



Tour Brochure

May 2025 edition



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with us!**

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Front cover photo: Great Ocean Road

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Valerie



Lynette



Ian



Jovana



Abby



Pam

Welcome

Hello everyone, 2025 has started with a frenzy of bookings and we continue to be busy planning future tours. We have been operating out of Innovation House at Mawson Lakes for 18 months now and it has been a huge success and a good move for us, however there have been a few changes since my last update.

Unfortunately for health reasons Ronda has had to retire. We are extremely sad to see her go after 11 years of hosting tours and she did a magnificent job. I know how much she loved doing this and so I know the decision was not made lightly. The one upside is that she will now have extra time to spend with her grandchildren which she so loves to do.

On a different note, my daughter Abby has joined the team, officially starting at the beginning of February, returning to the workforce after having little Thomas in March last year. Her many years working in customer service, both in retail and the disability sector, plus time spent working as a secretary in both the legal profession and real estate will be of great value, along with her organizational skills in the office and preparing for tours. She will be working in the office three days a week assisting Jovana who works four days a week. She and Jovana are sister-in-law's and friends and work very well together. Jovana is also such an organized person and is invaluable with her computer skills and ability to help me with the bookings and research for tours. She has a genuine love of the tourism industry. Pam has been kind enough to be our emergency office back up on days when needed, so I think we have a great team in the office. We have now added Lynette to the team as a tour hostess and she has accompanied me on a few tours to learn the ropes and see how we do it. She has a wealth of knowledge in dealing with people within the medical research funding sector and has amazing people skills and I know you will all warm to her with her organization skills and beautiful personality. We have been friends for many years. Also Ian has joined the hosting team. Many of you have met him when he was a tour driver for Kanga and he now does tour hosting both for us and for Guides Australia, and has a vast amount of information and knowledge to pass on to you on your travels.

Recapping the last six months, we had the most lovely tour to the Grampians in November and it was so sad to see the bushfire devastation to the area only a month later. We will return soon and support the local community again. They were truly such lovely people and scenery was just beautiful. Our first Avalon Airshow tour sold out very fast and many people have expressed their interest in either returning in 2027 or going for the first time. (it's a biannual event). Because the Airshow and the Melbourne Flower Show are exactly the same time each year we will alternate these tours, so next March it will be back to the Melbourne Flower show again.

New Years Eve at Portland was a fun time and was fully booked six months in advance. This year we are spending New Years Eve at Mildura cruising the Murray and watching the fireworks from our boat. We've also added a brand new tour, the Tesselaar Tulip Festival and Victorian Gardens. This will be a spectacular sight for the visionary senses. We have brought back the iconic Great Ocean Road tour, which is always popular and in June we are off on our biggest tour ever, to Longreach in Queensland. Probably one of our fastest selling tours, with a waiting list ready for the next one same time next year. I'll tell you all about it in our next brochure.

On a personal note Rex and I are going to spend sixteen days in Broome and Kimberley's in July. It's probably the last part of Australia I haven't been to and it has been on the bucket list for many years. Unfortunately, it's also by far the most expensive part of Australia to travel, which is probably why it's taken this long to get around to going.

Enjoy the rest of the year travelling our beautiful state and country which really has it all.

Kind regards,

Valerie, Rex, Jovana, Abby, Lynette, Pam & Ian

Wednesday 13th August - Birdwood Motor Museum



Highlights of the tour:

Take a step back in time and visit the international centre for the collection, research, preservation, education and display of Australia road transport history. Opened in 1965 it is the destination for the iconic Bay to Birdwood, the largest continually staged vehicle run of its kind in the world. Take a good look around the museum and its many collections before heading to the Gum Hotel in Gumeracha for a two course lunch.

Tour includes:

- ★ Morning tea at Birdwood Motor Museum Carpark
- ★ Entry to Birdwood Motor Museum
- ★ Two course lunch at the Gum Hotel in Gumeracha
- ★ Fully escorted with a tour host

Details:

- ★ Depart Bus Stop 42 Beovich Rd Ingle Farm at 8:45 am
- ★ Depart Adelaide Convention Centre, North Tce. at 9:30 am
- ★ Arrive back at Adelaide Convention Centre at approx. 3:30pm
- ★ Arrive back at Bus Stop 42 Beovich Rd at approx. 4:15 pm

Cost: \$ 147 per person

Thursday 4th September - Follow the Fleurieu Beaches

Highlights of the tour:

Experience the Fleurieu beaches today. Our first stop will be Aldinga Beach, a popular destination for surfers and swimmers, with morning tea to follow. Next we will make our way to Carrickalinga admired for it's walking, running and fishing activities. On arrival at the seaside town of Normanville you will have time to purchase your lunch and explore some local little shops. After lunch we will drive to the beach and take a moment to appreciate the lovely view. On our way back, we will stop in at Sellicks and Maslin Beach, ensuring a calm and scenic day out.



