

# AUSTRALIA NEW ZEALAND

2022-2023



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Milford Sound, Fiordland National Park




### Cover Image:

#### Uluru Barbecue Dinner, Northern Territory

AAT Kings invites you to an exclusive Aussie Barbecue dinner under the stars, so close to iconic Uluru, you can almost touch it.

# Australia & New Zealand, but not as you *know* them.



At a time when exclusivity is the world's greatest travel luxury, Australia and New Zealand tick every box. They deliver every wide and wonderful landscape conceivable, from soaring sacred monoliths to fabulous fiords; from tangles of rainforest to majestic mountain ranges. And in between await innumerable soul stirring stories to hear, characters to meet, adventures to enjoy, meals to savour, and spirits to accompany. We've spent the last century perfecting a Holy Grail of life-changing moments Down Under – ones you likely never knew even existed, and that you won't find in a guidebook or listed on any website. Our DNA has never changed – we are, and always have been pioneers committed to worry-free and sustainable travel, revealing Australia and New Zealand in a way that you never imagined possible.

## Amazing Experiences

We were built on pioneering spirit, and to this day our trips include adventures that few others experience. We're constantly looking for ways to make journeys extraordinary, whether it's an Uluru Sunrise Field of Light or lunch on a dairy farm. This is Australia and New Zealand, but not as you've ever seen them.

## Diverse Travel Styles

What you want from your vacation is not necessarily the same as your neighbour. Sometimes, it's about adventure. Often, it's a good glass of wine and a remarkable view. Perhaps you want to see major sights, or choose your own path while we handle the main roads. Whatever your destination and route, we have an itinerary for you.

## Conscious Travel

There are plenty of things we can all do while traveling to contribute to sustainable tourism practices. We've developed a series of tours with signature **MAKE TRAVEL MATTER®** Experiences – to ensure travel has a positive impact on our planet, the communities we visit and the wildlife we encounter.

## Worry-free Travel

Your wellbeing is our primary concern. In addition to elevated hygiene protocols, AAT Kings trips guarantee upgraded coach air-con filtration systems. We only work with partners we know and trust, and our Travel Directors ensure everything runs smoothly, with a support team on call.

## Family Values

When you travel with AAT Kings, you're not only part of our century-old heritage, but are welcomed into just as many years of experience in The Travel Corporation. Journey confidently knowing our family-owned parent company has welcomed millions of people around the world across its brands.

# Amazing Experiences

Every year, millions of adventure-seekers visit Australia and New Zealand. But to really get to know a place – to take its pulse as an insider – you need to follow the lead of locals. We've spent the last 100 years exploring the Antipodes, meeting farmers, winemakers, chefs, Indigenous experts, artists, and astronomers, and creating lasting friendships. The kind that now give us – and you, as our guests – unrestricted and unrivaled access to parts of the country that other travelers just can't go, and to exclusive experiences most will probably never know existed. We'll take you places, and our passionate people will reveal their true beauty.

## Stop to smell (and taste) the flowers, TAS

A century ago, a London perfumer paused to plant French lavender in Tasmania. Today, the site – Bridestowe Lavender Estate – is a fragrant welcome to the state's north, replete with a charming café where you can linger to sample oh-so-memorable lavender ice-cream, visit the lavender distillery or taste honey from the purest pollen in the world. This is a working farm, so regardless of when you visit, you'll experience flower power in its full glory.

## All aboard for the Southern Alps! NZ

One of the world's great rail journeys, the TranzAlpine train offers a front-row seat to the South Island's most epic landscapes between Greymouth and Christchurch. Jump aboard to traverse the Canterbury Plains, chugging through immense beech forest, over viaducts, across river-carved gorges and past the ice-fed Waimakariri River, backdropped by the snow-capped Southern Alps. This historic route has been in operation since 1914, and is no less spectacular today than it was more than a century ago.



TranzAlpine Train, South Island

## Get set for a peak performance, Milford Sound, NZ

New Zealand boasts more than its fair share of natural wonders, none quite as dramatic as Milford Sound within World Heritage listed Te Wahipounamu reserve. Waterfalls tumble from escarpments into inky water, glaciers sparkle from clifftops and mountains scrape the sky – it's a natural haven for fur seals, penguins and dolphins, which you'll observe firsthand on a scenic cruise through the sound. Back on land, your journey through Fiordland National Park continues to Te Anau, from rainforest through wildflower-dusted meadows and across alluvial flats.

## Cruise to a Natural Wonder, QLD

Slice through the azure waters on board a high-speed catamaran to the Great Barrier Reef and to an astounding wonderland 'Down Under'. Witness the utopia beneath the ocean surface, observing the diversity of this living wall that spans over 1,400 miles along Australia's Queensland coast. You can snorkel and view this natural living wonder up-close or stay dry and explore the stunning reef from a semi-submersible craft.

## Dinner in a sanctuary, NT

If you've ever wondered how wide the world really is, you'll gain some perspective at Earth Sanctuary in the middle of the Alice Springs outback. One of Australia's first carbon-neutral tourism ventures, this family-managed wilderness property offers an exclusive Be My Guest barbecue dinner, while you chat with owner-brothers Tom and Danny about their sustainable lifestyle on the land – and the dazzling stars above. Their knowledge of the night sky will leave you speechless.

## Churn things up on a dairy farm, Waikato, NZ

The Waikato countryside, 150 kilometres south of Auckland, is the stuff of postcards. It's particularly pretty at The Red Barn, a fully functioning dairy farm where you'll not only meet the gorgeous wide-eyed cows, but also try your hand at churning butter – then spread it thick on freshly baked breads before sitting down to a paddock-to-plate, country-style lunch with your hosts. It doesn't get any fresher.



The Red Barn, North Island



Bridestowe Lavender Estate, Tasmania

4.8/5

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independent & transparent satisfaction rating

Experience places that will fill you with wonder and let us take you beneath the surface to show you the enchanting beauty and soul of these two truly diverse countries. From the white sandy beaches of the Great Barrier Reef to the snow-capped mountains of New Zealand's South Island, you'll learn the history of these lands and be inspired by their ancient cultures. Our experts' knowledge and passion for showcasing Australia & New Zealand is unrivaled, making our Guided Holidays a truly unforgettable experience. But we'll let you see it for yourself and hear it in our guests' own words.

## A Great way to see New Zealand.

AAT Kings delivers a quality product in that the buses, tour directors & drivers, accommodation and sight seeing tours are of a very high standard. In fact, as my tour progressed there was definitely a family (whanau) vibe among the group – which was promoted by our outstanding tour director, Hope. Overall, I cannot imagine a better way to see New Zealand.

David ★★★★★



@Juliasteale Mount Cook

## Can't wait to go touring again.

Was wonderful in every way. We intend travelling with AAT KINGS again next year when we go to New Zealand. Tour guide and drivers went out of their way to help in any way they could. Best holiday I have ever been on.

Leanne Y ★★★★★

# Explore Australia & New Zealand

The vibrant colour and irresistible spirit of Australia can be found everywhere, across its vast plains and mountain ranges, beaches and islands. So many unforgettable moments await you – watch the sun turn golden across waterlily-filled Kakadu billabongs or explore some of the world’s most pristine beaches in Tasmania’s Freycinet.

From glacial-carved gorges to immense lakes, from rainforest-draped national parks to snowy peaks, New Zealand is diverse and dramatic. Cruise in the company of penguins across Milford Sound and immerse yourself in both the beauty and importance Māori culture.

This is where magical travel moments are made.

**Nitmiluk National Park**  
Be drawn to the spectacular sandstone country of Nitmiluk National Park and the majestic Katherine Gorge with spectacular cliffs that glow in the changing light.

**Uluru**  
Australia's most sacred Indigenous site, mighty Uluru stands proud, watching over the Red Centre, its history filled with myth and legend.

**Great Barrier Reef**  
One of the seven natural wonders of the world, to experience the Great Barrier Reef is to explore an underwater paradise of color and life.

**Waitomo Caves**  
Glide through a sparkling underground cave system lit by thousands of glowworms, and tour the incredible limestone caverns.

**Waitangi Treaty Grounds**  
Immerse yourself in the stories, people and history of Aotearoa, before standing on the spot where New Zealand's founding document was signed.

**Lake Tekapo**  
View the Church of the Good Shepherd and its bronze sheepdog monument, beside the astonishing turquoise and glacial limestone lake.

**Queenstown**  
Take on New Zealand's amazing adventure capital with a wide range of activities, from winery tours to high-speed thrills!

**Milford Sound**  
Cruise this multifaceted jewel of magnificent Fiordland, once described as the world's 8th natural wonder.

**Freycinet National Park**  
Marvel at Wineglass Bay, one of the world's most beautiful beaches, in perfect formation, surrounded by ancient native bushland.

**The Pinnacles**  
The lunar-like Pinnacles are thousands of limestone spires, rising eerily out of the desert sands of Nambung National Park.

**Regions and Landmarks:**  
**Northern Territory:** Darwin, Katherine Gorge, Kakadu National Park, Litchfield National Park, Kununurra.  
**Western Australia:** Perth, Margaret River, Wave Rock, Valley of the Giants, Cape Le Grand National Park, Kalgoorlie, Flinders Ranges, Coober Pedy, The Barossa, Kangaroo Island, Mount Gambier, Great Ocean Road.  
**South Australia:** Adelaide, Alice Springs, Kings Canyon, Kata Tjuta, Alice Springs.  
**Queensland:** Brisbane, Gold Coast, Byron Bay, Coffs Harbour, Fraser Island, Great Barrier Reef, Atherton Tablelands, The Daintree, Kuranda Cairns, Airlie Beach.  
**New South Wales:** Sydney, Hunter Valley, Blue Mountains.  
**Victoria:** Melbourne.  
**Tasmania:** Hobart, Freycinet National Park, Port Arthur, Cradle Mountain, Gordon River, Launceston.  
**New Zealand:** Auckland, Wellington, Christchurch, Queenstown, Dunedin, Nelson, Kapiti Coast, Rotorua, Taupo, Hawke's Bay, Napier, Bay of Islands, Paihia, Whangarei, Orewa, Waiheke Island, Punakaiki, Greymouth, Arthur's Pass, Franz Josef Glacier, Mt. Cook, Twizel, Tekapo, Oamaru, Te Anau, Fiordland National Park.

# Highlights of Australia & New Zealand

## Highlights

### Local Connection

Nothing dazzles like the NT outback's night sky, as you'll discover visiting a pioneering family-owned eco-property.

### Insider Knowledge

The magic of World Heritage listed Milford Sound comes to life when you're cruising in the company of NZ's most informed guides.

### Cultural Immersion

If you've never eaten a hangi, you're missing out. It's on the menu at Tamaki Māori Village, celebrating NZ's cultural heritage and preserving traditions.

### Sustainable Footprints

Your vacation of a lifetime protects Uluru, Kakadu and Litchfield, with National Parks fees preserving Australia's immense wilderness areas.



