



Newport, RI Treasures: Mansions, Gardens and Harbor Views (TMC1969) June 1-5, 2026

INCLUDES:

- Roundtrip motorcoach transportation from Buffalo, Rochester, or Syracuse
- 4-nights hotel accommodations
- 8 meals: 4 breakfasts, 2 lunches, 2 dinners
- Discover Newport on a narrated tour highlighting historic landmarks, scenic Ten-Mile Ocean Drive, and the grand mansions of Bellevue Avenue
- Step inside the opulent Marble House, The Breakers, and Rosecliff mansions for self-guided tours
- Cruise Newport Harbor aboard the Coastal Queen, taking in lighthouses, harbor mansions, and stunning coastal views
- Stroll Newport's famous Cliff Walk on a guided tour for breathtaking ocean vistas and a glimpse of Gilded Age architecture
- Enjoy a delightful afternoon at the Newport Playhouse, featuring lunch, a live show, and a lively cabaret performance
- Wander the whimsical Green Animals Topiary Garden, home to 80 sculpted trees and colorful seasonal blooms
- Explore the grand Blithewold Estate & Gardens, a 33-acre summer retreat filled with history, heirlooms, and sweeping bay views
- Baggage handling (1 piece per person)
- Services of and Gratuities for a Local Tour Guide
- Services of a AAA Group Travel Tour Host
- Services of and Gratuities for a Professional Motorcoach Driver
- All applicable taxes, fees, and included meal gratuities



ACTIVITY LEVEL: 3

ACTIVE: 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.

HOTEL(S):

Wyndham Newport Hotel (4 nights)
Newport, RI

PRICING:

Double	\$1,799
Single	\$2,329
Triple	\$1,649
Quad	\$1,599
Optional Pre-paid AAA Group Travel Tour Host gratuities	\$20

Rates are per person based on occupancy and include AAA Member Discount. \$500 per person deposit due at time of booking. Final payment March 15, 2026.

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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.

PICK-UP LOCATIONS:

Buffalo

AAA Administrative Office
100 International Dr.
Williamsville

Rochester

RIT Inn & Conference Center
5257 West Henrietta Rd.
Henrietta

Syracuse

Syracuse Doubletree Hotel
6301 State Route 298
East Syracuse

CANCELLATION POLICY:

AAA recommends the purchase of Allianz Global Assistance products to protect your trip investment.

Day of Deposit to 2-1-26 / \$150 Administrative Fee Per Person

2-2-26 to 3-15-26 / Loss of Deposit Per Person

3-16-26 to Day of Departure / 100% Non-Refundable Per Person



ITINERARY:

Day 1 – Board your motorcoach this morning from Buffalo, Rochester, or Syracuse and journey to the charming seaside city of Newport, Rhode Island, fondly known as the “Ocean State.” Upon arrival, check into the Wyndham Newport Hotel, your home for the next four nights. Enjoy a relaxing evening with dinner included at your hotel, the perfect start to your coastal getaway.

Day 2 – After breakfast, meet your local guide along with the delightful “Mrs. Caroline Astor,” who brings to life the grandeur of Newport’s Gilded Age. Take in points of interest on a narrated city tour, including the breathtaking Ten-Mile Ocean Drive and Bellevue Avenue lined with magnificent mansions. Explore the opulent Marble House, the Vanderbilt family’s summer “cottage,” before enjoying free time for lunch and browsing the cobblestone waterfront filled with galleries, shops, and restaurants. This afternoon, set sail on a 75-minute Coastal Queen Harbor Cruise to admire lighthouses, historic forts, and harbor mansions before returning to your hotel for an included dinner.

Day 3 – Following breakfast, step inside The Breakers, the grandest of Newport’s summer mansions and a striking symbol of the Vanderbilt family’s wealth and influence. Then head to the Newport Playhouse for a delicious buffet lunch followed by a live theatrical performance. After the show, enjoy a lively Cabaret with company members bringing music, comedy, and fun directly to your seats. Dinner is on your own this evening to explore one of Newport’s many excellent restaurants.

Day 4 – This morning following breakfast, join your guide for an optional walk along the famous Cliff Walk, where the dramatic Atlantic coastline meets the stately architecture of Gilded Age mansions. Tour Rosecliff, a dazzling mansion known for its extravagant parties and Hollywood film appearances. Enjoy a lunch included before discovering the whimsical Green Animals Topiary Garden, home to sculpted trees and panoramic bay views. Conclude your day at Blithewold Estate, a stunning 33-acre property with a mansion filled with family heirlooms and beautiful themed gardens. Dinner is on your own this evening.

Day 5 – After breakfast, bid farewell to Newport’s seaside charm as you board your motorcoach for the return journey home.