Newfoundland

and highlights of Nova Scotia

June 9 - 24

15 nights | 16 days | 33 meals

Highlights:

Halifax, Nova Scotia • Canso Causeway • Cape Breton Island • Baddeck • Cabot Trail • Newfoundland • Channel-Port aux Basques • Corner Brook • Port au Choix • Gros Morne National Park • L'Anse Aux Meadows National Historic Site • St. Anthony • Norris Point • Grand Falls-Windsor • Twilllingate • Clarenville • Bonavista • Ryan Premises National Historic Site • Boat Tours to View Puffins, Gros Morne, and Icebergs • The Rooms • St. John's • Local Culture and Entertainment

Tour includes:

Round trip airfare with Air Canada
Fifteen nights accommodation
Fifteen breakfasts
Six lunches
Twelve dinners
Meal gratuities
Gros Morne, Iceberg, & Puffin boat rides
Newfoundland entertainment
All side tours and entrance fees
Step-on guides / Park Ranger
Step-on guide gratuities
Ferry tolls

Accommodation:

Halifax The Barrington Hotel Baddeck Auberge Gisele's Inn Port aux Basques Hotel Port aux Basques Corner Brook Hew & Draw Hotel St. Barbe Dockside Inn St. Anthony Grenfell Inn Fisherman's Landing Inn Rocky Harbour Gander Sinbad Inn Clarenville Clarenville Inn St. John's Delta St. John's Hotel

AGELESS PEACE OF MIND: \$595





DAY ONE: VANCOUVER - HALIFAX

Arrive in Halifax and check in to the The Barrington Hotel for a two night stay. This lovely hotel is ideally located in the downtown core.

DAY TWO: HALIFAX Meals: B, D

Explore Halifax which includes a visit Pier 21 to learn of immigration history and visit the Halifax Citadel National Historic Site. A lobster dinner is included at the hotel.

DAY THREE: HALIFAX - BADDECK Meals: B, D

This morning depart by coach from Halifax for Baddeck. Travel across the Canso Causeway to Cape Breton Island. En route there is a visit to the Alexander Graham Bell National Historic Site in Baddeck where he made his home, followed by a two night stay at Auberge Gisele's Inn.

DAY FOUR: BADDECK-CABOTTRAIL-BADDECK Meals: B, L, D

Today explore the Cabot Trail with a local guide. This trail is a winding mix of roadway, paths, stairs, and stunning beauty that takes you from unreal ocean vistas to quaint fishing villages., passing through the Cape Breton Highlands National Park at its northernmost point. Visit Les Trois Pignons for a special view into Acadian culture and the history of Chéticamp, a stunning collection of hooked rugs and antiquities, genealogy resource centre and library, and a full range of visitor information services.

DAY FIVE: BADDECK - CHANNEL-PORT AUX BASQUES Meals: B

Mid morning at North Sydney, board a Marine Atlantic ferry for a relaxing crossing to Channel-Port aux Basques, your port of entry on the island of Newfoundland. Overnight in the community of Port aux Basques.

DAY SIX: CHANNEL-PORT AUX BASQUES – CORNER BROOK Meals: B, L, D

Depart mid morning from the town of Channel-Port aux Basques. Drive through the Codroy Valley and on to Corner Brook, the largest city on the west coast of the island. Our overnight stay is at the Hew & Draw Hotel, located in the centre of Newfoundland's premier tourism destination that is highlighted by the Long Range Mountains and the beautiful Bay of Islands. Enjoy musical entertainment from Newfoundland's own The Sharecroppers.

DAY SEVEN: CORNER BROOK – ST. BARBE Meals: B, L, D

After breakfast board the coach for a scenic drive through Gros Morne National Park (there will be more time spent in the park later in the tour) en route to St. Barbe. Visit the archaeological habitats of the Port au Choix National Historic Site.

DAY EIGHT: ST. BARBE – ST. ANTHONY Meals: B, L, D

Travel to L'Anse Aux Meadows National Historic Site, the earliest known European settlement in the New World. The reconstructions of three Norse buildings are the focal point. Continue on to your St. Anthony accommodation. Enjoy some local entertainment following dinner.







Visit the Grenfell House Museum, the restored residence of Sir Wilfred Grenfell. Sir Wilfred was a young medical doctor who came to Newfoundland in 1892 and left behind a legacy of schools, orphanages, and medical services, which still exist today. The two night stay is in the town of Rocky Harbour.

DAY TEN: ROCKY HARBOUR - GROS MORNE NATIONAL PARK - ROCKY HARBOUR Meals: B, D

After breakfast board the coach for a day of discovering Gros Morne National Park, a UNESCO World Heritage Site. The Park represents a 1,805 km² sample of Newfoundland's western highlands and coastal lowlands – a landscape of mountains, fjords, coastal bogs, and wave carved cliffs. Enjoy an included adventure boat tour through the heart of a fjord and an opportunity to get ceremonially "Screeched In". Tonight experience local entertainment with Anchors Aweigh.

DAY ELEVEN: ROCKY HARBOUR - GANDER Meals: B, D

Travel through central Newfoundland and visit the Mary March Regional Museum which tells the stories of Newfoundland and Labrador and its diverse peoples. Overnight in Gander.

DAY TWELVE: GANDER-TWILLINGATE-CLARENVILLE Meals: B, D

This morning we are off on the "Road to the Isles", before travelling across "Tickles and Runs" to spend time at Twillingate. This is one of Newfoundland's oldest and most interesting fishing communities. Visit Twillingate and take a boat ride to view the Icebergs. Followed by lunch at Auk Island Winery. Enjoy a two night stay at the waterfront community of Clarenville.

DAY THIRTEEN: CLARENVILLE - BONAVISTA - CLARENVILLE Meals: B

Travel to Bonavista, the landfall of John Cabot in 1497. Here we visit the Ryan Premises National Historic Site of Canada and have an opportunity to learn about inshore fishing techniques that have allowed this town to thrive for hundreds of years.

DAY FOURTEEN: CLARENVILLE-ST. JOHNS Meals: B, L, D

Travel to St. John's, the capital of Newfoundland, and our two night stay at the Delta St. John's Hotel. En route visit the Bay Bulls for a two hour boat tour of the Witless Bay Bird Sanctuary to see the puffins and other sea birds. A definite highlight of the trip! Lunch is included in a quaint waterfront village. Before checking in to the hotel visit The Rooms, this is Newfoundland and Labrador's largest public cultural space. Here, history, heritage, and artistic expression come together. Meet up with the group for dinner.

DAY FIFTEEN: ST. JOHN'S

Meals: B, D

This morning explore the city by coach with a local guide. The afternoon is yours to enjoy. Reflect on your Newfoundland tour with your friends at the farewell dinner.

DAY SIXTEEN: ST. JOHN'S - VANCOUVER Meals: B

Depart on a midmorning flight to Vancouver with memories of your Newfoundland and Nova Scotia Adventure.



Double or Twin: \$9,897

Single: **\$11,795**

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