



Bus Tours * Cruises * Air Packages

(Please note: We're always adding new tours. Please check back often.)

A (*) next to the price indicates that a meal or meals are included.
An (A) next to a price is for Adults and (C) next to a price is for children usually 12 and under.

Departing From: Brattleboro VT, Gill, South Deerfield, and West Springfield MA
(unless otherwise indicated)

2018



New York City Have It Your Way

\$60

Date:

Saturday, July 14, 2018

Features:

Spend the day in the Big Apple at your leisure. Take in a museum, enjoy lunch at one of the many fine NYC eateries, visit famous landmarks, shop, or take in a Broadway Show. We can get great tickets for you to a Broadway Show of your choice. Call for pricing! Also available: Metropolitan Museum of Art, Museum of Natural History, Hayden Planetarium, and more.

Finger Lakes Wine & Beer Summertime Fun

\$379 p/p do*

Dates:

July 14-15, 2018

Features:

We're headed out to the Finger Lakes for some summertime fun that includes wine, beer and more! Enjoy a tasting of fine wines at Long Point Winery along Cayuga Lake's Eastern Shore. This winery that sits on 72 acres of land overlooking beautiful Cayuga Lake. Enjoy a tasting of a variety of great beer from a farm, not a factory at Hopshire Farm and Brewery in Ithaca. Dinner tonight is on your own along the Commons at an open-air pedestrian section of downtown Ithaca that is filled with shops, cafes and restaurants! After a night of rest, enjoy breakfast at the hotel before heading out for more fun. Our first stop this morning is at the Ithaca Farmers Market which is one of the country's best! Wonderful food, artisan crafts, live music, fresh produce and much more await you! Next, it's time to taste some great wines at the oldest winery of the Cayuga Trail. For three generations, this family-owned winery has been producing award-winning wines! Our final stop will be at Knapp Winery and Vineyard for a tasting of 6 wines and enjoy lunch on own at the lovely Knapp Winery Restaurant!

Gloucester Lobster Luncheon Cruise **\$139***
Date: Saturday, July 21, 2018
Features: Sail away with us to Gloucester for the luxurious Beauport Princess Lobster Luncheon Cruise. Gloucester Harbor is breathtaking and the large windows on the cruise are great for viewing the sights along the way. During this brunch cruise, jazz music will be playing for your enjoyment or you can enjoy the salty sea on the outdoor deck! After the cruise, we have allotted some free time in nearby Rockport for shopping and sightseeing!

Hampton Beach or Kittery Outlets **\$62**
Date: Saturday, July 28, 2018
Features: Spend a relaxing day at the beach, or perhaps shop at the Kittery Outlets. The choice is yours!

Lighthouse Cruise & DiMillo's Floating Restaurant **\$139***
Date: Saturday, July 28, 2018
Features: Sit back and relax on the luxury coach as you travel to the beautiful state of Maine. The first stop is DiMillo's Floating Restaurant on the waterfront located in Portland. Next, we head out for a wonderful 90-minute narrated Lighthouse Cruise. Cruise through busy Casco Bay and its innermost island to see lighthouse, forts, lobster boats, seals, seabird, and more! Enjoy a little free time to browse downtown Portland before heading home with wonderful memories! Don't forget your camera!



Mystic Aquarium **\$116A/\$109C**
Date: Saturday, August 4, 2018
Features: The Mystic Aquarium is a New England treasure enjoyed by all who visit! One of only three US facilities holding Stellar Sea Lions, and the only New England aquarium with Beluga Whales. With habitats featuring sharks, stingrays, jellies and more, you can explore the depths of our ocean planet like never before! **West Springfield Departure ONLY.**

Mystic Seaport **\$119A/\$106C**
Date: Saturday, August 4, 2018
Features: The Museum of America and the Sea, at historic Mystic Seaport, is the largest maritime museum in the United States. Explore early American history first-hand as you stroll through a working waterfront, climb aboard tall ships, explore world-class exhibits, and much more. **West Springfield Departure ONLY.**

Saratoga Race Track **\$84**
Date: Sunday, August 5, 2018
Features: The place to be in August is Saratoga Racetrack! This 350-acre course is home to the oldest continuous thoroughbred meet in America, and we want to spend the day there with you! You will be surrounded by the splendor of a by-gone era. Included is luxurious round trip transportation, general admission into the park and reserved grandstand seating. This is an annual trip.

