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## SENIORITY HAS ITS PRIVELEGES IN SEPTEMBER AT HISTORIC INNS OF ROCKLAND, MAINE

S is for September, Savings and Savoring the Coast of Maine for 55+ Travelers

Rockland, ME: We've heard it over and over; today's 55+ traveler is looking for active, "edutaining" getaways. Historic Inns of Rockland, Maine say if that's what they want that's what they'll get in September, 2007 and 2008 when seniority ranks high in this Midcoast, Maine town. Throughout September, 55+ travelers will be treated to everything from museum admissions to a ride aboard a working lobster boat and guided



lighthouse tours. To prove that 55+ travelers rank high Historic Inns of Rockland's "Seniority Has Its Privileges" Package has been constructed with a 25-percent discount for September travelers.

Respecting the need for value which today's 55+ travelers seek, Historic Inns of Rockland have packed this package with a rich itinerary including plenty of choices for enjoying the area's attractions, natural beauty, history and premier accommodations. Rarely are 55+ travelers offered so many choices at such affordable rates, starting at \$479 for the three night midweek package.

The "Seniority Has Its Privileges Package" is packed with adventure including:

- Three midweek nights accommodations (Sunday Thursday, excluding Labor Day) at any of the three premier Historic Inns of Rockland, Maine – Captain Lindsey House, Berry Manor Inn or LimeRock Inn. Accommodations have been packaged at a 25percent savings off September rates.
- Hearty breakfast for two each morning, including everything from unlimited coffee and juice to home baked treats and breakfast entrees.
- Two "Discovery Coast Museum Passports" offering admission to six of Maine's greatest cultural treasures including the Farnsworth Art Museum and Wyeth Center, Gen. Henry

- Knox Museum, Contemporary Art Museum, Penobscot Marine Museum, Owls Head Transportation Museum and the Maine Lighthouse Museum.
- Choose between two tickets to Captain Jack's Lobster Adventure Cruises where the
  chance to pull lobster traps (and keep your haul) is just one of the highlights from this
  entertaining lobsterman filled with lobster lore OR two tickets on the Maine State Ferry to
  Vinalhaven Island, the largest inhabited island in Penobscot Bay. Stroll throughout this
  quintessential island fishing community offering scenic views and a glimpse into island
  life.
- Special guided educational tours with expert docents of the Maine Lighthouse Museum offered twice weekly (Mon and Thurs) exclusively for guests of Historic Inns of Rockland, Maine.
- A guided tour of Rockland's Historic Breakwater Lighthouse offered exclusively to guests
  of Historic Inns of Rockland each Wednesday plus an autographed copy of Ted
  Panayotoff's book The Lighthouse at Rockland Breakwater Then and Now.
- A private walking tour of Rockland's Historic District offered by members of the Rockland
  Historical Society Tuesday afternoons. Learn why Rockland was the fourth busiest harbor
  on the east coast at the turn of the century and view examples of an array of architecture
  preserved among the 145 buildings and homes listed on the National Registry of Historic
  Places.
- Weekly Wednesday evening discussion groups presented by members of Rockland Historical Society where topics will span Rockland's rich history.
- A tour of the three premier Historic Inns of Rockland, offered Thursday afternoons.

This packed three-day package is offered throughout September, 2007 for \$479-775 for single or double occupancy. Many of the components of this package, such as private walking tours and discussion groups, are not available except through this package.

Once children have returned to school, and summer vacations have waned, September presents the ideal time for sojourns to Maine's Midcoast and the lobster capital of the universe, Rockland, Maine. The days are still warm, perfect for exploring the lighthouses along the coast or the many renowned galleries and art museums in Rockland. Evenings, each of these inns is an easy stroll into downtown, celebrated for its fabulous restaurants. To book the Seniority Has Its Privileges Package, call 1-877-ROC-INNS (877-762-4667). For more information about Historic Inns of Rockland Maine, or Berry Manor Inn, LimeRock Inn or Captain Lindsey House, visit www.HistoricInnsofRockland.com.

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