# Woodsville Guaranty Savings Bank & Guaranty Tours present:

## America The Beautiful October 16 – 20, 2025

This captivating tour features 3 well-appointed luxury hotels and takes you on a journey through America's rich history, starting in Philadelphia with a visit to the iconic Liberty Bell. From there, explore Washington, D.C.'s famous monuments and museums, including the Lincoln Memorial and the Smithsonian. The tour concludes with a scenic boat cruise to Liberty Island and Ellis Island, where you'll visit the Statue of Liberty and learn about the immigrant experience at the Ellis Island Museum.

#### **Included In Your Tour:**

- 1 night stay at Marriott Old City Philadelphia
- 2 nights at Embassy Suites Alexandria
- 1 night at Hyatt Regency Jersey City
- 4 breakfasts
- 3 dinners
- Historic Walking Tour of Philadelphia with the Liberty Bell
- Nighttime Monument Tour

#### **TOUR COST - Non Members**

\$1,965 per person, double occupancy
\$1,785 per person, triple occupancy
\$1,690 per person, quad occupancy
\$2,525 per person, single occupancy

#### **RESERVATIONS & PAYMENTS**

**Deposit:** \$250 pp. by February 3, 2025 to reserve your space

- Tour of the Capitol Building
- DC Museums Entrance
- Dinner cruise on the Potomac
- Entrance to Arlington National Cemetery
- Visit to Pentagon Memorial
- Statue of Liberty and Ellis Island Cruise
- Tour accompanied by WGSB and Plymouth Travel Reps

#### **GUARANTY TOUR CLUB MEMBERS COST**

\$1,765 per person, double occupancy\$1,585 per person, triple occupancy\$1,490 per person, quad occupancy\$2,325 per person, single occupancy

Balance Due: July 16, 2025

#### **NOTES ABOUT YOUR TRIP:**

- Deposit is fully refundable up to 90 days before departure; after that, all payments are non-refundable.
- Detailed tour information will be provided 4 weeks before departure.
- Gratuities for local guide, chambermaids and the driver are at your discretion.
- Seat rotation on the coach is encouraged.
- Front row seats are reserved for tour directors, guides, and bank representatives.
- Secure your spot early to avoid disappointment.
- Porterage for baggage at the hotel is not included. Luggage with wheels is suggested.
- Triple and Quad Occupancy rooms are based on adults sharing existing beds.
- Itinerary is subject to change; refer to "Guaranty Tours Travel Policy (page 3)" for details.
- Single Travelers: WGSB will do its best to match single travelers, wishing to share a room, with a roommate.
- Health: To fully participate and enjoy all inclusions of the tour, guests should be in good physical shape, able to walk at times up stairs and over hilly and/or uneven surfaces.

For more information & reservations, please contact:

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### **ITINERARY**

#### Thursday October 16, 2025

On the first day of the America The Beautiful tour, we'll embark on an early morning departure from New Hampshire, heading south toward the vibrant city of Philadelphia. As we journey through picturesque landscapes, there will be opportunities to relax, enjoy light refreshments, and participate in fun on-board activities to set the tone for the adventure ahead. Upon arrival in Philadelphia in the afternoon, we'll check into our hotel, giving everyone a chance to unwind. If you are ready to get out and explore, there are many museums and exciting things to see a short walk from our hotel. The noteworthy Benjamin Franklin Museum is just steps from the hotel. The day will conclude with dinner on your own, followed by a relaxing evening in the city before settling in for the night.

#### Friday October 17, 2025

This morning, the group will set out on a captivating historical tour, where we'll visit the iconic Liberty Bell, a symbol of American independence, and explore surrounding landmarks at Independence National Historical Park. After the tour, we will head to the famous Reading Terminal Market to explore the numerous food stalls and have lunch on your own.

After departing from Philadelphia, our journey continues toward the nation's capital, Washington, D.C. We'll arrive in the late afternoon, and begin an unforgettable evening in this historic city. The evening will begin with a group dinner at a local D.C. restaurant, where we'll enjoy regional cuisine and have a chance to relax and share experiences from the day. Following dinner, we'll embark on a breathtaking nighttime monument tour, where the illuminated landmarks of Washington, D.C. come to life. From the towering Washington Monument to the stately Lincoln Memorial, and the solemn World War II Memorial, we'll experience these iconic sites in a serene, moonlit atmosphere. This tour will provide a unique perspective on the nation's capital before we retire to our hotel for the night. (Meals: B, D)

#### Saturday October 18, 2025

The day will begin with a tour of the most recognized symbol of democratic government. The U.S. Capitol has housed Congress since 1800 and is one of the most imposing public buildings in the world. The Capitol is where Congress meets to write the laws of our nation, and where presidents are inaugurated. Its ceilings are decorated with historic images, and its halls are lined with statuary and paintings representing great events and people in the nation's history.

