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*** Please note: All Itineraries are subject to change.**

(Sun-Sun) SEPTEMBER 14-21, 2025: CANADIAN ROCKIES ADVENTURE with AMAZING TRAVEL TREASURES.

Pricing includes fully escorted tour, Roundtrip transfer to BWI. Roundtrip air from BWI to YYC (Calgary), return out of YVR (Vancouver), 13 meals (7 Breakfasts & 6 dinners), luggage handling, travel protection, tour gratuities (including gratuities for driver, meals & guides), & deluxe motorcoach transportation. Embark on a breathtaking journey through Banff, Jasper and the Canadian Rockies. Discover the pristine beauty of turquoise lakes, towering glaciers and majestic peaks. This adventure isn't just a trip; it's an unforgettable experience etched into the very fabric of your being. **(This trip is full – waiting list only)**

COST: \$5,995 per person double occupancy. Single is \$7,195 and Triple is \$5,695 per person.

PAYMENT: Full Payment due

(Tues-Sat) SEPTEMBER 30-OCTOBER 4, 2025: VERMONT & TRAPP FAMILY LODGE ADVENTURE. The hills will come alive as you venture to the spectacular Trapp Family Lodge during fall peak foliage. Package includes 4 nights lodging, 4 breakfasts, 1 box lunch and 3 dinners, tours, luggage handling, taxes and gratuities for included meals, guides & driver. **Day 1:** Depart from home and travel to MA with rest/lunch stops on your own along the way. We will **overnight** in the **Fairfield Inn, Great Barrington, MA** and have **dinner at a local restaurant.** **Day 2:** Check out and travel to Vermont where we will **tour Hildene** which is **Robert Todd Lincoln's family estate.** Learn how the Lincolns vacationed in Vermont and some of their family misfortunes. Enjoy a **box lunch at Hildene.** Travel to the **Trapp Family Lodge** where we will stay for the next two evenings. Enjoy **tea & cookies** when we arrive and later take a **tour of the famous Trapp Family Lodge.** **Maria Von Trapp** wrote an autobiography that inspired the play and movie, **"The Sound of Music"** and her story has become **an American legend.** Learn the history of this remarkable family as they fled Austria and were granted asylum in this country and how their small farmhouse in Stowe, Vermont became the world-renowned resort, which is now overseen by Johannes, the youngest of the singing Von Trapp children and his family. Enjoy **dinner in the Main dining room.** **Day 3:** Full hot & cold breakfast buffet at the Lodge. Meet your **local guide for a day of touring through Stowe, VT** seeing the **oldest covered bridge in Stowe** and then go downtown for a **walking history tour** and time to **visit the shops.** Visit **Lake Champlain Chocolates, Danforth Pewter, the Cabot Cheese Annex and Smugglers Notch Distillery Store and tasting.** Great opportunity to buy some of Vermont's best. **Lunch on your own** at **Cold Hollow Cider Mill** where we will see a **demonstration of how cider is made.** **Tour Ben & Jerry's factory** where you'll see a history video, view the production room and stop in the Flavoroom for a sample to delight your taste buds. **Ice cream for all.** **Dinner at the Bierhall,** a gathering place for friends to enjoy "a little of Austria, a lot of Vermont." **Day 4:** Full hot & cold breakfast buffet at the Lodge. After checking out, head towards home. Stop at **King Arthur Flour Baking Company** – café, bakery and store. (Lunch on your own). Check into our **hotel** for the evening in **Danbury, CT.** (Dinner on your own). **Day 5:** After breakfast at the hotel, head for home with rest/lunch stops on your own along the way, remembering the remarkable Von Trapp family story and the beauty of Vermont.

COST: \$1,980 per person, double occupancy. Single is \$2,855 and triple is \$1,755 per person.

PAYMENT: Full Payment due



(Wed-Sun) NOVEMBER 12-16, 2025:

HOLLY JOLLY SHOWTIME IN OHIO. This 5

days/4-night adventure is a great way to ring in the holiday season with great shows, delicious meals and lots of great attractions. This trip includes 4 nights' accommodation, 4 breakfasts, 1 lunch & 4 dinners, admissions, shows, guided tours, baggage handling, taxes & gratuities for included meals, guides & driver.