Tour includes:

- ★ Please note - Lunch at own expense today
- ★ Morning tea at Aldinga
- ★ Visit to Fleurieu Peninsula beaches
- ★ Fully escorted with a tour host

Details:

- ★ Depart Bus Stop 42 Beovich Rd Ingle Farm at 9:00 am
- ★ Depart Adelaide Convention Centre, North Tce. at 9:45 am
- ★ Arrive back at Adelaide Convention Centre at approx. 3:45 pm
- ★ Arrive back at Bus Stop 42 Beovich Rd at approx. 4:30 pm

Cost: \$ 110 per person

Thursday 25th September - Monarto Safari Park

Highlights of the tour:

One of our ever popular tours is the Monarto Safari Park tour. Enjoy your day as we ride on our bus taking you through large open exhibits. View animals such as giraffes, white & black rhinos, cheetah and lions. This will hopefully be your opportunity to see the new additions to the Park, "Burma" and her friend "Permai" interact together in their new home. Have a bit of time to look around in their safari shop. Enjoy a two course lunch at the Murray Bridge Club, before returning home. Book your seat early to avoid missing out. This will be the last Monarto Park tour for the year.



Tour includes:

- ★ Morning tea at Monarto Safari Park carpark
- ★ Entry and bus tour in Monarto Safari Park
- ★ Lunch at the Murray Bridge Club
- ★ Fully escorted with a tour host

Details:

- ★ Depart Bus Stop 42 Beovich Rd Ingle Farm at 8:15 am
- ★ Depart Adelaide Convention Centre, North Tce. at 9:00 am
- ★ Arrive back at Adelaide Convention Centre at approx. 4:15 pm
- ★ Arrive back at Bus Stop 42 Beovich Rd at approx. 5:00 pm

Cost: \$ 159 per person



Thursday 16th October - Graeme Hugo Show

Highlights of the tour:

Join us for a full day at Sunnyvale and be entertained by Graeme Hugo, who began his music career back in 1972 and has continued with his country music show over 36 years. Graeme has performed at places such as Sydney Opera House, Homebush and various clubs around Sydney many times. Enjoy morning tea when we arrive and then into the church hall for our concert. This will be followed by a two-course lunch before returning to Adelaide.



Tour includes:

- ★ Morning Tea at Sunnyvale
- ★ Lunch at venue
- ★ Graeme Hugo floor show
- ★ Fully escorted with a tour host

Details:

- ★ Depart Bus Stop 42 Beovich Rd Ingle Farm at 8:00 am
- ★ Depart Adelaide Convention Centre, North Tce. at 8:45 am
- ★ Arrive back at Adelaide Convention Centre at approx. 4:45 pm
- ★ Arrive back at Bus Stop 42 Beovich Rd at approx. 5:30 pm

Cost: \$ 159 per person

Tuesday 4th November – Melbourne Cup Day



Highlights of the tour:

Join in the fun! Melbourne Cup is an annual race that “Stops the Nation” at Flemington Racecourse. It’s a 3,200m race for 3 year olds and over, conducted by the Victorian racing club, forming part of the spring racing carnival. Don’t forget to wear your fancy hat, enjoy a 3-course meal and have a fun day out. You may just get lucky and win the sweep!

Tour includes:

- ★ Morning Tea at Meadows
- ★ 3-course lunch at Middleton Tavern
- ★ Melbourne Cup entertainment and Sweep.
- ★ Fully escorted with a tour host

Details:

- ★ Depart Bus Stop 42 Beovich Rd Ingle Farm at 9:15 am
- ★ Depart Adelaide Convention Centre, North Tce. at 10:00 am
- ★ Arrive back at Adelaide Convention Centre at approx. 4:45 pm
- ★ Arrive back at Bus Stop 42 Beovich Rd at approx. 5:30 pm

Cost: \$ 149 per person

Friday 28th November - Lyndoch Lavender Farm

Highlights of the tour:

This is your opportunity to visit a working lavender farm in beautiful rural surroundings. Stroll through more than 2 hectares of lavender at the multi-award winning Lyndoch Lavender Farm. Touch and smell the currently flowering varieties of lavender from the more than 70 different varieties that flower at various times of the year. Be treated to a Devonshire morning tea which will include a lavender scone. Travel to the main street of Gawler with time to wander and buy your own lunch. We will stop at Virgara fruit & veg on the way home.