Dates: **The Yellowstone Experience, A Wildlife Safari** **\$Call**
August 6-12, 2018
Features: Please call for all of the details!

Dates: **Boston Red Sox at Toronto Blue Jays** **\$599 p/p do***
August 8-10, 2018
Features: Let us take you out to the Ballpark! We're headed to Toronto to see the Red Sox take on the Blue Jays at Rogers Centre. This tour to Canada includes overnight accommodations, Breakfast each morning, tickets for Wednesday night and Thursday night's games! You will have plenty of time to enjoy the city of Toronto as well! **Passport or Pass Card required.**

Date: **Aqua Turf – Jimmy Mazz** **\$116***
Saturday, August 14, 2018
Features: Jimmy Mazz takes you back to visit great classics by Patsy Cline, Hank Williams and Johnny Cash but quickly crosses over into the Rock-N-Roll World of Bobby Darin, Neil Diamond and Billy Joel. The impressions of these great performers are a tribute to the look, personality and the voices of these great artists!

Date: **New York City Have It Your Way** **\$60**
Saturday, August 18, 2018
Features: Spend the day in the Big Apple at your leisure. Take in a museum, enjoy lunch at one of the many fine NYC eateries, visit famous landmarks, shop, or take in a Broadway Show. We can get great tickets for you to a Broadway Show of your choice. Call for pricing! Also available: Metropolitan Museum of Art, Museum of Natural History, Hayden Planetarium, and more.

Date: **National 9/11 Memorial & Museum** **\$Call***
Saturday, August 18, 2018
Features: Join us for a trip to the National 9/11 Museum. The museum is an educational and historical institution honoring the victims of 9/11 and its continued global significance. The museum displays artifacts associated with the events of 9/11, while presenting stories of loss and recovery. This tour includes a professional NYC licensed guide for a tour of Lower Manhattan, and timed tickets for the National 9/11 Museum. Lunch is included at Ryan Maguire's in Lower Manhattan. Meal choice will be needed ahead of time. Please Note: Walking is a must on this tour!

Add on the One World Observatory: \$ TBD

Date: **Newport Luncheon Train & Elms Mansion** **\$149***
Saturday, August 18, 2018
Features: Join us for a beautiful ride to Newport, RI. Upon arrival enjoy a wonderful scenic train excursion along the Narragansett Bay. Delight in a full course luncheon served on the train while taking in the scenery. After lunch visit one of the gilded summer cottages of Newport, followed by free time at the Brick Market Place featuring a variety of boutique shops and much more! Make your visit to Rhode Island a day to remember! Return to the golden age of rail travel on the Newport & Narragansett Bay Railroad. You can enjoy a one-way or round trip rail dining experience while they ride along Aquidneck Island with views of Narragansett Bay. After lunch we will visit the Elms Mansion which known as a "summer cottage". The Elms was the summer residence of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Julius Berwind of Philadelphia and New York. The elaborate Classical Revival gardens on the grounds were developed between 1907 and 1914. They include terraces displaying marble and bronze sculpture, a park of fine specimen trees and a lavish lower garden featuring marble pavilions, fountains, a sunken garden and carriage house and garage. These gardens were recently restored. Free time in Newport will follow.

