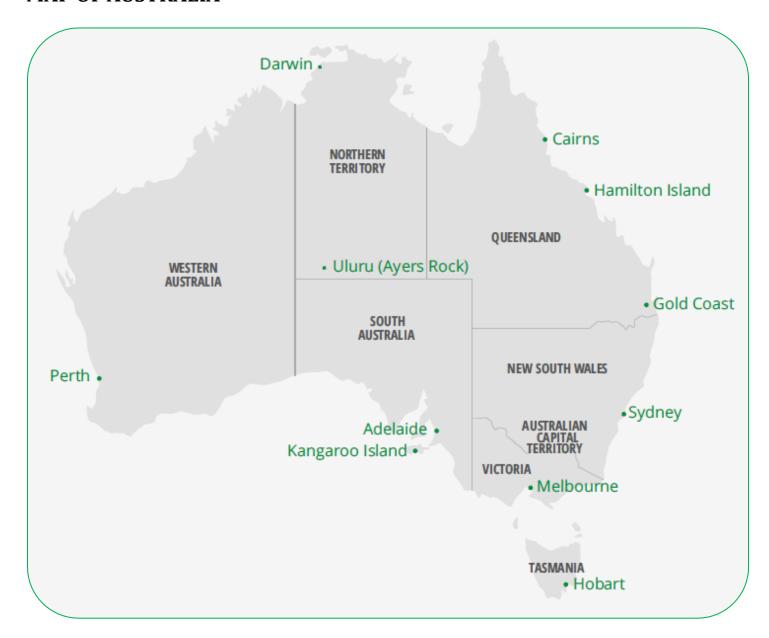
# **AUSTRALIA**

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# **MAP OF AUSTRALIA**



#### **KEY PLACES OF INTEREST**

#### SYDNEY

Sydney is one of the most colourful and vibrant cities in the world, built around a sparkling blue harbour and famous for the iconic Sydney Opera House and Sydney Harbour Bridge. Offering many activities, sightseeing, great walks and idyllic beaches.

#### THE BLUE MOUNTAINS

A 90-minute drive from Sydney offers some of the country's most dramatic scenery of deep valleys and steep cliffs covered in dense eucalyptus forest. The forest creates a magical blue haze that blankets the mountains.

#### ULURU

Also known as Ayers Rock, Uluru is a massive sandstone monolith that towers above the surrounding landscape. It is sacred to Indigenous Australians and is part of the Uluru-Kata Tjuta National Park that also includes the 36 red rock domes of the Kata Tjuta. Your clients will be dazzled by the changing colour of Uluru at sunrise and sunset.

#### **MELBOURNE**

Melbourne is stylish, vibrant & regarded as the cultural capital of Australia. A city with stately 19th-century buildings & tree-lined boulevards. Southbank is home to the Arts Centre Melbourne & The National Gallery of Victoria displaying Australian & Indigenous art. The city offers fine restaurants, opulent bars, off-the-beaten-track boutiques and a maze of hidden laneways.

#### THE GREAT OCEAN ROAD

A magnificent coastal journey along the south-eastern coast of Australia, where most of the road hugs the coastline. The road traverses rainforests, beaches, cliffs and amazing rock formations, the most notable being Loch Ard Gorge, The Grotto, London Arch (formerly London Bridge) and The Twelve Apostles.

#### **CAIRNS**

Cairns is a tropical laid-back city in Far
North Queensland considered the
gateway to the Great Barrier Reef; the
world's most beautiful & largest coral reef.
The city is home to Tjapukai Aboriginal
Cultural Park & the picturesque mountain
retreat of Kuranda Village, while a little
further northwest of the city is Daintree
National Park spanning mountainous
rainforest, gorges & beaches.

#### **ADELAIDE**

South Australia's capital with its calendar of festivals and special events has it all, including spacious boulevards, sophisticated architecture and lush gardens. Visit picturesque farmlands and charming villages in the Adelaide Hills or explore the museums, markets and historic harbour of Port Adelaide.

#### KANGAROO ISLAND

A 45-minute ferry ride from
Adelaide is a surprisingly big
secluded island of native
bushland, amazing wildlife,
endless white beaches and
towering sand dunes. 'KI' as the
locals call it has many protected
native Australian animals and is
the perfect place to see them in
their natural habitat.

### TASMANIA

The pristine serenity, the clean air, the spectacular beauty of its rugged mountains and dramatic coastline make the island of Tasmania a destination like no other in Australia

#### DARWIN

Darwin is the capital of Australia's

Northern Territory and is the gateway
to Kakadu National Park: an
unforgettable Australian experience.
This is an opportunity to immerse
yourself in one of the world's great
nature reserves, recognized for its
natural and cultural heritage.

#### HAMILTON ISLAND

Hamilton Island is nestled among the Whitsunday Islands, in the Great Barrier Reef. A mostly car-free island covered in bushland, surrounded by pristine white beaches, and a reef teeming with colourful marine life and coral. Hamilton Island is a perfect base for exploring the Great Barrier Reef and world-famous Whitehaven Beach.

## **AUSTRALIA SPECTACULAR**

#### 13 days/12 nights: Sydney - Ayers Rock - Cairns - Melbourne











#### **DAY 1**: Arrive SYDNEY

Arriving into Sydney, you'll be taken to your hotel by private transfer where you'll stay for the next 4 nights.

#### **DAY 2: SYDNEY**

Today you'll enjoy a private guided panoramic city tour of Sydney & Sydney Harbour lunch cruise. Discover this beautiful city and harbour area including - Sydney Harbour Bridge, Sydney Opera House, the historic Rocks area, the Royal Botanic Gardens, Hyde Park & Mrs Macquarie's Chair. The tour continues through the Eastern suburbs - Watsons Bay and world-famous Bondi Beach and concludes at Circular Quay where your harbour lunch cruise awaits. Enjoy a buffet lunch and visit Sydney's star attractions. The rest of the afternoon is free to relax and explore the city before returning to your hotel. *Refer to the list of Optional Activities for suggestions on what to do.* 

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch

DAY 3: BLUE MOUNTAINS

This morning, your guide will pick you up from your hotel for a full-day private tour of the Blue Mountains & Featherdale Wildlife Park. The tour includes entry to Scenic World to ride on the Scenic Railway, Skyway and Cableway. Be amazed by the beauty of this remote and lush rainforest as you experience a thrilling descent on the world's steepest railway, walk among the forest, ride the cableway and glide between cliff tops on the amazing Skyway. The tour includes lunch at a local restaurant and a visit to Featherdale Wildlife park to see some of the local animals in their natural habitat. Pick up and return transfer to your Sydney hotel is

Refer to the list of Optional Activities for suggestions on what to do.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch

#### **DAY 4: SYDNEY**

Today you will have a free day to explore Sydney. You can easily take a short bus ride out to one of the beach suburbs and enjoy a coastal walk or you might want to take one of the many optional activities on offer. In the evening you'll enjoy a 3-course dinner at 360 Bar & Dining Restaurant. Located at the top of Sydney Tower enjoy a 3-course dinner in a contemporary dark-mahogany designed revolving restaurant offering 360 - degree views of the city skyline and beyond. (Transfers to/from not included). *Meals: Breakfast, Dinner* 

#### DAY 5: SYDNEY to AYERS ROCK

Your private vehicle awaits to take you to the airport for your flight. On arrival in Ayers Rock a courtesy shuttle will take you to your hotel, your base for the next 2 nights. Enjoy an unforgettable evening eating beautifully prepared food under the sparkling outback sky at the Sounds of Silence Dinner experience. While dining in the middle of the Australian desert, you'll be dazzled by the sunset

Over Uluru.

**Inclusions:** canapes, beer, wine, non-alcoholic drinks, buffet BBQ (vegetarian available with notice), desserts, tea, coffee & port, star-talk, stargazing and return transfers to/from your Ayers Rock accommodation.