Kata Tjuta

### 1 Welcome to Melbourne

Meet your Travel Director this evening at a Welcome Reception and dinner. **Hotel: Crowne Plaza, 3 nights. DW**

### 2 Melbourne

Explore Melbourne on a city sights tour this morning, and then discover its gracious arcades, eclectic laneways and vibrant street art on a private walking tour. The rest of your day is free. **B**

### 3 Melbourne Free Time

Today is free to further explore Melbourne. Consider an optional experience trip along the Great Ocean Road or visit Phillip Island to witness the Penguin Parade. **B**

### 4 Melbourne – Alice Springs

Fly to Alice Springs and visit the School of the Air and the historic Telegraph Station. Join the Falzon family for a home-cooked Be My Guest gourmet barbecue dinner. **Hotel: Mercure Alice Springs Resort. B BG**

### 5 Alice Springs – Uluru

Travel through the West MacDonnell Ranges to Uluru. Sparkling wine is served as you watch the sun set over the world's largest monolith. **Hotel: Desert Gardens, Ayers Rock Resort, 2 nights. B**

### 6 Uluru & Kata Tjuta

Witness the magical Uluru sunrise, and then hear stories of the Anangu, caretakers of this remote arid landscape, while touring the base of Uluru. Later, travel over red desert plains to Kata Tjuta, and take a walk through the towering domes of this majestic rock formation. Share sparkling wine with your traveling companions over another glorious sunset. **B**

### 7 Uluru – Cairns

Depart the resort in total darkness for the short drive to Bruce Munro's renowned Field of Light. Later, join an Indigenous artist for a fun introduction to Western Desert Art. In the afternoon, fly to Cairns in Tropical North Queensland. **Hotel: Shangri-La, 3 nights. B**

### 8 Cairns Free Time

Today is free time here with many tempting optional experiences. **B**

### 9 Great Barrier Reef

Board a high-speed catamaran and cruise to the iconic Great Barrier Reef. You can go snorkeling (equipment provided), or view the coral and tropical fish from the underwater observatory and semi-submersible craft. Enjoy a tropical buffet lunch on board before you return to Cairns. Dine tonight at a restaurant on the waterfront. **B L DW**

### 10 Cairns – Sydney

This afternoon you'll fly to Sydney for an evening at leisure in this harbor city. **Hotel: InterContinental, 3 nights. B**

### 11 Sydney Free Time

You have a full day to explore – the choice is yours. **B**

### 12 Sydney

Begin your day with a behind-the-scenes guided tour of the Sydney Opera House before a Sydney Harbour Lunch Cruise enjoying million-dollar views. Later, feel the sand between your toes at Bondi Beach. Celebrate your time in Australia with dinner at Portside Restaurant, under the sails of the Opera House. **B DW**

### 13 Sydney – Auckland

Fly across the Tasman Sea this morning to the island nation of New Zealand, and meet your Travel Director for dinner at your hotel. **Hotel: The Grand by SkyCity, 2 nights. B DW**

### 14 Auckland

A morning city sightseeing tour is followed by free time to relax or explore Auckland. Perhaps join an optional experience to Waiheke Island for a wine tour. **B**

### 15 Auckland – Rotorua

In Rotorua, visit Rainbow Springs Nature Park and learn about New Zealand's national bird and the work being done to save it and how your visit contributes to it. An evening of culture and history awaits you at the Tamaki Māori Village. Enjoy a cultural performance and Highlight Dinner, an authentic Māori Hangi steamed underground in the traditional way. **Hotel: Millennium. B HD**

### 16 Rotorua – Auckland – Queenstown

Enjoy breakfast in the charming village of Hobbiton, the movie set of the iconic The Lord of the Rings and The Hobbit Trilogies, before continuing to Auckland to board your flight to Queenstown. **Hotel: Millennium, 3 nights. B**

### 17 Milford Sound

Travel along the shores of Lake Wakatipu and over the Devil's Staircase to Te Anau. At Mirror Lakes, stroll the winding boardwalks and then head to the Chasm. At Milford Sound, cruise past sheer cliffs, massive waterfalls, glaciers and white-capped peaks. **B L**

### 18 Queenstown Free Time

Relax and explore in Queenstown today. This evening join your fellow travelers for a Highlight Dinner at Postmasters Cottage. **B HD**

### 19 Queenstown – Lake Tekapo

Visit the historic gold-mining village of Arrowtown before indulging in delicious stone fruit at Cromwell. Spend the evening stargazing in the UNESCO Aoraki Mackenzie International Dark Sky Reserve. **Hotel: Peppers Bluewater Resort. B DW**

### 20 Lake Tekapo – Christchurch

Head north through South Canterbury en route to Christchurch, a city coming back to life in a whole new way. **Hotel: Distinction, 2 nights. B**

### 21 Christchurch

Meet Isabelle and Tim Weston for a By My Guest morning tea at their home, Britten Stables. Formerly horse stables, the couple restored the property and transformed it into the exquisite home it is today. Spend the last evening with your Travel Director at a Farewell Dinner. **B BG FD**

### 22 Farewell from Christchurch

Say farewell when your vacation comes to an end this morning after breakfast and you are transferred to Christchurch Airport for your onward flight. **B**

From **\$13950\***

per person double share land and internal-vacation airfares

## Departure Dates

2022	2023
Apr 10	Jan 01, 08, 15, 22, 29
May 29	Feb 05, 12, 19, 26
Jun 26	Mar 05, 12, 19, 26
Aug 28	
Sep 11, 25	
Oct 09, 30	
Nov 06, 13, 20, 27	
Dec 11, 25	

A limited number of single rooms are available. Ask your travel agent at time of booking.

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## Dining

21 Full breakfasts **B** 4 Dinners with wine **DW**  
 1 Be My Guest morning tea **BG** 2 Highlight Dinners **HD**  
 3 Lunches **L** 1 Farewell Dinner **FD**  
 1 Be My Guest dinner **BG**

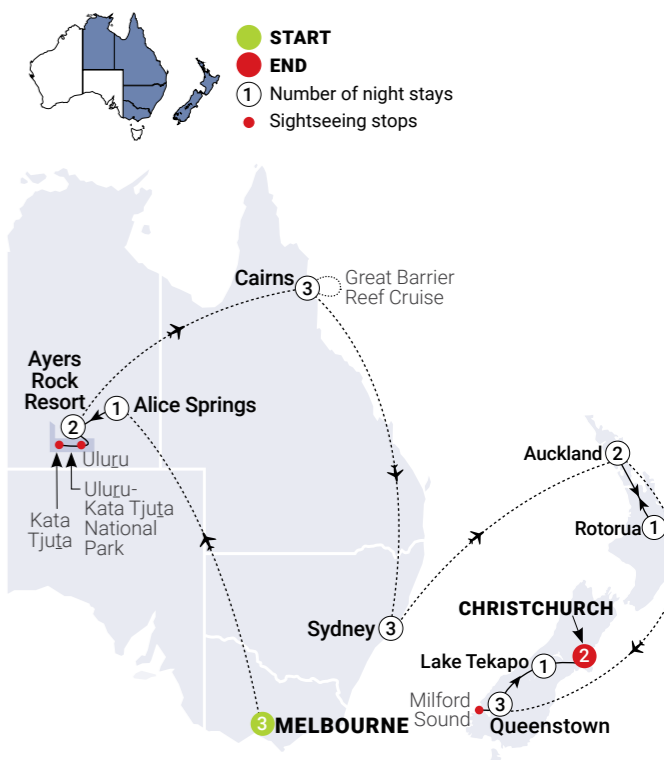
## Flight Information

Day 1 – flights to arrive prior to 12 noon into Melbourne Airport  
 Day 22 – flights to depart anytime from Christchurch Airport

\*Internal-vacation flights: Please note that the price above includes land and internal-vacation airfares, which are required to be booked in order to fulfil the vacation itinerary:

Day 4 – Melbourne to Alice Springs  
 Day 7 – Ayers Rock to Cairns  
 Day 10 – Cairns to Sydney  
 Day 13 – Sydney to Auckland  
 Day 16 – Auckland to Queenstown

Return airfares from your home port are not included in the price above.



# Contrasts of Australia & New Zealand

## Highlights

### Local Connection

The Weston family broke records with the motorcycle designed in their garage. See where the magic happened over morning tea.

### Insider Knowledge

Craft beer is big business in Sydney, and you'll discover how it's made in a neighbourhood brewery masterclass.

### Cultural Immersion

Indigenous culture is celebrated and sustained at Tamaki Māori Village. You'll enjoy a traditional hangi meal and revealing cultural performance.

### Sustainable Footprints

Wendy's Secret Garden is one of Sydney's most enchanting hideaways, its future ensured thanks to your visit.

## 7 Sydney

Today you'll explore the vibrant Inner West of Sydney. Tour Newtown, a community rich with a lively culture and home to numerous street art sites. Continue through Marrickville, recently named the 10th 'coolest' and most liveable neighbourhood in the world. In Dulwich Hill you'll visit Dear Delicious café. Meet owner Greg in his sustainable garden and learn how he has brought urban farming to the community. Enjoy a Be My Guest lunch made with fresh local produce. Around the corner is Batch Brewery where you'll meet owner Andrew. Take part in a masterclass and learn how they combine creatively inspired limited release batches with sustainable practices. **B BG**

## 8 Sydney

Visit Wendy's Secret Garden at Lavender Bay, overlooking Sydney Harbour. Meet a local volunteer and learn the story of how the garden was formed from unused wasteland and how it is maintained by a group of volunteer gardeners. Most importantly, your visit provides a contribution to the ongoing maintenance of the enchanting garden. This evening join your Travel Director and fellow travelers for dinner on the harborfront. **B DW**

## 9 Sydney – Auckland

Fly across the Tasman Sea to the island nation of New Zealand. You'll meet your Travel Director over dinner this evening at Gusto at the Grand, at your hotel. **Hotel: The Grand by SkyCity, 2 nights. B DW**

## 10 Auckland

A morning city sightseeing tour is followed by free time when you can relax or explore along the waterfront. **B**

## 11 Auckland – Rotorua

On arrival in Rotorua, visit Rainbow Springs Nature Park for a guided tour of the National Kiwi Hatchery Aotearoa, the country's leader in kiwi husbandry. Learn about the work being done to save this rare, native bird. This evening, enjoy a Hangi Highlight Dinner and cultural performance at the Tamaki Māori Village. **Hotel: Millennium. B HD**

## 12 Rotorua – Auckland - Queenstown

Enjoy breakfast in the charming village of Hobbiton, the movie set of The Lord of the Rings and The Hobbit Trilogies. Enjoy breakfast 'on set' before you're treated to a guided tour stopping in the Alexander family sheep farm, past Hobbit Holes, the the Mill. Return to Auckland to board your flight to Queenstown. **Hotel: Millennium, 3 nights. B**

## 13 Milford Sound Cruise

Travel through Fiordland National Park to glorious Milford Sound. Cruise among sheer cliffs, massive waterfalls, glaciers and rainforest before you return to Queenstown in the late afternoon. **B L**

## 14 Queenstown Free Time

Explore exciting Queenstown your way today. This evening join your fellow travelers for a Highlight Dinner at Postmasters Cottage. **B HD**

## 15 Queenstown – Lake Tekapo

Leave the alpine wonderland for Lake Tekapo, traveling through Arrowtown, and Cromwell with its gorgeous stone fruit before viewing the Church of the Good Shepherd. Spend the evening stargazing in the UNESCO Aoraki Mackenzie International Dark Sky Reserve. **Hotel: Peppers Bluewater Resort. B DW**

## 16 Lake Tekapo – Christchurch

Travel through South Canterbury, visiting the charming village of Geraldine on your way to Christchurch. **Hotel: Distinction, 2 nights. B**

## 17 Christchurch

After a city sights tour, you're invited by hosts Tim and Isabelle Weston for a unique Be My Guest experience over morning tea in their home, which was formerly horse stables. This evening, join your Travel Director for a Farewell Dinner. **B BG FD**

## 18 Farewell from Christchurch

Say farewell to new-found friends as you are transferred to Christchurch Airport for your onward flight. **B**

