

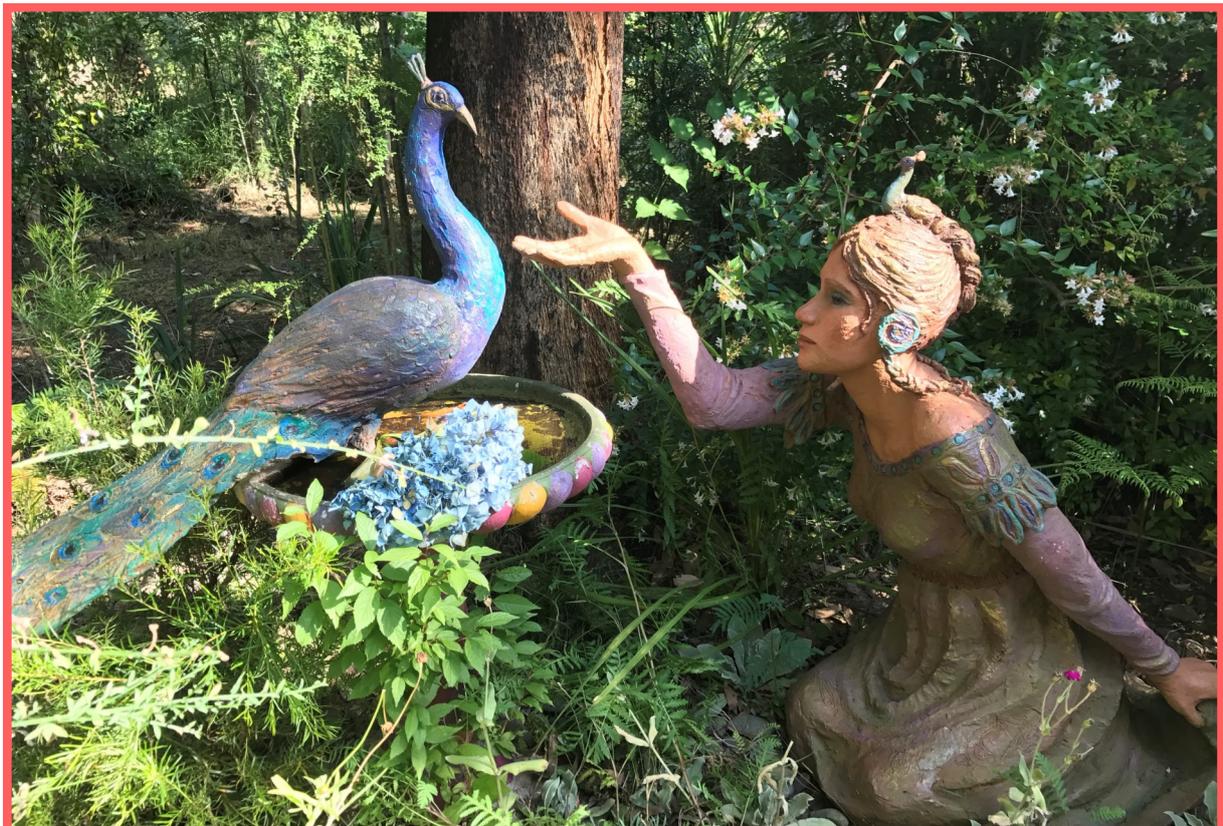
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AUTUMN IN MARYSVILLE

5 DAY TOUR

Departing: Monday 27 April 2020

Returning: Friday 01 May 2020



TOUR COST:

\$1185.00 per person Twin/Double Share

\$1425.00 Sole Occupancy

Please call the office for Direct Deposit details

PICK UP TIMES:

7.10am Crawford Street, Queanbeyan
7.30am Bay 1, Woden Interchange

7.50am West Row Bus Stop, City
8.00am Riggall Place, Lyneham

Day 1: (LD) CANBERRA TO MARYSVILLE: Monday 27 April 2020

Be greeted with a smile whilst boarding our purple coach this morning. We are off on tour to Marysville, situated in the picturesque Yarra Valley. We'll enjoy lunch en route before arriving in Benalla for an afternoon break. Disembarking the coach at the Benalla Rose Garden, pause at the Sir Weary Dunlop statue and take a moment to reflect his compassion and perseverance during his time as a prisoner of war on the Burma-Thailand railway. Arriving into Marysville we settle into our rooms.

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Day 2: (BLD) SIGHTS OF MARYSVILLE: Tuesday 28 April 2020

After breakfast we head out to discover the town. The close knit district has rebuilt a thriving community following the terrible Black Saturday bushfires it sustained in February 2009. We'll experience the prosperity firsthand when the local expert joins the coach to share the local stories. We'll also view the Historic Photo Exhibition at the Visitor Centre which recounts Marysville's recovery. Our lunch today is at the Country Bakery before seeing the magical rebirth of the Sculptures Garden and Gallery. Admire the many artworks and amazing creativity of Bruno and be inspired by the sculptures we find as we wander through the garden. Our last stop allows us to browse displays highlighting Marysville and the surrounding district's rich history. The Historical Society has collections featuring the early pioneer story and a heritage rose garden to stroll through. Our day complete, we drive back to the motel and relax prior to dinner.