Meals: Breakfast, Dinner [Flight Sydney to Ayers Rock is not included]

# DAY 6: AYERS ROCK / ULURU

You wake early this morning and with a small tour group and your driver-guide head for the spectacular sunrise at Uluru-Kata Tjuta National Park. Watch the desert come alive as you travel through the remote landscape bound for the special viewing area to watch the sunrise while enjoying your picnic breakfast. Spend some time in the area, walk among the mighty rock walls and learn about the cultural significance of the park to the local Anangu people. Afterwards you'll return to your hotel to relax for a

few hours before your afternoon desert experience. In the afternoon, you'll return to Kata Tjuta National Park with your driverguide. On arrival walk around and among the folds of the rock as your guide explains the history and cultural significance of the area. Afterwards sip sparkling wine and enjoy light refreshments as you watch the sunset over Uluru, before returning to your hotel.

**Inclusions for both morning + afternoon tours:** fully guided tour with audio commentary in other languages available, pick up and return from your Ayers Rock accommodation. Other inclusions as stated above.

Meals: Breakfast (Picnic)

#### DAY 7: AYERS ROCK to CARINS

Take your courtesy hotel departure shuttle from your hotel to the airport. Arriving in Cairns, you'll be taken by private transfer to the hotel, where you'll stay for the next 3 nights. The afternoon is free to relax after your flight.

Meals: Breakfast [Flight Ayers Rock to Cairns is not included]

#### DAY 8: CRUISE to MICHAELMAS CAY IN THE GREAT BARRIER REEF

Set sail aboard a luxury 32 metre sailing catamaran, Ocean Spirit (English-speaking crew), to pristine Michaelmas Cay - a low-lying vegetated sand cay encircled by a beautiful reef teeming with colourful marine life. The area is also a protected sanctuary for migratory seabirds. Snorkel from the cay's shallow waters and cruise in the semi-submersible for a diver's view. Homeward bound enjoy a glass of sparkling wine.

**Inclusions:** morning & afternoon tea, buffet lunch, environmental charge, snorkel equipment, marine biologist presentations, guided nature tours of the island and bird sanctuary.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch

#### DAY 9: CARINS to KURANDA RAINFOREST VILLAGE

With a private driver-guide, you'll depart early in the morning bound for Kuranda. First stop is Tjapukai Aboriginal Cultural Park where you'll learn about Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander culture, enjoy a corroboree celebration, dance performances and a fire-making ceremony. Learn about bush food, bush medicine, hunting & weapons. Experience a didgeridoo presentation and take a boomerang and spear throwing lesson. After lunch, journey through the World Heritage-listed rainforest on the Skyrail Rainforest Cableway - a 7.5 km gondola ride over the forest canopy for panoramic views of Cairns and the glittering Coral Sea.

After a stop in the rainforest village, continue on the Kuranda Scenic Railway – an unforgettable rail journey through the village in the rainforest passing spectacular waterfalls and Barron Gorge. The tour ends at Freshwater station, where you'll be met for your return hotel transfer. Variety of languages available.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch

#### DAY 10: CARINS to MELBOURNE

Take your private departure transfer to the airport. On arrival in Melbourne a private transfer awaits to take you to your hotel, where you'll stay for the next 3 nights. This afternoon is free to unwind and explore Melbourne.

Meals: Breakfast [Flight Cairns to Melbourne is not included]

#### **DAY 11: MELBOURNE**

With a small group enjoy a guided half-day city tour of Melbourne. Visit Federation Square – a strikingly modern venue in the CBD for arts, culture and public events, the MCG (Melbourne Cricket Ground) - a world-famous sports stadium, St Patrick's Cathedral, Albert Park Lake (Formula 1) and St Kilda Beach. The day ends at Eureka Skydeck 88 where you can take in a complete 360-degree view of the city, the sports precinct, Port Phillips Bay, the beautiful Dandenong Ranges and the Yarra Valley. This afternoon is free to explore more of the city before returning to your hotel.

**Inclusions:** driver-guide (variety of languages available), hotel pick up, entry fee to Eureka Skydeck 88 (access to the Edge own cost) *Meals: Breakfast* 

#### DAY 12: MELBOURNE to THE GREAT OCEAN ROAD

This day you'll soak up the magic of the famous Great Ocean Road coastal journey with a small guided tour group. See whales, dolphins, echidnas, bandicoots and awe-inspiring scenery, stroll along the wild beaches of the coastline and stop for a coffee (own expense) at striking Split Point Lighthouse, visit Apollo Bay — a picturesque seaside town for lunch. This truly unique day is capped off by a visit to the ancient rock formation of the Twelve Apostles and Loch Ard Gorge - named after Loch Ard, a ship that got washed up in the 1800s with devastating consequences.

**Inclusions:** driver-guide (variety of languages available), free WI-FI on coach, hotel pick-up/drop-off, National Park fees, Ecocertified.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch

#### **DAY 12:** Depart MELBOURNE

After breakfast your private vehicle awaits to take you to the airport for your homeward bound flight. Meals: Breakfast [Flight is not included]

# **Australia Spectacular Prices:**

#### **RATES from 01 APRIL 2020 TO 31 MARCH 2021**

Prices are per person in Australian Dollars

TRAVEL DATE	TWIN/DBL	SINGLE	TRIPLE
01 APR 20 - 30 SEP 20	\$5 012.00	\$ 7 396.00	\$4 956.00
01 OCT 20 - 31 MAR 21	\$5 328.00	\$8 028.00	\$5 272.00

Supplements and minimum stays apply during special event periods (see Special Events Calendar Section)

#### ACCOMMODATION - as shown below or similar

CITY	HOTEL & CATEGORY	TYPE OF ROOM
Sydney (4 nights)	Radisson Blu Plaza Hotel Sydney 4.5*	Standard Atrium Room with full breakfast
Ayers Rock (2 nights)	Desert Gardens Hotel 4*	Standard Room Garden View with 1 full breakfast (*)
Cairns (3 nights)	Doubletree by Hilton 4*	Deluxe Room with full breakfast
Melbourne (3 nights)	Clarion Suites Gateway 4*	Standard Room with full breakfast

#### **INCLUSIONS**

- Private transfers throughout.
- Accommodation as listed above or similar with breakfast daily.
- Ayers Rock accommodation includes 1 breakfast on day 7. Breakfast on day 6 will be provided on tour.
- Meals are mentioned on the itinerary. Lunch: day 2, 3, 8, 9 & 12. Dinner: day 4 & 5.
- Cruises are non-private and without a guide.
- Private touring as stipulated above. Days 2, 3 & 9
- Ayers Rock: Uluru National Park entry
- Cairns: Government Environmental Management Charge (EMC)

Note: Foreign language services are available at additional costs.

## AUSTRALIA CLASSIC

## 12 Days/11 nights: Sydney - Cairns - Melbourne









#### **DAY 1:** Arrive SYDNEY

Arriving into Sydney, you'll be taken to your hotel by private transfer where you'll stay for the next 4 nights.

#### **DAY 2: SYDNEY**

Join a small group with a guide for a half-day city tour of Sydney and Sydney Harbour lunch cruise. Discover this beautiful harbour city as you visit the Sydney Harbour Bridge, Sydney Opera House, the historic Rocks area, then the Queen Victoria Building and Centrepoint to see the shopping heart of the city. Visit Sydney's eastern suburbs including Paddington for trendy shops and Victorian-era terrace houses, and famous Bondi Beach for a coffee stop (own expense). Continue to Dover Heights, Double Bay, Kings Cross and finally Mrs Macquaries Point where you'll get your best photos of Sydney Harbour. The tour returns to the city centre. In the afternoon you'll depart from the wharf on your Sydney Harbour lunch cruise where you'll enjoy a buffet lunch and spectacular views of Sydney's star attractions. You'll have free time after the cruise to explore more of the city on foot before making your own way back to your hotel.

Refer to the list of Optional Activities for suggestions on what to do.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch

#### DAY 3 & DAY 4: SYDNEY

These days are free to explore Sydney, the Blue Mountains or other places nearby. In Sydney you can easily take a bus to a beach suburb and enjoy a coastal walk, or you might wish to take one of the many optional activities on offer.

