pottertravel TWEED COAST

8 DAY TOUR

Departing: Tuesday 16 August 2022

Returning: Tuesday 23 August 2022



TOUR COST:

\$2875.00 per person Twin/Double Share \$3430.00 Sole Occupancy

PICK UP TIMES:

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

The Tweed Coast and Valley is one of NSW most underrated holiday destinations. Its vibrant coast, famous fresh produce and incredible scenery are just the beginning. It's a place where charming riverside villages, sparkling coastal towns and hinterland hamlets combine.

DAY 1: (D): HOME TO TWEED HEADS: TUESDAY 16 AUGUST 2022

Welcome to our fabulous tour to the Tweed. The unique region combines unbelievable scenery as it's home to the coast, valley and river. The gorgeous villages are set within a green caldera, the crater of the extinct Tweed Volcano, now covered in rainforest and farmland. We board our flight to Coolangatta and are met by our friendly coach captain on arrival. From here we transfer to our accommodation located in Tweed Heads. Here we are surrounded by the best that this seaside town has to offer including beautiful beaches and fantastic resort facilities.

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DAY 2: (BLD): TROPICAL FRUIT WORLD: WEDNESDAY 17 AUGUST 2022

Our first stop is at Tropical Fruit World where we are introduced to the home of the largest range of tropical and rare fruit in the world! The plantation is situated on the rim of the largest extinct volcano in the Southern Hemisphere and offers breathtaking views over the Tweed Valley and McPherson Ranges. Travelling by tractor train throughout the orchards, we learn and taste the exotic, unusual and delicious fruit varieties grown on the family farm. We travel across the Tumbulgum for lunch overlooking the river at Tumbulgum Tavern. The small, peaceful village sits at the meeting of the Rous River and Tweed River.

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DAY 3: (BLD): TWEED VALLEY: THURSDAY 18 AUGUST 2022

Boarding Tweed Eco Cruises, we journey along the magnificent Tweed River for our River and Rainforest Lunch Cruise. Take in the beauty of the landscape as we cruise through sugar cane fields, tangled mangroves, farmed hills, forested mountains and sub-tropical rainforest. We'll enjoy historical commentary from our captain as we uncover the geological formations, flora and fauna and history of the area. Sit back and enjoy the views as we cruise by Stott's Island, Ukerebagh Island and panoramic views of Wollumbin (Mt Warning) from the top deck.

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DAY 4: (BLD): MURWILLUMBAH: FRIDAY 19 AUGUST 2022

We're off to Murwillumbah this morning for a guided tour of this picturesque town before a visit the Tweed Regional Gallery & Margaret Olley Art Centre. Surrounded by beautiful gardens and lawns and offering panoramic views of the Tweed River, the gallery's world class collection of portraits represents Australians from all walks of life. The Margaret Olley Arts Centre celebrates the career, life and legacy of its namesake, Margaret Olley – Australia's most celebrated painter of still life and interiors. We enjoy Breakfast and dinner at motel | lunch at the Gallery Café lunch in the gallery café before making our way to Tweed Valley Whey Farmhouse Cheeses. Nestled amongst the green pastures where the cows graze is the on-farm outlet where you can taste the delicious cheeses and purchase a range of local products such as potter, cheese knives, artworks and gourmet produce.

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DAY 5: (BLD): BRUNSWICK RIVER & BYRON BAY: SATURDAY 20 AUGUST 2022

This morning we head south to Brunswick Heads for our morning tea cruise on the Brunswick River. Byron Bay Eco Cruises will entertain us, giving informative commentary on the area's history, environment, local culture and bush stories. We enjoy lunch at The Sun Bistro before its all aboard the Solar Train for an enjoyable journey. The restored heritage train operators on energy from the sun as the solar panels on the train and storage shed generate enough energy to not only run the train daily but also have enjoy power for 13 homes for a year. Our journey ends in central Byron Bay where we have free time. Walk along the gorgeous beach, browse the excellent fashion boutiques or enjoy a drink in one of the many bars and restaurants that line the streets.

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DAY 6: (BLD): GOURMET DELIGHTS: SUNDAY 21 AUGUST 2022

After a leisurely breakfast, we head off on our days sightseeing along the Rainforest Way loop to Chillingham where we can join 'Buck' Buchanan for a tour of his fascinating bush tucker garden at Banana Cabana. Lunch today is at Flutterbies Cottage Café that is set within the grounds of a lovely restored Bakery and Butcher store of Tyalgum, Flutterbies is filled with the old-world charm of times gone by.

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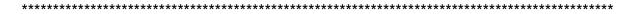
DAY 7: (BD): TWEED HEADS TO WINGHAM: MONDAY 22 AUGUST 2022

We have a travel day ahead travelling through Coffs Harbour and Urunga with a chance to stretch our legs and purchase lunch. We continue past Port Macquarie and arrive in Wingham. We have time to freshen up before our farewell dinner in our motel.

Golf Club Motor Inn, Wingham | (02 6553 0300)

DAY 8: (BL): WINGHAM TO HOME: TUESDAY 23 AUGUST 2022

With our bags packed, we begin our final leg to Canberra today. We stop for lunch in Berowra before arriving home from a fantastic holiday in the Tweed Valley.







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