From **\$10867\***

per person double share land and internal-vacation airfares

## Departure Dates

2022	2023
Apr 14	Jan 05, 12, 19, 26
May 12	Feb 02, 09, 16, 23
Jun 02, 30	Mar 02, 09, 16, 23, 30
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Dec 01, 08, 15, 29	

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## Dining

17 Full breakfasts B  
1 Be My Guest lunch BG  
2 Lunches L  
1 Be My Guest morning tea BG

2 Highlight Dinners HD  
6 Dinners with wine DW  
1 Farewell Dinner FD

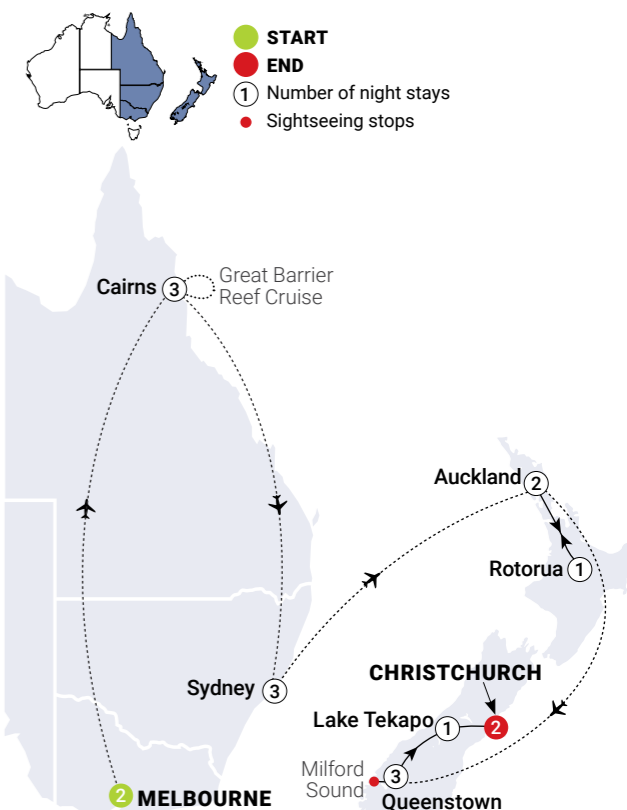
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Day 6 – Cairns to Sydney  
Day 9 – Sydney to Auckland  
Day 12 – Auckland to Queenstown

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## 1 Welcome to Melbourne

Get to know your Travel Director and fellow travelers this evening at a Welcome Reception and dinner. **Hotel: Crowne Plaza, 2 nights. DW**

## 2 Melbourne

Explore Melbourne on a city sights tour this morning, then discover its historic arcades, eclectic laneways and vibrant street art on a private walking tour. You'll have the rest of the day free. **B**

## 3 Melbourne – Cairns

Depart Melbourne by air this morning for Cairns, where you'll join a local expert for a wildlife journey at Hartley's Crocodile Adventures. Enjoy a cruise where you're sure to encounter koalas, wallabies and crocodiles. Then join us and take part in a Rainforest Restoration project to protect this natural wonder. **Hotel: Hilton, 3 nights. B**

## 4 Great Barrier Reef

Board a high-speed catamaran today and cruise out to the iconic Great Barrier Reef. You'll have the opportunity to go snorkeling (equipment provided), or view the spectacular coral and tropical fish from the underwater observatory and semi-submersible craft. Enjoy a tropical buffet lunch on board before you return to Cairns. **B L**

## 5 Cairns Free Time

Enhance your free day with one of our recommended optional experiences. Embark on a Scenic Railway journey to Kuranda to explore 'the village in the rainforest' and take the Skyrail Rainforest Cableway on the return journey through some of the oldest rainforest in the world. Tonight, join your companions for dinner at Ochre Restaurant on the waterfront. **B DW**

## 6 Cairns – Sydney

This morning you'll fly to Sydney, where you'll have time to relax or explore before boarding a Dinner Cruise. Glide past magnificent waterfront homes, the legendary Harbour Bridge and Sydney Opera House. **Hotel: Hyatt Regency, Darling Harbour View Room, 3 nights. B DW**

# Wonders of Australia & New Zealand

## Highlights

### Local Connection

Meet Laura Koot, who hails from a South Island sheep farm and is passionate about the animals she protects.

### Insider Knowledge

You've seen the sails before, but what are the stories backstage at Sydney's Opera House? Discover them with a cultural ambassador.

### Cultural Immersion

It's one thing visiting Brisbane, it's another seeing the city through Indigenous eyes on a walking tour with Meeanjin guides.

### Sustainable Footprints

Give back to the Sydney community, preparing a meal at Our Big Kitchen in Bondi to feed those in need.



Walter Peak High Country Farm, Queenstown

From **\$9141\***

per person double share land and internal-vacation airfares

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May 12	Feb 16
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Nov 03	
Dec 01	

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## Dining

14 Full breakfasts B	4 Dinners with wine DW
1 Lunch L	1 Highlight Dinner HD
1 Be My Guest dinner BG	1 Farewell Dinner FD

## Flight Information

Day 1 – flights to arrive prior to 2.00pm into Brisbane Airport  
Day 15 – flights to depart after 2.00pm from Auckland Airport

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Day 3 – Brisbane to Hamilton Island  
Day 6 – Hamilton Island to Sydney  
Day 9 – Sydney to Queenstown  
Day 12 – Queenstown to Auckland

Return airfares from your home port are not included in the price above.

### 1 Welcome to Brisbane

Meet your Travel Director at a Welcome Reception, before a Be My Guest experience at City Winery, Brisbane's first urban winery. Over a dinner hosted by the Group Sommelier or Winemaker, you'll learn about the inner workings of this micro-winery, which sources grapes from across Australia's celebrated wine regions. **Hotel: Adina Apartment, 2 nights. BG**

### 2 Brisbane

This morning you'll head to Australia Zoo's Wildlife Hospital. Australia's wildlife is uniquely its own and much-loved by the world. Go behind the scenes to see how the Australia Zoo Wildlife Hospital is giving injured wildlife a second chance. Over a twelve-month period, between 6,000 and 8,000 animals are brought to the hospital for lifesaving treatment. Then join an indigenous walking tour of Brisbane, where you'll uncover the fascinating history, art and rich cultural heritage of Meeanjin (Brisbane City) with a local Aboriginal guide. **B**

### 3 Brisbane – Hamilton Island

Fly to Hamilton Island, in the heart of the Whitsundays. Book your spot on a sun lounge at the pool, head for a walk on one of the island's many hiking trails or grab a golf buggy to explore this car-free coastal wonderland at your own pace (driver's licence required). Enjoy sunset cocktails at One Tree Hill with some of the best views over the Whitsundays. **Hotel: Reef View, Hamilton Island, 3 nights. B DW**

### 4 Great Barrier Reef

Cruise across the blue waters to the hidden corners and colorful depths of the Great Barrier Reef. Swim and snorkel off the floating pontoon and experience the amazing marine life and more than 1,400 species of coral before enjoying a buffet lunch in paradise. Consider an Optional Experience scenic flight to view the Great Barrier Reef from above. **B L**

### 5 Hamilton Island Free Time

Spend the day in complete relaxation or continue exploring the natural beauty of the island. Lace up your hiking boots and head up Passage Peak for flagship views across the archipelago. Don your swimmers for a dip in

the warm waters off Catseye Beach or go in search of Coral Cove, one of the island's most secluded stretches of beach. We highly recommend booking an Optional Experience catamaran cruise to Whitehaven, the most beautiful beach in all the Whitsundays. **B**

### 6 Hamilton Island – Sydney

Sneak in one last swim and soak up the views, soon you'll board your flight to Sydney. This evening, catch the sunset from Sydney's Darling Harbour. Enjoy your perfect introduction to Sydney, watching the city light up around you as you dine at a waterside restaurant. **Hotel: Hyatt Regency, Darling Harbour View Room, 3 nights. B DW**

### 7 Sydney

Walk up the steps and under the sails of the iconic Sydney Opera House on a Behind the Scenes tour with a local guide. Then, for a change of scene, you'll head to Bondi Beach where you're free to wander along the promenade. Later join us at Our Big Kitchen, a community organisation that encourages individuals to help provide meals for those in need. **B**

### 8 Sydney Free Time

Get your final fix of Sydney. Perhaps get your adrenaline racing with a thrilling walk up (and over) Sydney Harbour Bridge. This evening, join your Travel Director for dinner on a Sydney Harbour cruise. **B DW**

### 9 Sydney – Queenstown

It's time to say *Hoo Roo* Australia and *Kia Ora* New Zealand as you fly to Queenstown. On arrival, delve into the gold-mining village of Arrowtown. **Hotel: Millennium, 3 nights. B**

### 10 Queenstown

Get a feel for real country life over a Be My Guest experience with your host, Southern Girl Laura, who was born and raised on a sheep farm in the deep south of New Zealand. Laura is sure you'll leave feeling more like a local than a visitor. Early evening, enjoy a peaceful cruise across Lake Wakatipu aboard the TSS Earnslaw to Walter Peak High Country Farm for a gourmet barbecue Highlight Dinner at the Colonel's Homestead, and an entertaining after-dinner farm show. **B HD**

### 11 Queenstown Free Time

On this free day, consider an Optional Experience cruise on Milford Sound past sheer cliffs, white-capped peaks and waterfalls. Or tempt your tastebuds on a wine tour of the Otago region. **B**

### 12 Queenstown – Auckland

The City of Sails is beckoning you as you fly to Auckland. The evening is free, so why not dine in the 'heart of the city', Federal Street, a hotspot for food lovers right on your doorstep. **Hotel: The Grand by SkyCity. B**

### 13 Auckland – Rotorua

Join a local guide in a starry wonderland – a cavernous galaxy of twinkling bright green and blue glowworms that light up the Ruakuri Cave at Waitomo. This evening, join your hosts at the Mitai Māori Village for an authentic introduction to Māori culture. Experience a cultural performance and delicious Hangi feast. **Hotel: Millennium, 2 nights. B DW**

### 14 Rotorua

Visit Rainbow Springs Nature Park for a guided tour of the National Kiwi Hatchery Aotearoa, the national leader in kiwi husbandry. Watch the eggs being incubated, the hatching process, and newly hatched kiwi chicks. Continue to the Living Māori Village Whakarewarewa and gain insights into the lives of the Māori people and the special bond they share with this ancient land. Later join your Travel Director for a Farewell Dinner at Terrace Kitchen on the lakefront, with dishes featuring ingredients just picked from the onsite garden. **B FD**

### 15 Farewell from Rotorua and Auckland

Bid farewell to your epic Antipodean adventure as you are transferred from Rotorua to Auckland Airport for your onward flight. **B**





# Outback Adventure

## Highlights

### Local Connection

Discover the dazzling night sky in the middle of the outback, glimpsed from a ground-breaking, off-grid eco-property.

### Insider Knowledge

Those in the know take you behind the scenes for exclusive moments in vineyards, opal caves and remote Kakadu billabongs.

### Cultural Immersion

Learn the legends behind 40,000-year-old rock art that decorates humbling sites at Ubirr in Kakadu.

### Sustainable Footprints

Your travels help protect Australia's most magical wilderness areas, including Litchfield National Park, Kakadu and Uluru-Kata Tjuta.