After the tour, you will have time to explore the many museums on offer in DC. A few of the most popular are listed below.

#### **Botanic Gardens**

United States Botanic Garden, established by the U.S. Congress is 1820, is one of the oldest botanic gardens in North America. Through the Conservatory, National Garden, and Bartholdi Park, the Garden informs visitors about the importance and fundamental value and diversity of plants, as well as their aesthetic, cultural, economic, therapeutic and ecological significance.

#### **Museum of Natural History**

We'll spend the afternoon at the Museum of Natural History exploring the various exhibits they have available.

#### **Museum of American History**

Browse through the new state-of-the-art gallery that offers a spectacular view of the Star Spangled Banner, and view the exhibits that top the list of must-sees for any visitor with a taste for true Americana. See the First Ladies' inaugural gowns, quilts, cars, locomotives and much, much more.

#### National Air & Space Museum

Experience the history of flight at one of the world's most visited museums, from the plane flown by the Wright brothers to the Apollo 11 command module. Features an incredible collection of aviation and space technology treasures.

#### **National Archives**

Stop by the National Archives Museum to see the home of the Declaration of Independence, Constitution, and Bill of Rights.

#### Library of Congress

The Library of Congress is the nation's oldest federal cultural institution, and it serves as the research arm of Congress. If your group would like to visit, we will need to reserve a timed ticket.

#### **United States Holocaust Memorial Museum**

Tour the United States Holocaust Memorial Museum. This somber and moving museum tells the story of the Holocaust through artifacts, films, photographs and oral histories. The museum's primary mission is to inform Americans about the Holocaust, to remember those who suffered, and to inspire visitors to contemplate the moral implications of their choices and responsibilities as citizens in an interdependent world.

After exploring the museums to your heart's content, we will make our way to the White House Visitor Center and take a few photos of the outside! The day will end with a dinner cruise on the Potomac River, offering a magical and relaxing way to experience Washington, D.C., from a unique vantage point. As you board the elegant boat, you'll be greeted by the stunning backdrop of the city's skyline, with iconic landmarks such as the Washington Monument, the U.S. Capitol, and the Kennedy Center glowing against the evening sky. Once underway, you'll enjoy a delicious dinner, featuring a selection of local dishes. (Meals: B,D)

#### Sunday October 19, 2025

A visit to Arlington National Cemetery offers a profound and moving experience, honoring the sacrifices of those who served the United States. Known for its iconic white headstones and beautiful, solemn landscapes, the cemetery is a place of remembrance and reflection. Witness the Changing of the Guard at the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier, pay respects at the graves of prominent leaders, and see the Eternal Flame at President John F. Kennedy's gravesite. The cemetery's memorials and monuments also tell stories of courage and dedication, providing visitors with an opportunity to learn about and appreciate American history and military service.

Next, visit the Pentagon Memorial, honoring the 184 lives lost in the September 11 attack on the Pentagon. Located just outside the Pentagon building, this solemn memorial features 184 illuminated benches arranged by the birth year of each victim, symbolizing their unique lives. Each bench is engraved with a name and positioned to reflect whether the individual was in the Pentagon or aboard Flight 77. The serene, open space offers a place for reflection, remembrance, and peace. Lunch will be on your own at the food court here.

After a busy couple of days exploring Washington, D.C., we will head north to Jersey City for the final leg of our journey. Arriving in the late afternoon, we'll settle into our hotel before spending the evening taking in the breathtaking views of the New York City skyline, just across the Hudson River. Whether it's gazing at the shimmering lights of the Empire State Building or watching the city's iconic skyline glow as the sun sets, this will be a perfect way to unwind and reflect on our travels. A delicious group dinner is included tonight, providing an opportunity to relax and enjoy good company as we look forward to our next adventure. (Meals: B,D)

#### Monday October 20, 2025

Today, we will embark on an exciting boat tour that will take us across New York Harbor to two of the most iconic landmarks in American history. Our first stop will be Liberty Island, where we'll have the chance to visit the Statue of Liberty and explore the Statue of Liberty Museum. As we approach the island, you'll be greeted by the sight of Lady Liberty herself, a symbol of freedom and hope. The museum provides fascinating exhibits that highlight the statue's creation, history, and symbolic meaning. You'll also have time to take in stunning views of Manhattan from the island.

Afterward, the boat will continue to Ellis Island, where we'll explore the Ellis Island National Museum of Immigration. Here, we'll walk through the historic Great Hall, where millions of immigrants were processed upon arriving in America, and discover powerful stories of those who journeyed to start a new life. The exhibits bring to life the challenges and triumphs of the immigrant experience, making this a deeply moving and educational visit. After our time on Ellis Island, we'll return to the boat for a scenic ride back, concluding an unforgettable day immersed in American history.

