

# LEAVES, LIGHTHOUSES & LOBSTERS

*Maine in the fall - the name says it all!*

**October 14 - 21, 2017**



## A Personal Invitation!

Please join **PLEASE GO AWAY™ VACATIONS** on this exciting and relaxing fall adventure. It is an amazing New England fall experience.

You'll stay for an entire week in oceanfront rooms of famous Bar Harbor Inn, situated in downtown Bar Harbor, Maine, New England's most enchanting island resort. You'll literally be within a few feet of the water's edge, the quaint tree-lined streets, shops, and many fabulous restaurants of this famous seaside resort. The famous "Shore Path" fronts the property.

Our limited-sized group will be transported on daily outings over the back roads of the state's interior; and along the ocean-hugging highways and surf-pounding waves of Maine's rugged and lighthouse-dotted coastline. Each evening we will return to the comforts of our Bar Harbor Inn accommodations and the Inn's warm fireplace. Sequence of events and included sightseeing may be altered to provide most optimal experiences possible.

The time of this fall "Travel Treasure"™ has been carefully chosen to offer the finest resort accommodations, itinerary, and values of season-closing sales of Bar Harbor's shops. You will experience many of Maine's unique offerings in depth – you will enjoy a "A Real Maine Experience"!

Please join us by reserving early.

**Day 1** Comfortable flights take us to Bangor, Maine, where we will be transported to Bar Harbor, Maine. We will get our first eye level glimpses of colorful foliage en route. Upon arrival we will relax in our **oceanfront rooms**.

**Day 2** Following a relaxing and bountiful **Maine Breakfast** (included daily) overlooking Frenchman's Bay, nearby **Acadia National Park** will be experienced. Opened in 1916, Acadia was the first national park east of the Mississippi, and was the first national park whose land was donated entirely by private citizens. 360-degree panoramic views will be enjoyed from top of Cadillac Mountain; at 1,530 feet the highest peak on the Atlantic Coast north of Brazil. **Popovers and Tea**, an Acadia tradition, will be enjoyed at Jordan's Pond followed by the opportunity walk on part of the Park's famous "Carriage Roads." Later this evening enjoy a **Welcome Wine and Crackers Reception** before dinner.

**Day 3** Today you will be exposed to the agriculture and aquaculture industries of Maine in meaningful and memorable ways. Following breakfast we will learn about the "Wild Maine Blueberry" Industry as Professor David Yarborough of the University of Maine presents a special fast-moving and informative seminar about the growing, cultivation and marketing of this huge cash crop. Dr. Yarborough travels from the University to the Bar Harbor to present this private seminar just for our group. Then, this afternoon we learn about the major cash crop of Maine's aquaculture industry – lobsters. We will be guests of Captain John aboard his lobster boat – The Lulu – for a two-hour seminar at sea. To round out the day's activities you will enjoy an included **Welcome Shore Dinner** in the lovely Bar Harbor Inn dining facilities. It will feature clam chowder, corn on the cob, boiled potatoes, steamers, clams, whole lobster, Wild Maine blueberry pie, and tea or coffee.

**Day 4** In Maine, when traveling up the coast to the north, locals say they are going "Downeast". We'll travel "Downeast" through quaint seaside towns like Milbridge and Machias en route **Roosevelt Campobello International Park** located on Campobello Island, New Brunswick, Canada. Within the Park are the summer cottage and grounds where President Franklin Roosevelt vacationed. The most-photographed lighthouse in New Brunswick, **East Quoddy Light**, with its red cross will be added to our travel experiences. Also, beautiful red and white striped **West Quoddy Lighthouse** just south of the Canadian border will be experienced. Large colorful rolling **fields of blueberry plants** and **cranberry bogs** will be viewed "up close".

**Day 5** Enjoy a day of sightseeing and outlet shopping as we go "Upeast". **Rockport, Camden** (home of Edna St. Vincent Millay and one of America's 10-most beautiful cities according to Forbes Magazine) will be explored. **Maine's beautiful coastline** south of Bar Harbor, a **Maine Made Products Center**, **Maine's Lighthouse Museum**, and more will be explored.

**Day 6** **Sunrise** in North America can first be seen from atop **Cadillac Mountain**. Offered (weather permitting) for the especially energetic, this no-cost optional activity can be breathtaking. Today we'll also enjoy the included tour of the **museum of woodcarver Wendell Gilley** & the picturesque shores of **Somes Sound** as we travel to examine "up close" Maine's most-photographed lighthouse – **Bass Harbor Head Light**. The subject of many photographs and paintings, this famous lighthouse is one of more than 65 found along Maine's shoreline (only Michigan has more).

**Day 7** Today there's time for last-minute shopping at L.L. Bean's and other traditional Maine shops; relaxation (we'll show you where to get Blueberry Ale and Hubcaps); a **cottage industry bell maker** whose creations are featured in America's finest gift shops; and some other Maine surprises are planned. Then, we'll enjoy our included **Farewell Wine and Crackers Party** and **Farewell Dinner** featuring succulent selections of foods from Maine.

**Day 8** All good things must come to an end. We will be transported to the airport for our return flights home. As we fly above the foliage covered hills it will be a good opportunity to reflect on all that has been seen and done – and to plan to "go away" again on another Please Go Away™ Vacations experience.



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## Leaves

Maine is known for its fall foliage covered granite mountains and amazing autumn vistas. On this departure you will stand atop Cadillac Mountain (the highest mountain on the Atlantic coastline north of Rio de Janeiro) and see cascading coverings of variegated colored leaves. You will experience winding back roads covered with canopies of leaves. You will also experience carpeted fields of "blood red" foliage (the leaves of the harvested wild blue berry fields).



## Lighthouses

Only Michigan has more lighthouses than Maine. You will experience some of the most memorable, like West Quoddy Head Lighthouse shown here. Located at Lubec, Maine this colorful lighthouse is located on the "eastern most" point of land in the United States. You will be able to walk right up the lighthouse and take fantastic pictures. Other lighthouses will be Bass Harbor Head and East Quoddy Head, situated on The Bay of Fundy.



## Lobsters

Your private balconies at the Bar Harbor Inn will allow you to overlook the "comings and goings" of the many tiny lobster boats daily attending to their traps. While in Bar Harbor, by special arrangement, you will have a special bonus and experience a "real" live lobster boat ride and 2-hour "at sea" seminar with Captain John Nicolai, shown here. In addition to a most unusual and enjoyable experience, you will also gain insight into the "aquaculture" industry of Maine..



## Bar Harbor Inn

Your home away from home. You will experience much of Maine on daily outings, returning each evening to the welcoming warmth of the inn's fireplace. You will enjoy your private balcony (shown here) that looks out over Frenchmen's Bay and the foliage covered Porcupine Islands. Just below your balconies is Bar Harbor's famous Shore Path created in the 1800s and enjoyed by the likes of the Rockefellers and Vanderbilt's (it's a perfect early morning stroll).

**Reserve your spaces on this tour today!**

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