

A Cape Cod Christmas Holly Folly Fun!

Four Day Tour ~ December 10-13, 2026

Highlights: Three Dreamy Nights at the Artistic Lands End Inn, Provincetown • P-Town's Holly Folly Weekend • Canteen Holiday Market • Chatham's Christmas by the Sea Stroll • Sandwich's Holly Days Village Stroll • Gardens Aglow at Heritage Museum • Lippitt House, Providence • Sunset Stroll on Sandwich Boardwalk • The Sandwich Giants! • Dune Shacks Trail • More Fun Events to Come! • All Breakfasts • Three Lunches • One Dinner • Fully Escorted

Get ready for some Holly Folly fun as we embrace all the holiday magic Cape Cod style! Far from the hustle and bustle of heavy holiday traffic and crowded shops, the calm seaside towns of Cape Cod are the perfect respite for relaxed holiday cheer filled with quirky local traditions. Who needs an evergreen when a towering tree of lobster traps aglow with hundreds of lights and colorful ornaments adorns Provincetown's MacMillan Pier and a magical illumination shines through the night sky from the spectacular glow of the sparkling Pilgrim Monument. Christmas postcard village main streets will maintain a festive spirit for strolling, and the Canteen Holiday Market offers truly unique gifts crafted by local artisans each with its own genuine story behind their creation. We'll follow the spirit of the season into an enchanted evening wonderland of lights along glowing pathways and into Cape Cod's coastal natural treasures. So grab some hot cocoa and let's get lost in Cape Cod's Christmas magic!

Day 1. Our holiday road trip takes us north towards New England, where we'll pause for a step into Providence's Golden Age at the perfectly preserved Lippitt House. The 1800s will come alive with holiday joy among the fully decorated Victorian-era interior all decked out in its yuletide glory. After we return to the current century, let's enjoy a festive, included lunch at a great local spot along our drive. Christmas cheer will carry us straight to Cape Cod where the lovely, artistic Lands End Inn greets us with a warm holiday welcome. Set atop Gull Hill in Provincetown's charming West End, this artsy historic spot has sweeping views but is close to town's festivities. Settle in its warmth and comfort and venture out nearby for a bite before a great seaside night's sleep.

Day 2. As you awaken, drink in the view from your uniquely stunning room filled with its own special blend of luxuriousness and quirkiness and enjoy a leisurely morning. We'll have all day to spend exploring the charms of Provincetown and its Holly Folly fun! Stroll with hot cocoa in hand through the Canteen Holiday Market filled with



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unique artistic treasures and other special surprises. If the weather allows, join us for a walk among Provincetown's famous dunes where the natural beauty of the cape can be felt with every step. Our route to the crest of the final dune that reveals a scenic Atlantic Ocean will pass by historic dune shack cottages where artists and writers chose a rustic dune life that inspired their work. As the winter sun sets, wander the streets of Provincetown as they light up the darkness with a twinkling wonderland of creativity and coastal charm and have an enchanting evening.

Day 3. Enjoy another leisurely morning among serene seaside views before heading out for a day filled with holiday adventures. Let's first fuel up with an included quick bite to eat at a local spot along our route south to the charming village of Chatham. Once we arrive, wander the quaint main street for a festive Christmas by the Sea Stroll past independent shops with cheery window displays among twinkling lights and colorful decorations. Now let's bundle up and get out into that fresh, brisk coastal nature for a stroll along the Sandwich Boardwalk in search of a splendid sunset. It's time to be entranced by Heritage Museum's Gardens Aglow where glowing pathways lead to an enchanted wonderland of lights filled with holiday magic. A hot drink will keep us cozy as we gaze upon the garden's illuminated art installations and sculptures among the crisp, dark winter sky. It will be warm and toasty on a drive to search for Sandwich's Giants where the bigger, the better, so keep those eyes peeled! As we make our way back to Provincetown, let's warm up further with an included dinner at an inviting local place along the way.

Day 4. We may have to say goodbye to our lovely home at Lands End Inn, but the holiday cheer continues! We just can't miss Holly Days in Sandwich where a cheery village stroll awaits. Wander one of the Cape's oldest villages that has been magically transformed into a holiday postcard. Now all filled with Cape Cod cheer, we'll make our journey home with a stop for an included lunch at a festive spot along the way. © 2026 The Educated Wanderer

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