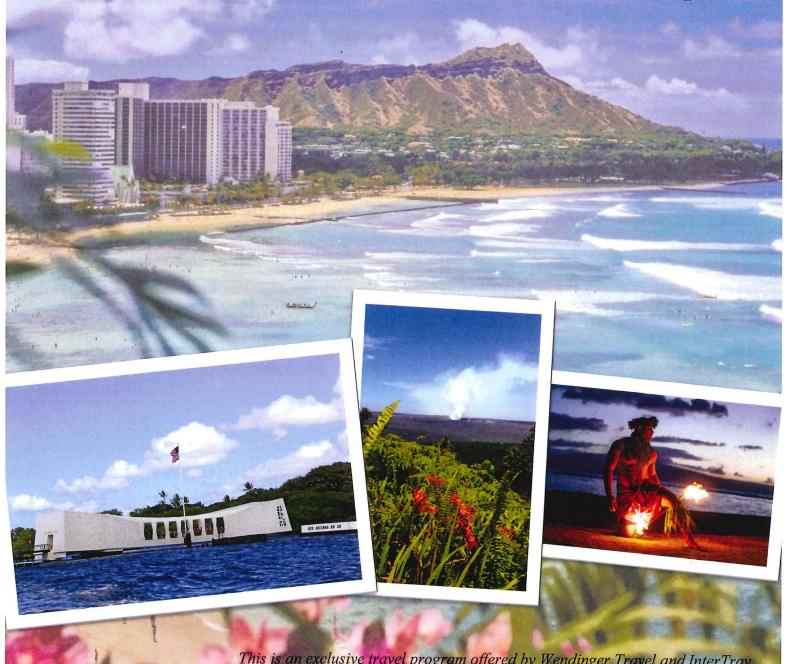


Presents

Dreaming of the Hawaiian Islands

February 2 - 11, 2026

\$4,650 Per Person Double Occupancy from Minneapolis



Day By Day Itinerary

Mon., Feb. 2 – MINNEAPOLIS / HONOLULU

Early this morning we depart Minneapolis by scheduled airline service en route to Honolulu, Hawaii. We'll arrive on the Island of Oahu this afternoon where we'll be greeted by the warm trade winds and a traditional Hawaiian "lei" and "aloha." Then we board our waiting motorcoach for the drive into Honolulu where we'll spend the next four evenings within walking distance of Waikiki Beach and the International Market Place.

Tues., Feb. 3 – HONOLULU (B) (Pearl Harbor & USS Missouri)

Today we'll relive a "moment in history" with a visit Pearl Harbor to fully understand the events that unfolded on December 7, 1941. We'll begin with a visit of the celebrated USS Missouri Battleship where on September 2, 1945, General MacArthur accepted the Japanese surrender that ended World War II. Afterward, we'll travel across the Ford Island Bridge and board a navy launch for the U.S.S. Arizona, placed above the sunken battleship resting place of heroes, and disembark for an up close, unforgettable experience. On our return to Honolulu's towering downtown district, we'll travel through Punchbowl Crater to experience the serenity of the Punchbowl National Cemetery, see Iolani Palace, the only royal palace on American soil, and view the impressive King Kamehameha Statue.

Wed., Feb. 4 – HONOLULU (B,L) (Circle Island Tour)

This morning we embark on a Circle Island Tour of Oahu. We'll begin our day by traveling to the south side of Diamond Head for a brief stop at the Amelia Earhart Lookout, celebrating the first solo flight from Hawaii to the US mainland in 1934. Then we're headed to the Nu'uanu Pali Lookout, the location of the 1795 battle in which King Kamehameha I victoriously united Oahu under his rule. Next, we travel to the Valley of the Temples on the slopes of the Ko'olau Mountain Range, to see the Byodo-In Temple, commemorating the first Japanese immigrants in Hawaii. Afterward, we'll take in Chinaman's Hat on our way to Waimea Valley, an area steeped in historic, cultural and spiritual significance where we'll enjoy a tram ride to the lovely 45-foot Waimea Falls.

This afternoon we travel to the world-famous **North Shore**, home to the spectacular Banzai Pipeline. We'll also stop in the quaint historic town of Haleiwa, where we'll find a variety of local boutiques, gift shops and shops. In colorful contrast to the brilliant blue waters, we'll also see the emerald green of sugar cane and pineapple fields waving gently in the breeze as we make our way to the renowned **Dole Pineapple Fields and Pack House** for an introduction into the heart of Hawaii's pineapple heritage. Feel the thrill of seeing, touching, and tasting the essence of Oahu in this must-experience Hawaiian escapade!



Thurs., Feb. 5 – HONOLULU

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Called "The Gathering Place," Oahu is alive with activity. The day is free to explore the capital city of Honolulu on our own. Enjoy the day basking in the sun on renowned Waikiki Beach and make time for a visit to the Honolulu Zoo or Aquarium. For the shoppers among us, try the International Market Place for incredible bargains. And don't forget about the evening hours, Honolulu is known for its fine dining with a wide variety of Polynesian revues and live music.

