





# **Low Country Charm**

October 26 to November 3, 2024

COST: \$2,979 pp, based on a double occupancy, and includes motorcoach transportation, hostess service, 9 breakfasts, 1 lunch, 6 dinners, guided tour of the American Prohibition Museum, Savannah River dinner cruise, narrated trolley tour of the Savannah Historic District, Savannah Dark History & Ghost Encounter walking tour, Lady Jane shrimping excursion, guided tour of St. Simon Island with a stop at Fort Frederica, admission to the Mosaic Museum, narrated tram tour of the Jekyll Historic District, visit to Driftwood Beach, guided horse carriage tour, admission to Magnolia Plantation & Garden, guided city sightseeing tour in Charleston, factory tour & trolley ride at the Charleston Tea Garden, admission and guided tour at Mount Vernon, 8 nights' lodging, taxes, and meal gratuities.

Triple: \$2,719 pp; Quad: \$2,579 pp; Single: \$3,809

A \$500 PP deposit is due within 3 weeks of making your reservation. \$100 is non-refundable. Final Balance Due by 08/27/2024. Please click the "Travel Insurance" link at the top right of our webpage to purchase travel insurance.

Please note: All trips and itineraries are subject to change, pending the effects of Covid-19.

captivating landscapes and rich cultural heritage of the Low Country Charm. Immerse yourself in the timeless beauty of the South, where moss-draped oaks, quaint cobblestone streets, and historic plantations await. Indulge in delectable cuisine, explore charming towns, and unwind amidst the tranquility of coastal vistas. Join us for an enchanting adventure that celebrates the unique allure and Southern hospitality of the Low Country.

#### Accommodations

# **Double Tree Rocky Mount**

651 N. Winstead Ave Rocky Mount, NC 27804

This conveniently located hotel is the perfect stopping point! The hotel features a steakhouse, fitness center, outdoor pool and more!

Featured Amenities:

WiFi On-Site Restaurant Outdoor Pool Fitness Center Business Center DoubleTree cookie at check-in

Click HERE to view their website.

# Staybridge Suites Savannah Historic District

301 E Bay St

Savannah, GA 31401

Settle in with true southern hospitality. Flanked by the scenic Savannah River and the verdant, storied squares of downtown, the picturesque location of the Staybridge Suites is a travelers dream.

#### Featured Amenities:

- Fitness Center
- Business Center
- Wi-Fi
- · Daily Houskeeping
- On-Site Convenience Store

Click **HERE** to view their website.

# Hampton Inn & Suites Jekyll Island

200 S Beachview Dr Jekyll Island, GA 31527

Your beachside getaway on Jekyll Island!

### Featured Amenities:

- WiFi
- Fitness Center
- Business Center
- Outdoor Pool
- Short walk to the beach!

Click **HERE** to view their website.

# Hotel Indigo Mount Pleasant

250 Johnnie Dodds Blvd Mt Pleasant. SC 29464

Experience Lowcounry like a local in this modern, boutique-style hotel.

#### Featured Amenities:

- WiFi
- · Fitness Center
- · Business Center
- Outdoor Pool
- Hotel Market

Click HERE to view their website.

# Drury Plaza Hotel Richmond

11049 W Broad St Glen Allen, VA 23060

#### Featured Amenities:

- WiFi
- Fitness Center
- Business Center
- Indoor and Outdoor Pool
- Free 5:30 Nightly Kickback Reception

Click HERE to view their website.

#### Itinerary

### Saturday, October 26: Wellsboro, PA - Rocky Mount, NC

- Depart from the Terminal, Available pickups: Terminal, Mansfield, Blossburg, Liberty, Williamsport PLEASE NOTE: The above pickups are available, but you must call to confirm. We do not stop at all pickup locations, unless people are designated to get on at the pickup locations.
- BREAKFAST is included this morning.
- Lunch and rest breaks en route.
- Arrive in <u>ROCKY MOUNT, NC</u> for your <u>1-NIGHT STAY</u>. Dinner will be on your own this evening.

## Sunday, October 27: Rocky Mount, NC - Savannah, GA

- **BREAKFAST** is included at the hotel.
- Depart for <u>SAVANNAH, GA</u>. Lunch will be on your own en route.
- Uncover the secrets of speakeasies on a <u>GUIDED TOUR</u> of the <u>AMERICAN PROHIBITION MUSEUM</u>. Experience the history of bootlegging, then unwind with a cocktail at their speakeasy.
- Check into the **STAYBRIDGE SUITES** for your **2-NIGHT STAY**.
- Enjoy the <u>SAVANNAH RIVERBOAT DINNER CRUISE</u>. Relax while the Riverboat slowly glides down the Savannah River. Enjoy a specially prepared buffet dinner.

## Monday, October 28: Savannah, GA

- BREAKFAST is included at the hotel.
- Enjoy a <u>NARRATED TROLLEY TOUR</u> of the <u>HISTORIC DISTRICT</u> on the <u>OLD SAVANNAH TROLLEY</u>. Thereafter, you have hop on/off privileges until 4:30 pm, the last pick-up time. Experienced travelers are drawn to Savannah because of its natural beauty, rich history, & good old-fashioned Southern hospitality. "There are vaster and wealthier cities, but for architectural simplicity, for an indescribable charm about its streets and buildings, its parks and squares, there is but one Savannah. Without a rival, without an equal, Savannah stands unique." Lunch will be on your own today.
- **DINNER** is included at a local restaurant.