Day 1: Travel to Ohio with rest and lunch stops (on own) along the way. We will stay in the beautiful Inn at the Amish Door. This evening we'll head to Cambridge for a delicious meal and entertainment by Vigor duo who will be performing upbeat and seasonal hits. Then we'll watch the magical light show set to music at the Courthouse. **Day 2:** Depart to the Warther Museum annual Festival of Trees. View the fabulous steam engine carvings by the World's Master Carver, Mooney Warther. See the family home decorated for a 1920's holiday and view the button house featuring over 70,000 buttons arranged in artwork. Visit & shop in the gift & knife shop. Enjoy a light lunch of soup, sandwich & pumpkin cake in the carriage house of JE Reeve's Victorian Mansion and then tour the mansion decked in holiday splendor. Enjoy the Walnut Creek Flea Market for a fun scavenger hunt with a prize for the winner. Head to the Milana Ballroom, next to the Inn for a plated dinner followed by Denny Diamond's JOY show. Denny covers many famous artists featuring tunes from America's songbook along with holiday hits. After the show head back to the Inn to make smores at the fire pit. **Day 3:** Head to the Lamp and Light Candle for a carving demo. Receive a small holiday scented votive to take home. Depart for Troyer Candies where we will get to dip 6 buckeye candies and enjoy sampling other delicious treats. Lunch will be on your own with free time to explore Historic downtown Millersburg. Tour the Millersburg Victorian Mansion and Glass Museum to see some of the most rare and valuable collectible art glass in the world. Next, Walnut Creek Cheese and Market for shopping time featuring cheese, bulk foods, spices, holiday baking and decorating, jams, jellies and more. A jar of holiday jam included for all. Head to Der Dutchman for a buffet supper of pan-fried chicken, ham, noodles, mashed potatoes, green beans, salad, & assorted pies. The evening ends with a two-hour musical and comedy variety show at the Amish Country Theater. This variety show along with holiday hits will get you singing and laughing with lots of fun audience participation. **Day 4:** Depart to the bakery to make and take two cream sticks. Yum! Head to the Amish Broom maker for a demonstration and then head to Lehman's General store in Kidron for shopping time and lunch on your own. Depart to P Graham Dunn and view their inspirational engraved artwork. Dinner will be at Dutch Valley for their delicious cold & hot bar featuring chicken, beef, mashed potatoes, noodles, dressing, vegetables, sides and delicious desserts. Delight in the Holiday Show at the Ohio Star Theater, a great way to end this spectacular experience. **Day 5:** After breakfast head home with fond memories of Christmas in Ohio.

(This Trip is full – waiting list only)

COST: \$1,165 per person, double occupancy, Single is \$1,455 and Triple is \$1,075 per person.

PAYMENT: \$400 per person due upon signing up. Remainder due by September 1st, 2025.

(Wed) DECEMBER 10, 2025: "DECK THE HALLS" AMT CHRISTMAS SHOW. Trip includes show seats, Orchestra Right, lunch, transportation and gratuities for meal and driver. Check in at the decked-out St. Nicholas Hotel where we find our dashing dancers and merry musicians ready to "Deck the Halls!" Bubbly bellhops and glittery guests make merriment in preparation for a visit from Old Saint Nick. This musical holiday adventure brings together old and new friends to celebrate the season with awe-inspiring performances designed to capture the hearts of the entire family. After the show we'll head over to the newly renovated Bird in Hand Restaurant for a late lunch.

COST: \$160 per person.

PAYMENT: \$25 per person, due upon signing up. Remainder due by Sept 15th, 2025.

2026

(Sun-Sat) Feb 15-21, 2026: SUN KISSED SHORES OF AMELIA ISLAND, FLORIDA & MORE. This 7 days/6 night mid-winter escape to the sunshine and charm of Amelia Island includes 1 night in Florence, SC, 4 nights in Amelia Island, FL and 1 night in Rocky Mount, NC, 6 breakfasts, 3 dinners, luggage handling, admissions, guided tours, taxes & gratuities for included meals, guides & driver. **Day 1:** Travel day heading south. We'll stay overnight in Florence, South Carolina. **Day 2:** Depart for Jekyll Island, GA. Meet trolley for a tour of the historic district. Enjoy lunch on your own then board the Jekyll Island boat tour looking for dolphins. We'll depart for Amelia Island and have dinner at a local restaurant. **Day 3:** Start the day with a guided tour of Amelia Island by carriage and take an incredible journey from the time the Timucua Indians inhabited this area to the modern-day shrimping industry. Then enjoy free time to explore Fernandina Beach for lunch, a little shopping and dinner on your own. **Day 4:** A step-on guide will take us on a tour of St. Augustine's Historic District. Here we will visit the historic Alcazar Hotel, a gilded age resort hotel built in 1888 by railroad magnate Henry Flagler. This historic hotel is now the Lightner Museum and home to one of the premier collections of 19th & early 20th century fine and decorative arts in the country. Enjoy Lunch & free time on your own in St. Augustine. We'll take a scenic cruise on the Victory III enjoying historic landmarks and the natural beauty of the area. Tonight's dinner will be at the nationally recognized Raintree Restaurant. This restaurant is one of Florida's top destination restaurants. **Day 5:** Enjoy guided tour of Jacksonville with a local guide showing highlights of the vibrant culture and iconic landmarks. Visit Sweet Pete's candy where you can indulge your sweet tooth and watch as they make candy from the viewing platform. After lunch we'll board the St. John's River Taxi and enjoy an educational and informative cruise on the St. Johns River. This evening we'll enjoy dinner at a local favorite. **Day 6:** After breakfast we'll check out and start heading North. First we'll step back in time and get a glimpse into the Civil War history at Fort Clinch. This well-preserved fort is nestled within a scenic state park and provides a unique blend of historical exploration and natural beauty, perfect for an unforgettable adventure. We'll depart Amelia Island with an overnight in Rocky Mount, NC. **Day 7:** Enjoy a final breakfast at the hotel before checking out and beginning our journey home taking with us the fond memories of our time in the South and the charm of beautiful Amelia Island.

