

Cape May



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GROUP TOURS



**YOUR JOURNEY BEGINS....
ON THE WAY TO CAPE MAY**



**Cape May, Top 10 Best Small Coastal Town
(2021) in America by USA Today Readers' Choice**

AMERICA'S FIRST SEASIDE RESORT

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Cape May MAC considers the City of Cape May, with its unparalleled collection of Victorian era buildings, a museum without walls.



1879 Emlen Physick Estate

The Emlen Physick Estate is Cape May's only Victorian house museum. A visit to this beautifully restored mansion provides a glimpse into the Victorian lifestyle. The Carriage House is home to the Carroll Gallery with its changing exhibits and the Museum Shop.



1859 Cape May Lighthouse

The Cape May Lighthouse is located in Cape May Point State Park, one of the world's premier birding spots. The tower is both a museum of maritime history and a working lighthouse. A climb up its 199 steps offers a breathtaking view of the Cape.



1942 World War II Lookout Tower

The World War II Lookout Tower tells the story of Cape May's integral role in homeland defense during the war. No tour is complete without a visit to the Wall of Honor dedicated to local veterans and the All Veterans Memorial.



Trolley Tours

Our trolleys provide a variety of day and evening narrated tours through Historic Cape May. Visitors can learn about its unique architecture and colorful history, its paranormal activity, its role in the Underground Railroad, the Native American tribes who inhabited this land, the whaling industry and farming or enjoy a front row view of Cape May's holiday decorations.



Step-on Guide Tours

A Cape May MAC guide can step aboard your bus and accompany your group on an informative and entertaining tour.

- Cape May Point
- Natural Habitats



Vintage

Vintage, the on-site restaurant at the Emlen Physick Estate, creates a modern, eclectic, and delicious dining experience. Vintage is dog-friendly with plenty of outside seating

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Cape May voted Second Best Small Town for Shopping (2021) by
USA Today Readers' Choice

Be sure to visit one or more of our convenient shopping locations:

- Sunset Beach
- Washington Street Mall
- West End Garage

Cape May is also home to the second largest seaport on the Eastern Shore with many award-winning restaurants. Enjoy fresh seafood, farm fresh produce, and specialty desserts.

CAPE MAY MAC OFFERS YEAR-ROUND TOURS

Build Your Own Tour Options:

- Experience Cape May
- Haunted Cape May
- Christmas in Cape May
- Flexible Independent Traveler (FIT)

All tour offerings are interchangeable and all suggested tour itineraries can be adapted to fit any schedule.

Visit our website to view informational videos featuring our city guide & trolley tour options and sample itineraries <http://capemaymac.org/plan/group-tours/>. Complete our on-line contact form to submit your group tour inquiry!

Our Group Tour Staff is happy to assist you in planning your visit to Cape May!

CAPE MAY BUS PERMITS

The Chamber of Commerce of Greater Cape May processes permits for charter bus operators visiting the City of Cape May. Contact the Chamber of Commerce Office at (609) 884-5508 or contact our Group Sales Office at (609) 224-6030 for assistance.

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CHRISTMAS IN CAPE MAY

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DAY ONE

• 3pm: Physick Family Christmas House Tour

This 1879 Victorian house museum sparkles for the holidays with authentic Victorian decorations that invite you to step back into Christmas past! Visit the Physick Estate for a unique living history experience with members of the Physick Family household of the 1890s. Also see the wonderful Christmas exhibit at the Carroll Gallery.

• 4:30pm: Check into your Hotel

• 5:30pm: Dinner at one of Cape May's fine restaurants

• 6:30pm: Christmas Traditions Presentation

While you are finishing your meal, enjoy a Victorian Christmas Lecture. Much of what we associate with the celebration of Christmas comes from the Victorian Era, including Christmas trees, Christmas cards, our image of Santa Claus, and many other features. You will learn how Prince Albert brought these traditions to England from Germany when he married Queen Victoria, and how they then spread to America.

DAY TWO

• 9:30am: Step on Guide - Cape May Point

Travel on your bus through West Cape May to the tip of Cape May's peninsula, which is one of the most celebrated bird migratory locations in North America. Entering Cape May Point State Park, you can view our fully restored Lighthouse, built in 1859. Then, it's on to Sunset Beach where the concrete ship Atlantis is still visible. Enjoy a short shopping stop or search for Cape May Diamonds.

• 11am: Free Time for Lunch, Shopping or Sightseeing

Downtown

Spend some time shopping at the Washington Street Mall, enjoy lunch at one of its many restaurants and stroll the beautiful Victorian streets.

• 2:30pm: Return to your hotel to freshen up

• 5pm: Dinner at one of Cape May's fine restaurants

• 7pm: Holiday Lights Trolley Ride

Enjoy a front row view of Cape May's holiday decorations as our heated trolley winds its way through town. Guides tell stories of Christmas past.