Kings Canyon Resort

### 1 Welcome to Adelaide

On arrival today, explore the major sights of the city. Later, join a local food expert for a guided tour of the vibrant Adelaide Central Market. Relax this evening at a Welcome Reception and dinner. **Hotel: Crowne Plaza. B DW**

### 2 Adelaide – Flinders Ranges

Drive through the rolling hills of the Clare Valley for a wine tasting at the historic Knappestein Enterprise Winery. Continue to Hawker, where you'll meet local artist Jeff and view his spectacular 30 metre panoramic painting of the Flinders Ranges. Later, travel through the ranges to Wilpena Pound. **Hotel: Wilpena Pound Resort. B DW**

### 3 Flinders Ranges – Port Augusta

Take a walk with your Travel Director to the faithfully-restored Hills Homestead and Wangara Lookout, which affords panoramic views over Wilpena Pound. Journey through the historic town of Quorn to Port Augusta. Visit Wadlata Outback Centre before dining at a local restaurant. **Hotel: Majestic Oasis Apartments. B DW**

### 4 Port Augusta – Coober Pedy

Visit a former rocket-testing site at Woomera before traveling through salt-lake country to isolated Coober Pedy, regarded by many as the opal capital of the world. View an opal demonstration with a local expert, who'll then lead you through some of the town's iconic underground buildings. **Hotel: Desert Cave. B DW**

### 5 Coober Pedy – Uluru

Cross the border into the Northern Territory and continue to Uluru-Kata Tjuta National Park. Sparkling wine is served this evening as you witness the sunset over Australia's most renowned natural landmark. **Guests join this afternoon in Uluru (Code: NUAD). Hotel: Desert Gardens, Ayers Rock Resort, 2 nights. B**

### 6 Uluru Sunrise – Kata Tjuta

Rise early to experience a majestic Uluru sunrise. After a tour of the base of Uluru, take a guided walk to the Mutitjulu Waterhole where your Travel Director will explain the significance of the ancient Aboriginal rock paintings you'll encounter. This afternoon's journey

takes you to Kata Tjuta, thirty-six domes of red-hued sedimentary rock, where you'll toast another magnificent sunset. **B**

### 7 Uluru – Kings Canyon

Consider an optional experience and rise early to visit the soul-stirring art installation in the desert, the Field of Light, 50,000 frosted glass spheres of light in colors of ochre, deep violet, blue and white. Travel through a stark red desert landscape to awe-inspiring Kings Canyon. The 6-kilometre walk around the rim of the canyon will reward you with marvellous views of Watarrka National Park. A shorter, more relaxed walk takes you along the sandy creek bed. **Hotel: Kings Canyon Resort. B DW**

### 8 Kings Canyon – Alice Springs

Traveling past vast cattle properties, you'll develop a true appreciation for the magnitude of the Australian outback. On arrival in Alice Springs visit the historic Telegraph Station and learn how it relayed messages between Darwin and Adelaide for 60 years. **Hotel: DoubleTree by Hilton, 2 nights. B**

### 9 Alice Springs

Join a local Aboriginal guide at Alice Springs Desert Park to learn about the culture and traditions of the Arrernte People. Then visit the headquarters of the Royal Flying Doctor Service. This evening, join the Falzon family at Earth Sanctuary World Nature Centre for a Be My Guest barbecue dinner. Hear from brothers, Tom and Danny, about the sustainable lifestyle they have established. **B BG**

### 10 Alice Springs – Tennant Creek

Visit the legendary School of the Air, then travel north, stopping at Wycliffe Well, where you need to keep an eye out for a UFO! Your next stop is just as intriguing – Karlu Karlu, an outcrop of precariously-balanced granite boulders. You'll stay tonight in the former gold-mining town of Tennant Creek. **Hotel: Bluestone Motor Inn. B DW**

### 11 Tennant Creek – Katherine

Call in to the quirky Daly Waters Pub before continuing to Mataranka, where a swim in the warm, crystal-clear waters of the thermal springs is a must-do. Travel on to Katherine. **Hotel: Paraway Motel. B DW**

### 12 Katherine – Kakadu National Park

Travel to Nitmiluk National Park and take a tranquil cruise along the spectacular Katherine Gorge. Then journey deep into Kakadu for a cruise on Yellow Water Billabong, famed for its birdlife and estuarine crocodiles. **Hotel: Mercure Kakadu Crocodile, Jabiru. B DW**

### 13 Kakadu – Darwin

Visit Ubirr, one of Kakadu's renowned Aboriginal rock art sites, then walk to nearby Nadab Lookout, for views over the surrounding wetlands. After an orientation on arrival in Darwin, the evening is free for you to explore. **Hotel: DoubleTree by Hilton, 2 nights. B**

### 14 Litchfield National Park

Travel to Litchfield National Park, pausing to examine the park's amazing termite mounds. Stop to view Florence Falls, then venture on to Wangi Falls to swim in the large waterhole before heading back to Darwin. Join your Travel Director for a Darwin Harbour Farewell Dinner Cruise. **B FD**

### 15 Farewell from Darwin

Say farewell to your fellow travelers when your vacation comes to an end after breakfast. **B**



Ubirr Rock Art

From **\$7405**

per person double share land only

## NAAD: Adelaide to Darwin (15 Days)

### Departure Dates

2022	2022 continued
Apr 12, 26	Jul 05, 19
May 10, 24	Aug 02, 16, 30
Jun 07, 21	Sep 13, 27

From **\$5744**

per person double share land only

## NUAD: Ayers Rock to Darwin (11 Days)

### Departure Dates

2022	2022 continued
Apr 02, 16, 30	Aug 06, 20
May 14, 28	Sep 03, 17
Jun 11, 25	Oct 01
Jul 09, 23	

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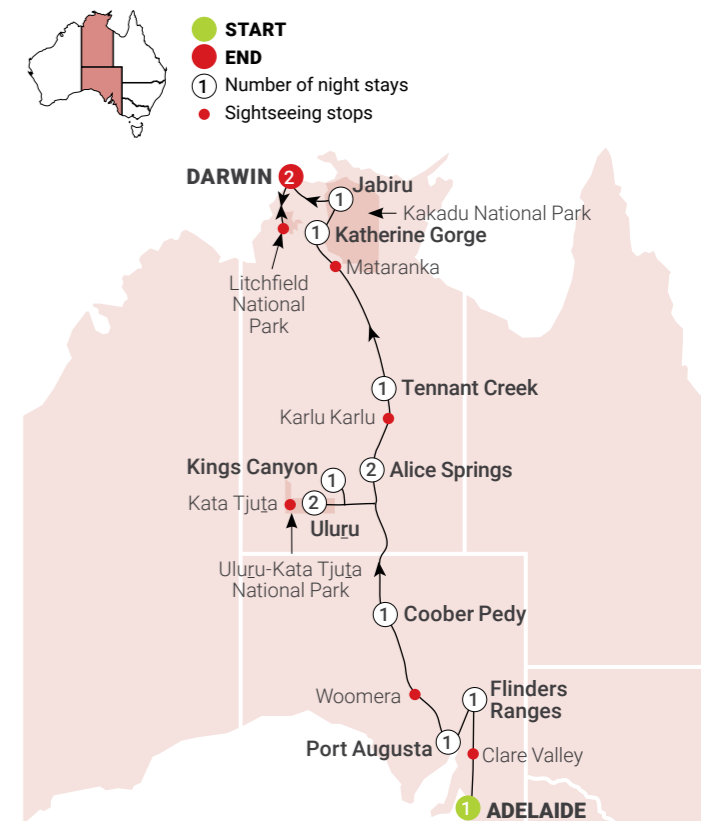
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## Dining

14 Full breakfasts B      8 Dinners with wine DW  
1 Be My Guest dinner BG      1 Farewell Dinner FD

## Flight Information

Day 1 – flights to arrive prior to 12.30pm into Adelaide Airport  
Day 5 – flights to arrive prior to 3.00pm into Ayers Rock Airport (NUAD)  
Day 15 – flights to depart anytime from Darwin Airport  
**Flights are not included in the vacation price**



# Tastes of Southern Australia

## Highlights

### Local Connection

AAT Kings has been visiting Gold Creek Station for over 40 years – guests get to know the sheep-shearing family here well.

### Insider Knowledge

Your specialist Canberra guide knows all the secrets of Parliament House, and leads a moving tour through the War Memorial.

### Cultural Immersion

An important Aboriginal site, Victoria's Tower Hill is also a significant nature reserve – your guide will point out 'roos, emus and koalas.

### Sustainable Footprints

Your vacation on Kangaroo Island not only visits Hanson Bay Wildlife Sanctuary, but also supports its bushfire and wildlife rehabilitation projects.



The Twelve Apostles

As this vacation departs at 7.30am from the Vibe Hotel Sydney, accommodation will need to be pre-booked for the previous night.

#### 1 Sydney – Canberra

Depart Sydney this morning and travel through the rolling hills and verdant pastures of the Southern Highlands. Pause at historic Berrima, then visit Gold Creek Station to meet Craig Starr and his family for a Welcome Reception. Gain a deeper understanding of life on his farm as you savour the flavours of a Be My Guest Aussie BBQ lunch. On arrival in Canberra you'll join a local guide for a tour of Parliament House, then visit the impressive Australian War Memorial. Before you depart, you'll hear an evocative lament being played, paying tribute to the Australian servicemen and women who have lost their lives in armed conflicts. Get to know your Travel Director and fellow travelers tonight over dinner. **Hotel: Crowne Plaza. BG DW**

#### 2 Canberra – Wangaratta

Before leaving Canberra this morning, drive to the summit of Mt. Ainslie to experience panoramic views of the city and surrounds. Cross the Murray River into Victoria, taking the scenic route to historic Beechworth. You'll have free time to visit its boutique stores and perhaps enjoy a 'cuppa' with a town local. You'll stay overnight in the nearby cathedral town of Wangaratta. **Hotel: Quality. B**

#### 3 Wangaratta – Melbourne

Travel to historic Glenrowan and on through Ned Kelly country to cosmopolitan Melbourne, Australia's sporting and cultural capital. Gain some interesting insights on an orientation tour of the city, then take some time to explore independently. **Hotel: Crowne Plaza, 2 nights. B**

#### 4 Melbourne Free Time

Today Melbourne is yours to explore. You may like to consider an optional experience to the Phillip Island Penguin Parade. **B**

#### 5 Melbourne – Warrnambool

Embark on one of the world's premier road trips – the Great Ocean Road. Just off shore in the Port Campbell National Park, the towering limestone stacks of the Twelve Apostles rise 50 metres above the wild Southern Ocean. You'll also see nearby Loch Ard Gorge and visit the impressive

London Bridge natural rock formation before arriving in the rural town of Warrnambool. **Hotel: Deep Blue Hotel & Hot Springs. B DW**

#### 6 Warrnambool – Naracoorte

Visit the Worn Gundidj Aboriginal Co-operative at Tower Hill State Game Reserve, where your guide will provide you with an Indigenous perspective on the area's flora, wildlife and volcanic formations. Cross the border into South Australia and continue to the world-renowned Coonawarra wine region, pausing at a vineyard for a tasting. Before arriving in Naracoorte you'll be joined by a local expert for a guided tour through the Alexandra Cave. **Hotel: William MacIntosh Motor Lodge. B DW**

#### 7 Naracoorte – Kangaroo Island

Journey today to the Fleurieu Peninsula, where rolling hills are complemented by rugged clifftops, sandy beaches and the winding Murray River. Visit the charming seaside town of Victor Harbor before a ferry takes you to Kangaroo Island, famous for its unspoiled natural beauty and fine produce. Visit Kangaroo Island's only boutique distillery to taste a selection of award-winning Australian gins and delicious liqueurs. Your destination is Kingscote, South Australia's oldest European settlement. **Hotel: Aurora Ozone, 2 nights. B DW**

