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SOLANO COUNTY LIBRARY FOUNDATION NEW ENGLAND LITERARY & CULTURAL ARTS TOUR SEPTEMBER 14 - 24, 2022

Wednesday, September 14

Flights Arrive Boston Logan International Airport (BOS) / Meet TravelOn USA Tour Manager
Claim Baggage / Motor Coach transfer to Boston
Early Dinner at your expense and browsing in Quincy Market
All luggage will be delivered to the hotel while group is dining at Quincy Market
7:00 p.m. Depart for hotel / Hotel check-in: Canopy by Hilton Boston Downtown

Thursday, September 15

9:30 a.m. Breakfast on your own / Your Tour Manager will advise you of the variety of options nearby
Guided Tour of Boston / This tour will combine a driving tour aboard our motor coach as well as on-foot exploration of the historic areas of Boston narrated by a local Boston Step-On Guide
Sites along the Historic Freedom Trail, including the Old State House - site of the Boston Massacre; Granary Burial Ground – final resting place of Patriot & Poets; Boston Common; Old North Church; Charlestown Navy Yard, the USS Constitution and Museum, and more...
2:15 p.m. Break for lunch at your expense where your Tour Manager will suggest a variety of options
Isabella Stewart Gardner Museum / Docent led Guided Orientation
Late afternoon return to the hotel
6:30 p.m. Dinner at Mount Vernon Restaurant / Somerville, MA (included meal)
Return to hotel after dinner

Friday, September 16

9:00 a.m. Breakfast on your own
Depart for Cambridge, MA
Longfellow House Tour
Walk to Harvard Square for browsing and lunch on your own /
Visit the Public Gardens to see the “Make Way for Ducklings” Sculpture
Ride the Swan Boats in the Boston Public Garden (pending 2022 operating schedule)
2:00 p.m. John F. Kennedy Presidential Library and Museum Tour (self-guided) / (pending reopening)
Late afternoon return to the hotel to relax or explore Boston at your leisure
Dinner this evening in Boston’s Little Italy (included meal) / TBA

Saturday, September 17

9:00 a.m. Breakfast on your own
Depart for Concord, MA / Today’s Tour will include a Local Step-On Guide
Brief stop at Lexington Green en route
Walden Pond
The Old Manse Tour
Visit the North Bridge / Site of the “Shot Heard Around the World”
Lunch at Concord’s Colonial Inn (included meal)
2:00 p.m. Orchard House Tour / Home of Louisa May Alcott
The Wayside: Home of Authors Tour (pending reopening)
Early Dinner at Longfellow’s Wayside Inn (included meal)
Return to Boston after dinner

Sunday, September 18

Breakfast on your own
9:30 a.m. Boston Tea Party Ships & Museum with Guided Tour / *Toss some of the Crown's tea into Boston Harbor!*
Paul Revere House Tour / *Hear the tale of Paul Revere's Midnight Ride...*
Lunch at your expense in Boston's North End / Your Tour Manager will share several options with you
Depart Boston for Salem, MA
Peabody Essex Museum in Historic Salem
Continue on to Gloucester, MA traveling along the Scenic New England Coastline
Cape Ann with its picturesque coastline, one-of-a-kind shops and artists galleries as time allows
Photo stop at the Gloucester Fisherman's Memorial
Dinner / TBA (included)
Return to hotel

Monday, September 19

Breakfast on your own
7:30 a.m. Depart for Woods Hole, MA
9:30 a.m. Take the Steamship Authority Ferry to Oak Bluffs, MVI
Day Tour of Martha's Vineyard with a Local Step-On Guide
Walk thru Gingerbread Cottages / Visit the Cottage Museum (optional +\$3.00 per person)
See the Flying Horses Carousel with optional ride at your expense
Time for browsing in Oak Bluff with lunch on your own
Board bus for driving tour en route to Aquinnah / Visit the Gay Head Lighthouse & Cliffs,
Visit some of the 31 African American Heritage Sites along the Heritage Trail
Alley's General Store & Farm Stand
Dinner / TBA (included meal)
Return Ferry Ride to Woods Hole / Return to hotel

Tuesday, September 20

Breakfast on your own
8:30 a.m. Depart for Newport, RI
10:30 a.m. The Breakers Mansion Tour
12:30 p.m. Lunch at La Forge Casino Restaurant (included meal)
2:30 p.m. Marble House Tour
4:00 p.m. Depart for Boston / Brief stop in Plymouth to see Plymouth Rock
Arrive hotel and relax
Last night in Boston / Group Dinner at Union Oyster House (included meal)