 Tonight, experience a highly curated, classic storytelling performance at its creepiest while hearing tales of Savannah's dark history and the ghost lore that resulted on the SAVANNAH DARK HISTORY & GHOST **ENCOUNTER WALKING TOUR.** You'll also hear accounts of modern day paranormal encounters. Walk Savannah's haunted streets with a talented, passionate, and knowledgeable storytelling professional. See famously haunted Savannah locations, including the infamous Sorrel-Weed House; Savannah's Colonial "Hanging Square"; the mysterious Foley House Inn; Colonial Park Cemetery; and more. Please note that none of Savannah's walking ghost tour companies go inside of these haunted locations as most of them are private residences, working businesses, or museums. The entirety of your tour will take place outside. The streets of Savannah are just as haunted (some say even more haunted). Savannah is a necropolis - a city built over its dead - so most of the things that go bump in the night around here, often do so outside.. Tour is approximately 2 hours long and covers about 3/4 of a mile of Savannah's Historic District.

## Tuesday, October 29: Savannah, GA - Jekyll Island, GA

- BREAKFAST is included at the hotel.
- · Depart for Brunswick, GA.
- Experience <u>LADY JANE SHRIMPIN' EXCURSION</u>. Take a ride on a real shrimp trawler, as she hauls in nets teeming with shrimp and varieties of other marine life on calm seas – no rough waters.
- · Depart for St. Simons Island, GA.
- · Lunch will be on your own at Pier Village.
- Enjoy a <u>GUIDED TOUR of ST. SIMON ISLAND</u> including a stop at <u>FORT FREDERICA</u>. Fort Frederica was established in 1736 to protect the southern boundary of Georgia from the Spanish in Florida.
- · Depart for Jekyll Island, GA.
- Check in to the <u>HAMPTON INN OCEANSIDE</u> for <u>2 NIGHTS</u>. Enjoy this location that is just a short walk to the beach via their boardwalk through the maritime forest
- **DINNER** is included this evening at a popular restaurant.

#### Wednesday, October 30: Jekyll Island, GA

- BREAKFAST is included at the hotel.
- ADMISSION is included at the MOSAIC MUSEUM followed by a
   NARRATED TRAM TOUR of the JEKYLL HISTORIC DISTRICT. The
   Mosaic guides you through the island's rich cultural and natural history.
- **LUNCH** is included at the **JEKYLL ISLAND CLUB**.
- Visit **DRIFTWOOD BEACH** and perhaps take a walk on the trail.
- Enjoy free time this afternoon. Dinner will be on your own.

### Thursday, October 31: Jekyll Island, GA - Beaufort, SC

- BREAKFAST is included at the hotel.
- Depart for Beaufort, SC.
- Relax on a <u>NARRATED HORSE DRAWN CARRIAGE TOUR</u> of <u>HISTORIC</u>
   <u>BEAUFORT</u>. Relive the past through the narration of professional
   guides and the clippity-clop of horses.
- Enjoy lunch on your own in Downtown Beaufort.
- Depart for Charleston, SC where your first stop will be at the beautiful MAGNOLIA PLANTATION. Enjoy the NATURE TRAM, a 45-minute tram tour of the Plantation's diverse landscapes, lakes, woodlands, marshes, and rivers while the guide describes plantation history and wildlife. Following the tram tour, take a PLANTATION HOUSE TOUR, a 30-minute guided tour that will give you the history of plantation life and Drayton family ownership, still current through twelve generations since 1676. There are stairs in the House Tour.
- Check into **HOTEL INDIGO MOUNT PLEASANT** for your **2-NIGHT STAY**.
- **DINNER** is included at a local restaurant tonight.

### Itinerary continued

Friday, November 1: Beaufort, SC

• BREAKFAST is included at the hotel.

- This morning, embark on a <u>GUIDED CITY TOUR</u>, including the <u>BATTERY & CITADEL</u> (if available), with a <u>LOCAL GUIDE</u>.
- Enjoy <u>FREE TIME</u> for lunch on your own at the <u>HISTORIC</u> <u>CHARLESTON CITY MARKET</u>.
- Depart for Wadmalaw Island, SC.
- Visit the <u>CHARLESTON TEA GARDEN</u>, where you will enjoy a <u>NARRATED TROLLEY TOUR</u> and <u>SELF-GUIDED VISIT</u> to see how tea is made
- Tonight, set sail on the **CHARLESTON HARBOR DINNER CRUISE**.

### Saturday, November 2: Beaufort, SC - Richmond, VA

- **BREAKFAST** is included at the hotel.
- Depart for Richmond, VA.
- Check into the <u>DRURY PLAZA HOTEL RICHMOND</u> for your <u>1-NIGHT</u> STAY
- **DINNER** is included tonight at **THE GRAPEVINE**.

### Sunday, November 3: Richmond, VA - Wellsboro, PA

- BREAKFAST is included at the hotel.
- Depart for Mount Vernon, VA.
- Arrive at <u>GEORGE WASHINGTON'S MOUNT VERNON</u>, one of the
  world's most inspiring and scenic sites. Your admission includes the Ford
  Orientation Center, the Mansion and historic area, the Donald W.
  Reynolds Museum and Education Center, and the Distillery and Gristmill
  Site and a <u>GUIDED HOUSE TOUR</u> is included. Lunch will be on your
  own at the Food Court before departing.
- Depart for home, a fast food dinner stop will be made en route.
- Return to Wellsboro with cheerful memories of your time in the Lowcountry.