

VERY VERMONT

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Trip Includes:

- Home pickup in Dane, Milwaukee, Racine, Kenosha, Jefferson, Ozaukee, Washington, WI Counties and Lake County, IL
- Guided tour of Bennington, VT
- Visit to The Sugar Shack and Norman Rockwell "Poster Museum"
- Tour of Hildene, the Lincoln Family
 Home and Dairy
- Tour of the Rock of Ages Granite Quarry
- Choice between **Coffee Lab, Wreath Making, or Distillery Tour.**
- Visit to a local Maple Syrup Producer
- Ice Cream treat at Ben & Jerry's
- Tour of the Trapp Family Lodge
- Visit a local Cider Mill and Winery
- Guided tour of the Shelburne Museum
- Guided ride through Shelburne Farms
- Visit to Shelburne Vineyards
- Tour of the UVM Morgan Horse Farm
- Visit the Montezuma Winery & Hidden Marsh Distillery
- Dinner cruise on the Nautica Queen
- 1 Night at the DoubleTree in Utica, NY
- 2 Nights at the Drury Plaza Hotel in Cleveland, Ohio
- 1 Night stay at the Hampton Inn in Bennington, Vermont
- 2 Night stay at the Commodores Inn in Stowe, Vermont
- 1 Night at Basin Harbor Resort
- Motorcoach Transportation and the Services of a Happy Times Tour Director
- 14 Meals

PER PERSON RATES: Double Occupancy \$2645 Single Occupancy \$3265 Triple Occupancy \$2605

Full Payment Due: 9/5/2021

*Gratuities for the tour director and driver are not included in the price and are at the passenger's discretion. Please note that the itinerary is subject to change due to COVID restrictions that may be enforced without notice.



PC: Rock of Ages

PC: Morse Farm Maple Sugar Works

A Colorful Explosion during peak fall foliage! 8 Days: October 10 – 17, 2021

Day 1 B, D

Enjoy a boxed breakfast as we travel to make our way to Cleveland, Ohio. Enjoy a 3 complimentary drinks and Dinner Kickback at the Drury Inn Plaza Hotel.

Day 2 B, D

Start your day off with a complimentary hot breakfast, before we start our journey through the beautiful fall foliage to Bennington, Vermont. We will arrive in **Bennington, Vermont** in the evening. Upon our arrival we will have a guided tour, followed by a delicious dinner in a restored horse barn.

Day 3 B

We will start our day with a stop at **The Sugar Shack and Norman Rockwell** "Poster Museum". See a small private collection of paintings and posters as well as a wonderful assortment of handpicked souvenirs and products from Vermont. Our next stop will be at **Hildene**, the Lincoln Family Home and Dairy. The overseers of this wonderful place have provided a look into the past as well as a forward thinking way to preserve the values that the Hildene estate holds. Next, we will visit the **Vermont Country Store** and have lunch on our own in Weston, Vermont. After a drive through the Vermont foliage we will make a stop at an unexpected granite quarry. Enjoy gorgeous mountain views from the largest deep-hole dimension granite quarry in the world. Dinner will be on your own in Montpelier before we check into the beautiful **Commodores Inn** for the evening. Day 4 B, D

On this day your will be able to **choose between a Coffee Lab,**Centerpiece/wreath making experience, or a visit to a local distillery. Each location is a great experience. Then, we will learn all about the Sugarin' culture in Vermont at a local Maple Syrup Producer. Lunch will be on your own in Waterbury, followed by a stop at the famous Ben and Jerry's, where we will have a tour followed by a treat. We will finish the day with a History Tour at the Trapp Family Lodge, followed by dinner at a local favorite restaurant.



PC: Bennington Area Chamber of Commerce



PC: UVM Morgan Horse Farm

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Day 5 B, D

Start the morning off right with a hot, fresh apple cider doughnut made fresh minutes before you eat it at a **Cider Mill!** Next, we will visit the **Shelburne Museum** for a guided tour and lunch on your own. Visit the Shelburne Museum, commonly referred to as "New England's Smithsonian". The Shelburne Museum is an unparalleled and unique experience of American history, art, and design. Afterwards, we will have an on coach tour of the **Shelburne Farms**, one of the most picturesque working farms in the state. After our tour, we will have some wine tasting at a local **Vineyard.** We will spend the night at a very special resort, where you may **choose between a private cabin or a room in the very Vermont Lodge.** Spend the evening enjoying your **included dinner** and soaking in Vermont at its finest.

Day 6 B, L

Start the day out with some time to enjoy your surroundings before we depart for the **UVM Morgan Horse Farm.** Here, you will be amazed as you hear about history and see these beautiful horses up close! After our tour, we will have **lunch at the Inn commonly referred to at the Bob Newhart Inn**, known as the inspiration for the show. After our meal, it is time to depart Vermont for our journey home. We will spend the night in Utica, New York at the DoubleTree by Hilton.

Day 7 B. D

We will start our day with a stop at **Montezuma Winery & Hidden Marsh Distillery** for some wine tasting, before we depart for Cleveland, Ohio. We will end our evening with a **dinner cruise aboard the Nautica Queen.**

Day 8 B

After breakfast, enjoy the scenic drive back home.



PC: Trapp Family Lodge

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