

Initial Draft

Planning is now underway for a summer 2024 Club cruise from the Rockland/Camden , ME area to the Campobello Island/St. Andrews, New Brunswick, CA area. The ten day, one-way cruise is tentatively scheduled to begin in Rockland/Camden on Saturday, August 3rd and will conclude on Monday, August 12 on Campobello Island/St. Andrews.



Roque Island

Given the almost limitless options for exploring and anchoring along this easternmost section of the Maine coast, the plan is to offer ample opportunity for “Captain’s Choice” destinations in the cruise itinerary.

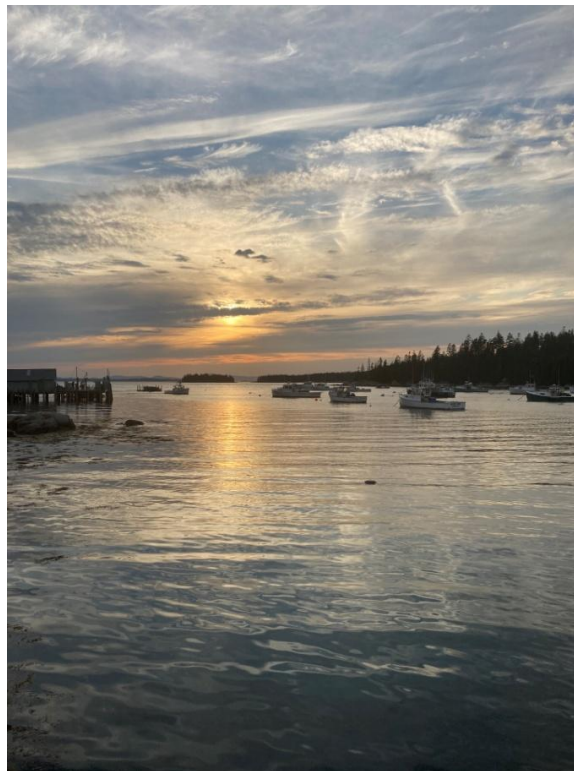


Head Harbour Light, Campobello Island



Calderwood Island

In addition to a kickoff gathering in Rockland/Camden and a closing celebration at Campobello/St. Andrews, there will be two events along the way. The first will be a Lobster Boil on beautiful Deer Isle and the second will be a get-together at Roque Island. Roque, with its mile-long white sand beach, is the destination that probably most evokes the wonders of a Downeast cruise with its beauty and remoteness.

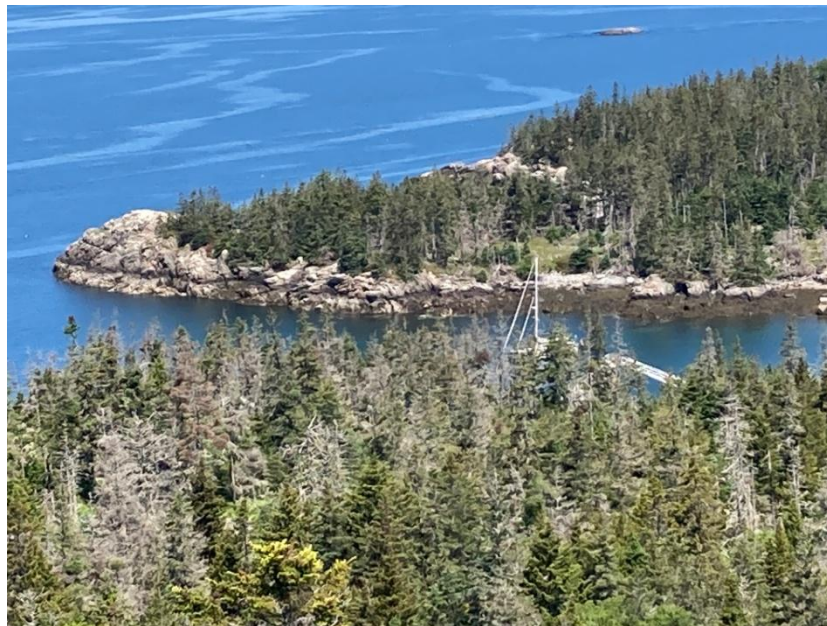


Burnt Cove, Deer Isle



Moose Snare Cove

A one-way cruise is planned for several reasons. First, on a return toward Portland or points further south, cruise participants will have the opportunity to explore many other areas not experienced on the way east. And second, from Campobello/St. Andrews at the cruise's conclusion, cruise participants could also continue on for some wonderful cruising in Passamaquoddy Bay, the Bay of Fundy, or a short hop over to Nova Scotia.



Duck Harbor, Isle au Haut

For those not already familiar with the coast of Maine, the Digital CCA Cruising Guide to Maine provides a great resource and pictorial review of the many anchorages and harbors along this cruising route. Special thanks to Doug and Dale Bruce, Tom and Jane Babbitt, and their committee of volunteers who have helped put the Guide together.



Burnt Cove, Deer Isle

The Downeast coast of Maine offers some of the best cruising in the world and we are excited to be working with our committee to make this cruise possible for the CCA.

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