

# Martha'a Vineyard, Provincetown, Newport, Plymouth, Cranberry Bogs **September 3-8, 2024**

**6 DAYS** \* **8 MEALS** Sand dunes and salty air, quaint little villages here and there...we're sure to fall in love with Ole Cape Cod. Join Shenandoah Tours for this getaway to Cape Cod and the neighboring islands, a favorite summer resort of the rich and famous. "The Cape" stretches nearly 70 miles into the ocean and creates 300 miles of coastline. Experience her seafaring past preserved in the gray-weathered shingles of homes, the dunes dotted with lighthouses, and quaint harbors with colorful buoys. It's all here for our enjoyment.

#### Day 1 - Tuesday - September 3 Travel to Connecticut

All aboard!! Today's travel takes us to Milford, Connecticut, for our overnight stay.

### Day 2 - Wednesday - September 4 Newport / Ten-Mile Drive / Cape Cod

We arrive in Rhode Island, the "Ocean State." Enjoy the charm of Newport, America's first resort town, with its historic buildings and restored homes. Take in the rugged beauty of Ten-Mile Ocean Drive and the fabulous mansions located here. Tour the Breakers Mansion, the grandest of Newport's summer "cottages." Continue on to the sandy shores of Cape Cod, bringing back memories of seashells, sandcastles and saltwater taffy. Upon arrival, we unpack and relax for a three-night stay. (CB,D)

# Day 3 - Thursday - September 5 Martha's Vineyard / Lobster Dinner

This morning we board the ferry for our cruise to Martha's Vineyard, the "Storybook Island." Explore this beloved summer haven including the town of Oak Bluffs and Vinevard Haven. This island is endowed with saltwater marshes, yacht harbors, and narrow streets lined with homes of 19th century whaling captains. Return to the mainland and enjoy a brief morning tour of Hyannis including the John F. Kennedy Memorial, the Korean War Memorial, and a view of St. Francis Xavier Church, the summer parish of the Kennedy Family. A lobster dinner is included this evening. For "landlubbers" an alternate entree is available. (B.D)

## Day 4 - Friday - September 6 Historic Route 6A / Provincetown

Today we travel historic Route 6A, the Old King's Highway. This scenic byway winds through centuries of Cape Cod history, passing by a windmill and a Cape Cod Lighthouse, on the way to Provincetown, at the tip of Cape Cod. Enjoy the wonderful variety of shops, galleries and restaurants that make this village so unique. This afternoon board a whale watching cruise to view these gigantic mammals in their natural habitat, OR we may choose to stay on land and enjoy a dune tour. (B,D)

## Day 5 - Saturday - September 7 Sandwich / Cranberry Bogs Plymouth Rock

This morning we travel to Sandwich, the oldest town on Cape Cod. Join a local guide viewing the Village Green, the Great Salt Marsh, a Cranberry Bog, and Cape Cod Bay. Next, we travel to America's Hometown - Plymouth. Home of our Pilgrim fathers and one of the country's first settlements, it is well known for its historical value. A picture stop will be made at the Forefather's Monument and at Plymouth Rock. View the newly restored *Mayflower II*, a reproduction of the ship that brought the Pilgrims to the New World. Journey south to Milford, Connecticut, for our overnight stay. (B)

#### Day 6 - Sunday - September 8 Travel Home

Arrive home later today with many fond memories. (CB)

# **Tour Highlights:**

- \* Ten-Mile Ocean Drive and Breakers Mansion tour in Newport, RI
- \* Cruise to Martha's Vineyard
- \* Tour of Hyannis including the JFK Memorial
- \* Travel on historic Route 6A, the Old King's Highway
- \* Visit Provincetown
- \* Explore Sandwich, the oldest town on Cape Cod
- \* Cranberry Bog
- \* Stop at Plymouth Rock and see the *Mayflower II*
- \* Also included: Accommodations, Motorcoach Transportation, Shenandoah Tours Escort, & Luggage Handling.
- \* 8 Meals = 2CB, 3B, 3D

# Tour #24022 Cost of Tour - Per Person Twin \$1649 Single \$2089

Optional Travel Protection Plan Available \$135 Per Person (Twin), \$200 (Single) (Rates subject to change)

#### **Deposit & Final Payment:**

A deposit of \$100 per person is due when reservations are made. Balance is due by July 19, 2024.

DEPART		RETURN
7:00 AM	CHARLOTTESVILLE	7:00 PM
7:30 AM	WAYNESBORO	6:30 PM
8:00 AM	STAUNTON	6:00 PM
8:30 AM	HARRISONBURG	5:30 PM
10:00 AM	WINCHESTER	4:00 PM