Tour includes:

- ★ Please note - Lunch at your own expense today
- ★ Devonshire Tea at the Lavender farm
- ★ Self guided tour of Lavender farm
- ★ Fully escorted with a tour host

Details:

- ★ Depart Bus Stop 42 Beovich Rd Ingle Farm at 8:15 am
- ★ Depart Adelaide Convention Centre, North Tce. at 9:00 am
- ★ Arrive back at Adelaide Convention Centre at approx. 3:00 pm
- ★ Arrive back at Bus Stop 42 Beovich Rd at approx. 3:45 pm

Cost: \$ 117 per person

Tuesday 16th December Lobethal Lights

Highlights of the tour:

Join us for a drive to the Adelaide Hills tonight starting with a delicious two course dinner. Once we finish we will continue the evening by heading to the iconic South Australian town of Lobethal, where the Christmas spirit comes alive every year. As we wait for the sun to set, we park in the main street and give you free time to check out the Christmas stalls in the Town Hall and the various food trucks along the street, just in case you're feeling a bit peckish. It's then time to hop back on the bus and see the iconic and colourful lights from the comfort of your seat in the bus. Enjoy the night time drive back home to the city.



Tour includes:

- ★ Two course dinner in the Adelaide Hills
- ★ Free time to visit Christmas Stalls
- ★ Bus tour of Christmas light displays
- ★ Fully escorted with a tour host

Details:

- ★ Depart Bus Stop 42 Beovich Rd Ingle Farm. at 4:15 pm
- ★ Depart Adelaide Convention Centre, North Tce. at 5:00 pm
- ★ Arrive back at Adelaide Convention Centre at approx. 10:45 pm
- ★ Arrive back at Bus Stop 42 Beovich Rd at approx. 11:30 pm

Cost: \$ 137 per person

Friday 19th December - Cherry Trail #1

Highlights of the tour:

We are excited to once again offer our cherry trail tours with old favourites and new places to visit on this day. We will be paying a visit to the Hahndorf Fruit & Veg Market where you can purchase anything from fruit & cold meats to freshly baked bread and a range of other treats. Enjoy a Devonshire morning tea at the lovely Summit Café at Mt Lofty and take in the beautiful views of Adelaide. Your lunch will be in the Adelaide hills before heading to Torrens Valley Cherries to purchase your sweet, delicious cherries before making your way home.

Tour includes:

- ★ Devonshire Morning tea at the Summit Café Mt Lofty
- ★ Visit to Hahndorf Fruit & Veg Barn
- ★ Lunch in the Adelaide Hills
- ★ Fully escorted with a tour host

Details:

- ★ Depart Bus Stop 42 Beovich Rd Ingle Farm. at 8:30 am
- ★ Depart Adelaide Convention Centre, North Tce. at 9:15 am
- ★ Arrive back at Adelaide Convention Centre at approx. 4:00 pm
- ★ Arrive back at Bus Stop 42 Beovich Rd at approx. 4:45 pm

Cost: \$135 per person



Monday 22nd December - Cherry Trail #2



Highlights of the tour:

We are excited to once again offer our cherry trail tours with old favourites and new places to visit on this day. We will be paying a visit to the Hahndorf Fruit & Veg Market where you can purchase anything from fruit & cold meats to freshly baked bread and a range of other treats. Enjoy a Devonshire morning tea at the lovely Summit Café at Mt Lofty and take in the beautiful views of Adelaide. Your lunch will be in the Adelaide hills before heading to Torrens Valley Cherries to purchase your sweet, delicious cherries before making your way home.

Tour includes:

- ★ Devonshire Morning tea at the Summit Café Mt Lofty
- ★ Visit to Hahndorf Fruit & Veg Barn
- ★ Lunch in the Adelaide Hills
- ★ Fully escorted with a tour host

Details:

- ★ Depart Bus Stop 42 Beovich Rd Ingle Farm. at 8:30 am
- ★ Depart Adelaide Convention Centre, North Tce. at 9:15 am
- ★ Arrive back at Adelaide Convention Centre at approx. 4:00 pm
- ★ Arrive back at Bus Stop 42 Beovich Rd at approx. 4:45 pm

Cost: \$135 per person

Monday 16th February – Laura & Golden Nth Icecream Experience



Highlights of the tour:

Enjoy a beautiful day out in the Mid North of SA, firstly stopping at Balaklava for morning tea. Visit Laura, home of one of the icons of South Australia by joining in the “Deluxe Golden North Experience” where you will get to taste 5 different flavours of Ice cream that is still made today at Laura, plus enjoy either a Golden North Sundae or waffle cone. But wait there’s more, you will get to hear the history of Golden North and have a coffee or hot chocolate as well. A fun and informative day out.