Refer to the list of Optional Activities for suggestions on what to do.

Meals: Breakfast

#### **DAY 5:** SYDNEY to CAIRNS

Your private vehicle awaits to take you to the airport. Arriving in Cairns, you'll be taken to your hotel by private transfer, your base for the next 4 nights.

Meals: Breakfast [Flight Sydney to Cairns is not included]

#### DAY 6: CRUISE to MICHAELMAS CAY IN THE GREAT BARRIER REEF

Set sail aboard a luxury 32 metre sailing catamaran, Ocean Spirit (English-speaking crew), to pristine Michaelmas Cay - a low-lying vegetated sand cay encircled by a beautiful reef teeming with colourful marine life. The area is also a protected sanctuary for migratory seabirds. Snorkel from the cay's shallow waters and cruise in the semi-submersible for a diver's view. Homeward bound enjoy a glass of sparkling wine.

**Inclusions:** morning & afternoon tea, buffet lunch, environmental charge, snorkel equipment, marine biologist presentations, guided nature tours of the island and bird sanctuary.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch

#### DAY 7 & DAY 8 CAIRNS

These days are free to explore Cairns, the gateway to the Great Barrier Reef and many more activities. For suggestions on what to do we've listed only a few optional activities, we have many more options so if what you're after is not listed there, ask us for details.

Refer to the list of Optional Activities for suggestions on what to do.

Meals: Breakfast

#### DAY 9: CAIRNS to MELBOURNE

Take your private departure transfer from your hotel to the airport. Arriving in Melbourne, you'll be taken to your hotel by private vehicle where you'll stay for the next 3 nights.

Meals: Breakfast [Flight Cairns to Melbourne is not included]

#### **DAY 10: MELBOURNE**

With a small group enjoy a guided half-day city tour of Melbourne. Visit Federation Square – a strikingly modern venue in the CBD for arts, culture and public events, the MCG (Melbourne Cricket Ground) - a world-famous sports stadium, St Patrick's Cathedral, Albert Park Lake (Formula 1) and St Kilda Beach. The day ends at Eureka Skydeck 88 where you can take in a complete 360-degree view of the city, the sports precinct, Port Phillips Bay, the beautiful Dandenong Ranges and the Yarra Valley. This afternoon is free to explore more of the city before returning to your hotel.

**Inclusions:** driver-guide (variety of languages available), hotel pick up, entry fee to Eureka Skydeck 88 (access to the Edge at own cost)

Meals: Breakfast

#### **DAY 11: MELBOURNE**

This day is a free day, so why not visit downtown Melbourne's hidden laneways, parks and fine restaurants. Or you might wish to take an optional activity: see the magical procession of penguins parading up the beach at sunset at famous Phillip Island or embark on the Great Ocean Road journey. If you can't find what you are after, please ask us for assistance.

Refer to the list of Optional Activities for suggestions on what to do.

Meals: Breakfast

#### **DAY 12:** Depart MELBOURNE

After breakfast your private vehicle awaits to take you to the airport for your homeward bound flight.

Meals: Breakfast [Flight is not included]

# **Australia Classic Prices:**

#### RATES from 01 APRIL 2020 TO 31 MARCH 2021

Prices are NETT, per person in Australian Dollars

TRAVEL DATE	TWIN/DBL	SINGLE	TRIPLE
01 APR 20 - 30 SEP 20	\$2 562.00	\$4 231.00	\$2 513.00
01 OCT 20 - 31 MAR 21	\$2 832.00	\$4 798.00	\$2 783.00

Supplements and minimum stays apply during special event periods (see Special Events Calendar Section)

#### ACCOMMODATION - as shown below or similar

CITY	HOTEL & CATEGORY	TYPE OF ROOM
Sydney (4 nights)	Vibe Hotel Sydney 3.5/4*	Guest Room with full breakfast
Cairns (3 nights)	Doubletree by Hilton 4*	Deluxe Room with full breakfast
Melbourne (3 nights)	Clarion Suites Gateway 4*	Standard Room with full breakfast

#### **INCLUSIONS**

- Private transfers as specified on itinerary.
- Accommodation as listed above or similar with buffet breakfast daily.
- Meals as indicated. Lunch Day 2 & 6.
- Regular Small group touring with driver/guide.
- Cruises on day 2 & 8 are NOT private and do not include the assistance of a local guide
- Cairns: Government Environmental Management Charge (EMC)

Note: Foreign language services are available at additional costs.

### **IMAGES OF AUSTRALIA**

#### 11 Days/10 nights: Adelaide - Kangaroo Island - Sydney- Ayers Rock - Cairns













#### **DAY 1:** Arrive ADELAIDE

Arriving into Adelaide, you'll be taken to your hotel by private transfer where you'll stay for 1 night.

#### DAY 2: ADELAIDE to KANGAROO ISLAND

Today begin your 2 day/1-night tour of Kangaroo Island. By cruise travel from Adelaide to Kangaroo Island. First stop is Emu Ridge Eucalyptus Distillery to enjoy a 2-course lunch at Vivonne Bay Bistro. The next stop is Seal Bay Conservation Park where together with a Park Ranger you'll walk among Australian sea lions. From here you'll continue to the In-Flight Birds of Prey display at Raptor Domain, followed by a visit to 'KI' Wildlife Park to get up close with koalas, see penguins swim and play, hand feed kangaroos and wallabies, and interact with snakes, crocodiles and reptiles. After a great day you'll be taken back to your overnight accommodation on Kangaroo Island.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch

#### DAY 3: KANGAROO ISLAND to ADELAIDE

Today you continue exploring Kangaroo Island before your return to Adelaide. After a delicious breakfast, visit Clifford's Honey Farm and hear from beekeepers while you sample homemade honey ice-cream. Enjoy a scrumptious 2 -course lunch at Hanson Bay Visitors Centre Cafe. After lunch you'll get up close with more cuddly koalas in eucalyptus trees and see native birdlife in the wildlife sanctuary before visiting Flinders Chase National Park. Here you'll be dazzled by the stunning coastline as you walk around Remarkable Rocks: large rock formations precariously balanced on top of a granite outcrop; then Admiral Arch; another impressive natural landmark. Finally, you'll be taken to Penneshaw Ferry Terminal for the return trip to Adelaide, where you'll stay for a night.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch

#### DAY 4: ADELAIDE to SYDNEY

Take your private departure transfer from your hotel to the airport. Arriving into Sydney, you'll be taken to your hotel by private vehicle where you'll stay for the next 3 nights.

Meals: Breakfast [Flight Adelaide to Sydney is not included]

#### **DAY 5: SYDNEY**

This morning is at leisure to explore the city before making your way to the wharf for your Sydney Harbour lunch cruise. On board you'll enjoy spectacular views of Sydney's star attractions and a gourmet buffet lunch.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch

#### **DAY 6: SYDNEY**

Today you will have a free day to explore Sydney. You can easily take a bus out to one of the beach suburbs and enjoy a coastal walk or you might want to take one of the many optional activities on offer.

Refer to the list of Optional Activities for suggestions on what to do.

Meals: Breakfast

#### DAY 7: SYDNEY to AYERS ROCK

Take your private departure transfer from your hotel to the airport. Arriving in Ayers Rock, you'll be taken by the courtesy shuttle to your hotel where you'll stay for 1 night. In the afternoon with a small tour group you'll head out to Kata Tjuta National Park. On arrival walk around & among the folds of the famous rock - Uluru, as your guide explains the history and cultural significance of

the area. Afterwards sip sparkling wine & enjoy light refreshments as you watch the sunset over Uluru, before returning to your hotel.

**Inclusions:** fully guided tour with audio commentary in other languages available, pick up and return from your Ayers Rock accommodation.