Fri., Feb. 6 – HONOLULU / HILO (B)

Today we say "a hui hou" to Honolulu as we prepare for the short inter-island flight to Hilo on the "Big Island" of Hawaii. On arrival we'll board our waiting motor coach for the drive into Hilo, a city not so much for tourists as for visitors, as nature itself has checked the city's progress with an average of 278 days of rain a year and two destructive tsunamis. The city has since retreated from the sea, turning the waterfront area into enormous green parks. This afternoon be sure to stroll Hilo's waterfront parks and the downtown district where a number of the brightly colored restored buildings clustered next to the Wailuku River are listed with the National Register of Historic Places.

Sat., Feb. 7 – HILO (B)

This morning we will enjoy an introduction to Hilo. We'll begin with a visit the Pacific Tsunami Museum where interactive exhibits and on-site docents can explain the tsunami phenomenon and how it affects the Hawaiian Islands. Next, we'll stop at the Hilo Farmers Market. This festive market is known as one of the best open markets in Hawaii. We'll also stop to view Rainbow Falls where on sunny days rainbows appear in the midst of the 80-foot falls. According to legends, the falls are home to the ancient Hawaiian goddess Hina, the goddess of the moon.

Following our tour the afternoon is at leisure. Located right outside our front door, enjoy a stroll through the Liliuokalani Gardens, the largest ornamental Japanese garden outside of Japan. The authentic, 24.67-acre garden was dedicated in 1917 as a tribute to Hawaii's first Japanese immigrants who worked in the island of Hawaii's sugar cane fields and offers a spectacular view of Hilo Bay.

Sun., Feb. 8-HILO/KONA (B)

Today we depart Hilo and travel to Hawaii Volcanoes National Park. Established in 1916, the park embraces one of the world's most active volcanic areas. We'll begin our exploration at the Volcano House, from where we can view the Halema'uma'u Crater. Next, we'll visit the Kilauea Visitor Center to watch a short video and receive an update on the latest eruptions. Leaving the visitor center, our first stop will be at the Kilauea Ika Overlook, and then we'll travel along the scenic Crater Rim Drive before stopping at the Kealakomo Overlook with sweeping coastal views, and an expansive view of lava fields. We'll also have an opportunity to stroll Devastation Trail to see evidence of the 1959 Kilauea eruption, and the Thurston Lava Tube, for an up-close view of an extinct lava tube. Afterward, we'll travel to the Punalu'u Black Sand Beach, one of the most famous black sand beaches in Hawaii, and we'll stop at the famous Punalu'u Bakery to sample a malasada. A favorite to kama'aina and visitors alike, the sweet bread is baked according to a secret, generations-old recipe. Before our day comes to an end, we'll make one last stop to visit Greenwell Farms, one of Kona's premium coffee farms, and then set our sights on the Kona Coast and the historic fishing village of Kailua-Kona.

Mon., Feb. 9 – KONA (B,D)

The day is free for our own adventures. In Kona we'll find the real Polynesian Hawaii and see firsthand that the old culture still thrives. Once a sleepy fishing village and a retreat for Hawaiian royalty, Kailua Village is now a destination for great shopping and to learn about Hawaii's rich culture. This evening listen for the conch shell that signals the start of a traditional **Hawaiian Luau** as we savor one of the most beautiful sunsets in the Pacific!

Tues., Feb. 10 - KONA / EN ROUTE (B)

This morning we depart Kailua Kona to explore a road less traveled. We'll visit the **Anna Ranch Heritage Center** offering visitors an historical account of the Lindsey Family. On our guided tour we'll learn about Hawaii's ranching history and how five generations of the Lindsey Family became premier contributors to the legacy of ranching in Hawaii. Then, we'll travel to the Hāmākua Coast to visit the **Ahualoa Family Farm**. We'll find a retail store, a coffee farm, macadamia nut orchards, and Hawaii's oldest & newest macadamia nut factory. Afterward, we'll begin our return journey to

Kona where we'll stop in at the **Kona Salt Farm**. Set against a stunning seven-acre oceanfront backdrop, we'll discover the art of hand-harvesting Hawaiian salt from the ocean. All to soon our time in the Hawaiian Islands comes to an end as its time to travel to Keahole Airport in preparation for our return journey home.

Wed., Feb. 11 – EN ROUTE / MINNEAPOLIS

Early this morning we arrive in our gateway city and change planes for the final leg of our journey home, no better time to reflect on memories of our *Dreaming of the Hawaiian Islands* vacation that will last a lifetime and new friendships made along the way!

*** Welcome Home ***



The Vacation Price Includes:

- ♦ Economy-class air transportation from Minneapolis, including inter-island flight between Honolulu and Hilo.
- Transportation by deluxe private motor coach with accompanying Driver-Guides.
- First-class hotel accommodations.
- ♦ All meals as shown in the Day by Day Itinerary.
- ◆ Sightseeing as shown in the Day by Day Itinerary including applicable entrance fees.
- ♦ Luggage handling and porterage charges for one suitcase per person at the hotels.

The Vacation Price Does Not Include:

Items of a personal nature such as destination entry requirements; airline checked luggage fees; gratuities to the Driver-Guides, and local guides; luggage handling at airports; meals other than those stated above; and Travel Protection.



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