

Krouse Travel presents...

# Pacific Northwest & California

with Optional 1-Night Seattle Pre Tour Extension

**September 21 – 28, 2026**



*All Travel, All the Time*

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**8 Days • 12 Meals:** 7 Breakfasts, 2 Lunches, 3 Dinners

**HIGHLIGHTS...** Mount St. Helens Visitor Center, Columbia River Gorge, Hood River, Yaquina Head Lighthouse, Bandon State Natural Area, Rogue River Cruise, Redwood National Park, Avenue of the Giants, San Francisco Bay Cruise

#### ITINERARY AT A GLANCE

Day 1	Warwick Hotel, Seattle, Washington
Days 2, 3	Portland Marriott Downtown Waterfront, Portland, Oregon
Day 4	Ko-Kwel Casino Resort, North Bend, Oregon
Day 5	Best Western Plus Bayshore Inn, Eureka, California
Days 6, 7	Westin St. Francis, San Francisco, California

*On some dates alternate hotels may be used.*

**Day 1: Monday, September 21, 2026 Seattle, Washington** Your tour opens with an overnight stay in Seattle, dubbed the “Emerald City” for its lush green surroundings. As travelers’ arrival times vary greatly, we have no group activities planned during the day. Get to know your fellow travelers at tonight’s welcome dinner. (D)

**Day 2: Tuesday, September 22, 2026 Seattle - Mt. St. Helens - Portland, Oregon** Explore Seattle’s colorful waterfront area and historic Pioneer Square with a local guide. Mingle with artisans at the lively Pike Place Market, a famous fish and vegetable market dotted with restaurants and shops. Travel by Washington State Ferry across Puget Sound to Bremerton – Seattle’s skyline is spectacular from the water! Back on land, travel south through Olympia, stopping at the Mount St. Helens Visitor Center. Learn about its 1980 volcanic eruption as well as the history and geology of the state park. Continue to Portland, Oregon for a two-night stay in the picturesque “City of Roses.” (B)

**Day 3: Wednesday, September 23, 2026 Portland - Columbia River Gorge - Portland** Drive along the Mt. Hood route to the lush Columbia River Gorge. Take in the unforgettable views of Mt. Hood as you leave the valley and enter the Cascade Mountains. Discover the awe-inspiring landscapes of the magnificent Columbia River and Multnomah Falls, a 611-foot-tall roaring cascade. Later, learn about the lavender growing process during a walking tour of the farm where this beneficial perennial herb is grown. Tonight, enjoy dinner at a local restaurant. (B, D)

**Day 4: Thursday, September 24, 2026 Portland - Willamette Valley - Newport - North Bend (Oregon Coast)** On the way to the Oregon coast, journey through the Willamette Valley. Today known for its wine that rivals that of Napa, this was once the “Promised Land” for the pioneers who followed the Oregon Trail. On the coast, stop at the Yaquina Head Lighthouse, a 93-foot tower buffeted by wind and rain since 1872. Enjoy time at the interpretive center or make your way down to Cobble Beach to explore the tide pools of colorful sea anemones and starfish. Stop in the seaside town of Newport before traveling further along the coast. End your day strolling North Bend’s lively boardwalk, perched along scenic Coos Bay. (B, D)

**Day 5: Friday, September 25, 2026 North Bend - Bandon Natural Area - Redwood National Park - Eureka, CA** Drive to Bandon State Natural Area. Take in the breathtaking scenery as we travel along the striking Beach Loop. See Bandon Rocks and Face Rock, famous for their American Indian legends. Stop to enjoy a cruise up the spectacular Rogue River, taking you into Oregon’s rugged wilderness for a chance to see bald eagles, cormorants, seals and blue heron. Continuing south to California’s redwood country, travel through Redwood National Park, home to trees that can reach nearly 300 feet. See for yourself why the sun seldom hits the ground. (B, L)

**Day 6: Saturday, September 26, 2026 Eureka - San Francisco** Return to the majestic beauty and splendid grandeur of the redwood forest as you traverse the “Avenue of the Giants,” a scenic highway loaded with towering redwoods. Next, drive over the legendary Golden Gate Bridge and arrive in “the City by the Bay,” San Francisco. Tonight, enjoy dinner on your own at one of the many restaurants in this eclectic city. (B)

