

TOURS OF DISTINCTION

The Enfield Senior Center presents....

3-DAY VERMONT GREEN MOUNTAIN WILDERNESS EXPLORER

August 22 – 24, 2012

1ST DAY

7:30 AM Departure as we set out on an adventure to the scenic Green Mountains of Vermont. This will be an escorted tour. We'll stop at the **Vermont Country Store** where every visit is a trip down memory lane. Our destination is Stowe, a beautiful community high in the Green Mountains, with lodging for 2 nights provided at **Commodore's Inn of Stowe**. The Inn is situated on a 3 acre lake and has an indoor pool, hot tubs, an exercise facility, a full service restaurant and sports lounge. This afternoon there will be mini sailboat races on the lake. Tonight enjoy a **Wine & Cheese Party and DINNER** at the inn. After dinner there will be a special **mystery surprise**.

2ND DAY

Enjoy a hearty Vermont Country BREAKFAST before we meet "**Mr. Vermont**", our native guide for the day. He seems to know everything and everybody in the Green Mountain State and the North country of Vermont is his specialty. This morning we'll begin high above the village of Stowe village at the famous **Trapp Family Lodge** (Sound of Music) for a private guided tour of the lodge and gardens. We will also visit **Emily's covered bridge and the "Story"**. Browse the gift shops in Stowe and sample the legendary flavors of **Vermont's Cabot Cheese** and sweet apple cider at the **Cold Hollow Cider Mill** and cider village shops. Tonight we'll return to the **Trapp Family Lodge for DINNER**. This is European style dining high on a mountaintop. Order from the menu for a most memorable dining experience.

3RD DAY

A big BREAKFAST BUFFET is included before we head into nearby Waterbury and board **Amtrak's "Vermont Wilderness Explorer" train**. Waterbury has one of the most beautiful train stations in the nation. On the Wilderness Explorer we'll ride the rails in comfort through the beautiful Green Mountains, past forgotten villages and farms, over rushing rivers, alongside lush pasturelands (Vermont probably has more cows than people) and past historic covered bridges. We'll leave the train at Bellows Falls in Southern Vermont and enjoy **LUNCH at the charming Putney Country Inn**. Later we'll stop at one of Vermont's best little shops before returning home. **Return home at 6:30 PM.**

\$469.00 each in Double

\$449.00 each in Triple

\$539.00 Single

RIDE THE RAILS OF ADVENTURE THROUGH COLORFUL VERMONT

3-DAY VERMONT TOUR INCLUDES:

Deluxe Motor-coach Transportation
2 Nights at the Commodore Inn of Stowe
Hotel Room Taxes and Baggage Handling
2 Full Breakfasts and 1 Dinner at our hotel
Dinner at the famous Trapp Family Lodge
Lunch at The Putney Country Inn
Wine & Cheese Party at Commodore Inn
Tour of Trapp Family Lodge
“MR. VERMONT” guided tour
Cabot Cheese and Cold Hollow Cider
Amtrak’s Wilderness Explorer train through Vermont
A Tours of Distinction Escort
Tips for Escort, Bus Driver & Mr. Vermont

<u>TOUR DEPOSIT:</u>	\$50.00 each with reservation
<u>BALANCE DUE:</u>	July 20, 2012
<u>TRIP INSURANCE:</u>	Optional Trip Insurance is offered. The cost is \$30.00 for those in Double or Triple Rooms and also \$30.00 for Singles. Purchase trip insurance at time of deposit. (Insurance checks should be made payable to Tours of Distinction)
<u>CANCELLATIONS:</u>	Cancellations 45 or more days ahead will receive a Full Refund . Cancellations 44 – 15 days ahead will be charged a \$50.00 fee plus any non-refundable tour expenses. Cancellations 14 – 1 day ahead will forfeit 50% of tour cost plus any non-refundable tour expenses. There will be No Refund for cancellations on the Day of Departure.
<u>TIPPING:</u>	Tips for the Bus Driver and Tour Escort are included. Tips for the Commodore’s bellmen and for Mr. Vermont are also included.

SUMMERTIME IN VERMONT

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