#### NOTE: This tour departs approximately 14:00/15:00 from the resort so your arrival flight must not arrive later than 12:00)

Meals: Breakfast [Flight Sydney to Ayers Rock is not included]

#### DAY 8: AYERS ROCK to CARINS (breakfast)

You wake early this morning and with a small tour group and your driver guide head for the spectacular sunrise at Uluru-Kata Tjuta National Park. Watch the desert come alive as you travel through the remote landscape bound for the special viewing area to watch the sunrise while enjoying your picnic breakfast. Spend some time in the area, walk among the mighty rock walls and learn about the cultural significance of the park to the local Anangu people. Afterwards you'll return to your hotel in time for your departure flight.

#### NOTE: The tour returns between 10:30 and 11:30hrs therefore your departure fight must be after 13:30hrs.

A courtesy hotel shuttle will take you to the airport. On arrival in Cairns, you'll be taken to your hotel by private transfer where you'll stay for the next 3 nights.

Meals: Breakfast (Picnic) [Flight Ayers Rock to Cairns is not included]

#### DAY 9: CRUISE to MICHAELMAS CAY IN THE GREAT BARRIER REEF

Set sail aboard a luxury 32-metre sailing catamaran, Ocean Spirit (English-speaking crew), for a day to remember at pristine Michaelmas Cay - a low-lying vegetated sand cay encircled by a beautiful reef teeming with colourful marine life. The area is also a protected sanctuary for migratory seabirds. Snorkel from the cay's shallow waters and cruise in the semi-submersible for a diver's view. Homeward bound enjoy a glass of sparkling wine. Inclusions: morning & afternoon tea, buffet lunch, environmental charge, snorkel equipment, marine biologist presentations, guided nature tours of the island and bird sanctuary.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch

#### DAY 10: CARINS to KURANDA RAINFOREST VILLAGE

Today you'll experience an All-Inclusive tour of Kuranda. First stop is Tjapukai Aboriginal Cultural Park to learn about Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander culture. Enjoy corroboree celebration dance performances, a fire-making ceremony. Learn about bush food, bush medicine, hunting & weapons. Experience a didgeridoo presentation and take a boomerang and spear throwing lesson. After lunch journey through the World Heritage-protected rainforest on the Skyrail Rainforest Cableway - a 7.5 km gondola ride over the forest canopy for panoramic views of Cairns and the glittering Coral sea. After a stop in the rainforest village, continue on the Kuranda Scenic Railway – an unforgettable rail journey through the village in the rainforest passing spectacular waterfalls and Barron Gorge. The tour ends at Freshwater station, where you'll be met for your return hotel transfer.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch

#### **DAY 11:** Depart CARINS

After breakfast your private vehicle awaits to take you to the airport for your homeward bound flight.

Meals: Breakfast [Flight is not included]

# **Images of Australia Prices:**

#### **RATES from 01 APRIL 2020 TO 31 MARCH 2021**

Prices are NETT, per person in Australian Dollars

TRAVEL DATE	TWIN/DBL	SINGLE	TRIPLE
01 APR 20 - 30 SEP 20	\$3 602.00	\$5 633.00	\$3 543.00
01 OCT 20 - 31 MAR 21	\$3 975.00	\$6 428.00	\$3 916.00

Supplements and minimum stays apply during special event periods (see Special Events Calendar Section)

#### ACCOMMODATION - as shown below or similar

CITY	HOTEL & CATEGORY	TYPE OF ROOM
Adelaide (2 nights – before & after KI)	Majestic Roof Garden Hotel 4*	Classic Room with full breakfast.
Kangaroo Island (1 night)	Aurora Ozone 4*	Executive Sea View Room with full breakfast.
Sydney (3 nights)	Radisson Blu Plaza Hotel Sydney 4.5*	Standard Atrium Room with full breakfast
Ayers Rock (1 night)	Desert Gardens Hotel 4*	Standard Garden View Room - ROOM ONLY
Cairns (3 nights)	Double Tree by Hilton Cairns 4*	Deluxe Room with Full Breakfast

#### **INCLUSIONS**

- Private transfers as per itinerary
- Accommodation as listed above or similar with breakfast daily.
- Breakfast on Day 2 will be a boxed breakfast due to tour departure time.
- Ayers Rock breakfast on day 8 will be provided on tour.
- Meals are mentioned on the itinerary. Lunch: Day 2, 3, 5, 9, 10
- Regular Small Group touring with driver/guide
- Cruises are non-private and without guide.
- Ayers Rock: Uluru-Kata Tjuta National Park entry
- Cairns: Government Environmental Management Charge (EMC)

Note: Foreign language services are available at additional costs.

# **DESTINATION AUSTRALIA**

#### 09 Days/8 nights: Sydney - Melbourne - Cairns









#### DAY 1: Arrive SYDNEY

Arriving into Sydney, you'll be taken to your hotel by private transfer where you'll stay for the next 3 nights.

#### DAY 2: SYDNEY

Enjoy a private half-day walking city tour of Sydney. Blessed with beautiful weather most of the year, Sydney is the perfect city to explore on foot. On this tour you'll visit the historic Rocks district famous for its laneways, Sydney's oldest pubs, handmade fashion and upmarket restaurants offering harbour views, you'll then visit Circular Quay to see the Sydney Harbour Bridge and Opera House. The last stop is Mrs Macquarie's Chair - a famous rock hand carved by convicts in 1810 in the shape of a chair, located on a peninsula in Sydney Harbour, offering breathtaking views of Sydney. This walking tour concludes at The Sydney Opera House where you will begin your Opera House Tour with Tasting Plate lunch. The 1-hour guided part of the tour uncovers the stories of the Opera House and takes

visitors inside and out, including off-limits areas to explore theatres and foyers where over 1600 performances take place each year. There are over 200 stairs in the tour.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch

#### DAY 3: BLUE MOUNTAINS & CALMSEY HILL CITY FARM

Today you will depart early bound for the beautiful Blue Mountains. First stop is Calmsley Farm to see native animals in their natural habitat: kangaroos, wombats, koalas, emus and more. After the farm visit, you'll travel to the heart of the Blue Mountains to see stunning vistas and take a few short walks to explore even more of this beautiful region. Enjoy lunch at a local restaurant and cap the day off with a glass of sparkling wine at your last stop — Mt Tomah Botanic Gardens where you'll be greeted by sweeping views across to Sydney.

Inclusions: park fees, wildlife park fees, 2-course lunch, glass of sparkling/orange juice, hotel pick up & drop off.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch

## DAY 4: SYDNEY to MELBOURNE

After breakfast you say farewell to Sydney as you take your private vehicle to the airport. Arriving in Melbourne, you'll be taken by private transfer to your hotel, your base for the next 2 nights. This day is a free day and so you could visit downtown Melbourne's hidden laneways, parks and fine restaurants. Or you might wish to see the magical procession of penguins parading up the beach at sunset at famous Phillip Island, ask us for details.

Meals: Breakfast [Flight Sydney to Melbourne is not included]

#### DAY 5: MELBOURNE to THE GREAT OCEAN ROAD

With a small guided tour group, you'll experience the spectacular Great Ocean Road. Be immersed in the nature and wildlife of this journey as you see whales, dolphins, echidnas, and bandicoots among the awe-inspiring scenery of the coastline. Stop for a coffee (own expense) at striking Split Point Lighthouse, visit Apollo Bay — a picturesque seaside town for lunch. This truly unique day is capped off by visiting the natural limestone and sandstone rock formations of Loch Ard Gorge (named after a ship that got washed up in the 1800s) and the Twelve Apostles (a collection of limestone stacks that rise up off the shore beside the Great Ocean Road). Inclusions: driver-guide (variety of languages available), free WI-FI on coach, hotel pick-up/drop-off, National Park fees, Eco-certified, trained guide to answer questions.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch

#### **DAY 6: CAIRNS to MELBOURNE**

Take your private departure transfer from your hotel to the airport. Arriving in Cairns, you'll be taken to your hotel by private vehicle where you'll stay for the next 3 nights. This afternoon is free to explore Cairns.

