



## Your Next Great Adventure Starts Here!

Whether you're dreaming of coastal getaways, charming country towns, festive celebrations, or cultural adventures, there's something for everyone in this edition.

We've carefully curated a collection of unforgettable holiday tours—each offering comfort, great company, and memorable experiences. Take a moment, grab a cuppa, and discover where your next journey might take you!

We're Back from Singapore – and already dreaming of what's next! We've just returned from our first international tour in years—an unforgettable journey to vibrant Singapore!

From rich culture to delicious cuisine and dazzling sights, it was a spectacular adventure. A heartfelt thank you to everyone who joined us and made it so special.

So... where to next? Perhaps Japan's stunning autumn leaves or the awe-inspiring landscapes of Canada and Alaska. The world is waiting!

We'd love your input! Be sure to check out the back page of this newsletter for Expressions of Interest in upcoming international and domestic tours for next year.

Let us know what's on your must-see destination list – your feedback helps us create the travel experiences you're dreaming of.

With every tour we design, our goal is to create meaningful experiences filled with laughter, learning, and lasting memories.

From the moment you step aboard the coach to the final farewell, we take care of the details so you can relax and enjoy the journey.

So, where will your next adventure take you? Turn the pages of this newsletter, get inspired, and let your imagination roam. We'd love nothing more than to have you join us for another remarkable travel experience.

*The Potter Travel Team  
and the Deane Family xx*

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#### Potter Travel New Office Hours

Monday - Thursday  
9am - 5pm  
Friday - Closed

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## DAY TOURS



### Christmas in July at Binalong Hotel

**Thursday 3 July 2025**

Last date to book - 13<sup>th</sup> June

Get ready for a festive feast in the heart of winter!  
Join us at the Binalong Hotel for a Christmas in July lunch that will warm your belly and lift your spirits.

Traditional Christmas Roast with all the trimmings.  
Gather your loved ones and celebrate the magic of Christmas in winter!

\$220 pp Members

\$240 pp Non Members



### Christmas in July at Eling Forest Winery

**Friday 25 July 2025**

Last date to book - 16<sup>th</sup> June

Escape to the charm of the Southern Highlands and experience the magic of Christmas in July at Eling Forest Winery!

A sumptuous Christmas-inspired menu with all the seasonal favourites with Entertainment by Platinum Duo performing Holly Holy Christmas.

\$265 pp Members

\$285 pp Non Members

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very best travel insurance  
so you can enjoy every  
moment of your holiday.



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## DAY TOURS



### Nepean Belle Paddlewheeler Luncheon

**Thursday 14 August 2025**

Last date to book - 1<sup>st</sup> July

Step aboard the Nepean Belle Paddlewheeler for a scenic luncheon cruise like no other! Glide along the breathtaking Nepean River, take in the stunning Blue Mountains backdrop, and enjoy a delicious meal while soaking up the serene atmosphere.

\$245 pp Members

\$265 pp Non Members



### Winter Woollies- Crookwell Alpacas

**Thursday 28 August 2025**

Last date to book - 1<sup>st</sup> August

Enjoy a charming winter's day in Crookwell, starting with morning tea in a cosy community hall. Meet friendly alpacas at Greenridge Glen Farm, enjoy a hearty pub lunch, and discover traditional craftsmanship at Lindner Socks. With warm hospitality, local flavours, and hands-on experiences, this delightful country escape offers something special for all.

\$220 pp Members

\$240 pp Non Members



### Australian Botanic Gardens

**Friday 12 September 2025**

Last date to book - 13<sup>th</sup> August

Enjoy a peaceful spring escape to Mount Annan Botanic Gardens. Begin with morning tea, then explore native landscapes on a guided coach tour. Visit the Australian PlantBank for a fascinating behind-the-scenes look at plant conservation. After a relaxed picnic lunch, choose from a range of walking trails. A refreshing day surrounded by nature, arriving home by early evening.

\$230 pp Members

\$250 pp Non Members



### Sakura Matsuri Cherry Blossom Festival

**Saturday 27 September 2025**

Last date to book - 15<sup>th</sup> August

Celebrate spring at Cowra's Sakura Matsuri, a festival of cherry blossoms and Japanese culture. Enjoy music, dance, martial arts, tea ceremonies, and Taiko drumming. Explore food stalls and craft displays at your leisure. Set in the stunning Cowra Japanese Garden, this vibrant day out ends with a relaxed return home in the afternoon.