Fenway Park Tour & Boston Duck Tour**\$129A/\$119C****Date:** Saturday, August 25, 2018**Features:** Arrive at Fenway Park for a Guided Tour, you will have free time afterwards at Quincy Market followed up by the Boston Duck Tour to conclude a fabulous day in Boston! America's most beloved ballpark is uniquely nestled in the city of Boston. Fenway Park is a place where dreams are made, traditions are celebrated and baseball is forever. See the home of Red Sox Legends, Williams, Yaz, Fisk, and Rice. Visit Pesky's Pole and sit atop the world famous Green Monster which stands 37 feet, 2 inches high overlooking leftfield. Your day will end with a fun trip to Boston with a ride on the Ducks! They'll take you on an informative, historical journey that includes the Freedom Trail and ends with a plunge in the Charles River. This is fun for everyone!**Chris Stapleton in Concert****\$169****Date:** Saturday, August 25, 2018**Features:** Join us as we travel to the Meadowbrook Pavilion in beautiful Gilford NH to see an amazing American singer/songwriter and guitarist – Chris Stapleton! We have fantastic seats in the Pink 3D section, Rows 9, 10, and 11 for this 7:00pm show.**The Coast of Maine featuring Bar Harbor & Boothbay Harbor****\$1139 p/p do*****Dates:** August 26-30, 2018**Features:** Welcome to vacationland! What a great summer trip, 2 nights in Boothbay Harbor and 2 nights in Bar Harbor! Included in this wonderful tour are: 4 breakfasts, 3 dinners including Cabbage Island Clambake with boat transportation in Boothbay Harbor, visit the Maine Maritime Museum and Kennebec River Cruise. Enjoy Guided Tours of Boothbay Harbor, Camden, Acadia National Park, Pineland Farms, New Gloucester. After dinner one evening, we will see the presentation of the "Lady in the Red Cloak". Also included on this trip is a visit to the Pemaquid Lighthouse & Fisherman's Museum, the Maine State Prison Showroom Stop, and a Bar Harbor Lobstering Cruise. Depart for home with memories from a Maine Coast Trip you won't soon forget!
September**Steve Martin & Martin Short at Tanglewood****\$Call****Date:** Sunday, September 2, 2018**Features:** Comedy Legends Steve Martin & Martin Short have joined forces for their hit show "An Evening You Will Forget For The Rest Of Your Life", Martin & Short will be joined by Grammy Award winning bluegrass band Steep Canyon Rangers. Audiences can expect an evening of non-stop laughs as the duo recall their iconic careers, creative influences and most memorable encounters uniquely presented through a blend of stand-up musical numbers and conversations about their lives in show business.**Hyannis & Martha's Vineyard****\$589 p/p do*****Dates:** September 7-9, 2018**Features:** Join us for a wonderful journey to the shores of Cape Cod! We overnight for 2 nights at the All Seasons Resort in South Yarmouth. What a great way to close out your summer than a trip to the Cape. This trip includes: a Guided Tour of Hyannis, Admission into the John F. Kennedy Museum, Visit the Whydah Pirate Museum, Guide Escort to the island of Martha's Vineyard, Round Trip High-Speed Ferry to Martha's Vineyard, a Sightseeing Tour of Martha's Vineyard with a local bus, Guided Tours of Sandwich and Plymouth and a Lobster Tales Cruise, 2 continental breakfasts and 2 dinners are also included.

Hampton Beach Seafood Festival **\$Call**
Date: Saturday, September 8, 2018
Features: Join your friends for our annual and “yummy fun day” at the Hampton Beach Seafood Festival! Enjoy fresh, succulent seafood, as well as other local favorite foods! Festivities include over 50 of the area’s top restaurants, 80 arts & crafts vendors, entertainment, activities for kids, and so much more! Your bus ride includes the wristband for admission!

Colorado Train Adventure **\$Call**
Dates: September 8-15, 2018
Features: Please call for all of the details!

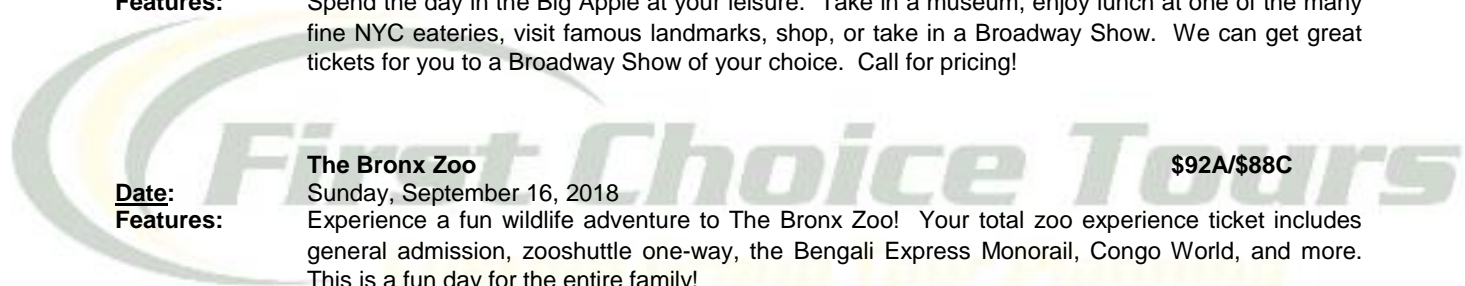
Aqua Turf – Broadway Comes to Connecticut **\$116***
Date: Tuesday, September 11, 2018
Features: The Aqua Turf Club will be filled with the sounds of “The Great White Way” as talented performers from CT and NY Theatre scene present an afternoon of Broadway show tunes from both classic and current musicals.