#### 8 Kangaroo Island

Begin your exploration of fascinating Kangaroo Island with a visit to spectacular Remarkable Rocks and Admirals Arch followed by a guided tour of the AAT Kings sponsored Hanson Bay Wildlife Sanctuary, which was badly affected by last year's bushfires. Learn what part fire plays within this delicate ecosystem and how the koalas and other wildlife are adapting to their environment. This is followed by a delicious lunch before joining a local guide at Seal Bay Conservation Park for a guided walk among a colony of rare sea lions in one of the country's most important breeding colonies. **B L**

#### 9 Kangaroo Island – Adelaide

This morning, board your ferry to cross back to the mainland and travel to picturesque Adelaide, the 'City of Churches'. You'll take an orientation tour with your Travel Director before checking into your hotel. The rest of the day is at leisure for you to explore the city at your own pace. **Hotel: Crowne Plaza, 2 nights. B**

#### 10 Adelaide Hills & The Barossa

Discover the rolling Adelaide Hills and the renowned Barossa today, stopping first at picturesque Hahndorf, Australia's oldest surviving German settlement. Wander down its tree-lined streets and take time to explore the quaint shops and taste some of the town's artisan produce. Enjoy lunch at the Company Kitchen and then visit Seppeltsfield Barossa to sample some of their award-winning wines. Later, you'll have free time to wander through the JamFactory to see local artisans at work, and soap and perfume being made at Vasse Virgin. Travel back to Adelaide through a tranquil landscape dotted with stone cottages and olive groves to join your Travel Director and traveling companions for a Farewell Dinner. **B L FD**

#### 11 Farewell from Adelaide

Say farewell to your fellow travelers when your vacation comes to an end after breakfast. **B**



Hosier Lane, Melbourne

From **\$5204**

per person double share land only

## Departure Dates

2022	2023
Apr 12	Jan 10, 24
May 03	Feb 07, 21
Aug 30	Mar 07, 21
Sep 20	
Oct 18	
Nov 01, 22	
Dec 20	

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## Dining

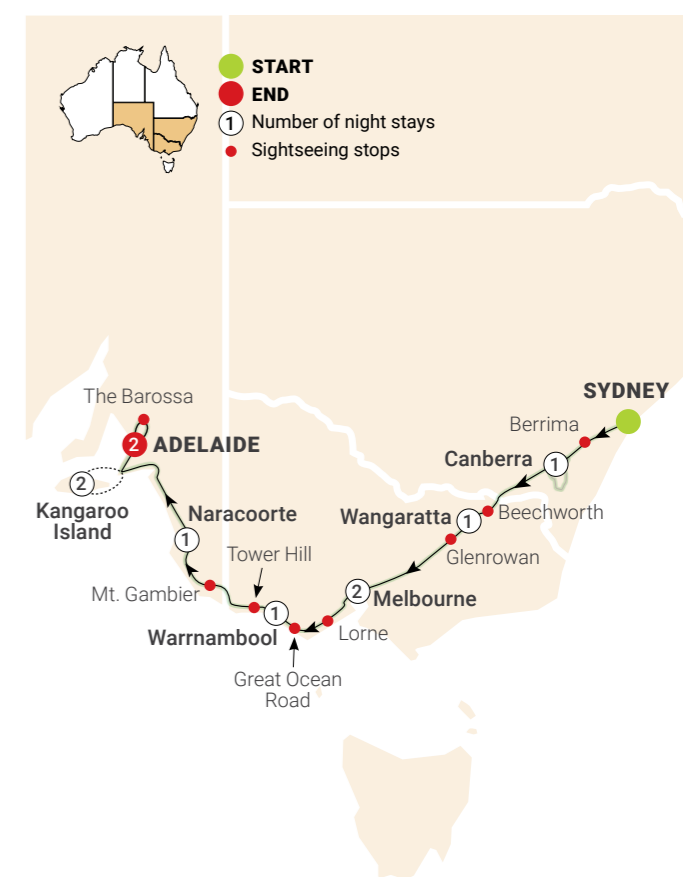
10 Full breakfasts **B**                      4 Dinners with wine **DW**  
1 Be My Guest Lunch **BG**                1 Farewell Dinner **FD**  
2 Lunches **L**

## Flight Information

Day prior – flights to arrive anytime into Sydney Airport

Day 11 – flights to depart anytime from Adelaide Airport

Flights are not included in the vacation price



# East Coast Islands & Rainforest

## Highlights

### ✂ Flexible Holidays

Hike through rainforest, stroll Whitehaven's sand, cruise the Coral Sea or chopper above it. Choose your own Whitsundays adventure..

### 📍 Iconic Sites

Get up close with the only natural wonder you can see from space on the Great Barrier Reef. Dive in or cruise in a glass-bottom boat.

### 📷 Time For You

Where the rainforest meets the reef, Cairns is the tropics to a tee. Stroll the Esplanade or take a dip in the lagoon. This is your time.

### ♻ Sustainable Travel

MAKE TRAVEL MATTER. LIVE BETTER. Future generations will thank you for joining our '10 Pieces' program, to collect rubbish and clean up wherever we go.



Great Barrier Reef

As this vacation departs at 7.30am from Rydges Sydney Central, accommodation will need to be pre-booked for the previous night.

#### 1 Sydney – Coffs Harbour

Start discovering the landscapes of Australia's east coast as you travel northward to the coastal town of Coffs Harbour. From your resort nestled amongst sprawling tropical gardens, you'll have the opportunity to wander down to Little Diggers Beach and Diggers Head. Enjoy the early evening sea breeze just like the locals do. Tonight enjoy a Welcome Reception and dinner with your Travel Director. **Hotel: BreakFree Aanuka Beach Resort. D**

#### 2 Coffs Harbour – Gold Coast

Journey to Cape Byron Lighthouse for superb views from Australia's eastern-most point over the Pacific Ocean. Afterwards spend time discovering the relaxed bohemian vibe of Byron Bay. At the right time of year, you may be lucky enough to spot migrating whales frolicking off the coast. For lunch we recommend fresh fish and chips on the beach, there's nothing more Australian. Continue to the famous vacation destination, the Gold Coast. **Hotel: Novotel Surfers Paradise, 2 nights. B**

#### 3 Gold Coast Free Time

Today you have the freedom to enjoy the Gold Coast in your own style. Nature lovers may head to Mt. Tamborine, foodies explore the growing culinary culture or those needing relaxation just stroll down to the sand and salt of Surfers Paradise Beach. **B**

#### 4 Gold Coast – K'gari (Fraser Island)

Take in the landscape of rolling hills, surrounding mountain peaks, and the coastline of the Sunshine Coast before arriving for a relaxed coastal vibe at Hervey Bay. This afternoon the ferry will take you across to the World Heritage listed K'gari, also known as Fraser Island. Ground yourself in nature on the world's largest sand island, your home for the next two nights. **Hotel: Kingfisher Bay Resort, 2 nights. B**

#### 5 K'gari (Fraser Island)

A day of discovery lies ahead as your 4WD tour takes you for a ride around the island's must-see sites. Visit Lake McKenzie, ringed with magnificent white sandy beaches. Walk through the ancient rainforest at Central

Station and Wangoolba Creek with its huge satiny, scribbly gum and kauri trees. Across the island to 75 Mile Beach, the sand highway will take you up the eastern coast to the Pinnacles Colored Sands, cooling, calm waters of Eli Creek and the famous sinking Maheno Shipwreck. **B L**

#### 6 K'gari (Fraser Island) – Rockhampton

Return to the mainland and travel through cattle country to Langmorn Station, a family run cattle station. Meet the Creed family and take a guided tour of the property including the original family homestead, built in 1873. Enjoy afternoon tea in the garden in the company of the pet kangaroo! Cross the Tropic of Capricorn as you arrive in Rockhampton, the beef capital of Australia. Your night is free so why not try some local beef at one of the town's steakhouses. **Hotel: Quality Regent. B**

#### 7 Rockhampton – Airlie Beach

Travel north to Sarina, Australia's sugar capital, to the Sarina Sugar Shed, a miniature working sugar mill. On your tour you'll get a peek into the sugar cane industry and witness sugar processing and distilling. You can taste test some of the products made on site before sitting down to a light lunch. Continue to Airlie Beach, the gateway to the Whitsundays. Spend the next two nights in this vibrant coastal town where you will have free time to explore at your own pace. **Hotel: Mantra, 2 nights. B L**

#### 8 Airlie Beach Free Time

The Whitsunday Islands are a collection of 74 tropical islands with white sandy beaches and dense rainforest surrounded by the Great Barrier Reef. Today is yours to indulge in your own pleasures – consider an optional experience. Perhaps take a scenic helicopter flight over the iconic Heart Reef or cruise to famous Whitehaven Beach, where you can relax with a good book, take a swim, or try some of the fun beach activities. **B**

#### 9 Airlie Beach – Cairns

Today you'll head to Cairns along the Bruce Highway. Relax and take in the scenery as you travel through sugar cane fields and extensive farming land, nestled between the Coral Sea on one side and World Heritage rainforest on the other. **Hotel: DoubleTree by Hilton, 3 nights. B**

#### 10 Cairns

Travel through the high tropical plateau known as the Atherton Tablelands, with its lush rainforest, spectacular waterfalls and peaceful lakes. Visit Millaa Millaa Falls and the famous 500-year-old Curtain Fig Tree and keep an eye out for the magnificent Ulysses Butterfly. Spend some free time in Kuranda, 'the village in the rainforest', before traveling on the Rainforest Skyrail Cableway. Your six-person gondola will take you through and high above the canopy of the Barron Gorge National Park. **B**

#### 11 Great Barrier Reef

Board a high-speed catamaran and cruise out to the iconic Great Barrier Reef, the only living organism that can be seen from the moon. You'll have the opportunity to go snorkeling (equipment provided) or view the spectacular coral and tropical fish from the underwater observatory and glass bottom boat. Enjoy a tropical lunch on board, before you return to Cairns in the late afternoon for a Farewell Dinner with your Travel Director and new-found friends. **B L FD**

#### 12 Farewell from Cairns

Say farewell to your fellow travelers when your vacation comes to an end this morning after breakfast. **B**



Coffs Harbour

From **\$5899**

per person double share land only

### QSC: Sydney to Cairns

#### Departure Dates

2022	2022 continued	2023
Apr 04	Oct 10	Jan 09
Jun 06	Nov 07	Feb 06
Jul 11	Dec 05	Mar 06
Sep 12		

From **\$5899**

per person double share land only

### QCS: Cairns to Sydney

#### Departure Dates

2022	2023
Nov 18	Jan 20
	Feb 17
	Mar 17

A limited number of single rooms are available. Ask your travel agent at time of booking.

## Dining

11 Full breakfasts **B**                      1 Dinner **D**  
3 Lunches **L**                                      1 Farewell Dinner **FD**

## Flight Information

### QSC: Sydney to Cairns

Day prior – flights to arrive anytime into Sydney Airport

Day 12 – flights to depart anytime from Cairns Airport

### QCS: Cairns to Sydney

Day 1 – flights to arrive prior to 2.00pm into Cairns Airport

Day 12 – flights to depart after 9.00pm from Sydney Airport

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# Tasmanian Wonders

## Highlights

### ✂ Flexible Holidays

Add animal encounters to your adventure, whether spotting Tassie devils after dark or adorable little penguins in Bicheno.

### 📍 Iconic Sites

From soaring Cradle Mountain to the Gordon River in Strahan and Stanley's The Nut, natural drama awaits. And then there's historic Port Arthur.

