

NASHVILLE EXPERIENCE DREAM COUNTRY TOUR FROM NS & NB SEPTEMBER 14 TO 23, 2024

"Prepare for a captivating journey as we travel a picturesque route to Nashville. Upon arriving, we'll immerse ourselves in the very heart of country music, where the legends were born. Get ready to be swept off your feet by the enchanting melodies performed by Nashville's finest talents. And that's not all – we'll be uncovering all the city's iconic attractions that await us. Get set for an unforgettable Nashville experience!"

Highlights

- Deluxe Motorcoach transportation from Dartmouth* with pick-ups in Truro*, Aulac*, Moncton, Fredericton and Woodstock
- 10 days /9 nights accommodation in quality hotels
- 5 nights in Nashville (highly rated hotel)
- 9 hot breakfasts and a minimum of seven (7) lunches/dinners included
- Entertainment, games, and movies along the way
- Unlimited FREE water, snacks and more for the whole trip on the motorcoach
- Surprises along the way ☺
- Dream Vacation Tour Director for the complete tour

Visit the Following

- Grand Ole Opry Backstage Tour
- Grand Ole Opry Evening Performance
- Visit the <u>George Jones Grave Site</u> at the Woodland Cemetery
- Guided Tour of Nashville
- Blue Bird Café
- Madame Tussauds
- <u>Country Music Hall of Fame & Museum and Studio "B"</u>
- Johnny Cash Museum
- Visit Broadway (Legends' Corner, Tootsies Orchid Lounge, The Stage on Broadway, AJ's Goodtime Bar, etc...)
- Loretta Lynn Ranch
- Loretta Lynn Kitchen
- General Jackson Showboat

** Option to visit on your own: Wildhorse Saloon, Willie Nelson Museum, Cooter's (Dukes of Hazzard) and more!!! *Dream Vacation Tours reserves the right to change the departure location to Moncton, NB if there are 16 passengers or less with pickups in Nova Scotia. If this occurs, Dream Vacation Tours will pay one (1) night hotel in Moncton, pre-tour, for each room booked. It is the client's responsibility to make their way to Moncton to board the tour. This is not something that occurs often, and we will give 14-days notice if this were to happen.

Why Book with Dream Vacation Tours?

- Dream Vacation Tours offers 90+ different bus tours and "no-fly" cruises leaving from the Maritimes
- ✓ In business since 2012 and fully incorporated
- ✓ Served over 15,000+ happy customers (4.9/5 reviews from past customers)
- ✓ We are a fully insured company with \$2,000,000 (2 million) general liability policy plus the premium motor coaches we use are also fully insured and regularly inspected
- ✓ Free unlimited water and snacks on the motor coach during the whole trip
- ✓ Earn "Future Travel Credits" when you refer new clients <u>Click Here</u>
- ✓ High-quality hotels
- ✓ Premium motor coach with power outlet in each seat
- ✓ Highly rated Tour Director and Driver from Dream Vacation Tours
- ✓ We go above and beyond to make our customers happy
- ✓ Highly rated by our past customers read our reviews by <u>clicking here</u>
- ✓ Great entertainment
- ✓ Early Booking Promise always get the best price by booking early and a better seating option that you will keep for the duration of the tour
- Pay In Full Discount save more \$\$ by paying in full at time of booking (tours may vary for discounts)
- ✓ No parking fees
- ✓ No missed connection flights
- ✓ No luggage fees or extra tax & hidden fees
- ✓ Pay with your credit card with no fees added
- ✓ Breaks every 2 hours (avg +/-) on the road
- ✓ Stress-free travel
- ✓ We also offer Travel Insurance

DAY 1: SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 14 – NS & NB TO MASSACHUSETTS

| CITY / TOWN PICK UP TIME | | LOCATION / ADDRESS | PARKING |
|--------------------------|----------|--|--|
| Dartmouth | 04:00 AM | Hampton Inn – 65 Cromarty Dr. (Dartmouth Crossing) | Complimentary |
| Truro | 04:45 AM | Rath Eastlink Centre - 625 Abenaki Rd. | Complimentary |
| Aulac | 06:00 AM | Aulac Big Stop - 170 Aulac Rd. | Complimentary |
| Moncton | 07:00 AM | Four Points Sheraton – 40 Lady Ada Blvd | Complimentary |
| Fredericton | 08:45 AM | Lincoln Blue Canoe (former Irving Big Stop) - 415 Nevers Rd. | Complimentary |
| Woodstock | 10:00 AM | Murray's Irving / Tim's – 194 Beardsley Rd. | Complimentary (advise staff at Murray's) |

Please arrive at your Departure Location 15 minutes prior to pick up time Click <u>HERE</u> for the rates of our hotel partners for pre/post tour stays

Today, we will travel through **Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, Maine, New Hampshire, and Massachusetts** with planned stops, including a quick visit to the New Hampshire Liquor Store and breaks and lunch. To keep everyone engaged and entertained during the journey, your Tour Director has games and entertainment in store for you. This evening, we will relax at our host hotel in **Massachusetts**.

