

SCEA Social Activities Presents...

The Finger Lakes

2023 | October 1-3



Image taken by Scier12

Day One: Our trip begins with an 8:30 am departure from a Commuter Lot located at 65 South Main St., Windsor Locks (Exit 42), to Upstate New York and the beautiful Finger Lakes Region. Along the way we stop in Herkimer, NY for lunch and narrated cruise along the calm waters of the Erie Canal. Travel through a 100 year old lock, where you are raised and lowered twenty feet. After, we continue our journey into historic Geneva, NY, a unique urban city with a vibrant downtown, where we check into our hotel for the next two nights, the 41 Lakefront Hotel. Dinner is included, at the hotel, this evening (L,D).

Day 2: After a full breakfast buffet, it is off to explore. Our first stop this morning is at 'It's A Wonderful Life' Museum, where you will find many personal items and collections from the movie on display. Locals always believed that Seneca Falls was the original inspiration for Bedford Falls. We will make our way into Ithaca, where we stop for lunch, on our own, at Ithaca Commons. Located in the heart of downtown Ithaca, The Commons is a unique four block pedestrian area filled with boutiques, restaurants, and art galleries just to name a few. This afternoon we stop in Taughannock Falls, one of the outstanding natural attractions in the Northeast. We will stop for picture taking along the way, to see the water plunging 215 feet past rocky cliffs into the gorge below. As we start our return to Geneva, we stop at Ventosa Vineyards, located on 23 acres overlooking Seneca Lake, and enjoy a tasting at this beautiful Tuscan style winery. Our last stop this evening is for dinner. The remainder of the evening is on our own. (B, D)

Day 3: After breakfast, we start our day off with a visit to the Corning Museum of Glass. Established in 1951, the museum has over 50,000 objects in its collection dedicated to exploring glass. The museum brings glass to life through a live, narrated glassblowing demonstration. Spend the morning enjoying your self-guided tour, lunch in their café, and watching the glass blowing demonstration before we head over to the Rockwell Museum. A large collection of American Art and artifacts all housed in the historic old City Hall Building. Built in 1893, and renovated in 1980-1982, is a staple of the community. From here we head home, an estimated return of 8:30pm into Glastonbury. (B,L)

\$765 pp Double | \$705 pp Triple | \$955 Single

FOR INFORMATION & RESERVATIONS CONTACT:

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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.



TOURS OF
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3-DAY FINGER LAKES TOUR INCLUDES:

Roundtrip Motor-coach transportation
2-Nights, 41 Lakefront Hotel
6 Meals: 2 Breakfasts / 2 Lunches / 2 Dinners
Narrated Erie Canal Cruise
It's A Wonderful Life Museum
Visit to Ithaca Falls
Visit to Taughannock Falls State Forest
Tasting, Ventosa Vineyards
Visit to Corning Museum of Glass
Visit to Rockwell Museum, Corning
Roundtrip Baggage Handling
Tours of Distinction Tour Director
All Gratuities, Including Tour Director and Driver

Tour Deposit: \$100 each at time of deposit

Final Payment: July 31, 2023

Trip Protection: Optional Travel Protection is offered. The cost is \$75.pp for Single, Double or Triple Occupancy. Purchase of travel protection is due at time of deposit.

**** If cancelling for a medical reason, you must see your doctor, prior to cancelling from the tour, in order to file a claim. ****

Cancellations: Individual cancellations from reservation-60 days will be loss of deposit
Individual cancellations 59-36 days ahead will forfeit 50% of tour price.
There will be no refunds for individual cancellations 35 days-day of departure.

**** INDIVIDUAL TOUR RESERVATIONS ARE NOT TRANSFERABLE
FROM ONE PERSON TO ANOTHER WITHIN 35 DAYS OF TRAVEL ****



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**2023
RESERVATION FORM**

**CSEA SOCIAL ACTIVITIES
3-Day Finger Lakes Tour
October 1-3, 2023**

GUEST DETAILS

Name: _____ Date of Birth: _____
Address: _____ City, State: _____
Zip Code: _____ Phone #: _____
Email Address: _____ Cell #: _____

TOUR DETAILS

Occupancy: Single | Double | Triple
Travel Partner/Roommate(s): _____
Special Needs (wheelchair, diet, handicap, etc.): _____

~~Please note that we try to accommodate special preference requests when possible, but we cannot guarantee them.

PAYMENT DETAILS

Mail this form & deposit to: Stuart Clark | CSEA Social Activities | 17 Pine St | Ellington CT 06029

Optional Travel Protection Plan: Travel protection is offered through Travelex Insurance, and can be purchased for \$50.pp based on double, triple, or quad occupancy, and \$75.pp for single occupancy. Travel protection should be purchased at the time of reservation.

Travel Protection: **Accept** or **Decline**

I am paying by: **Check (Payable to: Tours of Distinction)** or **Credit Card**

Total Deposit: \$ _____

Travel Protection Insurance: \$ _____

Total Amount Enclosed: \$ _____

Optional Travel Protection cost per person:

Double Occupancy: \$75 | Triple Occupancy: \$75 | Single Occupancy: \$75

TOUR DETAILS

Emergency Contact Name & Phone #: _____

Disclaimer and Cancellation Policies

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PAYMENT SCHEDULE:

\$100 per person due at time of reservation

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CANCELLATION POLICY:

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This form must be signed in order for the protection coverage to be in place. By signing this form you agree to accept or decline the protection coverage. I acknowledge that I have read the Cancellation Policy on the attached document and understand all information given to me.

Guest Signature: _____ Date: _____



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