



Coastal Maine Discovery Tour

MAY 22-27, 2027

COST PER PERSON

DOUBLE	\$2,689
SINGLE	\$3,609
SINGLE	\$2,439
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Optional pre-paid AAA Group Travel
Tour Host gratuities **\$30**

Rates are per person based on occupancy and include AAA Member Discount. \$750 per person deposit due at time of booking. Final payment February 15, 2027.



ACTIVITY LEVEL COMFORTABLE

Moderate pace; good mobility needed; stairs and prolonged standing for more than 2 hours at a time; some longer days involving early mornings and/or late evenings; some walking on varied terrain. This Activity Level is not recommended for travelers with mobility issues such as someone who uses a cane, walker, or wheelchair.

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Experience the very best of coastal Maine on this immersive journey through its iconic harbors, rugged shorelines, and historic seaside towns. Explore maritime history firsthand with a visit to Albacore Park's submarine exhibit and the Maine Maritime Museum, complemented by a narrated river cruise that brings the region's seafaring heritage to life. Travel along Maine's breathtaking coast with guided tours of Boothbay Harbor, Camden, Rockport, and Portland, including visits to lighthouses such as Portland Head Light, Nubble Light, and a scenic Bar Harbor lighthouse cruise, along with the dramatic beauty of Acadia National Park via the Park Loop Road. With free time in beloved coastal communities like Kennebunkport, Freeport, and Ogunquit, plus unique stops like Len Libby Candies and the Maine Prison Showroom, this tour blends natural beauty, maritime tradition, and quintessential New England charm.

INCLUDES:

- ▶ Roundtrip motorcoach transportation from Buffalo, Rochester, or Syracuse with driver gratuity
- ▶ 5 nights hotel accommodations
- ▶ 9 meals: 5 breakfasts and 4 dinners including a Lobster dinner
- ▶ Admission to USS Albacore Museum with self-guided submarine tour
- ▶ Admission to Maine Maritime Museum including a narrated river cruise
- ▶ Guided driving tour of Boothbay Harbor featuring historic sites and coastal neighborhoods
- ▶ Fully narrated Boothbay Harbor cruise on Linekin Bay
- ▶ Shopping stop at the Maine Prison Showroom
- ▶ Bar Harbor Lighthouse Cruise
- ▶ Guided tour of Acadia National Park, including travel along the scenic Park Loop Road
- ▶ Guided tour of Camden and Rockport with admission to Camden Hills State Park and Mt. Battie
- ▶ Guided tour of Portland, including Portland Head Light and additional lighthouse photo stops
- ▶ Stop at Len Libby Candies
- ▶ Photo stop at Nubble Lighthouse
- ▶ Free time in Kennebunkport, Boothbay Harbor, Bar Harbor, Camden, Freeport, Portland, and Ogunquit - Baggage handling (1 piece per person)
- ▶ Services of a AAA Group Travel Tour Host
- ▶ All applicable taxes, fees, and included meal gratuities

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DAY 1 – MAY 22

Your adventure begins with motorcoach transportation from Buffalo, Rochester, or Syracuse, accompanied by a AAA Group Travel Tour Host. Travel east through scenic upstate New York into the charm of New England, arriving in historic Portsmouth for an overnight stay. This coastal city offers a delightful introduction to the region with its classic architecture and maritime heritage. This evening, enjoy an included buffet dinner at your hotel before settling in for a restful night.

DAY 2 – MAY 23

After breakfast, visit USS Albacore Museum for a self-guided tour of a pioneering research submarine and its memorial grounds. Continue into Maine with free time for lunch in Kennebunkport Dock Square before heading to the Maine Maritime Museum. Here, enjoy a scenic river cruise past historic shipyards and lighthouses, followed by time to explore engaging exhibits. Travel on to Boothbay Harbor for an overnight stay and enjoy dinner overlooking the waterfront.

DAY 3 – MAY 24

Begin your day with a guided tour of the charming coastal village of Boothbay Harbor, rich in maritime history and scenic beauty. Then, relax on a narrated harbor cruise featuring picturesque islands, lighthouses, and local wildlife. After free time for lunch and exploration, journey “downeast” along Maine’s rugged coastline toward Bar Harbor, with a stop at the Maine Prison Showroom for unique handcrafted items. This evening, arrive at your waterfront hotel and enjoy a traditional Maine lobster dinner with all the fixings.

DAY 4 – MAY 25

Start your day with a lighthouse cruise along the shores of Bar Harbor, passing historic estates and iconic coastal landmarks. Enjoy free time to explore the town’s shops and waterfront before an afternoon guided tour of breathtaking Acadia National Park. Highlights include Cadillac Mountain, Thunder Hole, and scenic stops along the Park Loop Road. Conclude the day with an included dinner and another evening along the Maine coast.

DAY 5 – MAY 26

After breakfast, travel south for a narrated tour of Camden and Rockport, including a photo stop atop Mt. Battie for sweeping coastal views. Enjoy free time for lunch and browsing in Camden’s picturesque harbor village. Continue to Freeport for shopping at the flagship L.L. Bean store and outlet shops. Arrive in Portland’s Old Port district for an overnight stay and an evening at leisure.

DAY 6 – MAY 27

Enjoy a guided tour of Portland, featuring historic neighborhoods, coastal views, and iconic lighthouses including Portland Head Light. Stop at Len Libby Candies to see the famous life-size chocolate moose before continuing to Ogunquit for free time and lunch on your own. Make a final photo stop at Nubble Lighthouse before beginning your return journey home. Depart with lasting memories of Maine’s rugged coastline, charming villages, and iconic lighthouses.

PICK-UP LOCATIONS:

Buffalo

AAA Administrative Office
100 International Dr., Amherst

Rochester

RIT Inn & Conference Center
5257 West Henrietta Rd., Henrietta

Syracuse

Syracuse Doubletree Hotel
6301 State Route 298, East Syracuse

Please refer to final travel documents for boarding and return times.

HOTEL:

Holiday Inn, Portsmouth, NH (1 night) / Boothbay Harbor Inn, Boothbay Harbor, ME (1 night)
Atlantic Oceanside Hotel Bar, Harbor, ME (2 nights) / Hampton Inn Old Port, Portland, ME (1 night)

NOTE: This tour is booked as the above inclusions state. It is possible due to unforeseen circumstances that some inclusions may change in future months. Should that happen, AAA Group Travel will take all necessary steps to find a suitable replacement for the tour.

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Cancellation Penalties:	
Date of deposit – January 5, 2027	\$150 administrative fee per person
January 6, 2027 – February 15, 2027	Loss of deposit per person
February 16, 2027 – day of departure	100% non-refundable per person