\$170 pp Members

\$190 pp Non Members



### Jervis Bay Whale Watching

**Thursday 23 October 2025**

Last date to book - 18<sup>th</sup> Sept.

Travel from Canberra to Jervis Bay's pristine shores for a Fish 'n' Chips lunch in Huskisson, followed by a whale watching cruise. From May to November, witness humpback whales migrating along the coast—an unforgettable chance to see these majestic creatures in their natural habitat.

\$285 pp Members

\$305 pp Non Members



### Book of Mormon The Musical

**Sunday 26 October 2025**

Last date to book - 18<sup>th</sup> August

See the hilarious and wildly popular Book of Mormon musical live on stage! This Tony Award-winning show blends outrageous humour with catchy songs and sharp satire. Don't miss this unforgettable theatrical experience that's equal parts clever, irreverent, and absolutely side-splitting. Book your seat now!

\$375 pp Members

\$395 pp Non Members

## DAY TOURS



### Retford Park & Bowral Bees

**Tuesday 28 October 2025**

Last date to book - 16<sup>th</sup> September

Travel to the Southern Highlands for morning tea, a guided tour of Retford Park Estate's grand mansion and gardens, followed by lunch and a honey tasting at Bowral Honey Farm. Finish with time at Ngununggula Regional Gallery before returning to Canberra, enriched by a day of culture and nature.

\$290 pp Members

\$310 pp Non Members



### Back to the Future The Musical

**Wednesday 12 November 2025**

Last date to book - 1<sup>st</sup> September

Enjoy a day trip to Sydney to see the high-energy Back to the Future musical at the Lyric Theatre. Start with morning tea from the coach, then free time for lunch (own expense) to explore nearby eateries. After the show, enjoy a dinner stop before returning to Canberra around 9:30pm.

\$290 pp Members

\$310 pp Non Members



### Mystery Tour BBQ Lunch

**Thursday 20 November 2025**

Last date to book - 15<sup>th</sup> October

Join the Potter Travel Community for a mystery BBQ Day Out! Discover a surprise destination, enjoy local sights, and savor a delicious BBQ lunch with steak, sausages, salads, fresh rolls, fruit, drinks, and sweets. After a fun day, return home with drop-offs from 5pm.

\$180 pp Members

\$200 pp Non Members

## TRAVEL INSURANCE

- Sickness cover
- Luggage lost or damaged
- Cancellation fees
- Lost deposits
- Covid 19 Cover



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TRAVEL INSURANCE



### Members Christmas Lunch

**Friday 12 December 2025**

Last date to book - 1<sup>st</sup> November

Celebrate the season with a joyful day trip to the beautiful Snowy Mountains! Begin with morning tea and a visit to the charming Bredbo Christmas Barn, where festive magic fills every corner—browse unique decorations and gifts while soaking in the holiday spirit. Then journey to Lake Crackenback Resort, nestled among snow gum woodlands and alpine views, for a delicious Christmas lunch at Cuisine Restaurant by the water's edge. Enjoy live musical entertainment, fine food, great company, and spectacular scenery—a perfect festive celebration and a wonderful way to toast another year of travel!

\$295 pp Members



## EXTENDED TOURS



### Zig Zag Railway - Christmas in July

**Wednesday 16 July 2025 - 4 Days**

Step aboard for a magical winter escape, where festive cheer meets breathtaking scenery on this 4-day Christmas in July adventure including Christmas lunch at the Carrington Hotel! Experience the charm of the historic Zig Zag Railway, cozy up by the fire, and indulge in a traditional Christmas feast – all in the stunning Blue Mountains region.

\$1,585 pp Twin/Double Share  
\$1,915 Sole Occupancy



### Capricorn Coast

**Friday 25 July 2025 - 7 Days**

Base yourself in **Rockhampton** for 6 nights, with historic streetscapes, a booming beef industry and extraordinary nature. Spend your days exploring laid back towns, preserved heritage and marvel at the incredible underwater playground of **Great Keppel Island**. Experience the stunning Capricorn Coast on this unforgettable 7-day holiday, where golden beaches, crystal-clear waters, and charming coastal towns await! Whether you're craving relaxation, adventure, or delicious fresh seafood, this trip has it all.

