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ADELAIDE HIGHLIGHTS

7 DAY TOUR

Departing: Sunday 17 October 2021

Returning: Saturday 23 October 2021



TOUR COST:

\$2,345 per person Twin/Double Share \$2,775 Sole Occupancy

Please call the office for Direct Deposit details

PICK UP TIMES:

Please meet at the Canberra Airport—details to be advised.

Day 1: (D): CANBERRA TO ADELAIDE: Sunday 17 October 2021

Potter Travel welcomes you aboard our tour to Adelaide. Boarding our flight in Canberra (flight details TBA), we make our way to Adelaide ready for the adventure ahead. Our local coach will meet us on our arrival and transfer us to our well-appointed and centrally located accommodation. Settle into your rooms and freshen up for dinner.

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Day 2: (BD): LOCAL SIGHTS: Monday 18 October 2021

Today we explore the icons of Adelaide, starting with a visit to one of the finest examples of Regency architecture — Ayers House. Henry Ayers, a former premier of South Australia, transformed a modest house into an elegant 40-room mansion with a large new dining room and a ballroom. We'll be taken on a guided tour of this National Trust property learning fascinating tidbits of the era's social history. Next is a visit to the beautiful Botanic Gardens. Led through the beautiful grounds, we visit the various featured gardens and green houses. With some free time for lunch behind us, we spend the afternoon where Sir Donald Bradman hit his hundreds! Be taken behind the scenes and discover the inner workings of the iconic Adelaide Oval, offering a unique blend of new and old, from the latest in stadium design to the heritage listed scoreboard and the century old Moreton Bay Fig Trees. Afternoon tea rounds out our day.

Day 3: (BLD): VICTOR HARBOR & GOOLWA: Tuesday 19 October 2021

Nestled on the wide, sandy arc of Encounter Bay sits the town of Victor Harbor. It has been a summer holiday destination for generations of South Australian families and today we will see it for ourselves. Swapping our modern coach for the historic Horse Drawn Tram, we'll feel the ocean breeze on our faces as we make our way across the causeway to Granite Island behind the beautiful Clydesdales. After lunch at the Anchorage Hotel we join another form of transportation. The Cockle Train is a regional treasure, travelling across farmland and coastal dunes for a short one-way journey via Port Elliott and Middleton beaches to Goolwa. Early residents gave the train its name as it was ridden to the mouth of the Murray River to collect cockles from its sandy beaches. The heritage windows frame the sparkling Southern Ocean and coastal cliffs as we travel along the oldest steel railed railway in Australia. Alighting, stroll the historic wharf precinct of Goolwa before we head back to Adelaide.

Day 4: (BLD): ADELAIDE: Wednesday 20 October 2021

This morning we head to the opulent Carrick Hill. This home is a creation from the imagination of a couple who decided to bring some of the magic they were captivated by in England to their own home in Adelaide. Listening as our guide unveils its history, we ramble through the house viewing the many artworks and furnishings. Following our tour we enjoy lunch prior to departing for the Torrens Riverbank. The Popeye vessel has been a constant sight on the Torrens River since 1935 and a ride will allow us to experience views of the city as we cruise to the front entrance of the Zoo and back again.

Day 5: (BD): ADELAIDE HILLS: Thursday 21 October 2021

Today we explore a part of the Adelaide Hills. Winding our way through the towns of Stirling and Mylor we arrive at the biodynamic Jurlique Farm where we are taken on a behind the scenes tour. This working farm will introduce us to the nature and science behind their skincare products including the history of Jurlique, the display garden, seep propagation area, herb drying shed and the farm retail shop. Hahndorf is well worth a stop and whilst here we we'll meet a local guide who will take us on a gentle walking tour of discovery. Having learned about some of the unseen areas of interest, enjoy free time to pick up some lunch and explore the shops and galleries along the main street. Making our way across to the picturesque township of Woodside, we visit a couple of local enterprises. At Woodside Cheese Wrights, taste the superb hand-crafted cheeses and mosey through the range of locally made arts and crafts. Next door is the widely popular Melba's Chocolate and Confectionery Factory, producing old Australian favourite sweets using old era chocolate making equipment. Collect up some goodies before we return to our hotel.

Day 6: (BLD): BAROSSA VALLEY: Friday 22 October 2021

Spring is a great opportunity to visit the lilac fields of the Lyndoch Lavender Farm. With many varieties of lavender grown, we will discover purple blooms and embrace their wonderful scent. A morning tea of scones, jam and cream welcome us to the farm before listening to our guide as they reveal more about the processes behind lavender farming. Our next stop will amaze, as we enter the impressive Grand Ballroom of Chateau Barossa. Housing the largest displays of porcelain in Australia, we are given an insight into this vast collection and how it has come to be here. Over lunch enjoy the surrounds before we are welcomed to the iconic Seppeltsfield Winery. We're taken on the Grand tour to see the Seppelt homestead, elm walk, distillery and blending cellars followed by a hosted tasting in the multi-awarded cellar door. A modern addition to the winery is the workshops at the Jam Factory where we can take a wander prior to returning to Adelaide for our farewell dinner.

Day 7: (B): ADELAIDE TO CANBERRA: Saturday 23 October 2021

Packing our belongings, we thank our hosts and head to the airport. With our Adelaide highlights tour completed, we can enjoy our flight home reflecting on the wonderful experiences we have had (flight details TBA).





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