

The John Carver Inn & Spa's Pilgrim Cove Indoor Theme Pool Named a 2014 "Best of New England – Editors Choice" Winner by *Yankee Magazine*

Plymouth, MA, (April, 2014) The Pilgrim Cove Indoor Theme Pool at the award-winning John Carver Inn & Spa has been recognized as a 2014 "Editors' Choice" winner in *Yankee Magazine's Travel Guide to New England*, on newsstands now. This designation is awarded by *Yankee's* editors and contributors who name select restaurants, lodgings, and attractions in New England to the exclusive list. For 38 years, *Yankee Magazine's Travel Guide to New England* has been the most widely distributed and best-selling guide to the six-state region, providing readers with a comprehensive vacation-planning tool and daily reference.

Located in the heart of Historic Plymouth, the John Carver Inn & Spa boasts Colonial charm and hospitality combined with contemporary comforts and conveniences. The hotel features 80 spacious rooms and luxury suites, including 6 elegant fireplace suites with oversized Jacuzzis. The exclusive Pilgrim Cove Indoor Theme Pool features lap lanes and a life-size replica of the *Mayflower*. A giant, 80' water slide winds through the historic ship and passes by a refreshing waterfall. A large island Jacuzzi is set in a replica of Plymouth Rock and is accessible by a bridge over the splashing waterfalls below. Recently the John Carver Inn opened the WaterFire Fountain Tavern, a unique circular granite bar constructed around the one-of-a-kind "WaterFire Fountain". The Inn is just a short walk to all attractions.

The John Carver Inn & Spa has been awarded multiple industry awards including, the Silver Level by The TripAdvisor GreenLeaders Program which recognizes hotels that engage in environmentally friendly practices. According to CEO, Bill Catania, "We are honored to be chosen for this prestigious award. The John Carver Inn & Spa, takes pride in knowing that the Pilgrim Cove Indoor Theme Pool is being recognized for its' outstanding features. We have always tried hard to create a fun experience for our guests and Pilgrim Cove Pool is a great example of that."

"Reading our annual special *Travel Guide* Section, 'Best of New England,' is as close to sitting down with *Yankee's* editors and getting us to spill our favorite places as one can get," says Mel Allen, editor of *Yankee Magazine*. "New England is where we live, and we all have our own personal 'best' places.

Yankee Magazine's May/June 2014 *Travel Guide* features more than 300 "Best of New England - Editors' Choice" winners.