Tour includes:

- ★ Morning tea at Balaklava
- ★ Talk and tasting of Golden North Ice cream
- ★ Lunch at the North Laura Hotel
- ★ Fully escorted with a tour host

Details:

- ★ Depart Bus Stop 42 Beovich Rd Ingle Farm at 8:15am
- ★ Depart Adelaide Convention Centre, North Tce. at 9:00 am
- ★ Arrive back at Adelaide Convention Centre at approx. 5.00 pm
- ★ Arrive back at Bus Stop 42 Beovich Rd at approx. 5.45 pm

Cost: \$ 149 per person

Friday 13th March - Be a Kid Again (incl Popeye & the beach)



Highlights of the tour:

Go back to your “younger days” when you did things just for fun!. Today you will have a yummy Devonshire morning tea cruise on Popeye as you cruise along the River Torrens, with commentary by your captain on the history of the area. You will then travel on for a main course lunch at Semaphore before your final treat of ice cream in a cone on the beach at Largs Bay. Let it melt and run down your hand... remember you are a kid again for today.

Tour includes:

- ★ Devonshire morning tea on Popeye
- ★ Cruise on Popeye
- ★ Lunch at Semaphore and ice cream on the beach
- ★ Fully escorted with a tour host

Details:

- ★ Depart Bus Stop 42 Beovich Rd Ingle Farm at 8:30 am
- ★ Depart Adelaide Convention Centre, North Tce. at 9:15 am
- ★ Arrive back at Adelaide Convention Centre at approx. 3:15 pm
- ★ Arrive back at Bus Stop 42 Beovich Rd at approx. 4:00 pm

Cost: \$ 154 per person

Thursday 16th April - Adelaide Hills Autumn Leaves

Highlights of the tour:

The Hills are stunning at this time of year. Join us as we head to The Summit Café located on top of Adelaide’s highest peak. Enjoy a Devonshire morning tea and have an opportunity to take a photo with Adelaide city as your backdrop. Continue to the picturesque Mt Lofty Botanic Gardens where the autumn colours will leave you mesmerised. Visit the town of Stirling and admire the streets lined with elm, oak and chestnut trees whose leaves are a fiery red and orange colour at this time of year. Have time to purchase your lunch and to visit the little shops in this town.



Tour includes:

- ★ Please note—Lunch at own expense today
- ★ Devonshire Morning Tea at The Summit Café
- ★ Visit to Mt Lofty Botanic Gardens
- ★ Visit Stirling to purchase your lunch and have free time to wander
- ★ Fully escorted with a tour host

Details:

- ★ Depart Bus Stop 42 Beovich Rd Ingle Farm at 8:45am
- ★ Depart Adelaide Convention Centre, North Tce. at 9:30 am
- ★ Arrive back at Adelaide Convention Centre at approx. 3:30pm
- ★ Arrive back at Bus Stop 42 Beovich Rd at approx. 4:15 pm

Cost: \$ 120 per person

EXTENDED TOURS

Broken Hill, Silverton & Menindee Lakes

Monday 18th to Friday 22nd August 2025 - 5 Days

Accommodation: Broken Hill, Peterborough

Highlights of the tour:

- ★ Come exploring South Australia's outback and visit Broken Hill, Australia's first "Heritage Listed City". It's isolation in a compellingly beautiful, rugged harsh terrain means locals have been resilient and just made things happen.
- ★ On the way we will make a brief stop at historic Terowie, once SA's busiest railway town.
- ★ Arrive at Broken Hill and start to see just how much it has to offer tourists, with a local guide to show us around.
- ★ We will take in sunset at the Living Desert Sculptures, Line of Lode Miners Memorial and the Palace Hotel, made famous in Pricilla Queen of the Desert.
- ★ Spend time exploring Silverton, a town born out of the discovery of silver and lead deposits. Here you will find home of the Mad Max Museum and iconic Silverton Hotel. While there, we will check out the Mundi Mundi Plains, seen in so many Australian made movies.
- ★ Two other must see things are the Sulphide Street Railway and Historical Museum and the Silver City Mint & Art Centre, Home of the "Big Picture" the Worlds Largest Acrylic Painting on Canvas.
- ★ No visit would be complete without time spent at the wonderful life saving "Royal Flying Doctor Service".
- ★ We will make a half day journey to Lake Menindee, crossing the Darling River to get there. A photographer's paradise, especially with the Queensland floodwaters making their way down and into the lake, attracting so much extra birdlife.
- ★ On our last night out be treated to the amazing Sound & Light show at Peterborough, which explains the towns important railway heritage.
- ★ Morning tea provided on Day 1
- ★ Fully cooked breakfast on Day 2, 3, 4 and 5
- ★ Lunch provided on Day 1, 2, and 5
- ★ Enjoy a two course dinner on Day. 1, 2, 3 and 4
- ★ Entrance to attractions and museums listed
- ★ Fully escorted with a tour host