New York City Have It Your Way (San Genaro Festival Day) **\$60**
Date: Saturday, September 15, 2018
Features: Spend the day in the Big Apple at your leisure. Take in a museum, enjoy lunch at one of the many fine NYC eateries, visit famous landmarks, shop, or take in a Broadway Show. We can get great tickets for you to a Broadway Show of your choice. Call for pricing!

The Bronx Zoo **\$92A/\$88C**
Date: Sunday, September 16, 2018
Features: Experience a fun wildlife adventure to The Bronx Zoo! Your total zoo experience ticket includes general admission, zooshuttle one-way, the Bengali Express Monorail, Congo World, and more. This is a fun day for the entire family!

New York Botanical Garden **\$94A/\$84C**
Date: Sunday, September 16, 2018
Features: An enchanting journey to the Bronx to visit the 250-acre New York Botanical Garden for a showplace of nature for every season! Here you will discover 50 breathtaking gardens, native forests, waterfalls, a river, an indoor rain forest and so much more! Georgia O’Keeffe Exhibit included.

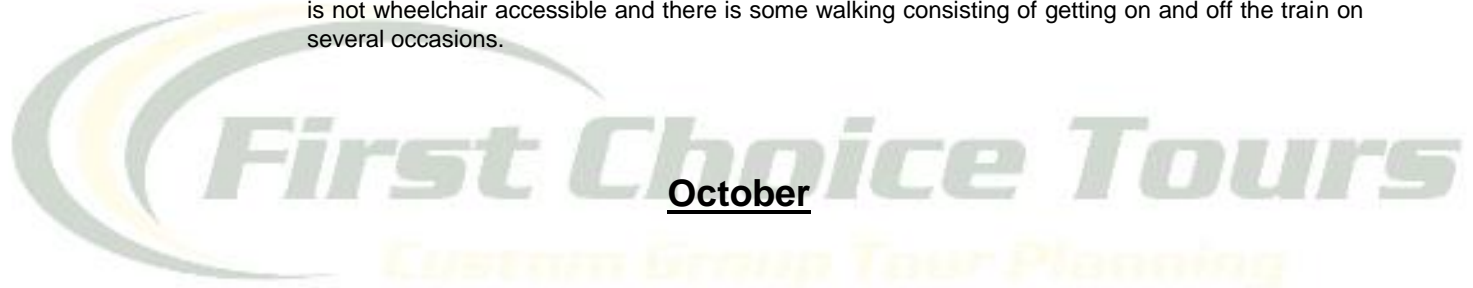
Madrid & Barcelona **\$Call**
Dates: September 19-27, 2018
Features: Enjoy 3 nights stays in captivating Madrid and culturally rich Barcelona. Highlights to include: Madrid, choice of Prado Museum, or Hapsburg Madrid Walking Tour. Travel to Toledo- the former capital of medieval Spain, Ave High Speed Train, Barcelona. Parc Guell, La Sagrada Familia. Choice of Walking Tour: Gothic Quarter & Cathedral or La Boqueria Open Air-Market & Guell Palace, UNESCO World Heritage Sites. Call for Itinerary and pricing, package includes air from Bradley. Book by March 21, after this date, space will be based on availability. Deposit due at time of booking and balance due by July 20, 2018.



The Big E! **\$Call**
Date: Thursday, September 20, 2018
Features: The easiest way to visit New England's favorite Fall tradition and the largest fair in the Northeast is with your friends at First Choice Tours! Your ticket includes round-trip motorcoach transportation and admission to the fair. Loads of fun guaranteed!

Statue of Liberty & Ellis Island **\$89A/\$84C**
Date: Sunday, September 23, 2018
Features: The Ellis Island Immigration Museum, where many of our ancestors first set foot on their new homeland, and The Statue of Liberty, standing tall over New York harbor since 1886. We will be arriving at approximately 11:00 am to Liberty Park, NJ, where you will have to go thru security before boarding the ferry. The ferry will first take you to Ellis Island, where you can enjoy as much time as you would like, before transferring over to The Statue of Liberty. THIS TICKET DOES NOT ALLOW ACCESS TO THE CROWN!

