

# The East Lyme Seniors Present...

The Grand Strand & Classic Charleston

April 28 – May 4, 2019

Explore Myrtle Beach and Charleston on this 7 day tour. Mixing shows, great meals, free time and a 4-night stay at the Ocean Reef Resort make this tour a perfect balance and glimpse into the South's Coast.

**Day 1:** We depart at 8:30a, from Lymes' Senior Center, 26 Town Woods Rd., Old Lyme for a fun-filled week on the **South Carolina Shore**. We will make our first stop in Virginia and stay at the **Holiday Inn Express Fredericksburg**.

**Day 2:** After a **continental breakfast**, we have another early start for our destination, world famous Myrtle Beach, SC. **The Ocean Reef Resort Myrtle Beach** is a great choice for a four-night stay! Our hotel is right on the beach and all rooms are oceanfront. Tonight, enjoy **Dolly Parton's Pirate Dinner Theatre** where we join Captain Dread and his pirate crew for a swashbuckling good time plus a great **dinner**. (B, D)

**Day 3:** A **full breakfast** is included at the hotel, with the morning at leisure. Stroll the Boardwalk, relax by the pool or do some shopping. This afternoon, for those who would like to take a journey, we will travel up the coast and into North Carolina, to visit the quaint village of **Calabash**. With its seafood restaurants, and unusual shops. Calabash is indeed a unique town. If you would rather, you can spend the day at the pool or just relaxing at the beach. Tonight, **dinner** is included at **Thoroughbreds Restaurant** before an evening of **musical entertainment at the acclaimed Carolina Opry**. (B, D)

**Day 4:** Begin the day with **breakfast**, before heading south along the *Grand Strand to classic Charleston*. This historic port city has all the charm and elegance of the Old South. Our **guided tour** will include *The Battery*, where the first shots of the Civil War were fired on Fort Sumter, as well as, *Marion Square, the College of the Citadel* and you'll see many *Ante Bellum homes*. Simply put, Charleston is charming. **Dinner** is included in Charleston at **Bubba Gump's Shrimp House** before we return to Myrtle Beach for the night. (B, D)

**Day 5:** **Breakfast** is included, at your leisure this morning, before have the morning free to enjoy Myrtle Beach at your own pace. This afternoon, we depart for a little shopping at the popular **Barefoot Landing** before **dinner**. After, we take our seats at the famous **Alabama Theatre** to see ONE, the show. (B, D)

**Day 6:** After **breakfast**, we bid farewell to the Ocean Reef and beautiful Myrtle Beach and be on our way back to Fredericksburg, VA with lodging at the **Holiday Inn Express**. (B)

**Day 7:** Homeward Bound! **Continental breakfast** is included. We will make a stop for lunch, on own, en route home. Evening return. (CB)

**\$1,219 pp Double | \$1,085 pp Triple | \$1,629 Single**

**For Reservations and Information:**  
**East Lyme Senior Center | 860.739.5859**  
37 Society Road, Niantic, CT 06357  
**Checks Payable: Tours of Distinction**



Some walking. Expect 1-2 hours of walking per day. This may be around a park, market, garden or city tour.



## Tour Includes:

Roundtrip Motor-coach Transportation |  
2-Nights Hotel, Fredericksburg, VA |  
4-Nights at the Ocean Reef Resort, Myrtle Beach, SC |  
10 Meals: 6 Breakfasts, 4 Dinners | Dolly Parton's Pirate Voyage |  
Carolina Opry | Alabama Theatre | Barefoot Landing |  
Guided Sightseeing Tour of Charleston | Calabash, NC |  
Baggage Handling | Tours of Distinction Tour Director |  
All Gratuities for Tour Director, Driver, and Local Guide



**Deposit:** \$100 due with your reservation

**Full Payment:** Due by March 21, 2019

**Travel Protection:** Optional Travel Protection is offered. The cost is \$82.pp double, triple or quad and \$104.pp for single occupancy. We suggest the purchase of travel protection when you make your tour reservation.

**Cancellations:** Individual cancellations 90 days or more ahead will receive a full refund  
Individual cancellations 89-60 days ahead will be charged a \$100. fee plus any non-refundable tour expenses.  
Individual cancellations 59-36 days ahead will forfeit 50% of tour price plus any non-refundable tour expenses.  
There will be no refunds for individual cancellations 35 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 driver, tour director, local guides and the hotel bellmen are also included in the tour cost.

**\*\* Reservations are non-transferable from one person to another within 35 days of travel.**

**Disclaimer:** We are in a business that plans far ahead of the tour's start date which can, at times, leave us with a change of itinerary, attraction, meal or accommodation. Due to any unforeseen circumstances, Tours of Distinction, Inc., must reserve the right to change the booked itinerary, attractions, restaurants or accommodations. In such an event, the alternative will be of equal or greater value.