**Day 7: Sunday, September 27, 2026 San Francisco** Today, join a local guide on a city tour of San Francisco’s iconic landmarks and neighborhoods including Chinatown, North Beach, Portsmouth Square, “the birthplace of San Francisco”, Haight-Ashbury and Alamo Square. After a farewell lunch, enjoy a cruise on San Francisco Bay where the highlight is a sail under the majestic Golden Gate Bridge with a close-up look at Alcatraz Island. (B, L)

**Day 8: Monday, September 28, 2026 San Francisco - Tour Ends** Your tour comes to a close today, but the memories will stay with you forever. (B)



## Per Person Rates\*:

**Double \$4,299; Single \$5,199; Triple \$4,249**

**Included in Price:** Round Trip Air from Baltimore Washington Intl Airport, Air Taxes and Fees/Surcharges, Hotel Transfers

**Not included in price:** Cancellation Waiver and Insurance of \$429 per person

\* *All Rates are Per Person and are subject to change*

**IMPORTANT CONDITIONS:** Your price is guaranteed once deposit is received and booking confirmed by Collette. Your price is not subject to increase after the deposit is received and booking confirmed, except for charges resulting from increases in government-imposed taxes or fees. (See registration form for consent.)

### Important Tour Information:

**The overall activity level of this tour is a level 2.** This means you like a balanced approach to travel. Walking two to three miles over the course of a day is no problem for you. You can handle a variety of terrains, from cobblestone streets to moderate hills with relative ease and without assistance. You can climb two flights of stairs with ease. Expect some full days balanced with free time to recharge or set out on your own adventure. You can handle altitudes up to 6,000 feet. While this level is appropriate for travelers that require mobility assistance devices, there could be times when you may have to sit out on some of the included activities.

**Travel with an average of 37 people (maximum of 44).**

There may be 1 to 2 days on this tour when walking tours can cover 3 to 4 miles over uneven terrain.

Expect to encounter hills when walking in Seattle and San Francisco.

If you require any special assistance while on tour, please make us aware at time of reservation so the necessary request form can be sent to your attention.

You should anticipate longer travel days between Coos Bay, Oregon and Eureka, California.

If you would like to visit Alcatraz in San Francisco, arrangements must be made on your own in advance.

Single accommodations are limited and are available on a first-come, first-served basis. Single rate subject to change based on availability.

To complete your tour, we include round-trip airport-to-hotel transfers when purchasing our airfare with your tour. If you have arranged for your own air, we are pleased to provide you the option of purchasing these transfers. Please note that all transfers will leave at pre-scheduled times.

For air-inclusive reservations, the name provided at time of booking must match your government-issued ID that will be used during travel. Name changes are subject to penalties.

Please be advised, many airlines do not provide advance seat assignments until check-in at the airport. Advance seating will be subject to the airline's terms and conditions.

Economy air rate and schedule are applicable for groups of 10 or more traveling on the same flights and dates.

### Travel Requirements:

#### IDENTIFICATION

Travel within USA

A Real ID compliant form of identification must be presented both at the time of booking air travel with Collette and upon checking in at the airport to board any flight. State-issued driver's licenses and IDs that are not REAL ID compliant are no longer accepted as valid forms of identification at airports. Any fees associated with changing a reservation resulting from a non-compliant identification will be the responsibility of the traveler. For more information on Real ID, please visit the Department of Homeland Security website: <https://www.dhs.gov/real-id>

### Experience It! Pike Place Market

This is one of America's oldest — and perhaps most famous — farmers markets. From antiques to fresh fruits and vegetables, it truly has it all. You may choose to make a stop at the original Starbucks or spend some time enjoying the talented street performers, but everyone must make a stop at the world-famous fish market. Keep an eye out for fish flying through the air! The fishmongers enjoy serving up their catch by tossing it over the counter. Then, cap off your visit by relaxing at one of the many restaurants and cafés before stocking up on the local specialty foods and browsing the colorful creations of local artisans.

## EXTEND YOUR VACATION WITH

### Optional 2 Days 1-Night Seattle Pre Tour Extension

Per Person Rates: \$429.00 USD double, \$579.00 USD single, land only

**For more information on extensions and options for this tour visit**  
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**NOTES:**



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 You can also find this information on your tour documents.