Explore the stunning Keppel Islands – white sandy beaches & turquoise waters. Snorkel or cruise the Great Barrier Reef – a bucket-list experience! Enjoy breathtaking coastal scenery with scenic drives & sunset views. Discover Rockhampton's heritage & wildlife, including crocodile farms. Savour the best local seafood & fresh farm-to-table cuisine.

\$5,960 pp Twin/Double Share \$6,590 Sole Occupancy



### Escape to Luxury

**Tuesday 5 August 2025**

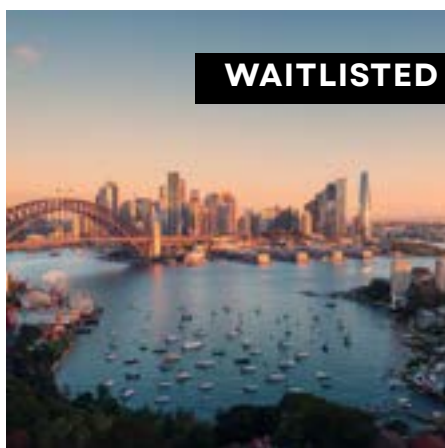
**3 Days**

Last date to book 1<sup>st</sup> July

Indulge in a perfect blend of relaxation, adventure, and delicious food with our exclusive **Lincoln Downs Resort** Holiday Package!

Whether you're craving luxury accommodation, gourmet treats, thrilling wildlife encounters, or tranquil moments, we've got it all covered with this trip.

\$1,360 pp Twin/Double Share  
\$1,600 Sole Occupancy



3 Days / 2 Musicals / 1 City ...

**Wednesday 20 August 2025**

**3 Days**

Last date to book - 23<sup>rd</sup> June

Grab your friends for a wonderful 2 nights in Sydney - Enjoy a Matinee show, **MJ The Musical** and the next day a **Sydney Harbour Cruise** and **Book of Mormon** evening performance.

Enjoy lunch on the last day at **Gledswood Homestead and Winery**.

\$1,820 pp Twin/Double Share  
\$2,230 Sole Occupancy



Winter Mystery Tour

**Tuesday 26 August 2025**

**3 Days**

Last date to book - 18<sup>th</sup> June

Love a good surprise? Pack your bags and embrace the unknown on this exciting 3-day Winter Mystery Tour! Where are we going? That's the mystery! But one thing's for sure – you'll experience stunning scenery, great company, delicious food, and unforgettable surprises along the way.

\$1,500 pp Twin/Double Share  
\$1,715 Sole Occupancy

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## EXTENDED TOURS



### Griffith Citrus & Renmark Rose Festival

**Monday 13 October 2025 - 7 Days**

Last date to book - 1<sup>st</sup> August

Join us on a vibrant 7-day getaway to the heart of the Riverina, where Griffith comes alive with breathtaking blooms, citrus sculptures and regional delights!

Experience the best of Renmark with the sweet scent at the Rose Festival, a stunning celebration of art, culture, and nature, paired with gourmet food, world-class wines, and charming country hospitality.

\$3,250 pp Twin/Double Share    \$3,730 Sole Occupancy



### Norfolk Island

**Wednesday 15 October 2025**

**8 Days**

Last date to Book - 1<sup>st</sup> July

Discover the untouched beauty and rich history of Norfolk Island on this incredible 8-day getaway!

With stunning coastal landscapes, fascinating convict history, and a welcoming island culture, this is the ultimate holiday to unwind and explore.

\$4,710 pp Twin/Double Share  
\$5,165 Sole Occupancy



### Painted Silos and Grampians

**Tuesday 4 November 2025**

**8 Days**

Last date to book - 21<sup>st</sup> August

Explore the breathtaking Grampians National Park with its waterfalls and panoramic views. Discover historic homesteads, stunning gardens, and the incredible Silo Art Trail. This inspiring Western Victoria tour blends natural beauty, culture, and creativity into one unforgettable journey.

\$3,990 pp Twin/Double Share  
\$4,580 Sole Occupancy



### Hilltops Escape

**Monday 8 December 2025**

**2 Days**

Last date to book - 25<sup>th</sup> September

Discover the Hilltops Region—a blend of rural charm, fresh produce, and rich history. Enjoy cherry orchards, historic castles, kelpie demonstrations, bushranger tales, and warm country hospitality. From Jugiong to landra Castle, this scenic escape offers hands-on experiences and unforgettable moments—just a short journey from Canberra.