Lake Winnepesaukee Foliage Train Excursion **\$158***
Date: Saturday, September 29, 2018
Features: This Tour Sells Out Every Year! This special round trip train trips starts in Meredith and heads North towards the White Mountains for an approximately 4-hour duration. This route is only traveled during the fall foliage season, so sit back in their comfy coaches and enjoy the fall scenery! Pass Lake Waukegan and Lake Winona, follow along and over the Pemigewasset River, from Ashland to Plymouth, with station stops along the way! A stop will be made at the Common Man Inn in Plymouth where you will be served a nice buffet luncheon. On the return a stop is made at Ashland Station at the gateway to Squam Lake, better known as 'On Golden Pond'. Please Note: The tour is not wheelchair accessible and there is some walking consisting of getting on and off the train on several occasions.



Mount Washington Cog Railway **\$159***
Date: Saturday, October 6, 2018
Features: Our first stop will be the Mountain View Grand Resort for a lunch buffet. Located in the heart of the White Mountains, Mountain View Grand Resort & Spa is one of America's truly grand hotels. Next enjoy a Scenic Train Ride to the summit of Mt. Washington the Northeast's Highest Peak! Experience a sense of adventure and history aboard on the Cog Railway's 3-Hour round trip to the Top of Mt. Washington. This scenic ride allows visitors to take in the spectacular panoramic view, spanning the White Mountains of New Hampshire and all of the Northern United States.

White Mountains Fall Foliage Train Trip **\$153***
Date: Sunday, October 7, 2018
Features: We head into the magnificent White Mountains for an autumn foliage tour. Enjoy a fabulous brunch at the beautiful and popular White Mountain Hotel & Resort. Next, we're off for a train ride on the Conway Scenic Railroad. The 21 mile, almost 2 hour roundtrip Bartlett Excursion offers a longer and more relaxing train ride that takes you over the river and through the woods. Enjoy the passing scenery as you travel through field and woodland, crossing the East Branch Saco and Ellis Rivers on the way to Bartlett. After the ride enjoy time exploring the many shops in the quaint village of North Conway. Our journey home will be over the famed 35 mile Kangamangus Highway, one of New England's most scenic foliage trails! Don't forget your camera!

Dates: Las Vegas Nevada \$779 p/p do
October 13-17, 2018
Features: Our annual trip to Las Vegas is always exciting! Your package includes round-trip direct service from Bradley Airport aboard Southwest Airlines, accommodations at the Flamingo Resort & Casino, and hotel/airport transfers in Las Vegas. Resort Fees at The Flamingo are additional (call for more info).

Date: Beauport Princess Jazz Brunch Cruise \$139*
Sunday, October 14, 2018
Features: Your excursion on Beauport Cruise Lines covers historic Gloucester Harbor with extraordinary views of the city's downtown, Rocky Neck, Eastern Point, Ten-Pound Island, Stage Fort Park and Hammond Castle. No trip to Gloucester is complete without a view from the deck of our elegant ship. It's a perfect way to enjoy a lazy Sunday Morning! Enjoy the live Jazz music from the delightful Jane Potter Trio, while you dine on an endless Brunch Buffet or Carved Ham, Eggs Benedict, Virgilio's Bread, French Toast, Baked Haddock and so much more. A quiet Harbor Cruise around Historic Gloucester Harbor makes for a wonderful day! After your cruise you will have free time in Rockport to browse, shop or grab a snack.

Date: New York City Have It Your Way \$60
Saturday, October 20, 2018
Features: Spend the day in the Big Apple at your leisure. Take in a museum, enjoy lunch at one of the many fine NYC eateries, visit famous landmarks, shop, or take in a Broadway Show. We can get great tickets for you to a Broadway Show of your choice. Call for pricing!

Date: Salem Spooktacular and/or Salem Have it Your Way \$Call
Saturday, October 20, 2018
Features: Call for details.

Dates: Atlantic City \$399 p/p do*
October 21-24, 2018
Features: Join your friends at First Choice Tours for our trip to Atlantic City! We will travel on a luxury Travel Kuz coach for a fun-filled trip. There is no better place to unpack your suitcase! Enjoy the sandy beach, stroll the beautiful boardwalk, shop at the Outlets, visit the many casinos on the boardwalk, take the Jitney out to the Marina and so much more! The day will be filled with anticipation as we journey to Atlantic City's Resorts Hotel and Casino located on the beautiful boardwalk. The bonus will be \$35 Slot Play, 3 @ \$30 Food Credits and a Revue Show if available.