### 🕒 Time For You

Downtime awaits in Launceston: cruise the Tamar or explore regional wineries. You choose.

### ♻ Sustainable Travel

Ensure Tassie stays pristine by picking up '10 Pieces' of rubbish during your travels. A small gesture with lasting results.



Wineglass Bay

From **\$4182**

per person double share land only

## Departure Dates

2022		2023	
Apr	02, 13, 23	Jan	04, 11, 14, 25
May	04, 14	Feb	01, 04, 15, 22
Jun	29	Mar	01, 11, 15, 22
Jul	27		
Aug	24		
Sep	07, 28		
Oct	08, 19, 26		
Nov	02, 05, 16, 26, 30		
Dec	07, 17, 28		

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## Dining

9 Full breakfasts B  
1 Lunch L

5 Dinners D  
1 Farewell Dinner FD

## Flight Information

Day 1 – flights to arrive prior to 12.30pm into Hobart Airport  
Day 10 – flights to depart anytime from Hobart Airport  
Flights are not included in the holiday price

### 1 Welcome to Hobart

Your Tasmanian vacation begins with an afternoon tour of Hobart. You'll see historic Battery Point, Salamanca Place, the Botanical Gardens, Constitution Dock, the destination of yachts participating in the Sydney to Hobart race each year, and Mt. Nelson, which affords panoramic views over Australia's southernmost city. Enjoy the company of your Travel Director and fellow travelers this evening at a Welcome Reception and dinner. **Hotel: Wrest Point. B D**

### 2 Hobart – Strahan

This morning, you'll head west to New Norfolk and magnificent Mt. Field National Park. Here, you'll take a walk through lush rainforest to the many-tiered cascade of picturesque Russell Falls. Then enjoy the scenic drive to iconic Lake St. Clair, the deepest freshwater lake in Australia, and continue through the rainforest to the coastal town of Strahan. Nestled on the shores of massive Macquarie Harbour, Strahan is the gateway to the World Heritage listed Franklin-Gordon Wild Rivers National Park. **Hotel: Strahan Village. B D**

### 3 Strahan – Cradle Mountain

Today's highlight experience is a lunch cruise on the Gordon River. You'll be awestruck by the beauty of the dark waters. Stained amber by buttongrass tannins, they reflect the untouched wilderness that surrounds them. Stop at Sarah Island for an insight into a relic of Tasmania's lesser-known convict history, the Macquarie Harbour Penal Settlement. See Hells Gates, the treacherous entrance to the harbor, and Heritage Landing, site of a 2,000-year-old Huon pine. Travel through the mining towns of Rosebery and Tullah on your way to your hotel. After dinner tonight, you may choose to do an optional experience animal night spotting tour or perhaps take advantage of a rare opportunity to see Tasmanian Devils feeding after dark. **Hotel: Cradle Mountain. B L D**

### 4 Cradle Mountain – Smithton

This morning, marvel at the inspiring beauty of Cradle Mountain National Park. Join your Travel Director for a guided walk by Dove Lake, where you may spot Bennetts wallabies, echidnas and pademelons along the way. Travel on through rolling green hills to Table Cape for spectacular views of Bass Strait. Picturesque Stanley is in your sights as you head west. Enjoy views of the sheer-sided Stanley bluff known as 'The Nut' and take some time to explore. Your destination is Smithton. **Hotel: Tall Timbers. B D**

### 5 Smithton – Launceston

Travel through the picturesque coastal townships of Burnie and Penguin, where you'll stop for morning tea and have the opportunity to join AAT Kings in the '10 Pieces' sustainability programme, whereby you find and dispose of 10 pieces of litter, leaving the environment and the communities that you visit in a more pristine condition than how you found them. Continue to Ulverstone before heading inland to Sheffield, home to over 60 murals depicting the area's rich history. You'll learn about dairy production methods and indulge in a cheese tasting at the award-winning Ashgrove Tasmanian Farm on your way to Launceston, Tasmania's 'northern capital'. **Hotel: Best Western Plus, 2 nights. B**

### 6 Launceston

Visit the unique natural formation of the Cataract Gorge, home to the longest single-span chairlift in the world. Enjoy a Welcome to Country ceremony conducted by members of the local Aboriginal community followed by a guided walk, where you'll hear about the history of the area through their eyes. This will be followed by an orientation tour of the city. The afternoon is yours to spend at leisure, exploring all that Launceston has to offer. Consider an optional experience on a Cataract Gorge River Cruise, a Tamar Valley Winery tour or perhaps stay local with a visit to the Art Gallery or the historic Tramway Museum. **B**

### 7 Launceston – Bicheno

Bridestowe Lavender Estate, producer of high-quality lavender since 1922, is your first stop. Later, visit the Legerwood Carved Memorial Trees site, then follow the picturesque east coast to Bicheno. This evening you might like to take an optional experience to see Bicheno's wild penguins as they emerge from the ocean (seasonal). **Hotel: Beachfront Bicheno. B D**

### 8 Bicheno – Hobart

Today, experience the grandeur of Freycinet National Park, taking a guided walk to the lookout at Cape Tourville that affords stunning views of this dramatic coastline including offshore rocks known as The Nuggets, and a peek at Wineglass Bay in the distance. On your way to Hobart, you'll travel through Swansea and Orford and make a lunch stop in historic Richmond. The village is famous for its elegant Georgian architecture, with beautiful heritage buildings dating to the 1820s now housing galleries, tea shops, craft boutiques and museums. **Hotel: Wrest Point, 2 nights. B**

### 9 Port Arthur

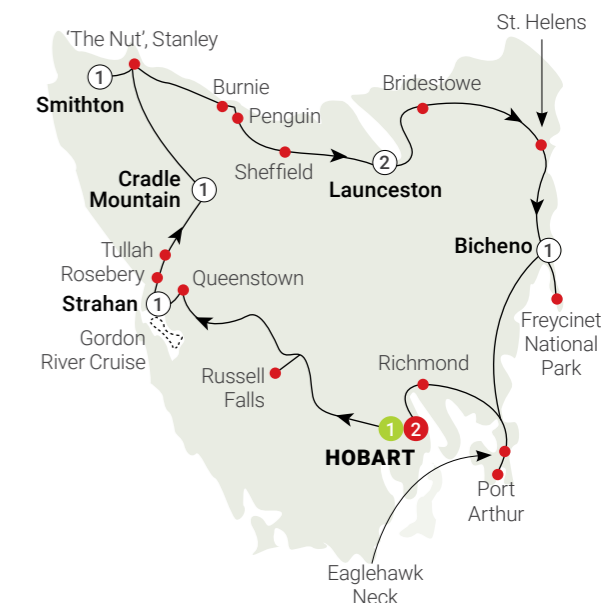
Explore the Port Arthur Historic Site today, taking a cruise around the Isle of the Dead and a fascinating guided walk of the remains of Port Arthur's infamous convict prison. There will be time for you to wander the site at your leisure. On the drive back to Hobart, see the amazing natural rock formations of the craggy Tasman Arch, the Devil's Kitchen and the Blowhole. This evening, mingle with your Travel Director and fellow travellers at a Farewell Dinner in one of Hobart's popular restaurants. **B FD**

### 10 Farewell from Hobart

Say farewell to your fellow travelers when your vacation comes to an end this morning after breakfast. **B**



- **START**
- **END**
- ① **Number of night stays**
- **Sightseeing stops**



# New Zealand Uncovered

## Highlights

### Local Connection

Working dairy Red Barn is a dreamy destination for a country-style lunch – churn butter with the owners.

### Insider Knowledge

Nature humbles in World Heritage listed Milford Sound, your cruise guide pointing out waterfalls alongside rare flora and fauna.

### Cultural Immersion

From a traditional hangi meal to a cultural performance, Indigenous customs star at Tamaki Maori Village.

### Sustainable Footprints

Support AAT Kings' Sustainable Tourism Commitment to restore NZ's largest inland island through the Pomona Island Charitable Trust.



Milford Sound Cruise

From **\$7874**

per person double share land only

## Departure Dates

2022	2023
Apr 05, 12, 19, 26	Jan 03, 10, 17, 24, 31
Jun 07, 28	Feb 07, 14, 21, 28
Sep 06, 13, 20	Mar 07, 14, 21, 28
Oct 04, 11, 18, 25	
Nov 01, 08, 15, 22, 29	
Dec 06, 13, 20, 27	

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## Dining

16 Full buffet breakfasts B	3 Highlight Dinners HD
1 Be My Guest Lunch BG	7 Dinners with wine DW
1 Lunch L	1 Farewell Dinner FD
1 Be My Guest Afternoon Tea BG	

## Flight Information

Day 1 – flights to arrive prior to 4.00pm into Auckland Airport  
 Day 17 – flights to depart anytime from Christchurch Airport  
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### 1 Welcome to Auckland

On arrival in Auckland you'll have time at leisure to explore or relax. Tonight, enjoy a Welcome Reception and dinner with your Travel Director. **Hotel: Cordis, 2 nights. DW**

### 2 Auckland

Head to the New Zealand Maritime Museum for an exclusive America's Cup tour. Then see the sights of Auckland, from the waterfront to Mission Bay. Capture spectacular panoramic views of the skyline, the North Shore and Waitemata Harbour from Bastion Point. **B**

### 3 Auckland – Tauranga

You're invited to a Be My Guest lunch at the Red Barn on the Waikato farm of Lance O'Sullivan, a retired champion jockey, and his wife Bridgette. Later, travel to Tauranga, in the Bay of Plenty. **Hotel: Trinity Wharf. B BG DW**

### 4 Tauranga – Rotorua

Travel through Te Puke to visit Kiwifruit Country, then on to Rotorua for an orientation tour. This afternoon explore Te Puia Thermal Reserve. Then an evening of culture, history and a Hangi feast Highlight Dinner awaits you at the Tamaki Māori Village. **Hotel: Millennium, 2 nights. B HD**

### 5 Rotorua Free Time

Perhaps embark on one of our optional experiences. You could glide through the Waitomo Glowworm Grotto or explore Rotorua and its lakes in an amphibious WWII-era Duck. Why not consider an adventure to the charming village of Hobbiton, the movie set of the now iconic The Lord of the Rings and The Hobbit Trilogies? Enjoy breakfast 'on set' before you're treated to guided tour through the 12-acre set, stopping in the Alexander family sheep farm, past Hobbit Holes, and the Mill as your guide points out how the movie was made, famous locations, and the sets' artistic details. Even if you've never seen the films or read the books, you'll be entranced by the rolling green hills and lush landscape. **B**

### 6 Rotorua – Wellington

Journey through forests and farmland to the turquoise torrent known as Huka Falls. The road unfolds in a broad panorama of stunning Lake Taupo. Continue south and along the Kapiti Coast to the capital city, Wellington. **Hotel: James Cook Grand Chancellor. B**

### 7 Wellington – Blenheim

Explore Te Papa Museum of New Zealand. Cruise the Cook Strait into tranquil Queen Charlotte Sound. The village of Picton is next, then it's on to Blenheim for a city sightseeing tour. Tonight, enjoy a Highlight Dinner celebrating local produce and the wines of the Marlborough region. **Hotel: Chateau Marlborough. B HD**

### 8 Blenheim – Christchurch

Travel to Kaikoura, where an optional whale-watching flight is available. Continue along the Pacific coast and across the Canterbury Plains to Christchurch. **Hotel: Distinction. B**

