



TIP TOE through the TULIPS in HOLLAND, MI (TMC1938)

MAY 6-10, 2026

INCLUDES:

- Roundtrip motorcoach transportation from Buffalo, Rochester, or Syracuse
- 4-nights hotel accommodations
- 10 meals: 4 breakfasts, 2 lunches including an authentic Dutch lunch, and 4 dinners including a dinner cruise
- Admission to Nelis' Dutch Village – stroll through the authentic 1800s style Dutch town
- Tulip Time Step-On Guided City Tour with Dutch-costumed guide
- Evening Cruise & Dinner aboard the Holland Princess Paddlewheel Boat
- Guided Tour of the Cappon House & Settlers House – explore 19th century life in Holland
- Dutch Lunch & Klompen Dance Performance at Evergreen Commons – witness wooden shoe dancing
- Visit to the Tulip Immersion Garden at Beechwood Church to view 65,000+ tulips at eye level
- Guided Tour of the Holland Museum
- Visit to Veldheer Tulip Gardens – stroll through 5.5 million blooming tulips
- Visit DeKlomp Wooden Shoe & Delftware Factory – see live artisans at work
- Admission to Windmill Island Gardens – the only Dutch windmill on U.S. soil
- Tour of A Christmas Story House in Cleveland
- Free time at West Side Market in Cleveland for shopping and exploring
- Baggage handling (1 piece per person)
- Services of a AAA Group Travel Tour Host
- Services 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):

Delta Hotel by Marriott, Toledo, OH (1 night)
Home2 Suites by Hilton, Holland, MI (2 nights)
Hampton Inn by Hilton, Cleveland, OH (1 night)

PRICING:

Double	\$2,229
Single	\$2,899
Triple	\$2,099
Quad	\$1,999
Optional Pre-Paid AAA Group Travel Tour Host Gratuity	\$20

Rates and inclusions are per person based on occupancy and include AAA Member Discount. \$550 per person deposit due at time of booking. Final payment due by February 6, 2026.

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 1-1-2026 / \$150 Admin Fee Per Person

1-2-2026 to 2-6-2026 / Loss of Deposit Per Person

2-7-2026 to Day of Departure / 100% Non-Refundable Per Person



ITINERARY:

Day 1: Your journey begins with pickups in Syracuse, Rochester, or Buffalo, then heads southwest to Toledo, Ohio. Upon arrival, you'll enjoy a warm welcome dinner at Mancy's Steakhouse, a local favorite known for its classic American steakhouse fare and inviting atmosphere. After dinner, a short motorcoach ride brings you to the Courtyard Toledo West, where you'll settle in for a comfortable first night. (D)

Day 2: After an early hotel breakfast, set out for the charming town of Holland, Michigan. Your first stop is Nelis' Dutch Village, a delightful recreation of an 1800s Dutch settlement. Step back in time among artisans demonstrating traditional crafts like wooden shoe carving and cheesemaking, while enjoying the colorful tulips that blanket the village during the famous Tulip Time Festival. Following free time for lunch on your own, a Dutch-costumed guide joins your motorcoach for a captivating two-hour tour of Holland, including historic districts, parks, Hope College, and the iconic windmill. The day culminates with a relaxing two-hour dinner cruise aboard the Victorian-style Holland Princess paddlewheel boat, featuring a festive Captain's Feast and live music before checking into the nearby Home2 Suites by Hilton. (B, D)

Day 3: Following breakfast, explore the Historic Capon and Settlers House, where the story of Holland's earliest Dutch settlers unfolds through the preserved homes of Isaac Cappon, Holland's first mayor, and other pioneering families. Next, enjoy a traditional Dutch lunch paired with an energetic performance by the famed Dutch Klompen Dancers, who dazzle with their wooden shoe routines and authentic costumes. Continue to the breathtaking Tulip Immersion Garden, a vibrant sea of over 65,000 tulips artistically displayed at eye level, perfect for photography enthusiasts. Conclude your day with a guided visit to the Holland Museum, where history comes alive through extensive exhibits on Dutch heritage and local culture, before dining lakeside at Boatwerks Waterfront Restaurant with scenic views of Lake Macatawa. (B, L, D)

Day 4:

After breakfast and hotel checkout, stroll through Veldheer Tulip Gardens, Holland's only tulip farm, featuring over 5.5 million blooming tulips across expansive perennial gardens. Visit the De Klomp factory to witness the intricate production of hand-painted Dutch pottery, a rare art form practiced only here in North America. Later, spend your morning at Windmill Island Gardens, home to 'de Zwaan,' the last working Dutch windmill outside the Netherlands, where you can climb its five floors and watch it grind grain. Afterward, enjoy an included box lunch en route to Cleveland. Arriving in the evening, savor a lively farewell dinner at Hofbrauhaus Cleveland, modeled after the famed Munich beer hall, complete with a stein of beer, before checking in at the Hampton Inn by Hilton. (B, L, D)

Day 5: Begin your day with breakfast at the hotel before visiting the iconic Christmas Story House in Cleveland, meticulously preserved to transport visitors into the beloved holiday film's world. Take a guided tour and browse themed memorabilia in the gift shop. Then, enjoy lunch on your own at Cleveland's historic West Side Market, a vibrant food hall featuring over 100 vendors offering international flavors and local specialties. After lunch, board the motorcoach for the journey home with stops along the way and final drop-offs in Buffalo, Rochester, and Syracuse, carrying with you fond memories of Dutch heritage, festive tulip fields, and Midwest charm. (B)



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