DAY 2: SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 15 – MASSACHUSETTS TO HARRISONBURG VA

Today's adventure begins with a complimentary hot breakfast. Then we will be traveling through several states, including **Massachusetts, Connecticut, New York, Pennsylvania, and Virginia**, making stops for breaks and lunch along the way. As you traverse this scenic route, your Tour Director will ensure you enjoy the ride. Enjoy the beautiful sights along the way! This evening, we will relax at our host hotel in **Harrisonburg, Virginia**.

DAY 3: MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 16 – HARRISONBURG VA TO NASHVILLE TN

Today, after a complimentary hot breakfast, we will be travelling through **Virginia** and along the beautiful Jefferson and Cherokee National Forests. We will have breaks and lunch along the way while we head to our destination, beautiful **Nashville TN** - hailed by *Travel & Leisure* magazine as one of the *"Friendliest Cities in the United States"* and known affectionately as *"Music City USA"*.

After freshening up at the hotel, you will have a free night to do anything you would like and visit Broadway on your own. We will offer drop off and pick-up to Broadway.

DAY 4: TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 17- NASHVILLE - LOCAL TOURING

This morning we will have an amazing **Guided Tour of Nashville.** After the guided tour, lunch will be on Broadway on our own where are there a lot of different food options.

This afternoon, we will then head towards the **Country Music Hall of Fame** to learn where "Music City" got its' nickname. As the world's largest music museum, the Country Music Hall of Fame gives country music fans the ultimate experience.

This evening, we will be going to see "the show that made country music famous"... **The Grand Ole Opry.** An American Icon and Nashville's number-one attraction is known for creating one-of-a-kind entertainment experiences for audiences of all ages. It's where unforgettable moments happen every week. For over 99 years, the country's best has mesmerized audiences at this unforgettable evening performance. Sit back and enjoy the live show, you never know who may show up on stage!

DAY 5: WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 18 – NASHVILLE - LOCAL TOURING

After a complimentary hot breakfast, we will have a very special experience with a backstage guided tour of the **Grand Ole Opry Backstage Tour**.

For lunch, you will be on your own with plenty of choices in the Opry Mills Mall. This afternoon, you will have the option to spend time on Broadway or do more shopping or visit the Johnny Cash Museum.

This evening, for those who want to visit Broadway, you will be able explore historic Honky Tonk bars such as **Legends Corner, The Stage, Tootsie's & more.** You will also be able to visit new bars like **AJ's Good Time Bar, Garth Brooks Friends in Low Places, Ole Red & more.** There are also numerous restaurants for you to enjoy such as, **Hard Rock Café, Jack's Bar-B-Que, Margaritaville** and many more. We will offer drop off and pick up this evening to Broadway.

DAY 6: THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 19 – NASHVILLE - LOCAL TOURING

Following a complimentary hot breakfast, we'll leave for a visit to the iconic **Loretta Lynn Ranch**. Afterward, we'll make our way to **Loretta Lynn's Kitchen** for a delicious lunch.

After lunch, we will head out to visit the Johnny Cash Museum. For those who want to visit Broadway, you will be able explore historic Honky Tonk bars such as Legends Corner, The Stage, Tootsie's & more. You will also be able to visit new bars like AJ's Good Time Bar, Garth Brooks Friends in Low Places, Ole Red & more. There are also numerous restaurants for you to enjoy such as, Hard Rock Café, Jack's Bar-B-Que, Margaritaville and many more. You can also choose to visit the Ryman Auditorium, Johnny Cash Museum on your own. We will offer drop off and pick up to Broadway.

This evening, for those who want to stay downtown, you will be able explore restaurants and bars such as **Legends Corner, The Stage, Tootsies** and **Cadillac Ranch**, where admission is always free. There are also lots of unique shops to check out along this popular street.