### 9 Christchurch – Twizel

On your city sights tour, see how Christchurch is rebuilding after the devastating earthquakes of 2010 and 2011, and pop into the Transitional Cathedral in Latimer Square, Christchurch Cathedral's temporary home. It is the world's only cathedral made substantially of cardboard! Next, visit the home of Angie and Stan Taylor at Lake Tekapo, for a Be My Guest afternoon tea and hear about a lifetime spent farming in the Southern Alps. Later, view the little stone-hewn Church of the Good Shepherd on your way to Twizel. **Hotel: MacKenzie Country Inn. B BG DW**

### 10 Twizel – Dunedin Free Time

Journey along the Waitaki River, and travel through to Oamaru with its famous limestone buildings, and on to Dunedin. This afternoon why not choose an optional experience? Perhaps take a wildlife cruise out to Otago Peninsula or visit the famous Speight's Brewery. **Hotel: Scenic Southern Cross. B DW**

### 11 Dunedin – Te Anau

Travel through lush sheep-farming land. Then the rolling, grassy hills turn back into forested, rugged mountains, as you meander your way up into Fiordland National Park and Te Anau. This afternoon you will hear and learn about the conservation efforts of the Pomona Island Charitable Trust, which aims to restore the largest inland island in New Zealand to its natural state. Get up close to the islands on a boat ride on Lake Manapouri. Stop in some quiet and tranquil spots to soak up the amazing surrounds, spot a few trout, and learn about the unique environment and fascinating history. **Hotel: Distinction Te Anau. B DW**

### 12 Te Anau – Queenstown

You will take the scenic journey through the rainforests, beech forests and meadows of Fiordland National Park and out to Milford Sound to cruise on this natural wonder. Afterwards, travel to Queenstown for an orientation tour. **Hotel: Millennium, 2 nights. B**

### 13 Queenstown Free Time

Why not get your final fix of Queenstown today with an optional experience? Ride the Shotover Jet, join a wine tour, a Pure Glenorchy Lord of the Rings Tour or a minibus tour through Skippers Canyon. This evening, cruise across Lake Wakatipu aboard TSS Earnslaw to Walter Peak High Country Farm for a gourmet barbecue Highlight Dinner. **B HD**

### 14 Queenstown – Franz Josef

Visit the gold mining settlement of Arrowtown. From here you will travel to Cromwell to taste its delicious stone fruit. It is a day of gorgeous lakes, as you travel further into Central Otago. Cross over the Haast Pass, where the landscape changes from alpine scenery to the rainforest marvels of the wild West Coast. Your destination is Franz Josef Glacier. **Hotel: Scenic Franz Josef Glacier (Douglas Wing). B DW**

### 15 Franz Josef – Punakaiki

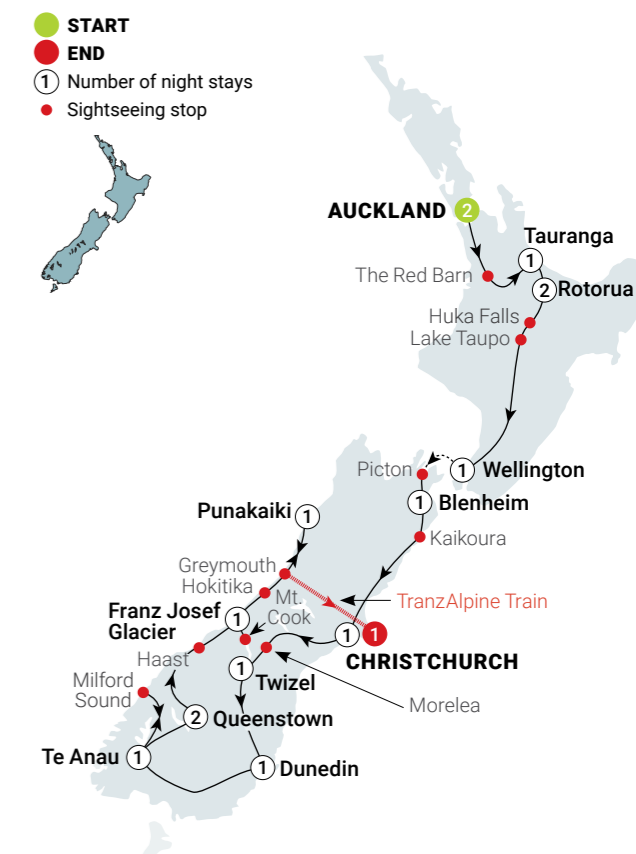
Visit Hokitika, home of the native greenstone for a factory visit and jewellery demonstration. Later, travel to Punakaiki to view the Pancake Rocks and Blowholes. You'll spend the night in an eco-friendly resort right on the waterfront. **Hotel: Punakaiki Resort. B DW**

### 16 Punakaiki – Christchurch

Travel to Greymouth to visit the iconic Monteith's Brewery and taste some of their innovative brews before a pub-style lunch. Later you will journey aboard the TranzAlpine train to Christchurch and embark on one of the world's great train journeys. This evening, join your Travel Director and new-found friends for a Farewell Dinner. **Hotel: Distinction. B L FD**

### 17 Farewell from Christchurch

Say farewell to your fellow travelers when your vacation concludes after breakfast. **B**



# Southern Spectacular

## Highlights

### Local Connection

Ever wondered about Southern Alps life on the land? Enjoy afternoon tea with farmers Angie and Stan to go behind the scenes.


### Insider Knowledge

Your guide on a cruise around Milford Sound knows the best waterfalls, where to spot dolphins and which rare flora is in season.

### Cultural Immersion

If the setting of 1860 Walter Peak Station doesn't wow you, then the BBQ dinner and farming demonstration will.

### Sustainable Footprints

 The Pomona Island Charitable Trust's mission is to restore NZ's largest inland island. Help by contributing to AAT Kings' Sustainable Tourism Commitment.



Punakaiki Pancake Rocks

From **\$4996**

per person double share land only

## Departure Dates

2022		2023	
Apr	05, 12, 19, 26	Jan	03, 10, 17, 24, 31
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## Dining

9 Full buffet breakfasts B      1 Highlight Dinner HD  
1 Lunch L                              5 Dinners with wine DW  
1 Be My Guest Afternoon Tea BG 1 Farewell Dinner FD

## Flight Information

Day 1 – flights to arrive prior to 4.00pm into Christchurch Airport  
Day 10 – flights to depart anytime from Christchurch Airport  
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### 1 Welcome to Christchurch

Welcome to new Zealand's Garden City. This afternoon you can relax or explore. You may like to step back in time to a grand era of transport and relax on the Christchurch Tram as it takes you around the must-see central attractions. Meet your Travel Director and fellow travelers this evening for a Welcome Reception. **Hotel: Distinction.**

### 2 Christchurch – Twizel

Enjoy a Christchurch city sights tour and see how Christchurch is rebuilding after the devastating earthquakes of 2010 and 2011. Later, travel over the patchwork countryside of the Canterbury Plains and soak up some spectacular views. Visit the home of Angie and Stan Taylor for a Be My Guest afternoon tea, and hear about a lifetime spent farming in the Southern Alps. See Lakes Tekapo and Pukaki, and view the famed Church of the Good Shepherd. Continue to the outdoor-adventure hub of Twizel. **Hotel: MacKenzie Country. B BG DW**

### 3 Twizel – Dunedin

Your day starts with a journey tracing the Waitaki River, which marks the boundary between the regions of Canterbury and Otago. Explore the historic town of Oamaru, with its stately tree-lined streets and celebrated limestone buildings, then make your way to Dunedin, home to many fine examples of Victorian and Edwardian architecture. This afternoon, spend your time at leisure or consider an optional experience. Tour imposing Larnach Castle, take a wildlife cruise out to the Otago Peninsula or experience an interactive tour of famous Speight's Brewery. **Hotel: Scenic Southern Cross. B DW**

### 4 Dunedin – Te Anau

Travel through lush green pastures, crossing sheep-filled farming land. As your journey continues, the rolling, grassy hills once again turn back into heavily forested, rugged mountains, and you'll meander into Fiordland National Park to the South Island's biggest lake and the town of Te Anau. This afternoon, learn about the conservation efforts of the Pomona Island Charitable Trust, which aims to restore New Zealand's largest inland island to its natural state. Get up close to the island on a boat ride on Lake Manapouri. Soak up the amazing surrounds, spot a few trout, and learn

about this unique environment and fascinating history. This evening consider an optional experience and cruise across the lake to the Te Anau Glowworm Caves. **Hotel: Distinction Te Anau. B DW**

### 5 Te Anau – Queenstown

Your experience in magnificent Milford Sound today is sure to be one of the highlights of your vacation. Travel first through native rainforests and lush meadows to Mirror Lakes and the hand-hewn Homer Tunnel, and marvel at the stunning Cleddau Valley. Your unforgettable Milford Sound cruise takes in cascading waterfalls, hanging glacial valleys, and the sheer pinnacle of Mitre Peak. After disembarking, travel on to beautiful Queenstown. **Hotel: Millennium, 2 nights. B**

### 6 Queenstown Free Time

You have a final day in New Zealand's adventure capital to do as you choose. You could consider an optional experience. If you're feeling energetic you have the option of riding the exhilarating Shotover Jet boat. For a more laid-back experience, a minibus excursion will take you through spectacular Skippers Canyon, or an Appellation Central Boutique Wine Tour with Lunch. This evening, settle into a peaceful cruise across Lake Wakatipu to Walter Peak High Country Farm, for a gourmet barbecue Highlight Dinner and an entertaining farm show. **B HD**

### 7 Queenstown – Franz Josef

Stop to visit the faithfully-restored gold-mining settlement of Arrowtown, and enjoy the serenity of the region's vivid blue lakes. Drive over the spectacular Haast Pass, passing the 96-metre Thunder Creek Falls on your way to the extraordinary Franz Josef Glacier. **Hotel: Scenic Franz Josef Glacier, Douglas Wing. B DW**

### 8 Franz Josef – Punakaiki

Consider an optional experience helicopter flight over the glaciers, or you may wish to take a stroll through the small but lively Franz Josef village. Travel on to Hokitika, home of New Zealand's famous greenstone. Continue to Punakaiki to view the intriguing Pancake Rocks and Blowholes. You'll spend the night in an eco-friendly resort right on the waterfront. **Hotel: Punakaiki Resort. B DW**

### 9 Punakaiki – Christchurch

Join your personal guide for a tour of Monteith's Brewing Company, including tastings at the brewers' table, before sitting down to lunch. Afterwards, board the iconic TranzAlpine train in Greymouth and embark on one of the world's great train journeys, passing through magnificent landscapes ranging from the fertile farmlands of the Canterbury Plains to rugged gorges and pristine ice-fed streams and lakes. Back in Christchurch, join your Travel Director for a Farewell Dinner. **Hotel: Distinction. B L FD**

### 10 Farewell from Christchurch

Say farewell to your fellow travelers when your vacation comes to an end this morning after breakfast. **B**



TSS Earnslaw at Walter Peak High Country Farm



# Kia Ora New Zealand

## Highlights

### ✂ Flexible Holidays

Spot rare yellow-eyed penguins, fur seals and northern royal albatrosses via optional Otago Peninsula wildlife cruises from Dunedin.

### 📍 Iconic Sites

Fiordland National Park is a World Heritage Site for good reason – this wilderness wonderland hosts the natural drama of Milford Sound.

### 📷 Time For You

Free time in the Bay of Islands, Rotorua, Dunedin and Queenstown means you can get as active (or be as relaxed) as you like.

### ♻ Sustainable Travel

When we supply a lunch to guests, we donate another to Eat My Lunch, an organisation that has fed over 1.6-million underprivileged Kiwi kids.