Meals: Breakfast [Flight Melbourne to Melbourne is not included]

#### DAY 7: CRUISE to UPOLO CAY IN THE GREAT BARRIER REEF

After breakfast cruise to Upolu Cay in the Great Barrier Reef (non-private in English) to enjoy snorkelling, and a glass bottom boat with your friendly professional crew. For the more adventurous an introductory diving course is available (additional cost). Onboard your 20 metre, 5-star luxury cruise you'll visit two stunning spots on the reef - Upolu Cay: a low-lying cay surrounded by a beautiful reef teeming with colourful marine life, then you'll visit "Wonder Wall" on the outer edge of Upolu Reef.

**Inclusions:** snorkelling tuition, equipment, buoyancy snorkel vests/lycra suite/or wet suits (depending on the season), a guided marine naturalist guided snorkel tour, reef interpretation talks, tea & coffee, lunch, fruit platters, cheese & crackers, fuel levy and fresh water showers.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch

#### **DAY 8: CAIRNS**

Enjoy a full-day tour of Cape Tribulation, Daintree & Mossman Gorge. Travel by comfortable, airconditioned coach to Cape Tribulation, through some of the oldest rainforest in the world. Embark on a scenic cruise along the Daintree River to spot native wildlife, followed by a tropical lunch in an enchanting rainforest. Admire the coastline and fringing coral reef from Kulki lookout before finishing with a walk on famous Cape Tribulation beach. Enjoy afternoon tea at the Mossman Gorge Centre before returning to your hotel.

**Inclusions:** a driver/guided tour, return transfers, morning & afternoon tea at the Mossman Gorge Centre. The latest GPS-activated audio commentary in different languages, BBQ lunch and an Indigenous presentation.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch

#### Day 9: Depart CARINS

After breakfast your private vehicle awaits to take you to the airport for your homeward bound flight.

Meals: Breakfast [Flight is not included]

# **Destination Australia Prices:**

#### **RATES** from **01 APRIL 2020 TO 31 MARCH 2021**

Prices are NETT, per person in Australian Dollars

TRAVEL DATE	TWIN/DBL	SINGLE	TRIPLE
01 APR 20 - 30 SEP 21	\$3 276.00	\$4 802.00	\$2 826.00
01 OCT 20 - 31 MAR 21	\$3 350.00	\$4 940.00	\$2 891.00

Supplements and minimum stays apply during special event periods (see Special Events Calendar Section)

#### ACCOMMODATION - as shown below or similar

CITY	HOTEL & CATEGORY	TYPE OF ROOM
Sydney (3 nights)	Vibe Hotel Sydney 3.5/4*	Guest Room with full breakfast
Melbourne (2 nights)	Rendezvous Hotel Melbourne 4*	Guest Room with full breakfast
Cairns (3 nights)	Double Tree by Hilton Cairns 4*	Deluxe Room with full breakfast

#### **INCLUSIONS**

- Private transfers as per itinerary
- Accommodation as listed above or similar with breakfast daily.
- Meals are mentioned on the itinerary. Lunch: Days 2, 3, 5, 7 & 8.
- Walking Tour Day 2 we recommend a good level of fitness due to the amount of walking involved on this day.
- Cruises are non-private and without guide.
- Tours on day 3, 5, 7, 8 & 9 are shared small group tours.
- Cairns: Government Environmental Management Charge (EMC)

Note: Foreign language services are available at additional costs.

## TASMANIA EXTENSION

#### 6 Days/5 nights

This small group tour starts on Saturday at Hobart and finishes at Launceston. Bringing you into contact with pristine wilderness, unique wildlife, beautiful beaches, a sense of history and the best of contemporary Tasmanian hospitality. This tour allows you to experience the magic of Australia's Island State. Designed by people who know and love Tasmania, this small group tour incorporates Tasmanian icons and some off the beaten path destinations.

#### DAY 1 (SATURDAY): Arrive HOBART

Arrive in Tasmania's capital city, Hobart and transfer to your accommodation. Enjoy a day at leisure in Hobart. Take time to stroll through Hobart's legendary Salamanca Market which is set at the stunning historical waterfront. Here you will find quality local handcraft, food and entertainment. In the afternoon you may choose to board the ferry to MONA. The Museum of



Old & New Art is one of the world's most unique and controversial museums. View the largest private art collection in Australia with its fascinating blend of ancient and modern art.

#### DAY 2 (SUNDAY): TASMAN PENINSULA

The Tasman Peninsula and Port Arthur Historic Site are some of Tasmania's most visited destinations. Set in tranquil gardens Tasmania's famous convict settlement site harbors a dark history which our experienced guide will bring to life. Visit the famous geological features of the peninsula as you explore the rugged coastline. In the afternoon, meet Tasmanian's enigmatic character, the Tasmanian Devil and take the opportunity to hand feed the delightful kangaroos

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch

#### DAY 3 (MONDAY): FREYCINET PENINSULA to WINEGLASS BAY

This morning we take a brief stop in the historic village of Richmond where you can soak up the nostalgia of colonial times. Then relax and enjoy a scenic drive along Tasmania's East Coast to the Freycinet Peninsula, with its exceptional beauty, pristine white sandy beaches and granite coastline. Walk the track up to the world-famous Wineglass Bay lookout for some stunning photo opportunities, with views across Freycinet National Park. A shorter clifftop walk around the lighthouse at Cape Tourville is also on offer.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch

#### DAY 4 (TUESDAY): FREYCINET NATIONAL PARK to CRADLE MOUNTAIN

Continue your journey to Launceston for an introductory tour of Tasmania's largest northern city. Explore the scenic Cataract Gorge where the South Esk River forces its way through sheer rocky cliffs. Evoke memories of the genteel Victorian era as you stroll in the landscaped gardens. After lunch travel through lush rolling farm pastures before reaching alpine bush and the UNESCO World Heritage listed Cradle Mountain National Park.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch

#### DAY 5 (WEDNESDAY): CRADLE MOUNTAIN to DOVE LAKE to LAUNCESTON

On a clear day the rugged grandeur of Cradle Mountain is reflected in the tranquil waters of Dove Lake, or you may experience the drama of its craggy peaks through swirling mist. Your guide will share with you an insight into the history, flora and fauna of the region. Walks are available to suit the group and weather. Touring concludes at approximately 17:30 and you will be taken to your hotel to enjoy your last night at Launceston.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch

#### **DAY 6: Depart LAUNCESTON**

After breakfast your private vehicle awaits to take you to the airport for your homeward bound flight.

Meals: Breakfast [Flight is not included]

<sup>\*</sup>Small changes to the itinerary may be possible without notice due to unforeseen circumstances outside of our control

# **Tasmania Extension Prices:**

#### RATES from 01 APRIL 2020 TO 31 MARCH 2021

Prices are NETT, per person in Australian Dollars

TRAVEL DATE	TWIN/DBL	SINGLE	TRIPLE
01 MAY 20 - 31 DEC 20	\$4 368.00	\$5 418.00	\$4 232.00
01 MAR 21 – 31 MAR 21	\$4 368.00	<b>73 410.00</b>	Ç4 232.00
01 APR 20 - 30 APR 20	\$4 473.00	\$5 733.00	\$4 232.00
01 JAN 21 - 29 FEB 21	<b>54 473.00</b>	<i>,5 ,</i> 33.00	y <del>-</del> 232.00

Supplements and minimum stays apply during special event periods (see Special Events Calendar Section)

#### ACCOMMODATION - as shown below or similar

CITY	HOTEL & CATEGORY	TYPE OF ROOM
Hobart (2 nights)	Hotel Grand Chancellor Hobart 4*	Mountain View with breakfast
Freycinet (1 night)	Freycinet Lodge 4*	One-bedroom cabin with breakfast
Cradle Mountain (1 night)	Cradle Mountain Hotel 4*	Deluxe room with breakfast
Launceston (1 night)	Grand Chancellor Launceston 4*	Deluxe room with breakfast

Rates are based on a maximum of 2 pieces of luggage per person (1 piece of standard size luggage + 1 hand carry per person). If luggage exceeds this, a re-quote may be required for coach services where luggage is being moved.

