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15 Best Places to Travel in July



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July is the height of the summer vacation season, and if you're thinking of getting away for a bit, we have some ideas for you. Whether you want to be part of the crowd in Paris or prefer an out-of-the-way destination, we've got you covered. With our research and experience, along with suggestions from local experts, we've rounded up the best places to travel this July in the United States and around the world.

Newport, Rhode Island

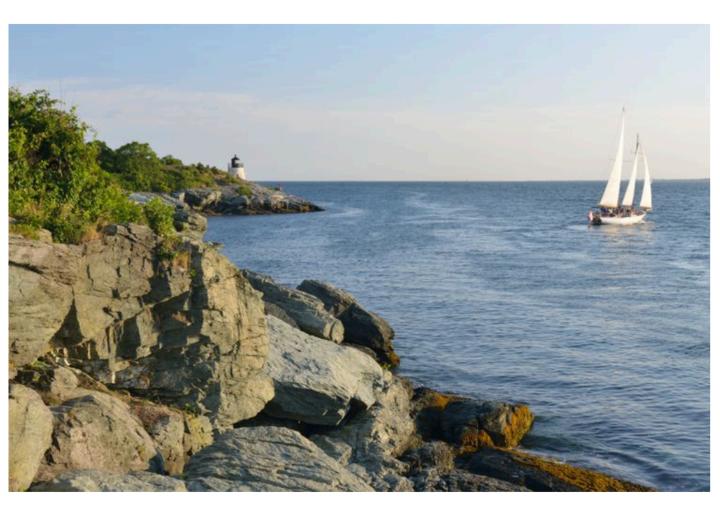


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With opulent Gilded Age mansions and beautiful beaches, Newport is a lovely summer destination. Visitors and residents alike stroll along the scenic Cliff Walk, bike along Ocean Drive, browse farmers markets, and picnic on the beach. Every Saturday throughout the summer, visitors can watch exciting polo matches with competitors from around the world, and tennis fans will want to catch the annual International Hall of Fame Open from July 14-21. The

Newport Classical Music Festival is set for July 4-21. "July is truly the perfect time to visit and explore Newport," according to Rafael Pazzini, general manager at The Vanderbilt. "For a quintessential Newport day, I would recommend experiencing the historic mansions and enjoying fresh seafood at one of Newport's many waterfront restaurants."

Where to Stay: The Vanderbilt, Auberge Resorts Collection, an elegant 33-room luxury resort located in downtown Newport, offers a spa, fitness center, and indoor and outdoor pools. Opened in 2023, Gardiner House, a 21-room boutique waterfront hotel, features views of Newport Harbor.