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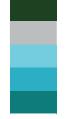
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Early bird Newsletter #1

October 2020

NORTH CONWAY GRAND HOTE



2021 MAFCA NATIONAL TOUR June 20 -25, 2021 North Conway, NH

# Come Early... Stay Late

If your schedule allows, plan on arriving early and staying longer. North Conway, NH is the quintessential New England Village surrounded by the White Mountains National Forest. Enjoy the spectacular scenery at every turn and don't forget tax-free specialty and outlet shopping.

North Conway Village was named one of the 20 Best Small Towns to visit.

### **COVID 19 STATEMENT**

The tour committee continues to work and plan for the 2021 tour believing that it will take place as scheduled. As we undergo preparations, we are following CDC, the State of New Hampshire and North Conway Grand Hotel guidelines for COVID – 19. Currently, the state is open for events like the tour but that can change at any time. If we are required to change our plans, we will post information on the MAFCA website and on the tour website. We hope everyone will continue to be healthy and safe.

# **Hub and Spoke Tour Format**

What is a hub and spoke tour you ask ...

This format utilizes the same hotel throughout the tour with side trips varying in length to nearby destinations. No packing and unpacking every day.

Traveling the Lakes and White Mountains of NH serves as the perfect destination for this 'hub and spoke' tour. The area offers many exciting attractions and opportunities within short and medium drives in every direction from the host hotel.

Explore the roads less traveled ...

### **HOST HOTEL**

North Conway Grand Hotel
72 Common Ct.
North Conway, NH 03860
800-655-1452 / 603-356-9300
Use Code: National Model A Tour 2021
www.northconwaygrand.com

Room rates start @ \$129.00/night plus taxes Reservations received after Friday, May 21, 2021, will be accepted at the group rate based on hotel availability.



Hosts: New Hampshire Lakes Region Model A Club

MOUNTAIN ADVENTUR



# **RV** Campgrounds

### Saco River Camping Area

1550 White Mountain Hwy. North Conway, NH (1/2 mile from the host hotel) 603-356-3360 www.sacorivercampingarea.com

### > The Beach Camping Area

776 White Mountain Highway North Conway, NH (1.5 miles from the host hotel) 603-447-2723 thebeachcampingarea.com

# Eastern Slope Camping Area

584 White Mountain Highway, Conway, NH (2.5 miles from the host hotel)

603-447-5092 info@easternslopecamping.com

# Are you Shipping your "A" to the 2021 MAFCA National Tour?

The New Hampshire Lakes Region Model A Club has arranged to receive and park your Model A awaiting your arrival. Your 'A' will be awaiting your arrival before your short drive to North Conway.

### **Shipping Location:**

### **Vintage Antique Classic Cars**

### 444 Governor Wentworth Hwy / Melvin Village, NH 03850

We will be receiving Model As via your transport trucking company starting five (5) days prior to the start of the tour or between the dates of Monday, June 14<sup>th</sup> through Friday, June 18<sup>th</sup>. No one will be available to receive your car after this date.

If you are shipping your 'A' back after the tour you will need to return it to the same address. Please note that you will need to arrange for pickup between the following dates: Monday June 28<sup>th</sup> through Friday July 2<sup>nd</sup>.

Model A storage will be outside on private property. A NLRMAC member knowledgeable of the operation of Model A's will assist in the unloading and loading of your Model A. MAFCA, NHLRMAC or Vintage Antique Classic Cars will not be liable for any damage if, incurred while being unloaded, stored and reloaded for return shipment.

