

New England & New York City



Niagara Falls - Lake Placid - Portland

"The New England/New York City tour was our first experience with R&J Tours and it did not disappoint! Seeing Niagara Falls & the Statue of Liberty was spectacular and the 9/11 Memorial & Museum was sombering, and those were just a few of the amazing attractions. We enjoyed meeting new people and making new friends. Thanks R&J Tours."

Colleen & Curt, Bloomington



Ellis Island & the New York Skyline from our Cruise

"Our first big vacation after we both retired was this 2 week bus tour to New England and New York. Everything on our trip was beyond expectations. This trip was like 3 trips in one. 2 weeks went by extremely fast. Highly recommend R&J Tours."

Larry & Sue Linnemeyer, Cambridge

September 15 - 29, 2022 (15 days)

HIGHLIGHTS

- Niagara Falls
- 2 Nights Lake Placid & Sightseeing
- Lake Placid Boat Ride
- Famous Kancamagus Highway
- Kennebunkport Sights
- Maine Lobster Dinner
- Plymouth Rock
- Historic Newport, Rhode Island Tour
- 2 Nights at the Sheraton New York Times Square Hotel
- Ellis Island & Statue of Liberty
- "Wicked" Broadway Show
- 9/11 Memorial & Museum
- NYC Harbor Cruise



2021 R&J Group at Swift River Bridge



International Tennis Hall of Fame

MAP AT A GLANCE



9/11 Museum

"A trip to New York & New England was a dream of ours & on our 'bucket list.' R&J fulfilled our dream. Every spot we toured was a big 'wow' for us! The sights we saw were amazing & our accommodations first class. The tour guides are knowledgeable & historical. So pleased! Thanks R&J! We will only tour with YOU! :)"

Steve & Gail Scholl

Days 1 & 2 - Home to Erie, PA

We'll travel to our first overnight stay in Lansing, Illinois. We'll stop for a delightful lunch along the way. Enjoy fall colors as we drive through the winding roads of Wisconsin. Enjoy the passing landscapes as we travel eastward. Our destination is Erie, PA where our hotel awaits.

Included Meals: Day 1 Lunch, Day 2 Breakfast

Hotel: Holiday Inn Express (Lansing); SpringHill Suites (Erie)

Day 3 - Erie to Niagara Falls, Ontario

We make our way to Niagara Falls in Ontario, a thundering natural wonder that draws millions of visitors each year from around the world. We will then drive to beautiful Niagara-on-the-Lake via the scenic Niagara Parkway where you will see lovely scenery including the Floral Clock. Dine this evening atop the Skylon Tower as we enjoy a breathtaking view of Niagara Falls!

Included Meals: Breakfast, Dinner

Hotel: Courtyard by Marriott Niagara Falls

Day 4 - Niagara Falls to Lake Placid, NY

As we leave the splendor of the falls behind us, we will experience the beautiful countryside of New York State with winding roads and mountain grandeur. Experience one of the trip's most beautiful drives as we make our way to Lake Placid. Dinner will be included at our lovely resort this evening.

Included Meals: Breakfast, Dinner

Hotel: High Peaks Resort Lake Placid (2 Nights)

Day 5 - Lake Placid

Enjoy a tour of Lake Placid, where the 1932 and 1980 Winter Olympics took place, with a local step-on guide. From the giant ski jumps to the Ice Hockey Arenas where America made history with a Hockey Gold Medal! This afternoon we will take a boat ride on Lake Placid, then we'll take some time to sightsee and browse the shops in this picturesque mountain resort town nestled in the Adirondacks.

Included Meals: Breakfast

Day 6 - Lake Placid to Lincoln, NH

We'll leave Lake Placid and take a scenic ferry ride across Lake Champlain to Charlotte, Vermont, where we'll enjoy a breathtaking view of the Adirondack and Green Mountains in all their autumn glory. A scenic drive takes us thru the White Mountains of New Hampshire. We have carefully chosen Lincoln as our overnight stay at a beautiful resort nestled in the mountains.

Included Meals: Breakfast, Dinner

Hotel: The Mountain Club on Loon

Day 7 - Lincoln to Portland, ME

We'll travel on the famous Kancamagus Highway, a scenic highway that winds through the White Mountains. Enjoy the sights of some historic covered bridges along the way before stopping in the bustling town of North Conway, with opportunity to browse in the charming historic village. As we head for Portland, ME we'll take in the gorgeous scenery around us. After checking into our hotel for a two night stay, a mouth-watering traditional lobster dinner awaits!

Included Meals: Breakfast, Dinner

Hotel: Embassy Suites (2 Nights)

Day 8 - Portland

Visit Kennebunkport with its delightful shops & restaurants. We'll also take some time to explore the famous Portland Head Lighthouse, a perfect opportunity for some picture taking. Return to the hotel for a relaxing evening.

Included Meals: Breakfast

Day 9 - Portland to Plymouth, MA

Boston awaits as we motor south for a brief, 2-hour tour of Boston's highlights. Enjoy a lunch stop at Beantown Pub. Then continue onto Plymouth for the night.