\$650 pp Twin/Double Share  
\$725 Sole Occupancy



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## BACK to BACK - EXTEND YOUR TOURS

Why take just one holiday when you can combine two incredible tours for the ultimate 19-day escape through South Australia's most breathtaking destinations? From rugged coastlines to the heart of the Outback, this journey is packed with stunning landscapes, wildlife encounters, and unforgettable experiences! Combine the two holidays on this page to create your 19-day holiday of a lifetime.

Kangaroo Island – Explore pristine beaches, wildlife sanctuaries & the iconic Remarkable Rocks.

Adelaide – Discover world-class attractions & vibrant city charm.

Flinders Ranges – Witness ancient landscapes, rugged gorges & breathtaking sunsets.

Lake Eyre – See the vast salt flats transform with water (scenic flight included!).

Wilpena Pound – Explore this natural amphitheater & learn about Indigenous culture.

Scenic Drives & Outback Towns – Journey through charming country towns & hidden gems.

Authentic Outback Experience – Enjoy campfire dinners, starry skies & warm hospitality.



### 8 Day Kangaroo Island & Adelaide Tour

**Saturday 13 September 2025 - 8 Days**

Last day to book - 1<sup>st</sup> July

Create lasting memories of extraordinary wildlife encounters and natural experiences that will be cherished for a lifetime. Travel by coach to Echuca and Berri before staying 3 nights on **Kangaroo Island**, home to native wildlife like **sea lions**, **koalas** and diverse **bird species**. **Flinders Chase National Park** boasts stunning coastal vistas including the inspiring **Admirals Arch** and where you can observe a colony of **New Zealand Fur Seals** in their natural habitat. Visit the **Adelaide Botanical Gardens** and **Haigh's Chocolate Factory** before your flight home.

**\*This tour can be combined with the Flinders Ranges & Lake Eyre Tour below\***

\$5,545 pp Twin/Double Share

\$6,335 Sole Occupancy



### 11 Day Flinders Ranges & Lake Eyre Tour

**Monday 22 September 2025 - 11 Days**

Last day to book - 7<sup>th</sup> July

Embark on an unforgettable trip to the **South Australian Outback**. Discover the **Flinders Ranges** known for some of the most dramatic and beautiful **landscapes** in the country and historic **Marree**, also known as the gateway to **spectacular Lake Eyre**. Fly from Canberra to Adelaide with 2 nights at **Wilpena Pound**.

Included is an **incredible scenic flight** to look at the spectacular **Kati Thanda - Lake Eyre** and view the **Marree Man**. Stay 2 nights at the **Arkaroola Wilderness Sanctuary**, with its geological history reaching back two-billion years showing its towering **granite peaks** and magnificent **gorges**. Coach home via Port Augusta, Mildura and Griffith.

**\*This tour can be combined with the Kangaroo Island & Adelaide Tour above\***

\$7,895 pp Twin/Double Share

\$8,945 Sole Occupancy

# EXPRESSION OF INTEREST

Thank You for Travelling with Us!

Your support and enthusiasm mean the world to us. By sharing your Expression of Interest, you help us craft even better travel experiences for the future. We'd love to know—what's on your travel bucket list? Whether it's local gems or far-flung adventures, your ideas inspire our next tours!

Full Name:

Email:

## PLEASE RATE YOUR LEVEL OF INTEREST IN THE FOLLOWING TOURS

	Very High	Interested	Somewhat Interested	Low Interest	Not Interested
<b>Lord Howe Island 2026</b> Pristine beaches, crystal-clear waters, and unforgettable island serenity.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
<b>P.S. Australian Star</b> Step back in time with a charming paddle-steamer river cruise experience.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
<b>Uluru</b> Connect with Australia's heart through ancient landscapes and cultural stories.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
<b>Great Ocean Road</b> Journey along one of the world's most scenic coastal drives.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
<b>Tasmania</b> Discover Tasmania's wild beauty, gourmet flavours, heritage towns, and vineyards.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
<b>Winery Tour</b> Sip, savour, and explore scenic vineyards on a relaxing wine journey.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
<b>Overseas Adventures</b> Japan, Canada, Alaska, Europe? Tell us below where you'd love to go!	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
<b>Cruise</b> Princess Cruise - South Pacific April 2026	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

## WHICH PLACE IS NEXT ON YOUR BUCKET LIST?

Would you recommend Potter Travel to others?

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Yes

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Maybe

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No

## WHAT CAN WE IMPROVE FOR YOUR NEXT VISIT?