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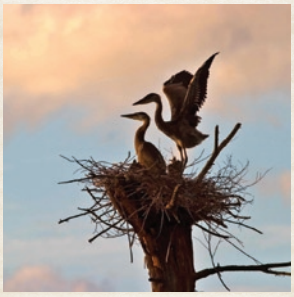

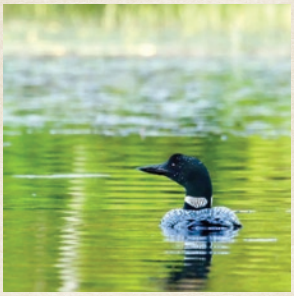

NEW HAMPSHIRE'S WILDLIFE TOUR

4 Days from the Lakes to the Seacoast

Best Time to Visit: April through October

Day 1 – The Lakes

- Begin this tour with a scenic cruise on the M/S Mount Washington Cruise (1) in Laconia.
- Stop by Squam Lakes Science Center (2) in Holderness to view rescued animals ranging from mountain lions and bears to otters and vultures. Watch a featured animal demonstration.
- Overnight at one of the many lovely inns in Meredith (3).

Day 2 – Lakes to the Seacoast

- Continue to Moultonborough Falls to spy on nesting loons at the Loon Center at the Markus Wildlife Sanctuary (4).
- Visit Moultonborough's historic mountaintop estate, Castle in the Clouds (5) for lunch and a tour.
- Stop by Tin Mountain Conservation Center (6) in Albany and learn about all the wild things that live in the area.
- Drive to Portsmouth (7) for dinner and overnight.

Day 3 – The Seacoast

- Visit Strawbery Banke Museum (8) and discover the beautiful landscapes and gardens throughout four centuries of history.
- Have lunch at one of Portsmouth's many downtown restaurants.
- Visit the Seacoast Science Center (9) at Odiorne State Park in Rye and learn all about nature in New Hampshire.
- Return to Portsmouth for an early dinner and a show at Portsmouth's historic theater– The Music Hall (10).

Day 4 – Forest by the Sea

- Visit Urban Forestry Center (11) in Portsmouth to learn about ecology, tree and plant identification at this wildlife sanctuary.
- Next time you are in the area, make sure to check out:
  - White Mountain National Forest
  - New Hampshire State Parks
  - Peabody Mill Center, Amherst
  - The Rocks Estate, Bethlehem
  - Northern Forest Heritage Park, Berlin

Please contact the New Hampshire Division of Travel and Tourism Development for assistance finding group-friendly overnight and meal options.

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Itinerary Map

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