Included Meals: Breakfast, Lunch

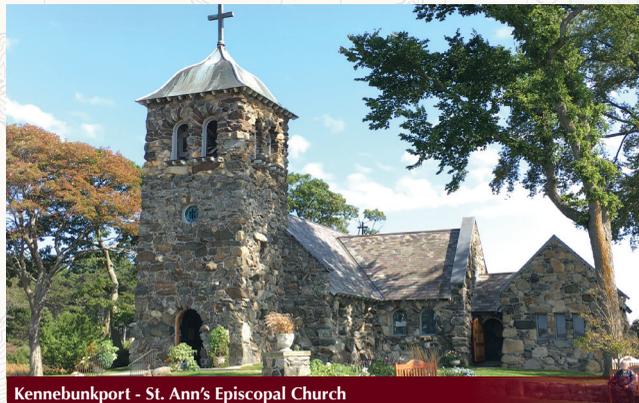
Hotel: Hampton Inn



Beautiful Sunset Cruise on the Hudson River in NYC!



Results are in...R&J Travelers sweep the podium!!



Kennebunkport - St. Ann's Episcopal Church



Adirondack & Green Mountains in their autumn splendor!



Character-rich boathouses to be seen as we cruise Lake Placid



Picturesque Portland Head Lighthouse



Lady Liberty



It's time to ride the Subway!



Lady Liberty



Kennebunkport - charming coastal town in Maine



Day 10 - Plymouth to Orange, CT

We'll begin our day viewing Plymouth Rock and then climbing aboard the newly renovated Mayflower for a unique experience of stepping back in time. Then it's on to Newport, Rhode Island for an included lunch at the historic LaForge Restaurant, which is next to the newly remodeled Tennis Hall of Fame. After lunch we have a guided tour of the old seaport town of Newport, with many beautiful mansions lining the streets and coast. We'll travel the famous 10 Mile Drive which features many exquisite estates. See Newport's famed harbor and Bowen's Wharf. You'll soon learn why Newport is considered America's yachting capital.

Included Meals: Breakfast, Lunch

Hotel: Homewood Suites

Day 11 - Orange to NYC

Travel across beautiful Connecticut to New York City. We'll check into the perfectly situated Sheraton NY Times Square, steps from Times Square, Broadway, charming cafes, shops, and more. After lunch we'll welcome a local step-on guide to show us the best sights and sounds of the Big Apple, New York City! See Times Square, Central Park, and many other points of interest. Freshen up and have dinner on your own at one of the many nearby restaurants. Then we'll attend the grand Broadway Play "Wicked!" In the Land of Oz, there is a young woman, born with emerald-green skin, who is smart, ery, misunderstood, and pos- sesses an extraordinary talent. When she meets a bubbly blonde who is exceptionally popular, their initial rivary turns into the unlikeliest of friendships...until the world decides to call one Good and the other one Wicked.

Included Meals: Breakfast

Hotel: Sheraton NY Times Square Hotel (2 Nights)

Day 12 - New York City

This morning we board a ferry boat to the famous Statue of Liberty, a symbol of American freedom to all. Visit Ellis Island and discover, by exhibits, the 12 million people who came here looking for a better life. Since we'll have viewed the film "Island of Hope, Island of Tears," on our drive eastward, it truly brings to life our visit to the Great Hall. We continue our sightseeing of NYC with our guide, including a memorable visit to the 9/11 Memorial Site & Museum. Then you'll be special guests for a memorable evening cruise on the Hudson River. Enjoy sweeping views of the illuminated New York City Skyline, the Statue of Liberty, and more.

Included Meals: Dinner



White Mountain National Forest Bridge



LOBSTER!

Day 13 - New York City to Youngstown, OH

We travel through the beautiful countryside of Pennsylvania, painted perfectly in fall colors! Then settle into our hotel in Youngstown for a relaxing evening.

Hotel: Holiday Inn Express

Day 14 - Youngstown to Elgin, IL

Enjoy the company of your fellow travelers as we travel to the Chicago area, where we'll spend the night. Our farewell dinner will be at The Village Square!

Included Meals: Breakfast, Dinner

Hotel: Hampton Inn

Day 15 - Elgin to Home

Traveling homeward, take opportunities to recall the pleasant memories of fall in New England and enjoy the friends we've made on this fantastic trip!

Included Meals: Breakfast

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2022 DATES & PRICES		
DATES:	September 15 - 29, 2022 (15 Days)	
PRICE PER PERSON:	\$4,499 Double \$4,179 Triple	\$5,899 Single \$3,949 Quad
PRICE INCLUDES:	21 Included Meals, Hotels & Activities as stated in brochure, Luxury Motorcoach	
DEPOSIT DUE PER PERSON:	\$100 deposit per person at time of reservation. Full payment due 30 days prior to departure.	
OPTIONAL TRAVEL PROTECTION P/P:	\$289 Double per person	\$387 Single
TRAVEL BUCKS:	\$55 R&J Travel Bucks earned on this tour	
TOUR PACE:	Moderate to Extensive Walking with the exception of a substantial amount of walking & being on your feet in NYC. (See page 9 for description)	
PASSPORT:	A Valid Passport is Required.	
SEE PG. 7 CONCERNING COVID VACCINATION/TESTING DETAILS FOR THIS INT'L TOUR.		



Breathtaking Niagara Falls illuminated at night