

Travelog Release Connecticut's Litchfield Hills Audio Tour

Announcing a new additon to Travelog's series of Audio tours - Connecticut's Litchfield Hills!

(PRWEB) July 4, 2002 -- TOURING CONNECTICUT'S LITCHFIELD HILLS

Travelog Is latest recorded driving tour explores scenic Northwestern Connecticut

LINDEN, NJ - Travelog has planned a perfect weekend getaway for families looking to spend- time together in the country. Travelog's recorded driving tour of Litchfield Hills is a recent addition to it's list of tours and it takes you from Southbury to Litchfield via Woodbury, New Milford and Kent. Along the way, this Travelog tour visits historic town greens, steepled churches, romantic old inns, and quaint antiques shops, covered bridges and museums. These are just some of the highlights of the tour of Connecticut \Box s Litchfield Hills, which encourages travelers to explore the scenic and historic areas of this region.

"Visitors will enjoy exploring this historic region without having to travel with bulky maps or cumbersome guidebooks," explains editorial director Bill McCoy. "Taking a Travelog tour is like having a professional guide along for the ride -- someone to point out the sights, give directions, and provide fascinating background information about the area. It's the perfect way for families to explore this picturesque and historical region."

"Like all our tours, the Litchfield Hills tour encourages families to spend more quality time together. Travelog's complimentary website (<u>www.travelog.com</u>) provides information on special events and attractions, updates and road construction and detours, and details on discount partners, as well as links to visitor's bureaus and tourism offices, newspapers, and other resources. There's even a scavenger hunt and a trivia quiz to involve kids (and their parents) on the tour"

This tour takes in a number of scenic spots such as Kent Falls State Park, which features one of the loveliest waterfalls in all of New England, Lake Waramaug where visitors can enjoy the scenery as well as a relaxing boat ride, and Housatonic Meadows State Park which is an ideal spot for a picnic. This tour also features many places of historic interest as well. The wonderful town of New Milford dates back the early 1700s and Litchfield is home to Tapping Reeve House, one of the oldest law schools in the United States.

Families will enjoy discovering each point of interest at their own pace. The tour provides many opportunities to stop for a picnic, meander through the local shops, and take a relaxing stroll in the scenic outdoors.

"Travelog tours introduce Americans to the country's great destinations in an entertaining and illuminating way," says Myron Levine, CEO of Travelog. "We offer a complete tour experience with travel planning resources at an affordable price. Our tours are dependable, reliable and hassle free."

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Written by nationally acclaimed writers, Travelog, offers sightseeing insights and information on points of interest, historical facts, local lore, travel trivia, and turn-by-turn directions. The complete package includes a recorded driving tour in both CD and tape cassette formats, printed directions, a map, a note card and Travelog pencil, as well as a Tour and Save Discount card.



Through alliances with major local and national marketing partners, Travelog provides added values to consumers. The Tour and Save program offers discounts on lodging, dining, shopping and other travel related activities. In fact it's possible for travelers to enjoy enough savings to cover the cost of the tour.

Discount partners for the Litchfield Hills tour include:

□ Accommodations - The Homestead Inn, Travelodge, Days Inn, Ramada Inn, Howard Johnson, Wingate Inn, Villager, Amerihost, Knights Inn

- □ Attractions White Memorial Conservation Center
- □ Shopping Hopkins Vineyard, Kent Video & Photo
- □ Vehicle Rentals- Alamo, National Car Rental, Cruise America
- Eateries Elennis Restaurant, Moefield Brothers Ice Cream, Bella Pizzaria

A complete list of discount partners can be obtained by visiting Travelog's website at <u>www.travelog.com</u>

Travelog's sets its sights on providing a product that ensures vacationers good value for money. The tours, priced at \$19.95 each are less expensive than taking a family of four to the movies, while offering an opportunity for high-quality family interaction and learning.

For more information, or to order a Travelog tour, consumers may call toll-free 1-866 LET'S TOUR (866-538-7868) or visit <u>www.travelog.com</u>.

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