COMPLIMENTARY HOME PICK UP AND RETURN TO SELECTED SUBURBS

Twin/Double Share: \$ 1,997 per person

Single Supplement: \$ 345 for 4 nights



EXTENDED TOURS

Tesselaar Tulip Festival & Victorian Gardens

Wednesday 17th to Sunday 21st September 2025 - 5 Days

Accommodation: Halls Gap, Dingley Village, Bendigo

Highlights of the tour:

- ★ Enjoy morning tea in the park at Tailem Bend. After morning tea view the “Uneek Animals”, a creation of more than forty tin animals in Tailem Bend.
- ★ Have a light lunch at Morning Loaf Bakery at Bordertown.
- ★ Make sure you see the “Land rover on a pole” as you leave Keith.
- ★ Board the coach for the short drive to Lake Bellfield, near Halls Gap. It's an artificial lake that started as water storage for local residences and farmer in the early sixties and is now a popular recreation area.
- ★ Continue to Lake Wendouree and the Ballarat Botanic Gardens, which were established in 1958 and are one of the oldest Botanical Gardens in Victoria. Enjoy a light lunch in the gardens.
- ★ Travel to Werribee Park Mansion, one of the largest and most opulent properties in Victoria and see how the gentry lived in 1877. After the guided tour explore the formal gardens, intricately designed grotto and ornamental lake before wandering through the Victoria Stare Rose Garden.
- ★ Visit the magnificent Tesselaar Tulip Festival. Experience a kaleidoscope of colour with more than a million bulbs, live entertainment and delicious food. Have time to wander this working farm in the Dandenong Ranges, listen to the Dutch organ, see the world's largest Clog and purchase some lunch at the food court.
- ★ We will drive north to Broadford via Yarra Glen, Kinglake and Whittlesea.
- ★ Drive through the picturesque Dandenong Ranges to Cloudehill Garden and Nursery. Explore this amazing garden made of twenty five individual styles of gardens.
- ★ Visit the town of Olinda in the Dandenong Ranges where you will have free time to wander and buy your own lunch. Make sure you visit the Sassafras Sweet Co. and the many quaint gift shops in the mains street.
- ★ Explore McClelland Sculpture Park and Gallery with more than 100 sculptures.
- ★ On the way home stop at Kaniva and see the beautiful painted silo completed in 2020 depicting the local flora and birds of the nearby Little National Desert.
- ★ Our last two stops are Coonalpyn and Tailem Bend as we make our final journey back to Mawson Lakes where your transport will return you to your homes after five days of a colourful feast for your senses.
- ★ Morning tea provided on Day 1.
- ★ Cooked or continental breakfast on Days 2, 3, 4 and 5
- ★ Lunch on Day 1, 2 and 5
- ★ Two course dinner on Days 1, 2, 3 and 4
- ★ Entrance to attractions and museums listed
- ★ Fully escorted with a tour host



COMPLIMENTARY HOME PICK UP AND RETURN TO SELECTED SUBURBS

Twin/Double Share: \$ 1,987 per person

Single Supplement: \$ 315 for 4 nights

EXTENDED TOURS

Pichi Richi, Marree & Flinders Ranges

Saturday 27th September to Wednesday 1st October 2025 - 5 Days

Accommodation: Quorn, Leigh Creek, Peterborough

Highlights of the tour:

- ★ Embark on your outback adventure heading north. Our first comfort stop will be Balaklava including morning tea.
- ★ Travelling onwards we arrive at Laura for lunch, which of course will include a local Golden North Giant Twin ice cream.
- ★ Travel to Quorn, home of the Pichi Richi Railway to be treated to a ride on the iconic railway. Travel from Quorn to Woolshed Flat and return, passing by scenic landscape and stopping at Woolshed Flat whilst the train turns around. You may purchase light refreshments here, but it is cash only.
- ★ Make a stop at Kanyaka Ruins, formally a cattle & sheep station in the Flinders Ranges, established in 1852 by Hugh Proby after he emigrated to South Australia in 1851 from Lincolnshire in England.
- ★ Visit the amazing Jeff Morgan Gallery and see the incredible display's housed across several large enclosure's which include the painted panoramas, one of which is the Wilpena Panorama, 3.5 m high & 33 m in circumference and taking 4,000 hours to complete.
- ★ Stop in Marree which was home of Australia's first Mosque, which was made of mud brick and built by the cameleers employed at Marree's inception.
- ★ Travel onto Beltana Town & Homestead, a town that began in the 1870's with the advent of copper mining, the construction of the Overland Telegraph Line and The Ghan railway.
- ★ Cross into the Flinders Ranges with our first stop at Blinman, named after Robert Blinman, a local shepherd and nicknamed Peg Leg, as he only had one leg
- ★ Stop at Stokes Hill Lookout for an amazing panoramic view of Flinders Ranges & Wilpena Pound. See the 3D model of the area.
- ★ Arrive at Peterborough check into the Roundhouse Motel and have an early dinner thus enabling us to see the "Sound & Light Show" at Steamtown at night.
- ★ Visit Hallett and the restored home of Sir Hubert Wilkins and his family, who was an Australian polar explorer, ornithologist, pilot, soldier, geographer and photographer.
- ★ This tour will allow you to see the vast outback of beautiful South Australia and you will have ridden on the iconic Pichi Richi train as well.
- ★ Morning tea provided on Day 1
- ★ Cooked or continental breakfast on Day 2, 3, 4 and 5
- ★ Lunch provided on Days 1, 3 and 5
- ★ Enjoy a two course dinner on Day 1, 2, 3 and 4
- ★ Entrance to attractions and museums listed
- ★ Fully escorted with a tour host

COMPLIMENTARY HOME PICK UP AND RETURN TO SELECTED SUBURBS

Twin/Double Share: \$ 1,997 per person

Single Supplement: \$ 196 for 4 nights



EXTENDED TOURS

Great Ocean Road & Werribee Zoo

Monday 10th to Saturday 15th November 2025 - 6 Days

Accommodation: Portland, Apollo Bay, Geelong, Ballarat, Horsham

Highlights of the tour:

- ★ 3 Iconic places in one tour: Stunning scenery on the Great Ocean Road, Werribee Open Plains Zoo and historic Sovereign Hill.
- ★ Travel through the South East of our state and the iconic Great Ocean Road, through towns such as Portland (our first night's accommodation), Warrnambool, Port Fairy and Port Campbell, stopping to see the Twelve Apostles. Then through the Great Otway National Park before arriving at Apollo Bay, for our second night.
- ★ Continue along the coast passing through Lorne, Aireys Inlet, Anglesea, Torquay and the historic seaside village of Queenscliff on the Bellarine Peninsula. Take time to stroll before a brief tour of the historic buildings. We now drive to Geelong visiting the Wharf area with it's Antique Carousel and Bollard Walk and see the sights of Geelong.
- ★ We start a new day with a tour of the African themed Werribee Open Plains Zoo with a 45 minute bus tour included.
- ★ Travel on to historical Ballarat where gold was discovered sparking the Victorian gold rush. Tour the city sights with its beautiful old buildings before checking into our motel to get ready for dinner and to see the brand new night time show called "Aura", telling the story of the gold rush and Eureka uprising.
- ★ We will spend time at the award winning historic Sovereign Hill, Ballarat, a trip back in time and a highlight for young and old. Later that day we continue on to Horsham for the night via Ararat, Beaufort and Stawell.
- ★ Our last day gives us a chance to see Nhill and Kaniva before crossing the border just before Bordertown and then make our way back to Adelaide.
- ★ Morning tea on Day 1
- ★ Cooked or continental breakfast on Day 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6
- ★ Lunch provided on Day 1, 2 and 6
- ★ Two course dinner on Day 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5
- ★ Entrance to attractions and museums listed
- ★ Fully escorted with a tour host



COMPLIMENTARY HOME PICK UP AND RETURN TO SELECTED SUBURBS

Twin/Double Share: \$ 2,397 per person

Single Supplement: \$ 435 for 5 nights

EXTENDED TOURS

New Year's Eve - Mildura

Tuesday 30th December 2024 to Friday 2nd January 2026

Highlights of the tour:

**SORRY, THIS TOUR
IS FULLY BOOKED**



Proposed Extended Tours for 2026

The following tours are being planned for the rest of 2026 and hopefully accommodation and attractions can be secured. If you are interested in any of these please call our office and register your interest, we will forward you further details when they are finalised:

Bright Autumn Festival (6 days) early May

Victorian Silo's and Echuca (5 days) end of May

Longreach and Outback Queensland (16 days) June

Giant Cuttle fish (3 days) early July

Whale Watching and Eyre Peninsula (7 days) early August

Canberra Floriade (7 days) late September

Arkaroola and the Flinders Ranges (5 days) early October

Tasmania (14 days) late October

New Years Eve (4 days) Mt Gambier

(Dates to be advised when further information becomes available)

