



LOBSTER BOAT TOURS – “CATCH YOUR DINNER” BOTTOM LINE FISHERIES, INC.

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<http://lobster.tours>

Thank you for booking a lobster boat tour with us. Listed below are a list of items we recommend bringing with you on the tour, answers to some frequently asked questions, as well as the directions to our location.

Please feel free to ask any further questions before the tour by email, phone call or text us.

Please arrive 15 minutes before your scheduled tour time.

If a cancellation is made due to COVID related issues or illness, we will give a 100% refund.

We try and run every scheduled tour and hope for the best of weather ☀ but every day is not perfect on the ocean, sometimes we will have some light wind, a little chop, light rain/mist, & fog and this can happen suddenly. So please be prepared for cooler temperatures and possible misty wet weather. We do cancel and try and reschedule if we have high winds, pouring rain, dense fog, rough seas, and sometimes other unforeseen circumstances. If we must cancel, we will reach out at least an hour before your scheduled tour, and we will work with you to see if we can reschedule for a different day, or we will give a 100% refund. If you are a no show or cancel less than 24 hours without a very good reason, we will not be giving a refund. We might also give the option if the weather is not good to go all the way out to Petit Manan to change the tour and do just seals & lobster trap hauling.

NOTE: If you need more than 1 hours' notice if we must cancel, please let us know!

Every paying customer takes a lobster home for your lunch/dinner, you can either take it to cook yourself and we can give you cooking instructions or have it steamed up right at our wharf and eat right on the harbor. We will steam up for free and provide utensils & warm drawn butter, and then you can buy sides and drinks and eat right on the wharf overlooking the harbor. If you take the 2:30 pm tour, you have a few options. You can take them to cook yourself, or we will also be offering Memorial Day-Labor Day onboard dining for our 2:30pm tour as well. Each passenger will get one lobster, warm drawn butter, corn on the cob, coleslaw, roll and soft drinks/water, and Captain Dan will steam them for you on the boat and show you the proper way to eat the lobster.

We can't always guarantee wildlife, but we do our best to try and locate them. Puffins usually start arriving in May and do start to migrate from the island around the end of July, so we would like to make people aware that after August 1st you will most likely not see puffins. If we don't catch enough legal-size lobsters from the traps that we haul on the tour, we do keep lobsters at our wharf to send everyone home with one.

NEW FOR 2025 – There will be an onsite food trailer and seating area for eating on our wharf. The food trailer will be steaming up the lobsters for our passengers and will have sides, drinks, and meal packages available for purchase. We will also be offering other food options for anyone who doesn't want to eat lobsters.

ITEMS TO BRING:

- We provide Coast Guard approved life jackets for all passengers, however if your child has their own Coast Guard approved life jacket that you would like to bring feel free to do so. All children 10 & under are required by law to wear a life jacket while on board the vessel.
- Snacks & Drinks (Alcoholic beverages are permitted)
- Light jacket, Sweater or Sweatshirt – **THE AIR TEMPERATURE ON LAND CAN BE VERY WARM BUT, ON THE WATER, IT CAN BE VERY CHILLY, SO PLEASE COME PREPARED.**
- Footwear that has good tread
- Sunglasses/Sunscreen, Hat, Camera, Binoculars
- If you experience motion sickness, try, and take something that helps with it before your tour like a non-drowsy medication, wear a motion sickness band or patch. If you take motion sickness medication, try taking it the night before as well as the day of your tour. We do have some motion sickness tablets on board so let the captain or mate know and they will get some for you.

DIRECTIONS:

Off from Rt 186 you turn onto Rt 195 Corea Road, you stay on that road for a little over 3 miles. When you come into Corea you will go past the post office which will be on your left, make sure the harbor is on your left. Not far past that you will come to a sharp turn in the road, and after that turn you will veer off onto Francis Pound Road. You will start on the tar and then it goes to dirt make sure to stay to the right, you will see signs for our tour along the road continue until you come to the parking lot, and we will be waiting there for you. If you have any problems, please call or text us and we will come to find you or guide you to us. Google Maps does good with our location but can sometimes be confusing once you get into Corea.

We are also pet friendly, so if you have a well-behaved dog and they are not afraid of the boat just let us know in advance in case we have someone else going that may be allergic.



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