Wednesday, September 21

Breakfast on your own
8:00 a.m. Please place your baggage outside of your door for transfer to the bus
9:00 a.m. Hotel check-out / Depart for Sturbridge, MA
10:30 a.m. Approximate arrival at Old Sturbridge Village / Guided Tour
Lunch at your expense in Old Sturbridge Village
1:30 p.m. Depart for Amherst, MA
2:45 p.m. Approximate arrival in Amherst, MA
Emily Dickenson Homestead & The Evergreens Tour (pending reopening)
Depart for Stockbridge, MA
Hotel check-in: Red Lion Inn / Stockbridge, MA
Your Tour Manager will offer suggestions for dinner options and other areas of interest in Stockbridge

Thursday, September 22

Breakfast on your own / Breakfast is available in the Red Lion Main Dining Room
Your Tour Manager will provide a variety of options to choose from for breakfast nearby
9:00 a.m. Depart for Lenox, MA
9:30 a.m. The Mount: Edith Wharton's Estate Tour / Enjoy the Gardens at your leisure
Lunch and browsing at your expense in Lenox
Depart for Shaftsbury, VT with a scenic ride through the Berkshire Mountains
Robert Frost Stone House Museum / Visit a local Maple Syrup Farm in Shaftsbury, VT
Return to Stockbridge, MA
4:00 p.m. Docent Led Tour of the Norman Rockwell Museum
Return to Red Lion Inn
Evening free to explore and enjoy Stockbridge with Dinner on your own

Friday, September 23

9:00 a.m. Breakfast on your own
 Depart for Hartford, CT
 10:30 a.m. Approximate arrival in Hartford, CT
 Mark Twain House Tour / Orientation Exhibit, Introductory Video & Special Exhibits
 Box Lunch (included meal)
 Harriet Beecher Stowe House Tour & Visitor Center
 Wadsworth Atheneum Museum of Art
 Late afternoon return to Stockbridge, MA
 Farewell Dinner at the Red Lion Inn (included meal)

Saturday, September 24

Breakfast on your own
 9:00 a.m. Please place your baggage outside of your door for transfer to the bus
 10:00 a.m. Hotel check-out / Depart for Pittsfield, MA
 10:30 a.m. Arrowhead Tour / Herman Melville Home
 Lunch / TBA
 1:00 p.m. Depart for Boston International Airport (BOS)
 Travel time between Pittsfield, MA and Boston Logan International Airport is approximately 2 1/2 hours
 To allow adequate time for transfer to the airport, check-in, and security check, please book your flight departure
 time for 5:00 p.m. EST or later on Saturday, September 24th.
 Late afternoon / evening return flights home

ALL TIMES ARE APPROXIMATE AND SUBJECT TO CHANGE

TOUR PACKAGE INCLUDES: Roundtrip Motor Coach Ground Transportation as outlined in the itinerary; Driver Gratuity & Expenses; 10 Nights Lodging with roundtrip luggage handling; Included Meals: 3 Lunches + 7 Dinners; Admission to: Old North Church, Isabella Stewart Gardner Museum with Docent Led Guided Orientation, Swan Boats, John F. Kennedy Memorial Library, The Old Manse, Orchard House, The Wayside, Boston Tea Party Ship, Paul Revere House, Peabody Essex Museum, Martha's Vineyard Ferry, Newport Mansions Tours, Old Sturbridge Village Tour, Emily Dickenson Homestead & The Evergreens Tour, Edith Wharton's The Mount House Tour, Robert Frost Stone House Museum OR Norman Rockwell Museum Tour, Mark Twain & Harriet Beecher Stowe Homes Tour, Wadsworth Atheneum Museum of Art, Herman Melville's Arrowhead Home Tour; Step-On Guide Service as outlined in itinerary; All Taxes, Gratuities & Fees on included Meals & Attractions including Step-On Guide Gratuities; Professional TravelOn USA Tour Manager services throughout tour to assist all guests.

PRICE PER PERSON WITH 40 PAID PASSENGERS / DOUBLE OCCUPANCY:	\$3,529.00	<i>FINAL PRICING WILL INCLUDE A \$200 DONATION TO SCLF</i>
PRICE PER PERSON WITH 35 PAID PASSENGERS / DOUBLE OCCUPANCY:	\$3,649.00	
PRICE PER PERSON WITH 30 PAID PASSENGERS / DOUBLE OCCUPANCY:	\$3,809.00	
PRICE PER PERSON WITH 25 PAID PASSENGERS / DOUBLE OCCUPANCY:	\$4,039.00	
SINGLE OCCUPANCY SUPPLEMENT:	\$1,609.00	

LODGING: Canopy by Hilton Boston Downtown
 99 Blackstone Street
 Boston, MA 02109

Red Lion Inn
 30 Main Street
 Stockbridge, MA 01262

TRANSPORTATION: 1 -56 Passenger Motor Coach / Perkiomen Tours & Travel

NOTE: Prices subject to increase if fuel surcharge is levied by the bus company