

THE SPLENDOR OF DULUTH & BAYFIELD (DULUTH, MN, BAYFIELD/APOSTLE ISLANDS, WI & LA CROSSE, WI)



Trip Includes:

- 2 Nights at the Radisson Hotel Duluth-Harborview
- 2 Nights at the Bayfield Inn, Bayfield, WI
- 1 Night at the Radisson Hotel La Crosse
- Lake Superior & Duluth Harbor Dinner Cruise
- Glensheen Mansion Tour
- Self-Guided Tour of the **Split Rock Lighthouse**
- Visit Enger Park & Tower
- Visit the Bayfield Visitors Center
- Victorian Luncheon at Old Rittenhouse
- Locally Guided Bayfield Sightseeing Tour including a stop at a local farm
- Evening Grand Tour Cruise around the Apostle Islands
- Madeline Island Ferry
- Guided riding tour of Madeline Island
- Lunch at the Pub Restaurant on the Island
- Free time to enjoy the quaint shops of Bayfield
- Guided Tour of Fred Smith's Wisconsin Concrete Park with Boxed Lunch
- Dinner cruise aboard the La Crosse Queen Paddlewheeler
- Locally Guided Sightseeing Tour of La Crosse includes a stop at an apple store, a lock & dam and the Shrine of Our Lady of Guadalupe with included Lunch

- 12 Meals

PER PERSON RATES: Double Occupancy \$1,730 Single Occupancy \$2,150 Triple Occupancy: \$1,700 Deposit: \$300 Per Person

Final payment is due 7/31/2024

Meal Code: B=Breakfast, L=Lunch, BL-Boxed Lunch, D=Dinner

To sign up or for more information contact -Loreen Marra American Spirit Club Coordinator American State Bank & American Bank 712-722-4846 Tour is operated by Happy Times Tours & Experiences.

6 Days: September 8 - 13, 2024

Day 1 D

Enjoy the scenery as you make your way to Duluth, MN. We will overnight at the Radisson Hotel Duluth-Harborview and enjoy dining at the best table in Duluth, a **Dinner Cruise aboard the Vista Star on Lake Superior and the Duluth Harbor**. Savor your meal over narrated highlights of the harbor with a never-ending view of Duluth's unique skyline.

Day 2 B, D

After breakfast atop the revolving rooftop restaurant at the hotel, you are in for a full day of Duluth sightseeing. We will stop to view **Gooseberry Falls** before taking a **Glensheen Mansion tour**. On this self-guided experience, you will soak in the luxurious interiors, and stories of the Congdon family. Experience the original interiors in styles ranging from Renaissance Revival and Colonial Revival to Arts and Crafts. This tour includes the lower level, first floor and second floor. We will take a self-guided tour of the **Split Rock Lighthouse**, which has been attracting visitors nonstop since the 1920's, and there is a good reason that it is the most photographed lighthouses in the State of Minnesota. We will visit **Enger Park and Tower**. Enger Park rests above Duluth's West End on a site once called Grand Mountain. The park and adjacent golf course were developed on land purchased with money donated by West End furniture dealer Bert Enger in 1921. In 1939, Enger Tower was built in the park in his honor. Today the park includes the American-Japanese Peace Bell, a gift from Duluth's sister city of Ohara-Isumi as well. Dinner is included at a favorite local restaurant tonight. **Day 3 B, L**

After breakfast atop the revolving rooftop restaurant at the hotel, we will make our way through some of the most beautiful scenery as we make our way to Bayfield, Wisconsin, situated on the shores of Lake Superior. Our first stop will be at the **Bayfield Visitors Center** where you can view an orientation video, see museum exhibits and even houses the America's National Park bookstore. enjoy a **Victorian Luncheon at the Old Rittenhouse** before a **tour of Bayfield with a local guide.** We will weave up and down the hills and streets of this quaint town. Enjoy the beautiful exteriors of the Flamboyant Queen Ann Homes and we will even **visit a local farm**. This evening, you will enjoy the **Evening Grand Tour Cruise** around the Apostle Islands. This narrated 55-mile scenic cruise takes you past extraordinary natural scenery, beautiful historic Raspberry and Devils Island Lighthouses, standing rocks, extensive sea caves and more.

After breakfast, we will board the **Madeline Island Ferry to Madeline Island**, where the sandy shores and magnificent lake air beckons. A knowledgeable and **fun local guide** meets us upon arrival. You'll enjoy the beautiful vista of Lake Superior's islands, water and sky. Enjoy lunch at the Pub Restaurant on the Island before we catch the ferry back to Bayfield. You will have the rest of the day free to relax or take in the sights and shopping in Bayfield.

Day 5 B, BL, D

After breakfast, we will depart for **Fred Smith's Wisconsin Concrete Park** for a guided tour of this outdoor museum with 237 embellished concrete and mixed media sculptures built between 1947 and 1964 by Fred Smith. We will make our way to La Crosse, Wisconsin and overnight at the Radisson Hotel La Crosse. Enjoy a beautiful scenic dinner cruise aboard the La Crosse Queen Paddlewheeler on the Mississippi River.

Day 6 B, L

A local guide will join you for the morning and take you on a **narrated sightseeing tour** of La Crosse including a stop at an apple store, a Lock & Damn, the Shrine of Our Lady of Guadalupe with an included Lunch. Return home with wonderful memories of your vacation.

*Activity Level: Moderate. In order to participate in this tour, you must be able to walk/stand 3-4 hours at an easy pace in all weather conditions and be able to maneuver some stairs, inclines and uneven surfaces without assistance.