After an unforgettable journey through some of America's most significant historical attractions, we will begin our trip home, reflecting on the remarkable sites and stories that have shaped the nation into what it is today. From the birthplace of independence in Philadelphia to the monuments of Washington, D.C., and the inspiring symbols of freedom at the Statue of Liberty and Ellis Island, we have experienced the heart of American history. As we head back, the memories of these iconic landmarks and the lessons learned along the way will stay with us, a reminder of the enduring spirit that defines this great country. (Meals: B)



### **Guaranty Tours Travel Policy**

Guaranty Tours features a terrific variety of one and multi-day trips professionally planned and guided by Plymouth Travel. When you travel with us, you'll enjoy modern, comfortable coaches, exceptional dining and shows, outstanding accommodations, and itineraries sure to please the casual and adventurous traveler alike. As a Guaranty Tours Club member, you will be given first notice of upcoming tours, priority enrollment, and a discount off the regular cost of the tours. All Woodsville Guaranty Savings Bank customers are qualifying members of Guaranty Tours.

**Reservations & Payments:** Reservations will be accepted subject to availability at the time of a request. Payment can be made in person, sent by mail, or by phone. Checks, Cash, VISA or MasterCard are accepted. Make checks payable to Woodsville Guaranty Savings Bank. A completed registration form and a per person deposit are due within 5 days of confirming your tour reservation. The deposit amount is listed on each brochure. Day trips require payment in full for a confirmed reservation.

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Non-members are able to make a tour reservation after February 1st of that travel year and will join the tour at the regular deluxe tour price.

The final payment is due 90 days prior to departure. WGSB will confirm reservations on a first-come, first-served basis. If the tour you're interested in is fully booked, you'll be offered to place your name on a waiting list. Guaranty Tours will notify you if space becomes available.

#### Cancellation:

Deposits are not refundable 90 days prior to departure.. All other payments are non-refundable after their due date. Trip and travel insurance are highly recommended.

**Trip and Travel Insurance:** In the event of a cancellation, without travel insurance, name changes are permitted with WGSB approval. While WGSB will assist in f inding a suitable substitute, it is the responsibility of the person cancelling to find a suitable replacement; gain approval; and negotiate the cost. To protect other members from price increases, due to decreased enrollment, the cancellation policy will be strictly enforced.

Participants are urged to review their insurance requirements with their personal insurance agent or consider a policy available from Allianz Travel Insurance. Allianz provides coverage for cancelled and interrupted trips, medical costs, travel accidents and lost/ stolen baggage. To review coverage options and to receive a price quote, call Allianz at 1-800-284-8300 or visit their website at www.allianztravelinsurance.com So that we can assist you in the event of a claim, when ordering from Allianz, please in clude F034456 in the Travel Agent ID field where indicated.

**Health Policy:** In compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, WGSB will make reasonable efforts to accommodate the special needs of tour participants. Travelers needing special assistance must inform WGSB when booking to determine what assistance might reasonably be made available. Clients who require particular assistance must travel with a qualified travel companion. Drivers and guides cannot provide individualized help for walking, getting on/off motor coaches or other personal needs. Any travelers requiring special diets must also notify WGSB upon booking.

**Tour Inclusions:** All packages include luxury motor coach transportation; meals as listed in the itinerary; daily sightseeing and entrance fees as indicated in the itinerary; services of knowledgeable, local guides; services of a Plymouth Travel Tours Director and WGSB Guaranty Tours Representative and more. Multi-day and trips with air travel includes round-trip transfers to/from airports; round-trip jet service; hotel accommodations & baggage handling (where available).

**Not Included:** Meals and activities not specified on the itinerary, any personal expenses, travel and health insurance. Gratuities for local guide, chambermaids and the driver.

All tour itineraries are subject to change.

**Documentation and Travel Documents:** All U.S. citizens flying within the United States and by motor coach to Canada must have a valid photo US government-issued I.D. (Passport or Enhanced Driver's License). Any required travel documents, along with helpful information for your trip, will be sent to you 3-4 weeks prior to the tour departure date.

**Responsibility Statement:** Woodsville Guaranty Savings Bank and Plymouth Travel Tours, herein referred to as WGSB/PTT, acts only as an agent on behalf of its tour patrons in arranging transportation, accommodations, sightseeing, and other services. They are not responsible for deficiencies on the part of hotels, restaurants, airlines, cruise lines or any other company providing tour inclusions. WGSB/PTT, nor any of its representatives, shall not become liable or responsible in any way in connection with means of transportation or other services for any loss, injury or damage to, or in respect of, person or property however, caused or arising. We reserve the right to change any arrangements herein set forth should conditions necessitate, offering substitutes of equal value, or to cancel any scheduled tour. WGSB/PTT is not responsible for delays, extra expenses or any other inconveniences to passengers due to weather conditions, other "Acts of God," and acts of terrorism. The right is reserved to decline, to accept or retain any person as a member of a tour at any time.

Notes: By signing up for this tour, consent is given to use your photo on our website, in print, etc., unless advised otherwise.