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Day 3: (BLD) YARRA VALLEY: Wednesday 29 April 2020

Today's adventure takes in the heart of Yarra Glen. Arriving at the Big Bouquet Gerbera Farm we take a tour through the impressive glasshouse as well as meet friendly alpacas. With the sweet scent of the brightly coloured gerberas filling the air, we'll hear how these popular flowers symbolising happiness are grown all year long. Morning tea is included with time to wander the gardens. Next it's onto Alowyn Gardens which started life as a blackberry infested paddock. Designed with shade and comfort in mind, it's been developed into six distinct areas and for those who love a beautiful garden, it will bring enjoyment as well as an educational experience. We dine in the café amongst the Autumn Blaze Maple trees. Our afternoon visit is to the historic Gulf Station farm. A tour will share the highlights of the property and homestead with the original cottage garden being restored based on past records. Rounding out our day is a stop at the Yarra Valley Chocolaterie and Ice Creamery. We'll be welcomed with chocolate tastings, displays of thousands of premium chocolates and European Chocolatiers at work handcrafting their creations. After our visit we return to Marysville.

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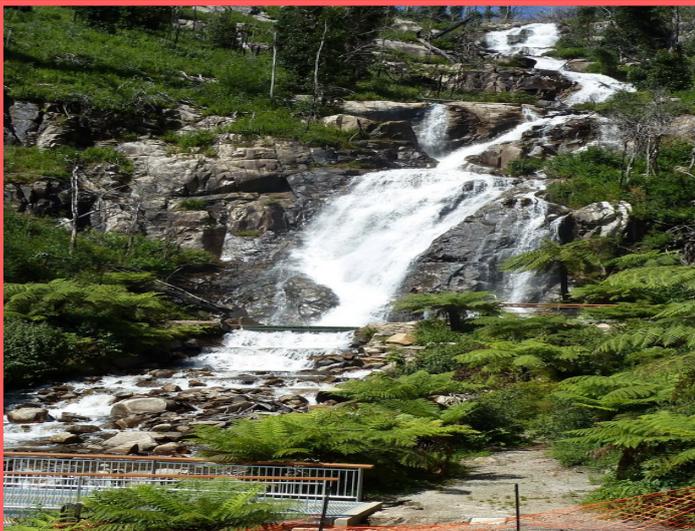
Day 4: (BLD) YEA AND KERRISDALE: Thursday 30 April 2020

The small township of Yea is where we're headed this morning. Originally a gold mining area, the town retains many historical buildings. At the striking, architecturally designed Y Water Discovery Centre we uncover an interactive display delivering the importance of water and local wetland ecology. We enjoy morning tea then take an interesting guided walk through the Wetlands. From here it's onto the Kerrisdale Mountain Railway and Museum. This is a unique railway built on a zig zag formation with an initial steep climb. The precipitous track, cut into the mountainside, winds its way through tall trees for a panoramic view over King Parrot Valley and further to the distant peaks of the Victorian Alps. Our stop includes a country style lunch and a live demonstration. Departing here we return to Marysville via the scenic route through Toolangi. We have time to freshen up before our farewell dinner.

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Day 5: (BL): MARYSVILLE TO CANBERRA: Friday 01 May 2020

Saying goodbye to our hosts, we begin our return journey to Canberra. We break for our lunch in Albury, we then steadily make our way home with fond memories of a wonderful 5 day tour to Marysville.



TERMS AND CONDITIONS

DEPOSIT is required within 14 days of booking confirming your reservation. If no deposit is received, Potter Travel reserves the right to cancel the booking. Deposit is **\$150.00 per person**.

FINAL PAYMENT: MONDAY 24 FEBRUARY 2020

Tour reference for
Direct Deposits:
Surname P12115

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Reservations that are cancelled on or after **MON 24 FEB 2020** and prior to **THU 26 MAR 2020**: loss of 50% of total tour cost.

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Tour Includes: Dinner, bed and breakfast accommodation at the Hotels mentioned in the Itinerary, some lunches, morning and/or afternoon tea supplied from the coach, entry fees and/or guided tours to all attractions as mentioned in the itinerary, tickets to shows (if applicable), luxury coach travel and GST. Meals are stated in the itinerary as B = Breakfast, L = Lunch and D = Dinner.

Not Included: Alcoholic beverages or other drinks (except wine tasting), meals not specified, room service, telephone calls, some morning/afternoon teas or any items of a personal nature.

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You must be able to embark and disembark the coach unaided to travel on a Potter Travel tour. Your deposit and final payment on our tour is acknowledgement that you have read and understood the booking terms and conditions as mentioned above.

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