

GRACE BAILEY
1882

Three to six night All-Inclusive, Maine vacations
aboard our charming 1882 Schooner.

Days of sailing and visiting islands. Nights anchored in
scenic coves. Dazzling sunsets with wine and
friends. Relaxing small boat rides.

Sail the world-renowned sheltered waters of Maine's
Penobscot Bay. Always in sight of land. Weaving
through the coastal archipelago.

This is windjamming. This is Different.
This is for you!



Meet Your Hosts



Captain Sam Sikkema

Having sailed the world on all manner of vessels, his favorite sailing grounds are the waters of Penobscot Bay, here in Maine.

Sam has a trove of knowledge about the traditional side of sailing. He is also a maritime history buff. He has had a passion for sailing since childhood.

Sam has not only circled the world's oceans as an intrepid blue-water navigator, but he is a sailmaker of authentic canvas sails and rigging for all types of historic vessels.

During your trip, Sam will introduce you to the craft and tradition of sailing.



Marc Evan Jackson

Marc Evan Jackson is an actor known for his roles on Brooklyn Nine-Nine, The Good Place, Parks & Recreation, The Baby-Sitters Club, and many more.

Thirty years ago, long before he was in Hollywood, Marc was the first mate of the GRACE BAILEY's former sister ship, the schooner MERCANTILE.

Marc is thrilled to be keeping the tradition alive, and can't wait to share the magic of schooners, windjamming, and Maine with old salts and newcomers alike.



Suzannah Smith

A Mainer born and raised, Suzannah grew up in the coastal town of Brunswick. Some of her fondest memories as a youngster were weeklong family sailing trips downeast around Penobscot Bay.

Suzannah graduated from Bates College in Lewiston, Maine with a passion for environmental studies and sustainable food systems. After a few years of engaging work in farms and restaurants across Maine and New Orleans, she found herself back in Penobscot Bay as galley hand on a Windjammer and fell in love with the maritime industry. With some valuable crewing time under her belt, she moved to a permanent shoreside position with the historic Windjammer, Victory Chimes and quickly gained responsibility.

Today, she is thrilled to be the Operations Manager and co-owner of Grace Bailey.

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GRACE BAILEY
Vacation Different





GRACE BAILEY is THE way to Experience Maine

You get to explore the coast of Maine under sail! Picture Yourself aboard a large, traditional schooner, gliding among the protected waters of nearly 700 islands.

Do you want to get the most out of your Maine Vacation?

Spend your nights aboard in calm, serene, beautiful coves. Relax in front of a sunset, or under brightening starlight with a glass of wine. You will appreciate the difference of our trips from any other vacation.

Maine sailing is for everyone! Even if you have never sailed before.

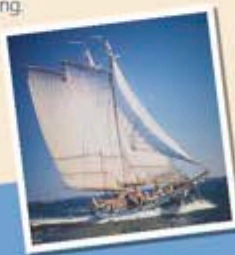
Do you want to relax and read a book in the sun? While away your time between freshly made meals and dessert? There is no better setting than our historic schooner and the coast of Maine.



Our trips offer options to fit everyone's taste, while always being unique and enchanting!

Do you want to help hoist the sails and learn all about traditional sailing? Have at it. Do you want to just sit back and watch it all happen? No problem. There's lots of space and the view is always changing. Any questions?

We even have small boats we can take you out in once we anchor, or you take one out on your own! Our trips are a unique and authentic Maine experience to get the most out of your vacation.



An Experience Not to be Missed

"The boat was immaculate, the food was incredible, and the crew were great. We've sailed around Maine before, but this experience was the best ever."



GRACE BAILEY has the space to relax and the size to offer smooth sailing. This makes her a fun and comfortable sailboat for couples, families, and charter groups.

Aboard our schooner is THE way to explore the best of Maine's rugged beauty. This bold, new perspective makes our trips different. These trips stand out. You will remember them for the rest of your life. We guarantee it.

Do you want the best of Maine?

Your days will be filled with sights you cannot see any other way. We call this "Secret Maine."

Many guests return to see different parts of "Secret Maine" each year! You will feel the same way.

There are 700 stunning islands in our cruising grounds. They provide serene nautical shelters for our nightly anchorages.

Serene coves, delicious wines, dazzling sunsets. This is the way to experience the best of Maine.



Enjoyable & Easy

From great meals, to going ashore, to small boat sails, we handle it all.



-Captain Sam Sikkema



Homemade meals are a big part of our Windjammer experience. Our all-inclusive trips provision our menu through a small collection of local Maine vendors.

Not only is Maine beautiful, it's delicious. Local cuisine is a wonderful way to add to your authentic Maine experience.

Savor the Cuisine

You'll enjoy daily, delectable charcuterie boards, scrumptious apps, family-style meals, and tempting desserts.

Of course, every Grace Bailey sail also includes a traditional New England all-you-can-eat Lobster dinner.



