Tour Special Features

- Breathtaking Scenery
- Fabulous Birds
- Fine Food
- Unique Parks
- Wild Landscapes
- Comfortable Hotels

Small Groups! Great Leaders! Interesting People!

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Nantucket
Seasons in Transition

February 23 - 26, 2021
The birding starts the minute you get on the ferry with Bufflehead and Common Goldeneye, and gets better as you leave land behind with scoters, eiders and Long-tailed Duck all around you. Once on the island, you can revel in the peace and quiet of an off-season resort, the inescapable sense of history, and the abundance of open space (thanks in large part to Roy and Margot Larsen, donors of our Burr Street sanctuary in Fairfield). You have the chance of seeing rare gulls, many winter ducks, and enjoy the sunset spectacle of thousands of Long-tailed Ducks flying overhead to their nighttime roost. And if you get enough of the weather, you can always relax in one of the delightful teahouses or pubs in the heart of the historic town. March might not seem like the time to go to Nantucket, but you will be pleasantly surprised with the experience of the island in winter.

Andrew Griswold has been the director of EcoTravel for Connecticut Audubon Society (CAS) since 1996. He graduated as an honor student in biology from Hartwick College, where he worked at their biological research station in the Bahamas studying avian ecology. Andy is the original concept creator and scientific consultant for a cable television series on bird watching called All Bird TV that aired on Discovery’s Animal Planet. He is the original concept creator of the award winning Connecticut River Eagle Festival (during its time the largest birding festival in the world). Andy has conducted bird surveys for the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service and been participating as a Christmas Bird Count captain for over 35 years. He’s been a consultant to the Bahamas Ministry of Tourism concerning development of birding tourism in its more remote islands. Andy leads trips for CAS to Canada, Texas, South Florida, Brazil, Costa Rica, Cuba, Iceland, and many other unique destinations. Andy is a former licensed USCG 100-Ton Master boat captain and lives in Essex, Connecticut, with his wife and their son. He is known for his attentiveness to traveler’s needs, fine birding skills, and infectious sense of humor.

General Information
Tour Cost: $1,598.  
With Member Discount: $1,298.  
No single supplement available.

Prices are based upon a minimum number of six paying participants traveling together.

For a Detailed Itinerary and More Information:
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