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SLEEP INN, DINE OUT PROGRAM OFFERS “LOCAVORES” PROGRESSIVE TASTINGS AT ROCKLAND, ME “FRESH” RESTAURANTS AND GETAWAYS AT ECO-FRIENDLY INNS

Rockland, ME - - The Historic Inns of Rockland are on an eco-mission. Recognized among the top eco-friendly inns in the country by BedandBreakfast.com, this avant-garde group of innkeepers is taking progressive to the next level, partnering with local chef-owned restaurants specializing in local fare to provide a one-of-a-kind progressive dinner and getaway called Sleep Inn, Dine Out. Available Tuesday through Sunday, January through May throughout 2011, Historic Inns of Rockland’s Sleep Inn, Dine Out program combines a fresh taste of three Rockland restaurants with a relaxing and romantic getaway to Midcoast Maine.

“We developed this package to entice our guests to not only enjoy our inns and the culture that abounds in Rockland in the quieter time of year, but to highlight the great local restaurants that we have in Rockland,” said Cheryl Michaelsen of the Berry Manor Inn. Each of the restaurants are chef owned and operated and are walking distance from each of the inns. The ever changing tasting menus feature signature selections prepared from locally grown or homemade ingredients. Your evening begins at 6:00 pm with hearty appetizers at restaurant #1, then on to restaurant #2 at 7:00 pm for more hearty appetizers and then you finish the evening at restaurant #3 at 8:00 pm with a selection of desserts and coffee. You select which three restaurants you would like to try and your innkeepers will make all the reservations for you. Participating restaurants include:

- Café Miranda
- In Good Company
- Amalfi on the Water
- Rustica Cucina Italiana
- Lily Bistro.

The evening will conclude with an overnight stay at one of the four Historic Inns of Rockland including the LimeRock Inn, Berry Manor Inn, Captain Lindsey House, and Granite Inn. Guests will be encouraged to sleep in the following morning and plan to catch the tail end of the breakfast seating.

The Sleep Inn, Dine Out package includes:

- One night stay on a non-holiday/event Tuesday through Sunday night at your choice of Historic Inns of Rockland members, January through May.
- Specially prepared progressive “Rockland Dine Around” dinner for two at your choice of three participating restaurants (beverages and gratuity not included).
- Full and hearty gourmet breakfast for two.
- An eco-friendly reusable bag in which to carry leftovers and groceries thereafter.

The package ranges from \$195-325 per couple depending upon inn and room choice. Book a second night, and receive ten percent off your meal cost at any of the three restaurants visited (alcohol, tax and gratuity not included).

The Sleep Inn, Dine Out package is the perfect way to celebrate a special occasion, or enjoy a short getaway while being treated to a one-of-a-kind dinner. The progressive dinner is available only to Historic Inns of Rockland guests and must be reserved ten days in advance with the inn where you wish to stay.

Historic Inns of Rockland are four premier inns all located with an easy stroll of downtown Rockland. Known for their penchant toward the finest in hospitality, culinary gusto and community-driven events and packages, a stay at any of the four including Granite Inn, LimeRock Inn, Berry Manor Inn and Captain Lindsey House will assure the perfect getaway. For more information, visit www.HistoricInnsOfRockland.com or call 1-877-ROC-INNS (877-762-4667).

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