DAY 7: FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 20 – NASHVILLE - LOCAL TOURING

This morning after a complimentary hot breakfast, we will visit **Studio B.** Then we will visit the **George Jones Cemetery.** We will then go to the **Blue Bird Café** for a quick stop.

For lunch, get ready for an unforgettable experience as we board the renowned **General Jackson Showboat**. You'll be treated to a cruise along with a Lunch Theatre Show that promises great entertainment and delicious food.

Later this afternoon, we will visit Madame Tussauds Wax Museum which is located inside the Opry Mills Mall.

This evening, for those who want to visit Broadway, you will be able explore historic Honky Tonk bars such as **Legends Corner, The Stage, Tootsie's & more.** You will also be able to visit new bars like **AJ's Good Time Bar, Garth Brooks Friends in Low Places, Ole Red & more.** There are also numerous restaurants for you to enjoy such as, **Hard Rock Café, Jack's Bar-B-Que, Margaritaville** and many more. We will offer drop off and pick up this evening to Broadway.

DAY 8: SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 21 – NASHVILLE TN TO HARRISONBURG VA

Enjoy a complimentary hot breakfast and meet with your Tour Director to check out of our hotel. Today, we will be travelling to Harrisonburg VA with breaks and lunch along the way. Enjoy the scenery as we travel. This evening, we will arrive at our host hotel in **Harrisonburg VA**. Tonight, we will relax at the hotel.

DAY 9: SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 22 – HARRISONBURG VA TO MASSACHUSETTS

Enjoy a complimentary hot breakfast and meet with your Tour Director to check out of our hotel. Today we will be travelling to the Boston Area. We will drive through Virginia, Pennsylvania, New York and Connecticut. This evening, we will arrive at our host hotel in **Massachusetts**.

DAY 10: MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 23 – MASSACHUSETTS TO NB & NS

Enjoy a complimentary hot breakfast and check out of your hotel. Meet with your Tour Director and get ready for the final journey home. We will be stopping for lunch and breaks along the way. We will be passing through **Massachusetts, New Hampshire and Maine** and stop at the Duty-Free shop.

This evening, you will arrive home and say goodbye to your **Tour Director** and **Driver**. You will leave us with unforgettable memories of your **Nashville Experience Country Dream Tour**.

| CITY / TOWN | ARRIVAL TIME | LOCATION / ADDRESS | | |
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| Woodstock | 5:15 PM | Murray's Irving / Tim's – 194 Beardsley Rd. | | |
| Fredericton | ricton 6:15 PM Blue Canoe (former Irving Big Stop) - 415 Nevers Rd. | | | |
| Moncton | 8:15 PM | Four Points Sheraton – 40 Lady Ada Blvd. | | |
| Aulac | 9:00 PM | PM Aulac Big Stop - 170 Aulac Rd. | | |
| Truro | ro 10:45 PM Rath Eastlink Centre - 625 Abenaki Rd. | | | |
| Dartmouth | 11:45 PM | Hampton Inn – 65 Cromarty Dr. (Dartmouth Crossing) | | |
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*** SUBJECT TO CHANGE ***

We strongly suggest travel insurance.

* The itinerary and the hotel are subject to change.

*Events/activities time is subject to change. We will try our best to keep everything on schedule.

BOOK NOW & SAVE \$200 PER PERSON - Early Booking Bonus (EBB) PAY IN FULL AT TIME OF BOOKING AND SAVE AN EXTRA \$300 PER PERSON (PIF)

Price Per Person (Canadian Funds)

*Includes: hotels, highlights, transportation, tax & fees

| GUEST PER | REGULAR | Price with | Price with | | | | |
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| ROOM | PRICE | EBB | EBB & PIF | | | | |
| 4 | \$2599 | \$2399 | \$ 20 99 | | | | |
| 3 | <u>\$2799</u> | \$2599 | \$2299 | | | | |
| 2 | \$3099 | \$2899 | \$2599 | | | | |
| 1 | \$4299 | \$4099 | \$3799 | | | | |

Deposit of \$300 per person is required to reserve your seat

Full payment due 60 days before departure

*Deposit or full payment is non-refundable *We strongly suggest travel insurance

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TO BOOK OR FOR MORE INFO, PLEASE CALL: (506) 804-0989 OR TOLL-FREE: (844) 804-0989