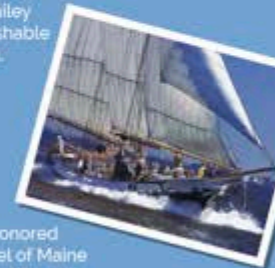
Grace Bailey is a sailboat with a very special heritage. Constructed at Patchogue, Long Island in 1882, she is an authentic American lumber-carrier, directly from the age of sail.

After decades of efficiently transporting yellow pine along the Eastern Seaboard, Grace Bailey then also proved fast enough to carry perishable foods and fruits to and from the Caribbean.

Learn the History

During the World War II era, Grace Bailey honored our nation as the primary sail-training vessel of Maine Maritime Academy, famously located in Castine, still among our cruising grounds.

And today, Grace Bailey's rugged design translates directly into broad and uncrowded decks. With an incredible 24' beam (width), you'll find the comfort and the space to sunbathe or just take in island views!



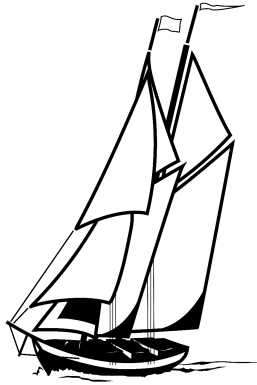


Grace Bailey 2025 Sailing Schedule

Book your reservation online at sailGraceBailey.com or call (207) 691-9521

Boarding 5 - 6pm	Return Before noon		<i>We will set sail the morning after boarding night. The first meal onboard is breakfast at 8 am.</i>	Price Per Person
June				
Sun 8	Fri 13	5 Night	Windjammer Gam*	\$1,440
Sun 15	Sat 21	6 Night	Music + Sailing w/ Tim Grimm & Friends	\$2,050
Sun 22	Sat 28	6 Night	Western Wanderer	\$1,850
July				
Sun June 29	Sat 5	6 Night	The Great Schooner Race*	\$2,095
Sun 6	Thurs 10	4 Night	Four Night Adventure	\$1,580
Fri 11	Tues 15	4 Night	Four Night Adventure	\$1,580
Wed 16	Mon 21	5 Night	Five Night Adventure	\$1,780
Tues 22	Sat 26	4 Night	Camden Classics Regatta	\$1,580
Sun 27	Wed 30	3 Night	Three Night Adventure	\$1,415
August				
Thurs July 31	Mon 4	4 Night	Eggemoggin Reach Regatta	\$1,580
Tues 5	Sat 9	4 Night	Four Night Adventure	\$1,580
Sun 10	Sat 16	6 Night	Six Night Adventure	\$2,095
Sun 17	Thurs 21	4 Night	Four Night Adventure	\$1,580
Fri 22	Mon 25	3 Night	Three Night Adventure	\$1,415
Tues 26	Sat 30	4 Night	Camden Windjammer Festival*	\$1,580
September				
Sun Aug 31	Sat 6	6 Night	Music + Sailing Six Night Adventure	\$1,950
Sun 7	Sat 13	6 Night	WoodenBoat Rendez-Vous*	\$1,950
Sun 14	Thurs 18	4 Night	Four Night Adventure	\$1,480
Fri 19	Mon 22	3 Night	Three Night Adventure	\$1,300
Tues 23	Sat 27	4 Night	Four Night Adventure	\$1,425
Sun 28	Thurs Oct 2	4 Night	Four Night Adventure	\$1,425
October				
Fri 3	Mon 6	3 Night	Fall Foliage Three Night Adventure	\$1,215
Tues 7	Sat 11	4 Night	Fall Foliage Four Night Adventure	\$1,300

Check out our website for details on accommodations and cabin options. Themes and music are always a fun addition to the adventure, but we always leave ample time for sailing and take into consideration the scenery around us and the peacefulness of the evenings while enjoying acoustic music sets. **Schedule and rates are subject to change.** *Maine Windjammer Association fleet gatherings.



GRACE BAILEY

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Length Overall.....122 ft
 Length on deck.....80 ft
 Beam.....23.5 ft
 Draft: Centerboard up.....6 ft
 Draft: Centerboard Down.....14 ft
 Tonnage.....58 gross tons
 Passengers.....29 maximum
 Crew.....5

GRACE BAILEY was built in Patchogue, Long Island, New York, in 1882 by Oliver Perry Smith and named for owner Edwin Bailey's daughter, Grace, born that year. In 1906, GRACE BAILEY was rebuilt and renamed for Mr. Bailey's granddaughter, Martha, nicknamed Mattie. From 1906 until 1990, the schooner sailed as Mattie, but in the spring of 1990 after restoration was returned to her original name.

The vessel is framed and planked with white oak, with a deck of longleaf yellow pine. It carries no inboard engine. Propulsion when needed is provided by a small yawl boat with an inboard motor. She carries 1000 gallons of fresh water and is equipped with three public heads and a hot shower.

There is a centerboard with a centerboard trunk, the main mast being offset somewhat from the centerline of the hull to accommodate the width of the trunk. The only significant alteration to the schooner lies in the substitution of companion ways for cargo hatches and the installation of staterooms below decks.