EXTENDED TOURS

Warrnambool and Hamilton Victoria

Tuesday 24th to Friday 27th February 2026 - 4 Days

Accommodation: Innova Motel

Highlights of the tour:

- ★ Travel to Warrnambool via the picturesque South East stopping for lunch at Morning Loaf Bakery, Bordertown and then on through western Victoria.
- ★ Visit the Flagstaff Hill Maritime Village laid out like an 1870's period village with costumed tradesmen and workers. This museum houses a large collection of items from shipwrecks including a Minton peacock salvaged from the wreck of the Loch Ard.
- ★ Then at night the Sound & Light show "Tales of the Shipwreck coast" tells of those seeking a better life in Australia and how they braved the perils of the Southern Ocean
- ★ Just off the coast is Middle Island, home to a small colony of Little Penguins, made famous by the 2015 movie Oddball, based on a true story of the struggle to protect the Penguin colony and the Maremma sheepdog who helped protect them from the foxes.
- ★ Go to Cheeseworld at Allansford to taste and maybe purchase some of their amazing cheeses.
- ★ See the old Fletcher Jones & Sons Factory site which now houses the Fletcher Jones Market.
- ★ Travel to Hamilton and wander the Botanic Gardens
- ★ Visit the Sir Reg Ansett Museum at Hamilton, based in the Ansett' Company's original aircraft hangar, with over 1,000 objects relating to the Ansett empire from humble road beginnings to air transport.
- ★ Stop off at Tower Hill Lookout for a beautiful panorama of the area and maybe see some of Australia's best loved wildlife.
- ★ Call into the Kelpie Centre at Casterton, birthplace of the Kelpie working dog. The annual Casterton Kelpie Festival is held each year now.
- ★ Lunch at Naracoorte on your way home.
- ★ Morning tea provided on Day 1
- ★ Fully cooked or continental breakfast on Days 2, 3 and 4
- ★ Lunch on Days 1 and 4
- ★ Two course dinner on Days 1, 2 and 3
- ★ Entrance to attractions and museums listed
- ★ Fully escorted with a tour host



COMPLIMENTARY HOME PICK UP AND RETURN TO SELECTED SUBURBS

Twin/Double Share: \$ 1,697 per person

Single Supplement: \$ 254 for 3 nights

EXTENDED TOURS

Melbourne Flower Show

End of March 2026 - 6 Days (date to be confirmed)

Accommodation: Bendigo, Dingley Village, Horsham

Highlights of the tour:

Please register your interest and we will send you the information as soon as the correct dates have been officially released.

- ★ 6 Day tour of iconic Victorian places and of course the Flower Show
- ★ Morning Tea at Taillem Bend and lunch stop at Morning Loaf Bakery at Bordertown on first day.
- ★ Head to the beautiful Victorian Mornington Peninsula coastline, passing the Iconic "Bathing Boxes" at Mount Martha and finally arriving at Arthur's Seat. Have the option of ascending to the highest viewpoint on the peninsula in a state of the art gondola, or for those not keen on heights, make your way to the top in the comfort of the coach.
- ★ Enjoy the views as we take the Flinders Hinterland Scenic Drive stopping for ice cream along the way.
- ★ Visit Cruden Farm, home and special place left by the late Dame Elizabeth Murdoch "for people to enjoy". Take a stroll through one of the many gardens.
- ★ Head to Phillip Island where we will spend the day touring this island sanctuary, taking in the captivating coastline, unique wildlife and of course the little penguins. We will also visit places such as the National Vietnam Veterans Museum where we will be having lunch and also stopping at Phillip Island Racetrack.
- ★ See the world-famous penguin parade. You will get to watch these cute little birds emerge from the water and waddle across the sand and into their burrows in the dunes.
- ★ Travel to the Dandenong Ranges. Board the historic steam train Puffing Billy and take a seat in an open-sided carriage to enjoy your journey, travelling through the magnificent Dandenong Ranges.
- ★ Whilst still in the Dandenong Ranges we visit the seasonal Blue Lotus Water Garden covering 14 acres with it's stunning giant water lilies, lakes and exotic flowers.
- ★ Visit the Melbourne Flower Show. Spend the day here and wander through the Royal Exhibition Building, full of flower displays. Experience masterclasses with floral designers and meet exhibitors and industry experts. A must for seasoned and novice gardeners.
- ★ See the beautiful painted silos at Goroke and Kaniva on the way back to Adelaide.
- ★ Morning tea provided on Day 1
- ★ Cooked or continental breakfast on Days 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6
- ★ Lunch on Days 1,3 and 6
- ★ Afternoon tea on Day 4
- ★ Two course dinner on Days 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5
- ★ Entrance to attractions listed
- ★ Fully escorted with a tour host

