

DOOR COUNTY & MACKINAC ISLAND

October 17-23, 2021







DAY 1 SUNDAY, OCTOBER 17

APPLETON, WI

(Dinner)

Today we depart from our designated pick-up locations and travel as far as **Appleton**, **WI**. Upon our arrival in Appleton, we will check into our hotel and freshen up for a lovely welcome dinner this evening.

DAY 2 MONDAY, OCTOBER 18

STURGEON BAY, WI

(Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner)

After breakfast this morning, we will continue on our way to Door County to board the ferry for the ride across Death's Door Passage to Washington Island. Once on land, we'll step aboard the **Cherry Train for a relaxing open-air tram tour** that is a must for any Door County traveler! As we journey across fifteen miles of this Lake Michigan island, our guide will describe life on the island and share stories of its history, legends, and folklore. Lunch will be enjoyed on the island before we return to the mainland by ferry and head to **Seaquist Orchards**. Our step-on guide will entertain and inform us on the inner workings of this family-owned orchard as we tour the acres of cherries, apples, and apricots. Following the tour, we'll sample a few products before doing some shopping. With a variety of salsas, jams, pie fillings, mustards, homemade fudge, and more, there's something for every palate. Dinner tonight is a unique experience that can only be found in Door County – a **traditional fish boil** that is a favorite meal of residents and tourists alike! What began as an economical way to feed large, hungry hoards of lumberjacks and fishermen has become an integral part of the Door County experience. We'll watch locally caught fish boil on an open fire in an outdoor, community-style kitchen, and when we see the fiery spectacle known as the "boil over," it will be just about time to eat!

DAY 3 TUESDAY, OCTOBER 19

MACKINAC ISLAND, MI

(Breakfast, Dinner)

Enjoy breakfast before we head to Mackinac Island with stops for comfort and lunch on our own along the way. We'll catch the ferry in St. Ignace and sail to **Mackinac Island** where motorized vehicles are prohibited and the sounds of waves and horse clops reign. Once on the island, the afternoon is at your leisure to explore this authentic Victorian village. Browse the unique shops of Main Street, wander the peaceful lakefront perimeter, or venture to one of the island's historic landmarks. We will overnight at the magnificent **Grand Hotel** and enjoy a wonderful dinner together!

DAY 4 WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 20

MACKINAC ISLAND, MI

(Breakfast, Lunch)

Wake up to the beauty of this island that has appeared to step back in time and enjoy a leisurely morning. Mid-morning we will be met by horse-drawn carriages and set out on a tour of the island ending back at the Grand Hotel for the legendary Grand Luncheon Buffet! A favorite island attraction for generations, this daily feast features bountiful tables brimming with crisp gardenfresh salads, wheels of savory cheese, succulent slow-roasted meats, seafood, and more than twenty varieties of tempting fresh-baked pastries. It's not just a lunch, it's an experience! Following lunch, take some time to look around this wonderful place or relax in a rocking chair on the world's longest porch while enjoying stunning views of the Straits of Mackinac. Or head out to do some more shopping or exploring around the island for the remainder of the day.







DAY 5 THURSDAY, OCTOBER 21

BENTON HARBOR, MI

(Breakfast, Dinner)

Following breakfast we will board the ferry back to the mainland. Though we'll miss the quiet paradise of Mackinac Island, another adventure awaits as we learn about the lost town of Singapore and check out the local wildlife during a **Saugatuck dune buggy** ride! After an entertaining ride through the dunes, our day will come to an end in **Benton Harbor**, **MI**, where our overnight accommodations and dinner as a group await.

DAY 6 FRIDAY, OCTOBER 22

DAVENPORT, IA

(Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner)

As we begin our journey home, we will stop at **Starved Rock State Park**, a world apart from anything else in Illinois! We'll enjoy the natural beauty that surrounds us as we wind through the towering trees aboard a trolley and then set sail along the park's bluffs to admire the beautiful fall foliage from a different perspective. Lunch will be enjoyed at the restaurant in the historic Starved Rock Lodge & Conference Center. Following our visit to Starved Rock, we will travel on to **Davenport**, **IA**, to settle into our hotel and freshen up for a delightful farewell dinner.

DAY 7 SATURDAY, OCTOBER 23

HOME

(Breakfast)

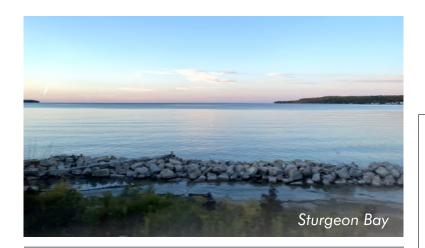
After enjoying the hotel's delicious breakfast, we will board the motorcoach for the remainder of our journey home with stops for comfort and lunch on our own along the way.











INCLUSIONS

- Deluxe Motorcoach Transportation
- 6 Nights' Accommodations
- 14 Meals (6 Breakfasts, 3 Lunches, 5 Dinners)
- Admission to Attractions as Stated on Itinerary
- Porter Service of One Bag Per Person at Hotels
- Taxes & Gratuities for Included Services

Not included in the price of this tour: meals/beverages other than those listed on the itinerary, beverages other than tea or coffee with included meals, items of a personal nature/souvenirs, phone calls and faxes from hotels, travel protection plan, and any service not listed in the above inclusions.

TOUR PRICING ___

\$2,299 per person, Double Occupancy \$2,879 per person, Single Occupancy

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\$239 per person, Double or Single

(Payment may be sent with your deposit or with final payment to American State Bank)

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Activity Levels

- 1. Easy to Minimal: Mostly panoramic sightseeing; 1-2 hours of easy-paced walking at a time; minimal stairs and uneven surfaces; must be able to physically get on/off the motorcoach.
- 2. Minimal to Moderate: 2-3 hours of easy-paced walking at a time; some stairs and uneven surfaces due to nature of attractions.
- 3. Moderate: 3-4 hours of walking/standing at a time; some stairs, inclines, and uneven surfaces due to nature of attractions.
- 4. Moderate to Energetic: 4-6 hours of walking/standing/physical activity; stairs, inclines, and uneven surfaces due to nature of attractions.
- 5. Energetic: Excellent health is required for this on-the-go tour; involves strenuous activities and more than 6 hours of activity at a more vigorous pace.

DOCUMENTATION: A current government-issued photo ID is required for this trip.

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