November

Date: New York City Have It Your Way \$60
Saturday, November 10, 2018
Features: Spend the day in the Big Apple at your leisure. Take in a museum, enjoy lunch at one of the many fine NYC eateries, visit famous landmarks, shop, or take in a Broadway Show. We can get great tickets for you to a Broadway Show of your choice. Call for pricing!

Aqua Turf – Bob Hope’s Style Show, a Special Veterans Tribute **\$116***
Date: Monday, November 12, 2018
Features: Bob hope’s life in comedy comes to life once again with this look-alike & sound-alike tribute to the legendary comedian. Bill has performed his tribute to the troops as the late, great Bob Hope across the US and South Pacific for Rave Reviews! There is no dancing for this one! The meal will consist of a complimentary glass of beer or wine, Salad, Pasta, Chicken Florentine, Bakes Scrod, Rice Pilaf, Vegetable, Pumpkin Square and coffee and tea.

New York City Have It Your Way **\$60**
Date: Saturday, November 17, 2018
Features: Spend the day in the Big Apple at your leisure. Take in a museum, enjoy lunch at one of the many fine NYC eateries, visit famous landmarks, shop, or take in a Broadway Show. We can get great tickets for you to a Broadway Show of your choice. Call for pricing!

Turning Stone Casino **\$339 p/p do ***
Dates: November 25-27, 2018
Features: Join us for a fun-filled action-packed trip to Turning Stone Resort Casino! This is a world class destination featuring a full service resort casino. It showcases fabulous food, luxurious accommodations, live entertainment, spa services, and gaming. This fun playground offers round-the-clock gaming excitement! Great Bonus! Call for details.

Holiday Showtime in Lancaster Pennsylvania **\$519 p/p do ***
Dates: November 30 – December 2, 2018
Features: A wonderful way to celebrate the season. See all the details here:
<http://fctours.com/images/PennDutchChristmas2018.pdf>.

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December

New York City Have It Your Way **\$60**
Date: Saturday, December 1, 2018
Features: Spend the day in the Big Apple at your leisure. Take in a museum, enjoy lunch at one of the many fine NYC eateries, visit famous landmarks, shop, or take in a Broadway Show. We can get great tickets for you to a Broadway Show of your choice. Call for pricing!

The Newport Playhouse – Saving Grace **\$139***
Date: Sunday, December 2, 2018
Features: This is a zany tale of a warmhearted girl who mistakes a telephone repairman for a burglar and then tries to convert him from his life of crime and ends up having to pretend he’s her husband, dismaying her strait laced sisters evangelist fiancé.

New York City Have It Your Way **\$60**
Date: Saturday, December 8, 2018
Features: Spend the day in the Big Apple at your leisure. Take in a museum, enjoy lunch at one of the many fine NYC eateries, visit famous landmarks, shop, or take in a Broadway Show. We can get great tickets for you to a Broadway Show of your choice. Call for pricing!

Aqua Turf – Holiday Winter Wishes **\$116***
Date: Tuesday, December 11, 2018
Features: Come spend the day with us and enjoy a plentiful meal in an elegant atmosphere, then dance or tap your feet to a fabulous band, playing songs with both you and the holidays in mind. The meal is served family style and will consist of Salad, Pasta, Sliced Roast Beef, Turkey, Sliced Roast Turkey, Potato, Vegetable, Dessert, Coffee, Tea . You will also receive a complimentary glass of beer or wine!

New York City Have It Your Way **\$60**
Date: Saturday, December 15, 2018
Features: Spend the day in the Big Apple at your leisure. Take in a museum, enjoy lunch at one of the many fine NYC eateries, visit famous landmarks, shop, or take in a Broadway Show. We can get great tickets for you to a Broadway Show of your choice. Call for pricing!

A Christmas Carol at the North Shore Music Theater **\$169***
Date: Sunday, December 16, 2018
Features: New England's brightest holiday tradition! An original adaptation based on Charles Dickens' classic novella, A CHRISTMAS CAROL is a musical ghost story following the miserly Ebenezer Scrooge through a series of strange and magical journeys, where he ultimately discovers the true spirit of the holiday season. Featuring dazzling special effects and traditional songs like "God Rest Ye Merry Gentleman," "The Boars Head Carol," and "We Wish You A Merry Christmas," this award-winning production was created specifically for North Shore Music Theatre and has been seen by more than one million people since its debut in 1989. Lunch will be included prior to the show at the Tuscan Kitchen. A meal selection will be needed prior.

Lots more tours are being planned!

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Thank you so much for traveling with us!

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