Things to Remember 🙂

- 1. Medication remember to bring your medication (keep it in your carry-on for easy access)
- 2. Jacket Evenings might get chilly, so bring a sweater or jacket and be prepared for rainy days
- 3. Layers The temperature in the bus is set at 21-22 degrees Celsius, so dress in layers according to your comfort level
- 4. Luggage Handling The driver will assist with loading and unloading luggage from the motorcoach. Each traveller is responsible for transporting their luggage from the motorcoach to their hotel room and to the motor coach on departure. Please note that in the case of luggage left at the hotel, including the lobby, that unfortunately, the motor coach will not be able to turn around to retrieve the items. Guests will be responsible to contact hotel and organize delivery of items to them at their own cost.
- 5. **Missing Luggage at End of Tour** *Dream Vacation Tours* is not responsible if a guest accidentally takes the wrong luggage upon leaving the tour. To avoid any confusion, please ensure that your luggage is well tagged and clearly labelled with your name. In the event that your luggage is mistakenly taken by another guest, please communicate with *Dream Vacation Tours* so that we can try to identify who has your luggage. Once that person is identified, you will be responsible for retrieving it at your own cost and time.
- 6. Luggage Allowance Each traveller is permitted one large suitcase and one smaller carry-on.
 - a. Note: Overhead compartment space has a 9" opening, so a backpack-style carry-on is recommended any carry-on that doesn't fit overhead must be stowed at your feet
- 7. **Luggage Tags** Please ensure your luggage is tagged, any untagged baggage may be left on the motor coach if unclaimed
 - a. If luggage is taken by mistake, guests must retrieve it at their own expense and time
- 8. Arrive Early Please board the motor coach promptly when ready; departure may be earlier if everyone is on board
- 9. Be Punctual Let's avoid being the last one on the motor coach 😊
- 10. Seat Assignment Seats are assigned based on request at time of booking (first booked, first choice). Seats are assigned for the duration of the tour, but passengers are welcome to switch among themselves (within their group)
- 11. **Smoking** Smoking or vaping is prohibited on the motor coach and within nine (9) meters of the motor coach door
- 12. **Breaks** Morning and afternoon breaks are 15 minutes, lunch and dinner breaks are 45 minutes to 1 hour
- 13. **On-Board Washroom** The motor coach has a lavatory, and we typically stop for breaks every 2 hours or so
- 14. No Scents To accommodate allergies, please refrain from using perfume or cologne
- 15. **Travel Insurance** Ensure you have adequate Cancellation & Interruption coverage, as well as, Emergency Medical Insurance coverage. In case you have to leave the tour early for whatever reason, *Dream Vacation Tours* is not responsible for any cost incurred. You will also forfeit the rest of your tour with no reimbursement for any missing part of the tour.
- 16. Celebrating Inform the Tour Director if you're celebrating a birthday or anniversary
- 17. ID/Passport Please carry your valid Passport (for USA and International Tours) or a valid picture ID for other tours. For any international travel (including cruises), passports must be valid for six (6) months past the arrival date into Canada. It is also the responsibility of each guest to ensure any applicable visas AND/OR Entry Requirements for all countries visited have been obtained prior to departure. Failure to obtain correct documentation will mean the guest will be denied entry

into certain countries. Meeting necessary passport, visa and any other entry requirements and costs is the sole responsibility of guests. *Dream Vacation Tours* is not responsible for any compensation for any lost cruise/tour days. If travelling by motorcoach, the client will not be able to continue the tour and will be responsible to make his/her way back home at their own cost.

- 18. **Marijuana** Marijuana and marijuana products cannot be transported across the Canada/USA border. It is strictly prohibited to have or consume these products onboard the motorcoach, as well as to have any of these products in your luggage.
- 19. Late Guests Guests arriving late for pick-up or departure must arrange their own transportation to rejoin the group at the hotel/attraction at their own expense
 - a. Dream Vacation Tours is not responsible for any cost incurred in this situation or to rejoin the tour at the next location
- 20. **Gratuities** Industry standard for gratuities is \$4 to \$8 per day for both the Bus Driver and the Tour Director ***Optional See below**

Gratuities Based on Industry Standard

* Happy = \$4 per day * 10 day = \$40 per passenger for each the Driver and Tour Director
* Very happy = \$6 per day * 10 day = \$60 per passenger for each the Driver and Tour Director
* Extremely happy = \$8 per day *10 day = \$80 per passenger for each the Driver and Tour Director

For United States Tours

Anyone participating on Dream Vacations Tours escorted motor coach tours to the United States must have a valid passport. Dream Vacation Tours will assume no responsibilities for any individual who is denied entry in the United States. The/these individual(s) must find and pay their own transportation back home.

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