

Somers Senior Center presents:

Essex Steam Train and Riverboat

with Lunch aboard restored 1920's Pullman Diner

Enjoy a 3-course lunch aboard a restored 1920's Pullman Diner as part of a 3 ¼ hour
Lunch, Train, and Riverboat sightseeing excursion.

Tuesday, May 26, 2020

We'll step back in time as we board our **Dining Car** to savor a hot lunch at historic **Essex Station** that is prepared and cooked on board. *Entrée choice in advance.* Next, we'll travel aboard the train, pulled by an historic diesel locomotive, along the Lower Connecticut River Valley while we finish our meal.

At Deep River Landing we will transfer to the **Becky Thatcher Riverboat** for a cruise on the Connecticut River, bursting with lush scenery and historic sights such as Gillette Castle. We'll finish our journey riding in **Coach Passenger Cars** aboard the train back to Essex Station.

COST: \$116.pp based on 40-50 passengers

Depart: 9:15am Somers Senior Center,
19 Battle Street

Estimated Return: 5:15pm Somers

Reservations: Somers Senior Center
860-763-4379

Menu

Tossed Mix Greens Salad

Entrée (Choose one)

Beef Tips & Gravy

Baked Chicken

Eggplant Parmesan

*All entrées served with Chef's Choice
Vegetable, Starch, & Roll.*

Dessert

- Chef's Choice

Coffee

ENTRÉE CHOICE IN ADVANCE



ESSEX CLIPPER
DINNER TRAIN



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IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Please read carefully...



GENERAL PROCEDURES

- You may reserve a tour for one of the published dates *or* request a date to fit your group's calendar. **You need to sign and date your contract and return it to us.**
- **Overnights** You will receive a detailed contract with information on deposits, final payments, rooming list preparation, passenger count guarantees, cancellation penalties.
- **Daytrips** You will receive a detailed contract with information on deposits, **final payment** with meal counts if applicable, and date for final guarantee.
- When groups are **sharing a coach**, you will receive a chart showing seating. We try to give each group seats from the front to the back with the group leaders in the front. On overnights, groups can decide whether to rotate.
- **Complimentary flyers** with your specific information will be prepared by us and mailed to you.
- We charter **deluxe motorcoaches** from professional companies for pick up at your designated points. **Drivers may be requested.**
- When **two groups are sharing on an overnight**, a Tour Director is on board; when a group has exclusive use of the coach, tour director is optional. Gratuities are handled according to your request.
- **Complimentary/Cancellation policies** vary depending on the destinations and suppliers requirements. Contract will have these specifics.
- **Published costs in this book** are current at time of printing but we reserve the right to make adjustments based on changes from our suppliers. Airline costs are subject to change. **Fuel surcharges are applicable to all forms of travel.**
- **Costs on contracts** are based on minimum and maximum passenger counts.
- Inclusions on each tour are indicated. Our **tours are non-smoking.**
- We reserve the right to terminate participation of persons who disrupt the tour.
- **Trip Cancellation Insurance** is strongly recommended. We offer **Travel Protection Plan through the National Tour Association.** Applications available at our office.

RESPONSIBILITY

Friendship Tours and the Ship Shop, divisions of Friendship Corp., act only as a purchaser of transportation, accommodations, restaurant services, sightseeing, and other services from various independent suppliers which are not subject to its control. We do not own any motorcoaches.

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Traveler assumes complete and full responsibility for, and hereby releases Friendship Tours and The Ship Shop from any duty of, checking and verifying all passport, visa, vaccination, or any other entry requirement of each destination, and all safety or security conditions at such destinations, during the length of the proposed travel.

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Traveler's retention of tickets, reservations, or bookings after issuance shall constitute a consent to the above, and agreement on his/her part to convey the contents hereof to his/her travel companions or group members.



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