#### **INCLUSIONS**

- Small group touring with local English-speaking driver-guide (the tour also operates in different languages at different rates).
- Return airport transfers.
- 5 nights of 4\* Accommodation.
- 5 breakfasts & 4 lunches.
- Entries to Bonorong Park, Port Arthur Historic side and National Parks.

#### **EXCLUDES**

- Personal incidentals such as telephone calls, room service, laundry, in-house movies
- Flights, Airport Taxes and Tips
- Optional Tours and Services
- Early check-in or late check-out.
- Meals other than those specified or any other service not mentioned in the itinerary.

#### **GENERAL CONDITIONS**

- This tour operates at rates above with a **minimum of 4 pax** and a maximum of 12 pax (with less than 4 pax the tour
  - operates applying a supplement).
- This tour departs from **Hobart** on **Saturdays** and finishes at Launceston.
- Rates per person in Australian Dollars and are subject to confirmation and availability at the moment of the booking.

•	Supplement and special rates apply during Special Event Dates (see Special Events Calendar Section)	
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## **DARWIN EXTENSION**

4 Days/3 nights - (KAKADU National Park)

#### **DAY 1:** Arrive DARWIN

Arriving in Darwin, you'll be taken to your hotel by private transfer. The rest of the afternoon is at leisure to explore this unique city by the water offering Asian-inspired food and a tropical relaxed atmosphere.

#### DAY 2: DARWIN/KAKADU NATIONAL PARK

Depart Darwin and travel along the Arnhem Highway, their major river systems and wetlands, into Kakadu National Park. Located 257 kilometres east of Darwin, this national park covers 20,000 square kilometres of landscape from rocky escarpment home to historic Aboriginal rock art dating back thousands of years, to floodplains abundant with wildlife. Visit the Warradjan Cultural Centre to view the informative displays depicting the traditions of the Aboriginal people in Kakadu. Join your local guide on a cruise of Yellow Water Billabong. Search for saltwater crocodiles and the colourful range of birdlife for which this region is renowned. After lunch, stop at Nourlangie, where your Driver Guide will lead you on a walk to view the rock art galleries.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch

#### DAY 3: KAKADU NATIONAL PARK/DARWIN (DRY SEASON\*)

This morning, join your Driver Guide to explore the World Heritage Area of Ubirr, where you'll climb up through the ancient Aboriginal rock art galleries, believed to be 20,000 years old, to the lookout for a view over the surrounding wetlands. Join the Guluyambi Cruise on the East Alligator River. An Aboriginal guide will provide an insight into their culture, including local mythology, the river's abundant food chain, as well as bush survival skills. With special permission of the local people, you are able to go ashore in Arnhem Land. Visit the Bowali Visitor Centre before returning to Darwin, where your short break concludes. Enjoy your final night at Darwin.

Meals: Lunch

#### DAY 3: KAKADU NATIONAL PARK/DARWIN (WET SEASON\*)

This morning, join your Driver Guide to explore the World Heritage Area of Ubirr, where you'll climb up through the ancient Aboriginal rock art galleries, believed to be 20,000 years old, to the lookout for a view over the surrounding wetlands. Join the Guluyambi Cruise on the East Alligator River. An Aboriginal guide will provide an insight into their culture, including local mythology, the river's abundant food chain, as well as bush survival skills. With special permission of the local people, you are able to go ashore in Arnhem Land. Visit the Bowali Visitor Centre before returning to Darwin, where your short break concludes. Enjoy your final night at Darwin.

Meals: Lunch

#### DAY 4: Depart DARWIN

Today your private vehicle awaits to take you to the airport for your homeward bound flight. [Flight is not included] Meals: Breakfast

<sup>\*</sup> See notes on next page for dates & conditions for Wet & Dry Season

# **Darwin Extension Prices:**

Note: The tour departs daily (May-November) – DRY SEASON

and Mondays & Thursdays (April & December – March) – WET SEASON

Departure is 6:30am from Darwin for Day 2 of Touring

Due to seasonal conditions, this itinerary may change without notice. In April & November-March, if

weather conditions prevent access to the East Alligator region, alternative touring will be arranged (Day 3).

#### **RATES** from **01 APRIL 2020 TO 31 MARCH 2021**

Prices are NETT, per person in Australian Dollars

TRAVEL DATE	TWIN/DBL	SINGLE	TRIPLE
01 APR 20 - 30 APR 20	\$1 063.00	\$1 402.00	\$1 028.00
01 DEC 20 - 31 MAR 21	,	,	
01 MAY 20 - 30 NOV 20	\$1 278.00	\$1 826.00	\$1 198.00

Supplements and minimum stays apply during special event periods (see Special Events Calendar Section)

#### **ACCOMMODATION** - as shown below or similar

CITY	HOTEL & CATEGORY	TYPE OF ROOM
Darwin (2 nights)	Double Tree By Hilton Esplanade Darwin 4*	Guest Room with breakfast
Kakadu (1 night)	Mercure Kakadu Crocodile Hotel 4*	Superior Room — ROOM ONLY

#### **INCLUSIONS**

- Transfers and touring according to itinerary.
- Accommodation and meals as shown above
- Breakfast is only in Darwin. Day 2 a boxed breakfast will be provided due to early tour departure.
- Accommodation in Kakadu is ROOM ONLY
- Lunch included on days 2 & 3 of touring.
- Kakadu National Park Fee

# HAMILTON ISLAND EXTENSION

5 Days/4 nights

Part of the Whitsundays, and in the heart of the, Hamilton Island is one of Australia's most spectacular and sought-after holiday destinations. Surrounded by pristine white beaches, and a kaleidoscope of coral and marine life. Hamilton Island is a perfect base for exploring the Great Barrier Reef and world-famous Whitehaven Beach.

This 5 day/4-night package includes 2 cruises on the Great Barrier Reef and Whitehaven beach.

INCLUSIONS				
PALM BUNGALOW & REEF VIEW HOTEL	BEACH CLUB			
<ul> <li>4 nights' accommodation</li> <li>Full buffet breakfast daily</li> <li>Return Hamilton Island Airport/Marina to hotel transfers</li> <li>Full day trip with Cruise to the Great Barrier Reef (Day 3)</li> <li>Half day trip with Cruise to Whitehaven Beach (Day 4)</li> <li>Weekly entry to Wild Life Hamilton Island</li> <li>Use of catamarans, paddle skis, windsurfers and snorkelling equipment, Use of gym, spa, sauna, tennis &amp; squash court hire</li> <li>Unlimited use of the scheduled 'Island Shuttle' service (7:00am – 11:00pm daily)</li> <li>Complimentary WiFi (download limits apply)</li> <li>Kids Stay and Eat Free program.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>4 nights' accommodation</li> <li>a la Carte breakfast daily</li> <li>VIP Return Hamilton Island Airport/Marina to hotel transfers</li> <li>Full day trip with Cruise to the Great Barrier Reef (Day 3)</li> <li>Half day trip with Cruise to Whitehaven Beach (Day 4)</li> <li>Weekly entry to Wild Life Hamilton Island</li> <li>Use of catamarans, paddle skis, windsurfers and snorkelling equip, Use of gym, spa, sauna, tennis &amp; squash court hire</li> <li>Unlimited use of the scheduled 'Island Shuttle' service (7:00am – 11:00pm daily)</li> <li>Complimentary WiFi (download limits apply)</li> <li>Use of the Beach Club lounge, pool and restaurant</li> <li>VIP chauffeur service for duration of stay</li> </ul>			

#### RATES from 01 APRIL 2020 TO 31 MARCH 2021

Prices are NETT, per room based on 2 pax sharing in Australian Dollars

HOTEL & CATEGORY	ROOM	TRAVEL DATE	RATES FOR 2 ADULTS SHARING
Palm Bungalow 4*	Palm Bungalow		\$2 162.00
Reef View Hotel 4*	Coral View	01 APR 20 - 31 MAR 21	\$2 313.00
Beach Club 5* (only for ages 18+)	Beach Club		\$3 461.00