COMPLIMENTARY HOME PICK UP AND RETURN TO SELECTED SUBURBS

Twin/Double Share: \$ 2,493 per person

Single Supplement: \$ 435 for 5 nights



EXTENDED TOURS

Lakes Entrance & Beechworth

Saturday 18th to Friday 24th April 2026 - 7 Days

Accommodation: Horsham, Sale, Lakes Entrance, Beechworth, Swan Hill

Highlights of the tour:

- ★ Leave Adelaide behind on this 7 day adventure. After morning tea at Tailm Bend and lunch at Bordertown, we cross into western Victoria and visit the Heritage listed Stick Shed at Murtoa, built as a massive grain storage facility in the 1940's .
- ★ Travel on through Ballarat and Melbourne, reaching Sale for our second night out. Sale is home to the famous Roulettes.
- ★ Spend two nights at the coastal town of Lakes Entrance as we tour the sights and take a cruise with Peel Cruises starting from the harbour to Metung where we will alight and enjoy a 2 course lunch before returning via the scenic waterways.
- ★ Lakes Entrances if predominantly a fishing and tourism town, 320kms east of Melbourne, near a managed artificial channel connecting the Gippsland Lakes to Bass Strait.
- ★ Visit the Griffith Sea Shell Collection with exhibits of marine life and coral plus an aquarium.
- ★ Stay at Beechworth, famous for it's major growth in the gold rush days in the mid 1850's. It has many well preserved historical buildings and Robert O'Hara Bourke, of the ill fated Burke and Wills expedition was stationed at Beechworth as Senior Inspector of Police in the 1850's
- ★ Visit the Ned Kelly discovery hub at Glenrowan, an insight into the 1800's and the Ned Kelly gang.
- ★ Walk the streets of Rushworth, another Victorian gold mining town.
- ★ See the stunning five painted silo's at Colbinabbin
- ★ Stop at Lake Boga, where during WW II a secret airbase was located near the town. Lake Boga was a RAAF flying boat maintenance facility during the war and a PBY Catalina flying boat is on display.
- ★ Our last night will be at Swan Hill, home of the Giant Murray Cod.
- ★ Tonight we will experience the laser light show "Heartbeat of the Murray" at The Pioneer Settlement.
- ★ We will travel back home via Sea Lake, Ouyen & Murrayville with lunch at Lameroo.
- ★ Morning tea provided on Day 1
- ★ Fully cooked or continental breakfast on Days 2 - 7
- ★ Lunch on Days 1,4 and 7
- ★ Two course dinner on Days 1- 6
- ★ Entrance to attractions and museums listed
- ★ Fully escorted with a tour host

COMPLIMENTARY HOME PICK UP AND RETURN TO SELECTED SUBURBS

Twin/Double Share: \$ 2,895 per person

Single Supplement: \$ 445 for 6 nights



More information about our tours

Just an update on how to find out more about our tours.

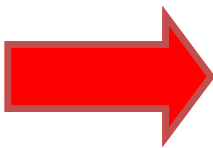
Apart from this brochure, we advertise the following ways:

- ★ Our website : eurekatours.com.au
- ★ **The Senior** magazine
- ★ The **Escape** section in the **Sunday Mail**
- ★ Facebook : facebook.com/eurekatoursadelaide

We update these publications and websites as soon as new tours become available so please visit them and you will be able to find new information before our next brochure is released.

*** Please note: if you book on any day tours and then for some reason cannot go please inform us as soon as possible as we generally have a waiting list of people wanting to go and we would like to be give those people plenty of notice if a vacancy becomes available.

Day Tour Pickup and Return locations



Bus Stop 42

Beovich Rd Ingle Farm.

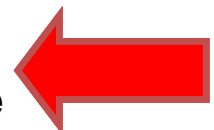
Outside the Recreation Centre

Ample car parking, sheltered seating, water fountain and shady trees to wait under.



In front of the escalators
at the

Adelaide Convention Centre
North Terrace, Adelaide



Extended Tour reminders

We would like to kindly remind our passengers booked on extended tours to please remember the following things:

- Save our contact number on your phone, so that you will know who is calling when we call you to give your pick up time. **We will not** leave pick up time as a message.
- Label all personal luggage with full name of person travelling.
- Water bottle which we can refill from our esky.
- Motion sickness medication (if needed) as there will be seat rotation each day.
- Knee rug (if needed as back of bus is cooler)
- Sunscreen / Hat / Insect Repellent / Walking Shoes



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