavern Dinner
- Evening Lanthorn Tour of Colonial Williamsburg craft shops or a Ghost Tour

[Breakfast and dinner included]

### **DAY SEVEN**

- > Breakfast at the hotel followed by check out
- > Additional sightseeing as departure time allows
- > Departure flight home

[Breakfast included]

Additional Days: Annapolis and the U.S. Naval Academy; Baltimore, Maryland; The Chesapeake Bay; and Fredericksburg, Virginia.

#### If you have the extra time consider...

# DAY SEVEN (continued)...

- > Charlottesville and Thomas Jefferson's Monticello
- ➤ Lunch at Michie Tavern
- ➤ Scenic sightseeing in the Shenandoah Valley along skyline drive en-route to Lancaster, PA
- Check-in suggested hotel
- Welcome dinner at the hotel

[Breakfast, lunch and dinner included]

#### DAY EIGHT

- Breakfast at the hotel
- Penn Dutch tour including Amish Farmhouse and farmlands
- > Lunch at own expense at one of the various markets around Lancaster
- > Hershey, PA and Chocolate World
- Penn Dutch Style Dinner
- Performance at The American Music Theatre or Sights and Sound Theatre

[Breakfast and dinner included]

## **DAY NINE**

- > Breakfast at the hotel
- Depart for Gettysburg, PA
- Gettysburg Battlefield Tour
- ➤ Lunch at the Cozy
- Continue onto Washington, DC and your departure flight home

[Breakfast and lunch included]

Alternative Pattern: You could do Gettysburg along with the Eisenhower Farm, stay an additional night in Lancaster and continue Day 10 onto Philadelphia for additional sightseeing or departure flight home.

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# **NEW YORK CITY ITINERARY**

#### DAY ONE

- Arrive New York City and meet your Group Tour Company escort/guide and motorcoach both of whom will be with you for the next six days
- > Sightseeing as arrival time allows
- > Check in suggested hotel
- "Top of the Rock" the observation deck at One Rockefeller Center
- ➤ Welcome dinner in New York's Little Italy

[Dinner included]

## **DAY TWO**

- Breakfast at the hotel
- ➤ The Statue of Liberty and Ellis Island
- Lunch at your own expense
- ➤ The Financial District including Wall Street, New York Stock Exchange, and 9/11 Memorial
- ➤ Free time on your own at South Street Seaport or shopping along Canal Street
- Return to the hotel to freshen up
- > Dinner at your own expense
- ➤ Performance: Broadway, off-Broadway or alternative venue such as Lincoln Center

[Breakfast included]

## **DAY THREE**

- Breakfast at the hotel
- Upper Manhattan including Columbia University, Harlem, the Apollo Theatre and the Cathedral of St. John the Divine
- ➤ Lunch at The Boat House
- Central Park Walking Tour
- ➤ The Metropolitan Museum of Art with free time to explore the museum on your own
- Return the hotel to freshen up
- Free time on you own this evening for dinner at your own expense and to catch another performance

[Breakfast and lunch included]

# **DAY FOUR**

- Breakfast at the hotel
- ➤ The NBC Studio Tour
- ➤ The Radio City Music Hall Stage Door Tour
- Lunch at own expense at Grand Central Station
- The United Nations Tour
- ➤ 5th Avenue, St. Patrick's Cathedral and Rockefeller Center with free time for shopping
- Return the hotel to freshen up
- > Free evening to pursue individual interest, hey this is what New York City is all about!

[Breakfast included]

# **DAY FIVE**

- Breakfast at the hotel
- ➤ The American Museum of Natural History including the Rose Center for Earth and Science and the Hayden Planetarium or The Museum of Modern Art
- ➤ Lunch at own expense in Greenwich Village
- Afternoon sightseeing in New York Villages including Greenwich, Chinatown and SoHo
- ➤ Return to the hotel and late afternoon free time to pursue individual pursuits
- > Farewell dinner

[Breakfast and dinner included]

### DAY SIX

- > Breakfast at the hotel followed by check out
- > Sightseeing as departure time allows
- > Departure flight home

# [Breakfast included]

Additional Days: New York City makes a great gateway into the Hudson River Valley with West Point and Kykuit continuing onto Niagara Falls ending in Toronto Canada. This is great Fall Foliage alternative to New England!

## Another alternative if you have the extra time consider...

#### DAY SIX (continued)...

- Early morning depart for Philadelphia, PA
- ➤ The Constitution Center
- Independence Mall with visits to the Liberty Bell Pavilion and Independence Hall
- Lunch at own expense at the Reading Terminal Market
- > The Philadelphia Museum of Art
- > Depart for Wilmington, DE
- Check in suggested hotel
- Welcome dinner at the hotel

Breakfast and dinner included]

# DAY SEVEN

- Breakfast at the hotel
- ➤ The Hagley Museum and Eleutherean Mills
- Lunch at Winterthur House and Gardens
- > Tour Winterthur
- ➤ The Brandywine River Museum
- Return to the hotel to freshen up
- > Dinner at the Dilworthtown Inn

[Breakfast, lunch and dinner included]

# **DAY EIGHT**

- > Breakfast at the hotel followed by check out
- > Longwood Gardens and lunch at your own expense
- Depart for the airport and departure flight home

Itinerary Note: With this three-day extension you could fly out of Philadelphia, Baltimore or Washington. If you have a few extra days the above itinerary would dovetail nice with an extended visit to the Baltimore-Washington Metropolitan Area. See our Washington-Williamsburg Itinerary for details.