COST: \$2,400 per person, double occupancy. Single is \$3,200 and a triple is \$2,130 per person.

PAYMENT: \$750 per person due upon signing up, 2nd payment: \$750 due Oct 1, 2025 and final payment due January 5th 2026.

KEEP THESE DATES OPEN – Be on the lookout for our Next flyer with details & prices

March 25	Sight & Sound – “Joshua”
April 13-15	Philadelphia – Celebrate the Nation’s 250 th Anniversary
May 16-22	Texas (Flying) – Fort Worth, Waco, San Antonio, The Alamo
June	
July 14-18	Tall Ships Boston
Aug 9-14	Kentucky – Louisville, Horses, Bourbon
Sept 15-22	Utah (Flying) – Bryce, Zion, Lake Powell, Antelope Canyon, Arches, Canyonland, Salt Lake
Oct	
Nov	Dollywood at Christmas Time
Dec	AMT Christmas Show

Travel Insurance is **NOT** included in your trip price, unless otherwise noted. However, we recommend you purchase travel protection. Travel protection is offered through different insurance companies depending on the tour operator that we are dealing with on each trip. The per person premiums are based on the overall trip cost. Most Enhanced plans covering pre-existing conditions must be paid within 14 days of your initial deposit. If a Tour Operator does not include travel Insurance, you may opt to call an insurance company of your choice. Options may include your local AAA office.

SPECIAL NOTES

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO: LAJ Tours

(We cannot take credit cards)

MAIL TO: LAJ Tours at 40 Fawn Trail, Fairfield, PA 17320

DEPOSITS: Are due when you sign up for a trip

To make a reservation: (Please have the following info)

Name, address & phone number (cell/home)

Email address

Emergency contact number

What trip would you like to sign up for

You can make out one check for all your trips but please let us know which trips you are signing up for and the amount to apply on each individual trip.

How many people are going and names of the people that are with you.

Departure Pick up Point: Fairfield or Gettysburg.

Please arrive at Pick-up Points 10 – 15 minutes ahead of departure time. The bus can only wait 10 minutes for late arrivals.

Food Allergies: Guests with any specific food requests must submit in writing what they cannot eat.

Handicap Rooms: If you require a “handicapped room” what is your actual need: (i.e., toilet lift, grab bars, roll in shower, etc.) Most handicap rooms only have a King size bed in them.

Triple Rooms: Most triple Accommodations have 2 beds only. Due to fire Regulations, they do not allow cots.

Cancellation – One Day Trip to a ticketed event

If notice of cancellation is given within 30 days prior, LAJ Tours shall contact those people placed on a waiting list to replace the cancellation. If no one can fill that seat/s, the individuals will be requested to find a replacement on their own. No refund will be given.

Cancellation – Multi-day Trip

Full refund up to 60 days prior to trip unless there are unrecoverable deposits/expenses by terms and conditions of the tour vendors.

1. Should you cancel before we have made payments for lodging, admissions, meals, etc. – 100% refund.
2. Should you cancel after we have made reservations for you, and we can obtain a refund – 100% refund.
3. Should you cancel after we have made Reservations for you and CANNOT obtain refunds, your refund is the amount you have paid less the amount non-refundable paid by LAJ tours.
4. Anyone who does not show on the day of tour departure will not receive refund.