



Hammond Castle Friday, June 14, 2013



EVENT: Considered to be one of the truly hidden gems of Massachusetts, the Hammond Castle provides visitors with a trip back in time as they explore through this medieval-style castle built just a short ways away on the shores of the Atlantic Ocean in Gloucester, MA. The castle was built by John Hays Hammond, Jr. between the years of 1926-1929 to serve as both his home and as a backdrop for his collection of Roman, medieval, and Renaissance artifacts. The castle also housed the Hammond Research Corporation, from which Dr. Hammond produced over 400 patents and ideas for over 800 inventions. John Hammond was one of America's premier inventors, second only to Thomas Edison in number of patents.

Lunch is on your own at the Topside Grill. The Topside Grill has a wonderful luncheon menu, with something for everyone to enjoy.

DATE: The date selected is Friday, June 14, 2013. We will depart the Exeter Recreation Center parking lot at 9:30am and will be returning to Exeter approximately 3:30pm.

COST: The cost of the tour includes admission to the Hammond Castle and transportation in the Recreation Department Van.

RESIDENTS / NON-RESIDENTS	Trip Code
\$25.00 pp	352306-1A

DEADLINE: The deadline to register is Friday, June 7, 2013, or once the van is sold out.

Note: We need a minimum of 6 people registered. Max of 13 people.

GUIDELINES: Registrants must sit in the same seat(s) on the return trip as they sat in on the first part of the trip. **If** you have a need requiring you to sit in a particular area, please let the Recreation Office know when you register for the trip. The staff will relay to the trip escort that he/she needs to be sure you get the necessary seat. **Parents** are expected to have complete control of their children at all times throughout the trip.

Exeter Parks & Recreation Department sponsored trips are designed to provide members of the Exeter Community - families, friends, and individuals alike - with safe, relaxing and enjoyable sports and entertainment experiences. To ensure these goals, the Exeter Parks and Recreation Department has established a policy of prohibiting the possession and use of alcohol and other drugs while on board. In addition, for the health and comfort of all travelers, smoking (in any form) is also prohibited. Your cooperation in adhering to these policies is greatly appreciated. **PLEASE MAKE YOUR CHECK PAYABLE TO THE EXETER RECREATION DEPARTMENT. SORRY, NO REFUNDS UNLESS THE EVENT IS CANCELLED BY VENUE. THERE WILL BE A \$20 FEE CHARGED FOR EACH BANK RETURNED CHECK.**

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