

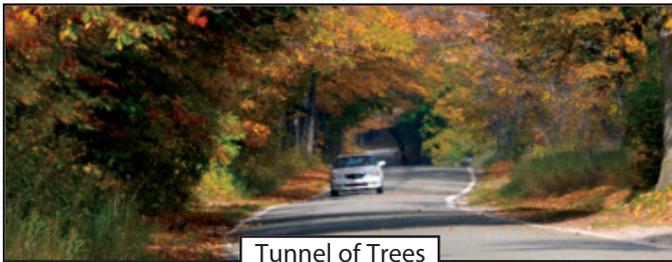
4 days / 3 nights

<u>Resident</u>	<u>Non-Resident</u>
<b>\$825.00</b>	<b>\$835.00</b>
per person/double occupancy	

For reservations and information please contact:

**Oxford Township Parks & Rec.**  
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**PACE OF TOUR:** ① ② ③ ④ ⑤



Presented by:

**Oxford Township  
 Parks & Recreation**

Tour date:

**September 26 - 29, 2022**  
 Monday - Thursday

**YOUR BIANCO TOUR INCLUDES:**

**Round Trip Transportation:**

Via deluxe highway motorcoach. Equipped with reclining seats, overhead storage, & restroom for your comfort and convenience.

**Accommodations:**

- 3 Nights stay at Holiday Inn Express in Petoskey, MI

**Meals Included:**

- 3 Continental Breakfasts, 1 Lunch & 3 Dinners

**Featuring:**

- Cops & Doughnuts (shopping)
- Optional trip to Odawa Casino
- Guided tour of Charlevoix - including the "Gnome Homes."
- Castle Farms & Gardens - including a guided historical tour and a Royal Luncheon at the castle.
- Scenic drive through the Tunnel of Trees
- Guided tour of Petoskey
- Kilwin's Chocolates
- Downtown Petoskey - shopping & lunch on own.
- Grey Gables Restaurant (included dinner)
- Friske's Orchard (wagon tour & shopping)

*Escorted by a professional Bianco Tour Director*

*Tour price includes gratuities for above trip inclusions.*  
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### Day 1

Excitement fills the motor coach as we depart this morning for our Taste of Northern Michigan Tour, which visits Northern Michigan's finest resort areas and attractions. We'll stop for lunch on our own before arriving at **Cops and Doughnuts** in Clare for a unique experience. This doughnut shop and bakery was within weeks of closing when the members of the Clare Police Department came together and purchased the business. Browse the gift shop, purchase a warm fresh donut and even have your mugshot taken! Following check in at our hotel in Petoskey, dinner this evening will be included at a locally popular Charlevoix restaurant serving up a traditional up-north dining experience for nearly 75 years. An optional trip to **Odawa Casino** is available to anyone who would like to do some gambling or visit the casino's many restaurants and amenities.

### Day 2

We will begin our morning with a hot continental breakfast before departing for Charlevoix. Our local guide will lead us through Charlevoix on a **tour of the "Gnome Homes"** of the areas famous architect, Earl Young. Earl Young was a dreamer, designer and builder of unique and fascinating stone houses that accommodate each building site with unusual stone fireplaces, chimneys, cedar shake roofs and rooms with flowing curves, also known as "Mushroom Houses". Following the city tour, we are off to experience the majesty of **Castle Farms & Gardens**. Upon arrival, we will meet our guide to tour the Renaissance Castle complete with magnificent soaring towers, stone archways, English gardens and cobblestone courtyards - the perfect place to get a taste of old world charm. Our guide will delight us with the rich

history of Castle Farms from its original construction in 1918 as a model farm through the art/studio and music concert eras into the present period which has won it an honored place on the National and Historical Registers. Following the tour, we will enjoy a Royal Luncheon at the Castle. After our tour and lunch, we will have a little time to shop at Charlevoix's boutique shops before returning to the hotel to freshen up for our evening out. This afternoon, we depart for **Cross Village** via the **Tunnel of Trees**. One of Michigan's most spectacular drives, this road becomes engulfed in the over story of a mixed forest, dominated by mature broadleaf and pine trees offering special majesty during peak autumn color. Upon arrival in Cross Village, we have an included dinner at **Legs Inn**, "a monument to nature." The medieval looking stone, timber and driftwood landmark is built high on a bluff overlooking Lake Michigan.

### Day 3

After another included breakfast this morning, we depart on a **guided tour of Petoskey** and the surrounding area with a local guide. Our guide will narrate along the way as we visit the sites of Petoskey, Bear River and the charming communities around Petoskey all while viewing some of the most beautiful fall colors. We end our tour at **Kilwin's Chocolates**. This afternoon we enjoy **shopping and lunch in downtown Petoskey** with over 170 shops and restaurants in the famous Gaslight District. We return to the hotel for some downtown before departing for our final included dinner this evening at Grey Gables Restaurant, a favorite Charlevoix destination for nearly 75 years.

### Day 4

Following our final included breakfast this morning, we pack our bags and begin our journey home stopping at **Friske's Orchard**. We'll have a wagon tour of the orchard, time for shopping and an included coffee and donut. We'll make a lunch stop on our own before returning home.

### ***IT'S EASY TO JOIN A BIANCO TOUR!***

Reservations for \_\_\_ participants. Just complete the form below and include a **\$100.00 deposit per person** to hold your reservations. Full payment is due 30 days prior to departure. A charge of \$200.00, based on double occupancy, may be levied on all cancellations made within 30 days of departure. No refunds within 14 days of departure. Optional cancellation insurance is available through Travelex. Brochures are available at registration. Payment options include: cash; checks payable to: Oxford Township Parks & Recreation; and major credit cards.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_ Roommate(s): \_\_\_\_\_

	<u>Resident</u>	<u>Non-Resident</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> Private room:	\$900.00	\$910.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Double room:	\$825.00	\$835.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Triple room:	\$801.00	\$811.00

Date: 9/26/22

Code: 9N92660.4

Tour: Taste of Northern Michigan

Group: Oxford Twp. Parks & Recreation

### CREDIT CARD PURCHASE (print clearly)



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Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Amount being charged: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

*I have read and accept the conditions regarding cancellation refunds and payments*