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EXPLORING DULUTH AND THE APOSTLE ISLANDS Small Group Tour July 21 - 26, 2025



Day 1: Journey Begins to Duluth, MN

Arriving in Freeport, MN, this afternoon, enjoy the *Hemker Park & Zoo*, considered to be one of the best-kept secrets of Central Minnesota! Here, you can walk on the “Wild Side” with some of the most exotic animals in Africa, Australia, and North America. Tram rides have also been arranged for you through the zoo, and then you can go back and experience the animals up close. Perhaps you would like to feed the Giraffe, give an Otter a snack, hand feed a Rhino, or do various other activities at the zoo. When arriving in Duluth this evening, your hotel is located on *Canal Park* for three evenings, giving you the luxury of exploring the shopping, dining, and activities this area offers.

Day 2: Duluth, MN

This morning begins with a tour of *The Duluth & Iron Range Depot* in Two Harbors, MN. This building was the company’s headquarters and passenger station originally, and situated to overlook the ore docks and rail yards on Lake Superior. Today, the Museum offers exhibits to share the past and present culture of mining and the area. You’ll then visit the *Two Harbors Lighthouse Museum*, where you’ll learn the history of the lighthouse, which has been guiding ships through the stormy waters of the lake and into Agate Bay since 1892. Following lunch, you’ll tour the *Split Rock Lighthouse*, one of Minnesota’s best-known landmarks, and get a glimpse into life in this remote yet spectacular setting. Returning to Duluth, you’ll stop at *Gooseberry Falls State Park*, the gateway to the North Shore. You’ll visit *Castle Danger Brewery* in Two Harbors, where you can try one of their many famous MN brews.

Day 3: Duluth, MN

After a leisurely morning, there is no better way to see Duluth than from a *Vista Fleet Grand Sightseeing Cruise*. This in-depth narrated tour aboard the Vista Star puts you right into the region’s most spectacular scenery. You’ll get close to all of the action of the hard-working harbor while being told all there is to know about how things work, the science and ecology -- then and now -- on one of the largest freshwater lakes in North America. There is free time at Canal Park for lunch, and then you’ll visit the *Lake Superior Railroad Museum* housed at the Historic Duluth Union Depot. Following the Museum, you’ll board the train for a *North Shore Scenic Train Ride* trip you’ll never forget. Your ride on the rails includes a light dinner, narration about the sights you pass, and on the way back, enjoy the music and a bar that will offer beverages of all types and snacks for sale.

Day 4: Duluth, MN - Ashland, WI

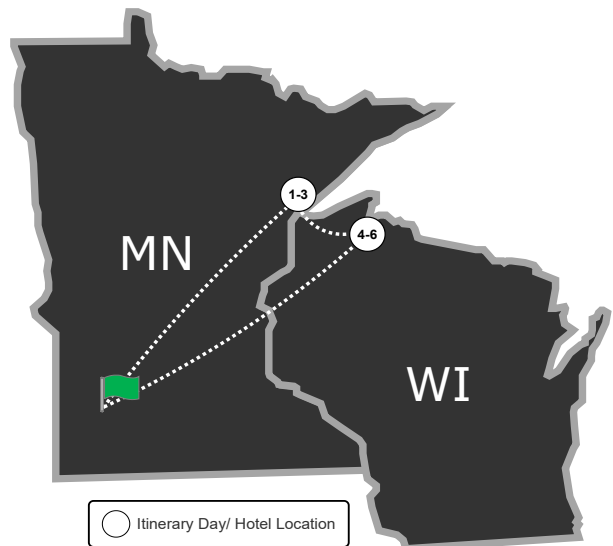
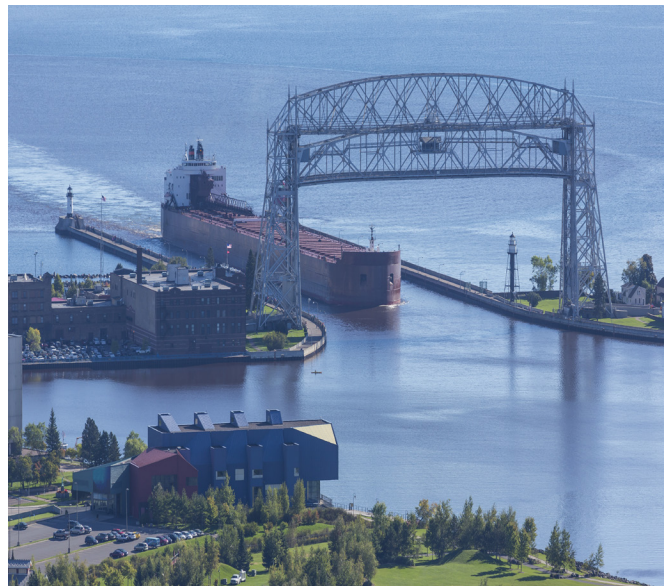
This morning, you will be traveling to Bayfield, WI, where you will begin with a *Bayfield City Tour*, the gateway to the *Apostle Islands*. Discover the charms of this port town’s history as you weave up and down the hills and streets, viewing examples of Queen Anne-style architecture, seeing lighthouses, pristine beaches, islands in the distance, and more. You’ll also have stops at *Erickson’s Orchard & Country Store* and *Superior View Farm and Winery*. Following your tour, you’ll take a *Ferry Ride to Madeline Island* for a *Madeline Island Experience*. Once on the island, your tour guide will take you to the *Madeline Island Museum* for a tour, a visit to the historic *Catholic Mission Cemetery*, a stop at *Woods Hall Craft Shop*, a tour of *LaPointe Village*, some time for shopping, and more!

Day 5: Ashland, WI

The day begins with a *Grand Apostle Island Cruise*. The Grand Tour is the most popular tour of the Apostle Islands, with two lighthouses, a brownstone quarry site, a historic fishing camp, a cruise around Devil’s Island to view sea caves, and more. The tour takes you over 55 miles of beautiful scenic Apostle Island sailing. You’ll visit *Hauser’s Superior View Farm* this afternoon and be able to check out the hayloft at the Red Barn for a panoramic view of Lake Superior and the Apostle Islands. You’ll find an extensive miniature tractor collection, a massive hat collection, farm relics, handmade jams, jellies, and more.

Day 6: Ashland, WI to Home

Your trip concludes today as you arrive home early in the evening.



Activity Level: Active			
4 Breakfasts 1 Dinner			
Occupancy	Price PP	Price PP	
	Cash	Credit Card	
Double	\$ 1,995	\$ 2,075	
Triple	\$ 1,695	\$ 1,763	
Quad	\$ 1,545	\$ 1,607	
Single	\$ 2,995	\$ 3,115	