Blackout dates: 22 Dec 20 to 09 Jan 2021 (inclusive)

Supplements and minimum stays apply during special event periods (see Special Events Calendar Section)

#### **INCLUSIONS**

• Accommodation, tours and meals as shown above

# **TERMS & CONDITIONS:**

#### **PACKAGES DO NOT INCLUDE:**

- International or Domestic flights
- Gratuities according to the local standard
- Items not mentioned in the itinerary
- Meals/Drinks which are not mentioned in the itineraries
- Pre-Registered, Early Check-in or Late Check-out at any of the hotels (Check-in is generally at 15:00)
- Personal expenses such as laundry, telephone calls or optional tours

#### **GENERAL CONDITIONS:**

- Prices are NETT per person in Australian Dollars unless otherwise specified.
- We reserve the right to change the hotels mentioned in our packages due to unforeseen circumstances such
  as hotel renovations or availability. To avoid inconveniences, Tour East Australia will offer alternative
  accommodation at additional cost.
- It is the responsibility of the booking agent to ensure that flights are booked correctly.
- Rates include 10% GST (Goods and Services Tax)
- Bookings that fall during special events will incur surcharges and special cancellation conditions.
- Our packages are not recommended for children under the age of 12 yrs.
- 100% cancellation fees apply once clients commence travel. No refunds will be given for any unused services

#### **CANCELATION POLICY:**

- 47 days prior to travel 10% of the total costs will be incurred
- 46-15 days prior to travel 25% of the total costs will be incurred
- 14-7 days prior to travel 50% of the total costs will be incurred
- Within 7 of Travel 100% cancellation fees will apply.

#### **PAYMENT**

Full payment for this booking must be received 14 days prior to arrival, unless prior arrangements have been made. Accommodation bookings over peak periods and special event dates must be paid in full within 14 days of confirmation and no later than 30 days prior to arrival. Failure to do so may result in services being released. Should a supplier require a deposit or prepayment due to peak or special event periods, this will be advised upon confirmation of booking.

#### **PERSONAL DATA:**

Personal information collected through a booking will only be used to the extent necessary to satisfy that booking.

#### LIABILITY:

TEA does not own and is not itself an air carrier, hotelier nor operator of travel services. TEA is an agent only and exercises every care in the selection of travel suppliers and hotel accommodation comprised in your booking. These services are provided by reputable suppliers and hoteliers on their own conditions. It is important to note, therefore, that all bookings made with TEA will carry the name of the Customer and are subject to the terms and conditions of the relevant service providers some which limit or exclude liability in respect of death, personal injury and loss or damage to property including baggage. Each booking brings into effect a new contractual relationship between the Customer and the service provider and the Customer has the right to enforce any breach of the terms and conditions against the service provider. TEA strongly recommends that you take out comprehensive travel insurance against those and other risks. TEA always does its best to make sure that your holiday arrangements are satisfactory and TEA accepts liability for, but only to the extent of, any loss or damage sustained by you as the result of our negligence or that of our employees. However, TEA does not accept any liability whatsoever of nature for the acts, omissions or defaults whether negligent or otherwise of any third party supplier in connection with your holiday pursuant to a contract between any one of them and yourself (which may or may not be evidenced in writing by the issue of a ticket, youcher, coupon or the like).

#### **BOOKINGS:**

The formation is required in order to make a reservation:

- Passenger Name and Surnames
- Arrival date into Australia with Flight details.
- Information relating to the passengers. For example: Honeymooners, disability, dietary requirements
- Age of any children travelling.

# **EVENTS CALENDAR**

The following are the dates of key special events in Australia. Additional dates may be added.

SYDNEY							
EVENT'S NAME	DATE FROM	DATE TO	MINIMUM LENGTH OF STAY				
Easter	05 APR 20	15 APR 20	2				
State of Origin	21 JUN 20	21 JUN 20	1				
City2Surf	08 AUG 20	09 AUG 20	1				
NRL Grand Final	03 OCT 20	11 OCT 20	2				
New Year's	30 DEC 20	02 JAN 21	2				
MELBOURNE							
Bledisloe Cup	08 AUG 20	08 AUG 20	1				
AFL Grand Final	25 SEP 20	26 SEP 20	2				
Caufield Cup	17 OCT 20	17 OCT 20	2				
Cox Plate	24 OCT 20	24 OCT 20	2				
Twenty 20 Cricket	25 OCT 20	15 NOV 20	1				
T20 World Cup/ WIPCE	01 NOV 20	12 NOV 20	1				
Melbourne Cup	31 OCT 20	03 NOV 20	1				
New Year's	30 DEC 20	02 JAN 21	2				
Australian Open	18 JAN 21	31 JAN 21	2				
Grand Prix	05 MAR 21	28 MAR 21	2				
	ADELA	IDE					
Tour Down Under	16 JAN 21	24 JAN 21	3				
Superloop Adelaide 500 V8 Supercars	25 FEB 21	28 FEB 21	1				
Womad	05 MAR 21	08 MAR 21	1				
CAIRNS & DARWIN							
New Year's	29 DEC 20	01 JAN 21	1				
Chinese New Year	12 FEB 21	20 FEB 21	1				
V8Supercars – Darwin Triple Crown	16 JUL 20	20 JUL 20	2				
Darwin Cup	04 JUL 20	03 AUG 20	3				
Easter	09 APR 20	13 APR 20	1				

- Exact dates have been listed as accurate as possible, may vary by supplier and are subject to change.
- The schedule of rates and conditions may vary by supplier and are subject to change.
- On such dates, itineraries and rates are on request, subject to availability and additionally:
  - o Special Booking and Cancellation conditions may apply.
  - o Minimum stays may apply.
  - Additional fees or surcharges may apply.

# **Suggested Optional Tours**

Following is a list of optional activities available in Sydney, the Blue Mountains, Melbourne and Cairns, Cape Tribulation and Daintree. These are at an additional cost and are activities we suggest when there are spare days in an itinerary. **Prices are available on application.** We've just listed a few, so please ask us about other activities if required.

#### **SYDNEY**

#### Half day City Tour:

Depart your hotel for an unforgettable half-day city tour of Sydney. Visit the historic Rocks area to hear stories about convict settlement, enjoy magnificent views of the Sydney Opera House and Sydney Harbour Bridge, visit the shopping heart of the city: QVB and Centrepoint. Then explore Sydney's trendy Oxford Street, and as you travel through Paddington, you'll admire the elegant Victorian-era terrace houses. You'll then travel north to famous Bondi Beach and have a coffee or cool drink (own expense) on the promenade. Continue on to Dover Heights, visit upmarket Double Bay, notorious Kings Cross and finish up at Mrs Macquaries Point for a magical view of the harbour before returning to the city centre. Please note with six or more speakers of the same foreign language, a driver-guide who speaks that language will take the tour. With less than six the tour operates in English with audio commentary in other languages.

#### Full day tour to Blue Mountains:

With your guide and small tour group you'll leave from your Sydney hotel and venture into the heart of the Blue Mountains World Heritage region. First stop is Calmsley Hill, a working farm also home to kangaroos, emus, wombats and koalas. Enjoy morning tea and time to wander at leisure. Departing from Calmsley Hill, we commence our drive to the Blue Mountains via the highway. We will visit one of a range of stunning outlooks of the Jamison Valley seeing beautiful vistas. Where possible this will be away from the crowds. At Eaglehawk Lookout, we enjoy views of the famous Three Sisters rock formation, before enjoying a lovely 2-course lunch. The last stop is the delightful Mt Tomah Botanic Gardens where we stop to witness the sweeping views across to Sydney with a glass of sparkling wine or orange juice in hand before travelling down the Bells Line of Road to arrive back at your hotel approximately 4.30 - 5.00pm.

Inclusions: hotel pickup and drop off, small group touring with driver-guide, wildlife park entry, 2-course lunch, national park fees, glass of sparkling wine & Mt Tomah visit. Please note with six or more speakers of the same foreign language, a driver-guide who speaks that language will take the tour. With less than six, the tour operates in English with audio commentary in other language available.