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# **BOSTON-NEW ENGLAND ITINERARY**

### DAY ONE

- Arrive Boston and meet your Group Tour Company escort/guide and motorcoach, both of whom will be with you for the next six days
- > Check in suggested hotel
- ➤ Welcome dinner at the hotel
- ➤ The Prudential Building Observation Deck

[Dinner included]

#### **DAY TWO**

- Breakfast at the hotel
- Sightseeing along the Freedom Trail including Boston Commons, The State House, the Old Granary Burying Ground and Faneuil Hall
- Lunch at own expense at Quincy Market
- Afternoon sightseeing along the Freedom Trail continues with visits to Paul Revere House and Old North Church
- ➤ Bunker Hill and the USS Constitution
- Return to the hotel to freshen up
- > Dinner at your own expense
- Evening performance

[Breakfast included]

#### **DAY THREE**

- Breakfast at the hotel
- ➤ Lowell Textile Museum
- Concord, Lexington and the Minute Man National Historical Park
- Lunch at own expense with free time for shopping at Copley Plaza or along Newberry Street
- ➤ The Boston Museum of Fine Arts
- Other Boston museums of interest: The Isabella Stuart Gardner Museum, the Museum of Science, the New England Aquarium, The Children's Museum and the Tea Party Museum
- Return to the hotel to freshen up
- > Dinner this evening in Little Italy

[Breakfast and dinner included]

# **DAY FOUR**

- ➤ Breakfast at the hotel
- ➤ Plimouth Plantation and the Mayflower II
- ➤ Plymouth Rock
- ➤ Lunch at own expense in Plymouth
- ➤ The JFK Library
- Sightseeing in Cambridge and Harvard
- Return to the hotel to freshen up
- ➤ Free evening on your own to pursue individual interests [Breakfast included]

#### **DAY FIVE**

- > Breakfast at the hotel and depart for Salem
- ➤ The Salem Witch Museum
- > Peabody Essex Museum with lunch at you own expense
- ➤ The House of Seven Gables
- ➤ Marblehead with free time for shopping
- > Traditional Lobster Bake Dinner on Gloucester Bay
- Return to the hotel following dinner

[Breakfast and dinner included]

## **DAY SIX**

- > Breakfast at the hotel followed by check out
- Additional sightseeing as departure time allows
- Departure flight home

[Breakfast included]

## If you have the extra time consider...

# DAY SIX (continued)...

- Newport, Rhode Island with lunch followed by visits to the Breakers and Hammersmith Farm
- ➤ Continue onto New York City

Itinerary Note: With this one-day extension you could fly out of New York City. If you have a few extra days to spare the above would dovetail nicely with a visit to Manhattan. See our New York Itinerary for details.

## NEW ENGLAND FALL FOLIAGE EXTENSION

## DAY ONE

- Depart Boston for Portland, ME stopping in Kennebunkport
- > Continue onto Portland and check in suggested hotel
- > A two-hour orientation tour of Portland
- > Dinner this evening on Portland's waterfront

[Dinner and dinner included]

# DAY TWO

- Breakfast at the hotel followed by check out
- Depart for Camden, ME stopping in Freeport at L.L. Bean
- > Sightseeing in historic Brunswick in route
- Check in suggested inn with free time to explore Camden's beautiful seaport with dinner at your own expense

[Breakfast included]

## DAY THREE

- > Breakfast at the hotel followed by check out
- > Acadia National Park
- > Following lunch drive to Rangeley, ME
- > Check in suggested Inn with a hosted dinner
- > Evening "Moose Patrol"

[Breakfast and dinner included]

# **DAY FOUR**

- Breakfast at the hotel followed by check out
- Head across to New Hampshire and the White Mountains
- > Stop North Conway and the Scenic Railroad
- > Continue to Crawford Notch and the Flume Cascade
- Check in suggested Inn on Lake Winnipesaukee with a hosted dinner

[Breakfast and dinner included]

# DAY FIVE

- Breakfast at the hotel followed by check out
- ➤ Boat Cruise on Lake Winnipesaukee
- > Castle in the Clouds
- Travel to Stowe, VT with a stop in Montpelier a visit to a maple syrup farm
- Check in suggested hotel with a Farewell dinner

[Breakfast and dinner included]

#### **DAY SIX**

- > Breakfast at the hotel followed by check out
- Depart for Boston and your departure flight home [Breakfast included]

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