DAY THREE

• 8am: Breakfast at your Hotel

• 9:30am: All That Glitters Trolley Tour

The year is 1899. A dear friend has volunteered to help with the final preparations for the very important New Year's Day Celebration. She wants to consolidate a shopping trip for the necessities to avoid making numerous trips. Join her as we travel through town making plans for this important endeavor.

• 11:30am: Winery Tour & Tasting

Travel to one of Cape May County's award-winning wineries, tour the vineyard to see how grapes are grown, and then visit the winery for an introduction to the wine-maker's art. You'll also enjoy a tasting along with cheese and crackers.

• 1pm: Depart for Home





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It has been a privilege for Cape May MAC's Tour Department to service annually over 365 motorcoach groups, provide customized itineraries and arrange over 950 tours and events for the nearly 27,600 travelers who visited Cape May, New Jersey.

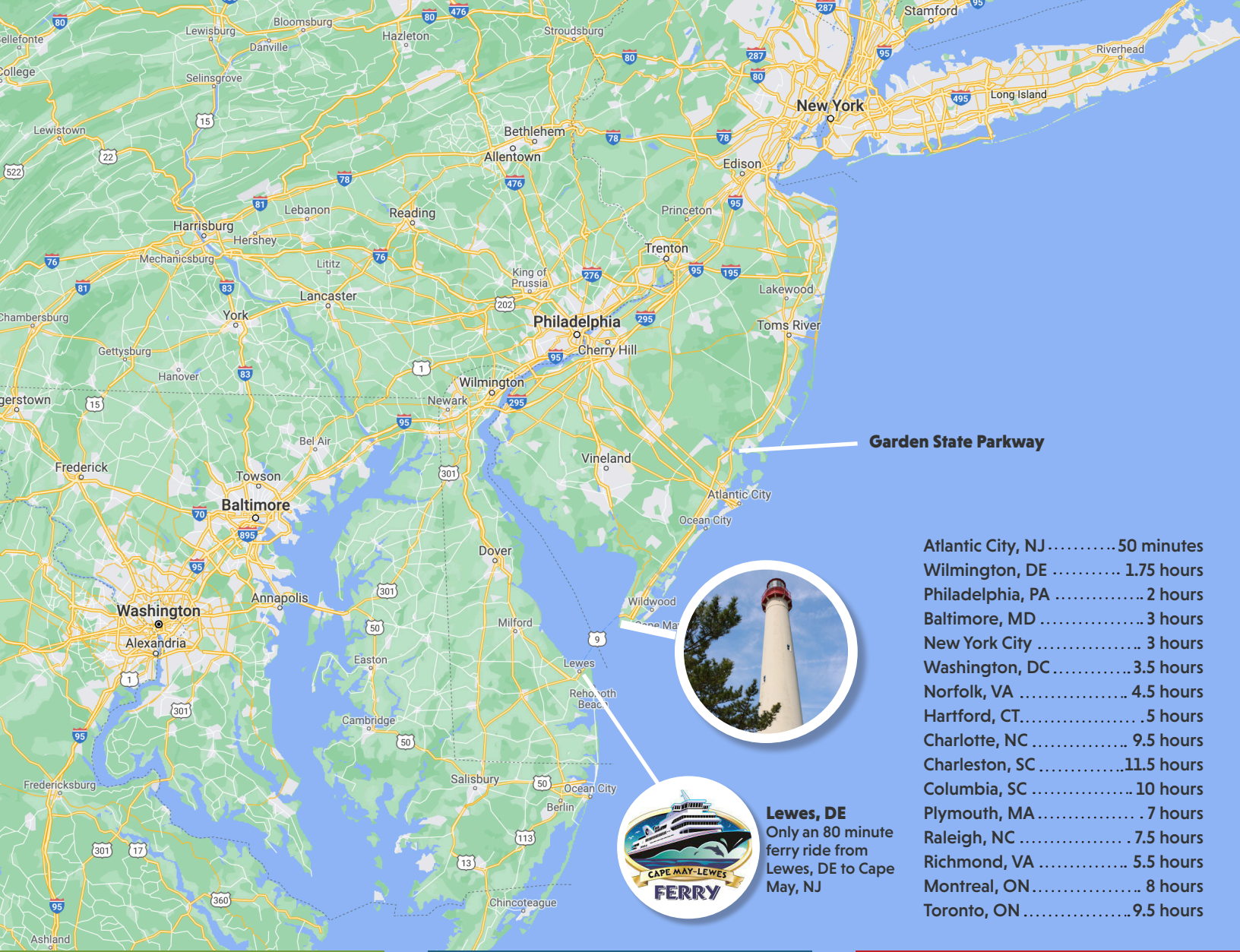
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In 1964, the first ferry connected Cape May, New Jersey to the town of Lewes, Delaware. The ferry sails 17 miles, along the waters where the Delaware Bay and the Atlantic Ocean meet.

Motorcoaches can board the Ferry, allowing your group to stretch their legs and take some scenic photos throughout the trip. When you arrive you are within three miles of beautiful Cape May.

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