

EAST LYME SENIOR CENTER PRESENTS....

WASHINGTON D.C.

MOUNT VERNON * POTOMAC RIVER CRUISE * ARLINGTON CEMETERY
NATIONAL MUSEUM OF AFRICAN AMERICAN HISTORY & CULTURE

SEPTEMBER 8-10, 2017

(3 DAY / 2 NIGHT)



Day 1: This morning we **depart at 7:30am from the Senior Center, 37 Society Rd., East Lyme.** Our journey takes us into our nation's Capital, **Washington, D.C.!** Arriving at **Arlington National Cemetery** this afternoon for a guided tram tour. Have a chance to see the changing of the guard at the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier, there are also stops at President John F. Kennedy gravesite, U.S. Coast Guard Memorial, U.S. Army Gen. John J. Pershing's gravesite, and the Arlington House (The Robert E. Lee Memorial) just to name a few. From here we check into our hotel for the next two nights, the Holiday Inn Rosslyn Key Bridge. **Dinner is included this evening in the Vantage Point Dining Room overlooking the city of Washington.** (D)

Day 2: A **full breakfast** is included this morning followed by a **guided tour of Washington.** See the WWII Memorial, Lincoln Memorial, The Vietnam Wall, FDR Memorial, MLK Jr Memorial, and so much more! This afternoon visit **George Washington's Mount Vernon**, which offers a glimpse into 18th-century plantation life through beautiful gardens and grounds, intriguing museum exhibits honoring George Washington's life and legacy. After we will take to the Potomac River as we take a **narrated cruise** back to Alexandria to meet the bus. **Dinner** this evening is at **Theismann's Restaurant**, in Alexandria. (B,D)

Day 3: From **breakfast** we head into DC to visit the brand **new African American History Museum.** The 400,000 square foot building will be home to more than 34,000 artifacts including a shawl owned by Harriet Tubman, a travel trunk owned by abolitionist William Lloyd Garrison, and a plane used to train Tuskegee airman ~ just to name a few. After lunch, on own, we will head home with a new understanding of the underground railroad and the determination of the African-American people. **Approximate return is 8:30pm, East Lyme.** (B)

COST \$523.00 PP DOUBLE
\$473.00 PP TRIPLE * \$693.00 PER SINGLE

Trip arranged by Tours of Distinction, East Windsor, CT www.toursofdistinction.net



3-Day Washington, DC Tour Includes:

Roundtrip Motor-coach
2-nights, Holiday Inn Key Bridge
Arlington Cemetery Tram Tour
4 Meals: 2 Dinners / 2 Breakfasts
Half Day Guided Washington DC Tour
Visit to the New African American History Museum at the Smithsonian
Admission to Mount Vernon
Potomac River Cruise
Tours of Distinction Tour Director
Roundtrip Baggage Handling
Gratuities to the Bus Driver, Tour Director, and Local Guide

Tour Deposit: \$50.00 each at time of deposit

Final Payment: August 1, 2017

Trip Protection: The plan cost per person, based on overall trip cost:
\$34.00 double, triple and quad and \$44.00 per single
The purchase of the Optional Travel Protection is suggested at the time of initial trip deposit.

Cancellations: Individual cancellations 45 days or more ahead receive a full refund.
Individual cancellations 44-31 days ahead will be charged a \$50. fee plus any non-refundable tour expenses.
Individual cancellations 30-15 days ahead will forfeit 50% of tour price plus any non-refundable tour expenses.
There will be no refunds for individual cancellations 14 days-day of departure.
**** If cancelling for a medical reason, you must see your doctor prior to cancelling from the tour in order to file a claim.**

Gratuities: Gratuities for the Bus Driver, Tour Director and Local Guide are included in the cost of your tour package.

**** INDIVIDUAL TOUR RESERVATIONS ARE NOT TRANSFERABLE
FROM ONE PERSON TO ANOTHER ****



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