



Let the Locals Be your Guide!

Historic St. John's & Cape Spear Tour (3 hrs)



Become acquainted with the city of St. John's and its surroundings, including Cape Spear, the most Easterly point in North America.

This is the oldest colonized region in the new world and your local guide will regale you with its steeped history, legends & lore – all flavored with their personal anecdotes and good humour from which Newfoundlanders are so famous. Enjoy the brilliant vistas from Cabot Tower and

Signal Hill, one of the most recognizable skylines in Canada. Walk through a cliffside World War II gun battery, watch for whales and seabirds and visit the oldest standing lighthouse in North America. Other stops include Quidi Vidi Village, Jelly Bean Row, Government House, the Roman Catholic Basilica and an orientation of the shops and restaurants of the downtown core. **\$65 + hst per person**

HIGHLIGHTS OF TOUR

- Signal Hill
- Petty Harbour
- Quidi Vidi
- Historic Downtown
- Cape Spear
- Jelly Bean Row

Outports and Lucky Rocks (3 hrs)



Take a 'Randy' down the shore on this scenic drive that follows the rugged coastline and its surging North Atlantic waters. We'll wind our way through the city outskirts, making our way to the Ocean Sciences Center to visit the touch tank, seal observatory and the finger rocks which protrude well into the slow rolling waters of Logy Bay. At Middle Cove's pebble beach, we'll look for lucky rocks and maybe abandon our shoes to dip a toe in the icy waters of

'Iceberg Alley'. In Flatrock, the hills run so smoothly into the sea that they're used as natural slipways by the local fishermen. This was the perfect vantage for Pope John Paul II who used this hillside 'Grotto' when he blessed the fishermen's fleet on his last visit. Learn about the folklore, humour, and deep-rooted culture of the Newfoundland people along the way. In season, watch for icebergs, whales, seabirds, and capelin. **\$65 + hst per person**

HIGHLIGHTS OF TOUR

- Logy Bay
- Ocean Science Centre
- Flatrock
- Middle Cove Beach
- Tappers Cove

Bird Island Tour (4 hrs)

Today begins with a drive down the Southern Shore to visit the historic Irish outpost community of Bay Bulls. Here we take a ride with O'Brien's Boat Tours out to the Witless Bay Ecological Reserve Bird Islands, home to millions of Atlantic Puffins, Murres and Kittiwakes in the spring and summer. Keep a sharp eye for whales that frequent this bay in great numbers. Multiple sightings are considerable and frequently enjoyed in this plankton rich marine environment. Iceberg viewings are also possible in late spring and early summer.

\$99 + hst per person



Excursion Around the Bay (Full Day – 7 hrs)



Take an “Excursion around the Bay” to visit the pretty outpost communities that sprinkle the shores of Conception Bay; a region teeming with amazing stories about ancient pirates, WW2 submarine attacks, the dawn of transatlantic aviation, arctic exploration, North America’s first European colony and an Irish migration like no other in the world.

We’ll enjoy

plenty of inspiring stops with brilliant photo opportunities, foodie delights and fun characters. This is a true Newfoundland experience that everyone who “Comes From Away” will embrace. Great times, great people, and great food await.

\$135 + hst per person (includes lunch)

HIGHLIGHTS OF TOUR

- Holyrood
- Conception Harbour
- Cupids
- Turks Gut
- Brigus
- Mad Rock

The Irish Loop Tour (Full Day - 7 hrs)



Take a run 'Up' the Southern Shore as we wind along the pretty coastal roadways that connect the outpost fishing communities along Newfoundland's Irish Loop. This is a beautiful marine environment whose architecture and development reflects an era of opulence thought unimaginable for this period in North American history. Few realize the important role Newfoundland played in the expansion of the British

Empire until the recent discovery of the Ferryland settlement whose remains laid undisturbed for centuries. We'll meet fascinating characters, enjoy a delightful lunch, walk on an ancient cobblestone street and absorb the magnitude of luxury items discovered on site and displayed at the interpretation center.

\$135 + hst per person (includes lunch)

HIGHLIGHTS OF TOUR

- Witless Bay
- Tors Cove
- Cape Broyle
- Brigus South
- Ferryland
- Colony of Avalon

All prices are plus tax* **Tours are based on minimum numbers*

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