### If you schedule to ship your Model A, you will need to contact us.

For additional information on shipping your 'A' contact:

Mark Smith

Cell 508-864-7806 Home: 603-544-2230 Email: <u>smithmh9@gmail.com</u>

### If you are shipping your Model A and flying - Travel Distances from Airports to Melvin Village, NH:

Manchester – Boston Regional Airport Manchester, NH to Melvin Village, NH

82 miles
Boston Logan Boston International Airport, Boston, MA to Melvin Village
Portland International Jetport, Portland, ME to Melvin Village

61 miles

Vintage Antique Classic Cars to North Conway Grand Hotel 37 miles



WHITE MOUNTAIN ADVENTUR

# **#1 Mount Washington Valley**

This tour will take you north from North Conway where you will travel through many small New Hampshire towns like Jackson, home of the Honeymoon Covered Bridge. From there you will travel to **The Mount Washington Auto Road**. The Auto Road is a thrilling ride up over 6.000 feet to the summit where you'll take in views of Maine, Vermont, Massachusetts, Canada and the Atlantic Ocean. The view stretches for 100s of miles on a clear day. From Mount Washington Auto Road you will continue north to Gorham, NH and around Mt. Adams through the beautiful White Mountains. On this tour you will visit **The Cog Railway** which also travels up Mt. Washington and you can have lunch at the historic Mount Washington Hotel. A few covered bridges and many wonderful sights are waiting for you.

### #2 Route 153, Museums and Wolfeboro, NH

On this tour you will see more wonderful New England vistas. You will spend a short time traveling in Maine before returning to New Hampshire where you'll see many New Hampshire lakes and can visit interesting museums. Wolfeboro is America's first summer resort with many opportunities to shop and find a place for lunch. You can visit the **New Hampshire** Boat Museum, The Wright World War Two Museum, and The Libbey Natural History Museum and visit the Castle in the Clouds in Moultonborough, NH and see spectacular Lake Winnipesaukee views.



# #3 Kancamagus Highway, On Golden Pond

National Scenic Byway with the tongue-twister name – the **Kancamagus Highway** is New England's most superb scenic drive. This tour will take you on the" Kanc", as it is known to the locals, with river views, covered bridges and wonderful mountain vistas. Then head south to Holderness, NH where **Squam Lake** is located. This is where scenes of "On Golden Pond" were filmed. Take a lake tour, visit the Natural Wildlife Center or do both. Then explore the quaint village of Sandwich.











# **TOURS Continued**

# #4 Kennebunk Highlight Tour

Kennebunk was established in 1736 and has a significant number of late 18th and early19th century houses from the period when Kennebunk was a shipbuilding and maritime shipping center. The **Historic District of Kennebunk** begins in the center of town and follows Route 35 to Kennebunkport. Some examples of early architecture that you will pass as you drive through the Historic District are: Colonial, Federal, Greek Revival, Italiante, and Queen Anne. Examples of the **many** beautiful historic homes are below.



Mileage: Hotel to Kennebunk 66.4 miles

The Brick Store Museum





George Lord Little House

# Trailering you're 'A'

There is plenty of trailer parking on site at the Host Hotel in a designated area.

No overnight RV camping is allowed on hotel grounds.





# **FLYING Airport options:**

Boston Logan Manchester-Boston Regional Airport, Manchester, NH Portland International Jetport: Portland, ME 135 miles to North Conway 103 miles to North Conway 60 miles to North Conway

# REGISTRATION

Registration forms will be available in the Jan-Feb issue of 'The Restorer'.
Also at that time, they will be available on our website and Facebook page to download and print. Payment can be made either by paper check or electronically using PayPal.

The tour officially opens for registration on Sunday, June 20th. There will be a welcoming function at the Host Hotel Sunday evening. Monday – Tuesday will be tour days outlined in the upcoming program. Wednesday will be a day to relax – tour on your own - shop - or visit a location of specific interest. Thursday – will be the final day of tour options outlined in the program.

A closing banquet will be held Thursday eve.

There are no scheduled events for Friday as most people depart that day.

# Merchandise - Apparel Sales

Purchases will be made directly from our vendor CALICO PRINTING.

Items will be mailed directly to your homes in plenty of time to receive before the tour.

More details to follow.

### **MAFCA MEMBERSHIP**

To register and attend this tour, you need to be a member of MAFCA If you need to join, please visit MAFCA's website for a direct link. http://www.mafca.com/

# See you in North Conway

# **Contact Info**

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