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## SOUTH COAST MAINE COAST & COVES TOUR

Farmington Senior Center May 29-31, 2019 No Minimum Tour



<u>DAY ONE</u> - This morning, we will depart from your area en route to Vacationland's beautiful South Coast region! Travel to York, ME for a visit to **STONEWALL KITCHENS**, manufacturers of Maine-made specialty condiments. (Depending on departure times and stop prior – Stonewall Kitchen's café serves lunch daily 11am-3pm; the deli case, baked goods and beverages are available until 4pm). This afternoon we will travel to **Ogunquit**, ME – which means "beautiful place by the sea." Here we will check-in to our South Coast hotel for a two-night stay. Enjoy a wine and cheese welcome reception upon arrival at the **MEADOWMERE RESORT**, which features indoor and outdoor pools, fitness center and a private movie theater. The resort is located a half mile from Ogunquit Village and the scenic cove area. Don your



souvenir Maine lobster hat for a classic **DOWNEAST LOBSTERBAKE DINNER** with sing-along entertainment. You will feast on your choice of *Maine Boiled Lobster or Barbequed Chicken*, plus chowder, cultivated mussels or steamed clams, corn on the cob, Maine potatoes and blueberry cake. On the way to dinner we will stop for a photo of Maine's southernmost lighthouse – the picturesque Nubble Light in Cape Neddick.

<u>DAY TWO</u> – Enjoy a deluxe continental breakfast (included) this morning at the resort. Travel to Portland, ME where you will meet your local guide for a NARRATED TOUR OF PORTLAND – Maine's largest city-by-the-sea. You will see views of Longfellow's boyhood home, sea captain houses and the elegant Victoria Mansion as you drive through historic neighborhoods overlooking the islands of Casco Bay in Portland Harbor. Your tour includes a stop at PORTLAND HEAD LIGHT. This historic landmark is the most photographed lighthouse in America, set in Fort Williams Park with crashing surf, a beach and an old fort. You will take a guided tour of the boyhood home of poet HENRY WADSWORTH LONGFELLOW. Faithfully restored to the 1850s, the house was built in 1785-86 by the poet's grandfather. The house is one of the oldest brick structures on Portland's Peninsula and contains original furnishings belonging to the Wadsworth and Longfellow families, who occupied the house until 1901. The elegant Longfellow garden behind the house provides a Colonial Revival

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oasis amidst the modern bustle of Congress Street just a few steps away. See the Maine Historical Society museum exhibits here as well. There will be time for shopping along



cobblestone streets and lunch (on own) in Portland's historic waterfront district, the Old Port Exchange. This afternoon we will explore Ogunquit's quaint PERKINS COVE area. You will have the afternoon to explore the shops and see the pretty drawbridge here or take a stroll along "The Marginal Way," a scenic walk path along the cliff between Perkins Cove and Ogunquit Village. Return to the hotel to freshen up for dinner (included) at a near by restaurant.

Tonight, you will enjoy a performance at the **HISTORIC OGUNQUIT PLAYHOUSE**. This cultural landmark has brought outstanding, star-studded performances to southern Maine for five decades.

**DAY THREE** - A deluxe continental breakfast is included at the hotel this morning, before we checkout and depart for home. We will stop at the KITTERY OUTLET STORES en route for some last minute souvenirs, before we continue on our journey home with lots of Maine coastal memories!

COST: \$519.00 PP Double \$619.00 Single \$509.00 PP Triple

- INCLUDES: \* Roundtrip Transportation
  - \* Hotel Accommodations
  - \* Admissions to above attractions
  - \* 4-Meals (2-Continental Breakfasts & 2 Dinners)
  - \* Maine Lobster Souvenir Hat
  - \* Taxes and Baggage Handling
  - \*Gratuities for Driver and Getaway Tours' Tour Director

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> For more information, call The Senior Center Trip Line 860-675-2490 press 5. Checks payable to: **Town of Farmington**