#### **Entries to:**

#### Sea Life Sydney Aquarium

SEA LIFE Sydney Aquarium contains a large variety of Australian aquatic life, displaying over 700 species, comprising more than 13,000 individual fish and other sea and water creatures from most of Australia's water habitats. Explore 14 themed zones including – a tropical Bay of Rays, a hands-on Discovery Rockpool, Sydney Harbour zone, Great Barrier Reef display. See huge sharks, massive stingrays, turtles, dugongs and more.

#### Wild-life Sydney Zoo

A wildlife park in the heart of Sydney, right next door to SEA LIFE Sydney Aquarium. Walk through displays of iconic Australian habitats, encountering some of the most loved, feared and unique animals. Come face-to-face with a saltwater crocodile, get close to kangaroos, and cuddle koalas. Enjoy interactive displays, daily keeper talks, and wonderful walk-through habitats.

#### Sydney Tower Eye

Sydney Tower has been part of the Sydney skyline for the past 30 years. Discover 360-degree views of Sydney from an indoor Observation Deck, located 250 metres above the city streets. From the golden beaches to the distant Blue Mountains, you'll be amazed by the views. The Observation Deck offers state-of-the-art technology, binoculars, and multilingual touch screen panels provide information on famous landmarks.

#### Dinner at the 360 Bar & Dining Restaurant:

Located in the Sydney Tower, 360 Bar and Dining is the glamorous incarnation of Sydney Tower's Level 1 restaurant, lavishly refitted by acclaimed designer Michael McCann of Dreamtime Design. The unique revolving floor system 305 metres above sea level enables guests to enjoy a dining journey, with 360 - degree views of Sydney and beyond. With dramatic pendant

light sculptures and an interior of hand carved mahogany, bronze and mirror walls and chocolate-brown leather booths, 360 Bar and Dining is a truly striking and elegant restaurant.

#### Sydney Harbour Bridge Climb:

The ultimate experience of Sydney. With a Climb Leader as your guide, you'll slowly ascend the Sydney Harbour Bridge and enjoy a bird's eye view of the dazzling harbour. Throughout your climb, your leader will provide stories about the history of the bridge from its construction to its opening in 1932, right through to its place in day to day local celebrations. Different climb times/ durations on offer.

#### **Opera House Tour:**

When the Sydney Opera House became a UNESCO World Heritage listed site in 2007, it was hailed as "one of the indisputable masterpieces of human creativity, not only in the 20th century but in the history of humankind". Now it's your turn to step inside this iconic landmark and discover the stories behind Danish architect Jørn Utzon's remarkable achievement. What inspired him to base his revolutionary design on ships' sails? How did he solve an engineering challenge considered one of the most difficult attempted anywhere in the world? You'll find out on this very special one-hour guided tour into the intricate workings of a living, breathing Opera House. You will explore the hallowed theatres and foyers where more than 1600 concerts, operas, dramas and ballets take place each year and your experienced guide will be on hand to lead you through every aspect of the building's 14-year creation and 58-year history. You'll run your hands over the world-famous shell tiles, take a seat in the elegant custom-made white birch timber chairs and marvel at the vaulted ceilings of one of the biggest pillar-free chambers in the world. Once you've visited areas off limits to the general public and captured photographs from rare vantage points inside the majestic Sydney Opera House, you'll realise that from the outside you're only getting half the story.

Tours in English run daily from 9am-5pm with a maximum group size of 35 people (Tours in different languages run on special days and hours). There are over 200 stairs included on the tour; if you have limited mobility there is a daily 12pm Access Tour.

#### **MELBOURNE**

#### Walking City-tour:

This walking tour gets you out and about discovering Melbourne. Uncover the city's unique hidden gems. Wander through the tiny laneways and historic arcades and learn about Melbourne's history. With your small group (no more than 12 guests), you will be able to wander through the tiny laneways and historic arcades, learn about Melbourne's history with your expert guide and uncover the stories that have shaped the city's identity. This tour will contrast the hustle and bustle of the city centre, with the tranquillity of Carlton Gardens and the trendy precincts of Fitzroy and St Kilda. Learn about the Gold Rush of the 1850s that led to Melbourne prospering as the world's richest city, and admire the opulence that is evident today in the 'Paris end' of Collins Street. Hear about the turbulent colonization and the waves of immigration that have created the city. In Chinatown, experience a feast for the senses, then see how Flinders Lane proves Melbourne's claim as the fashion capital, sprinkled with tiny boutiques showcasing local designers. A language guide is available on select days, depending on the language required. This tour departs at approx. 13:00.

#### Full day tour to Great Ocean Road:

Experience this remarkable coastal journey along the south-eastern coast of Australia, where most of the road hugs the coastline. The road traverses rainforests, beaches, cliffs and amazing rock formations. Along the way you may spot some special animals including whales, dolphins, echidnas and bandicoots while your camera gets a good workout. You'll have time to stroll along the wild beaches of the coast, stop for a coffee (own expense) at striking Split Point Lighthouse, then enjoy lunch (included) at Apollo Bay - a picturesque seaside town for lunch. This truly unique day is capped off by visiting the natural limestone and sandstone rock formations of Loch Ard Gorge (named after a ship that got washed up in the 1800s) and Twelve Apostles (a collection of limestone stacks that rise up off the shore beside the Great Ocean Road). Inclusions: driver-guide (variety of language guides available), free Wi-Fi on coach, small group touring, hotel pick-up/drop off, national park fee, Eco Certified.

#### **CAIRNS**

#### Full day Tour Kuranda all inclusive:

Today you'll depart early in the morning bound for beautiful Kuranda. First stop is Tjapukai Aboriginal Cultural Park to learn about Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander culture. Enjoy a corroboree celebration, dance performances, a fire-making ceremony. Learn about bush foods, bush medicines, hunting & weapons. Experience a didgeridoo presentation and a boomerang and spear throwing lesson. After lunch journey through the World Heritage listed rainforest on the Skyrail Rainforest Cableway - a 7.5 km gondola ride over the forest canopy for panoramic views of Cairns and the glittering Coral sea. After a stop in the rainforest village, continue on the Kuranda Scenic Railway – an unforgettable rail journey through the village in the rainforest passing spectacular waterfalls and Barron Gorge. The tour ends at Freshwater station, where you are met for your return transfer to the hotel. Our Kuranda Boarding Pass ensures you will have preferential seating. Inclusions: entry to Tjapukai Aboriginal Cultural Park, one-way Skyrail Rainforest Cableway, free time at Kuranda village, one-way Kuranda Scenic Rail, buffet lunch at Tjapukai, return coach transfers. Tour also includes a Self-guided Kuranda Boarding Pass itinerary written in different languages, express check-in at Skyrail and Kuranda Scenic Railway, allocated seating on Kuranda Scenic Railway, discounted entry into select Kuranda attractions, detailed map of Kuranda.

#### Full day Tour Cape Tribulation & Daintree:

Travel in air-conditioned comfort in your luxury purpose-built vehicle to Cape Tribulation through some of the oldest rainforest in the world. You'll cruise on the Daintree River for wildlife, bird and crocodile spotting, enjoy a tropical lunch in the rainforest and visit famous Cape Tribulation Beach to admire the coastline and fringing coral reef from the Kulki Lookout. You'll then have afternoon tea at the Mossman Gorge Centre, then your driver/guide will take you for a guided walk sharing their knowledge of this enchanting rainforest environment.

Inclusions: GPS-activated audio commentary in different languages, return hotel transfers, morning tea, Cape Tribulation Beach, BBQ lunch in rainforest setting, Alexandra Range Lookout, Daintree River Cruise, Daintree Ferry Crossing, driverguided walk at Mossman Gorge including afternoon tea & Indigenous presentation. Please note - passengers need to bring their own headsets, pre-purchase them when booking or they can be purchased on the day for a small fee. The tour is operated using the latest GPS activated technology providing over 3hrs of commentary in different languages, delivered with sound effects and music, creating a truly memorable experience.