Waitomo Glowworm Grotto

## 1 Welcome to Auckland

After settling in to your hotel, you'll have time to explore Auckland at your own pace. This evening, enjoy a Welcome Reception with your Travel Director. **Hotel: Holiday Inn Express.**

## 2 Auckland – Bay of Islands

This morning, travel to the beautiful Bay of Islands. Discover the stories, people and events that shaped the past, present and future of Aotearoa New Zealand at the Waitangi Treaty Grounds. During your tour you will view the world's largest ceremonial war canoe, the historic Treaty House and carved Meeting House. Stand on the spot where New Zealand's founding document, the Treaty of Waitangi, was signed in 1840. **Hotel: Copthorne Resort, Garden View, 2 nights. B D**

## 3 Bay of Islands Free Time

Explore the Bay of Islands at leisure today. **B**

## 4 Bay of Islands – Auckland

Enjoy a relaxed morning before traveling through lush farmland on your way back to Auckland. **Hotel: Holiday Inn Express. B**

## 5 Auckland – Rotorua

After a tour of Auckland's city highlights, trace the Waikato River to the Waitomo Caves where you'll explore the Waitomo Glowworm Grotto by boat. Your journey continues to Rotorua for an orientation tour with views of Lake Rotorua. This evening, enjoy a Māori Hangi feast Highlight Dinner and concert at the Tamaki Māori Village. **Hotel: Ibis, 2 nights. B HD**

## 6 Rotorua Free Time

Your day is free to explore as you wish. You might like to visit Rainbow Springs Nature Park for a glimpse of New Zealand's iconic kiwi bird, or Te Puia, the Māori Arts and Crafts Institute. **B**

## 7 Rotorua – Wellington

Journey through tall pine forests and verdant farmland to spectacular Huka Falls and serene Lake Taupo. Drive along the shores of New Zealand's biggest lake, and follow the Kapiti Coast to New Zealand's capital, Wellington. **Hotel: Travelodge. B**

## 8 Wellington – Picton

Your special packed lunch today won't only be wholesome, it will also feed a Kiwi child who may otherwise go without, through the charity 'Eat My Lunch'. Enjoy a sightseeing tour of Wellington, and then visit Te Papa Museum of New Zealand. Cruise across the Cook Strait and explore the maze of inlets of Queen Charlotte Sound. Later you'll travel to the seaside village of Picton and take a tour of the city before dinner. **Hotel: Picton Beachcomber Inn. B L D**

## 9 Picton – Christchurch

Travel to Kaikoura, where an optional whale-watching flight is available. Continue along the Pacific Ocean coast and across the colorful Canterbury Plains to Christchurch. **Hotel: Ibis. B**

## 10 Christchurch – Omarama

Explore Christchurch at leisure this morning, then travel over the fertile plains to serene Lakes Pukaki and Tekapo. View the Church of the Good Shepherd and soak up the scenery of Mt. Cook National Park. **Hotel: Heritage Gateway. B D**

## 11 Omarama – Dunedin Free Time

Your day begins on the Waitaki River with a visit to the Waitaki Hydro Power Scheme. See the monumental spillway of nearby Benmore Dam. Then travel to the historic town of Omarama, with its celebrated white limestone buildings. Continue to Dunedin and enjoy an orientation tour. Dunedin is known for its Scottish and Māori heritage, Victorian and Edwardian architecture, and large student population. The afternoon is free for you to relax or explore independently. You might like to take a wildlife cruise, or a ride on the historic Taieri Gorge Railway. The train negotiates the deep, narrow gorge with ease as it travels through ten tunnels and over countless bridges and viaducts. **Hotel: Scenic Dunedin City. B**

## 12 Dunedin – Te Anau

Enjoy free time in Dunedin and then travel across the fertile sheep-dotted pastures of South Otago en route to Fiordland National Park and Te Anau. **Hotel: Luxmore. B D**

## 13 Te Anau – Queenstown

Your experience in magnificent Milford Sound today is sure to be one of the highlights of your journey. Travel first through the tall native rainforests and rugged mountains of Fiordland National Park, traversing the hand-hewn Homer Tunnel. Milford Sound, named after Milford Haven in Wales, is a fiord that runs 15 Kilometres inland from the Tasman Sea and is home to fur seal colonies, penguins and dolphins. Your unforgettable cruise takes in cascading waterfalls, hanging glacial valleys, and the sheer pinnacle of Mitre Peak, which rises 5,560 feet from the water. After disembarking, travel on to beautiful Queenstown via the breathtaking stretch of highway called the Devil's Staircase, and Lake Wakatipu. Enjoy an informative orientation tour of the city before settling in for your two-night stay. **Hotel: Copthorne Hotel and Resort, 2 nights. B**

## 14 Queenstown Free Time

Explore New Zealand's adventure capital at your own pace today. Later in the afternoon, cruise across Lake Wakatipu aboard TSS Earnslaw to Walter Peak High Country Farm for a gourmet barbecue Highlight Dinner. An entertaining after-dinner farm show completes your evening. **B HD**

## 15 Queenstown – Franz Josef

Visit the faithfully-restored gold mining settlement of Arrowtown and travel on to Cromwell to taste its sensational stone fruit. You will then travel over Haast Pass and view the sheer drop of Thunder Creek Falls on your way to Franz Josef Glacier. **Hotel: Scenic Franz Josef Glacier, Graham Wing. B D**

## 16 Franz Josef – Christchurch

This morning's destination is Hokitika, home of New Zealand's famous greenstone, prized for its strength, durability and beauty. Then continue to Arthur's Pass to board the iconic TranzAlpine train and take one of the world's most scenic rail journeys. This evening, join your Travel Director for a Farewell Dinner. **Hotel: Ibis. B FD**

## 17 Farewell from Christchurch

Your vacation comes to an end this morning after breakfast. **B**

From **\$6713**

per person double share land only

## LABC: Auckland to Christchurch

### Departure Dates

2022	2022 continued	2023
Apr 16, 23	Sep 03, 10, 14	Jan 07, 14, 21, 28
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## LCBA: Christchurch to Auckland

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Apr 04, 11	Oct 03, 17, 24, 31	Jan 02, 09, 16, 23
May 02	Nov 07, 21, 28	Feb 06, 13, 20, 27
Sep 05	Dec 05, 12, 19, 26	Mar 06, 13, 20, 27

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## Dining

16 Full buffet breakfasts B 5 Dinners D  
1 Lunch L 1 Farewell Dinner FD  
2 Highlight Dinners HD

## Flight Information

LABC: Auckland to Christchurch

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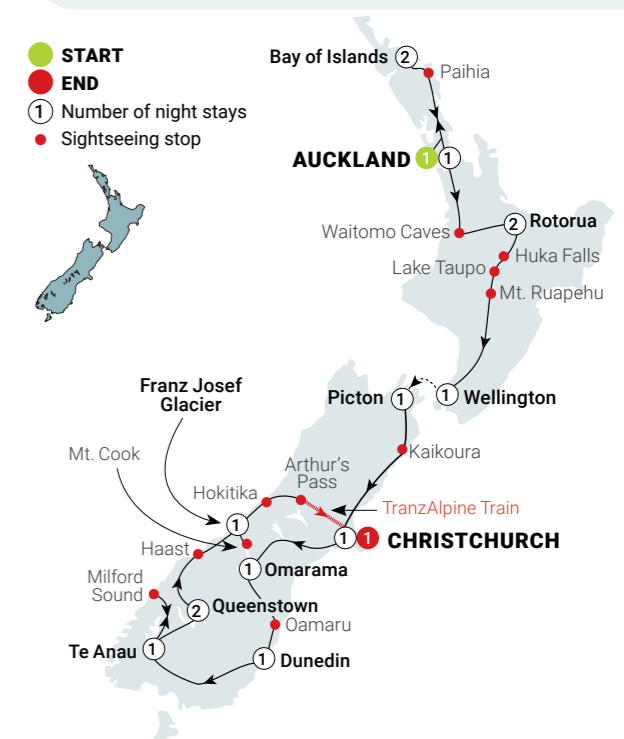
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# New Zealand Marvel

## Highlights

### ✈ Flexible Holidays

There's nothing quite as cool as flying over, then landing on, Franz Josef Glacier. It's an optional experience you won't want to miss.

### 📍 Iconic Sites

Just try not to be dazzled cruising around Milford Sound in World Heritage listed Fiordland National Park.

### 📷 Time For You

Wine and dine, cruise and soak – you'll have plenty of time to explore Queenstown and Rotorua at your leisure.

### ♻ Sustainable Travel

MAKE TRAVEL MATTER EXPERIENCE 🌱 Kiwi kids in need are gifted a lunch for every guest lunch we serve up, thanks to our commitment to the Eat My Lunch initiative.



Tamaki Māori Village

### 1 Welcome to Christchurch

On arrival in Christchurch there's time for relaxing or exploring. This evening, your vacation begins at a Welcome Reception with your Travel Director and fellow travelers. **Hotel: Ibis.**

### 2 Christchurch – Franz Josef

Board the iconic TranzAlpine train for one of the world's great rail journeys. Pass through the lush pasture-land of the Canterbury Plains to the rugged gorges and ice-fed streams and lakes of the Southern Alps. Arrive at Arthur's Pass and continue to Hokitika, home of New Zealand's famous greenstone. Your destination is the extraordinary rivers of ice that make up Franz Josef Glacier. You may like to get up close and personal with the glaciers on an optional experience helicopter flight. **Hotel: Scenic Franz Josef Glacier, Graham Wing. B D**

### 3 Franz Josef – Queenstown

Drive over the spectacular Haast Pass, passing the 96-metre Thunder Creek Falls, and serene Lakes Wanaka, Hawea and Dunstan. Stop at the town of Cromwell and enjoy delicious stone fruit. Next, you'll visit the historic gold-mining settlement of Arrowtown, where over seventy buildings from the gold-rush era are still beautifully preserved. You'll arrive in Queenstown in time for an orientation tour. **Hotel: Copthorne Hotel and Resort, 2 nights. B**

### 4 Queenstown Free Time

Explore New Zealand's adventure capital today. There are jet-boat rides for thrill-seekers, and wine tours or intimate cafés for those who enjoy a more leisurely pace. Enjoy a peaceful cruise this evening across Lake Wakatipu aboard the TSS Earnslaw to Walter Peak High Country Farm for a gourmet barbecue Highlight Dinner and an entertaining after-dinner show offering glimpses of high-country farm life. **B HD**

### 5 Queenstown – Te Anau

Travel the highway known as the Devil's Staircase and along the shores of Lake Wakatipu to the town of Te Anau. On your journey to Milford Sound you'll be awestruck by the native rainforests and rugged mountains of Fiordland National Park. Your cruise on the Sound provides views of

cascading waterfalls, hanging glacial valleys, and towering Mitre Peak. Return to lakeside Te Anau, where this evening you can consider an optional experience visiting the Te Anau Glowworm Caves.

**Hotel: Luxmore. B D**

### 6 Te Anau – Dunedin

Journey through lush green sheep-grazing country on your way to Dunedin this morning. The afternoon is yours to enjoy as you please. Sit back and relax, or consider an optional experience. Perhaps take a wildlife cruise out to the Otago Peninsula to spot penguins and the Royal Albatross or experience an interactive tour of famous Speight's Brewery.

**Hotel: Scenic Dunedin City. B**

### 7 Dunedin – Oamaru

Consider an optional experience to visit Larnach Castle this morning. Then set out for the historic town of Oamaru, with its elegant tree-lined streets and celebrated white limestone buildings. Later, follow the course of the mighty Waitaki River, which marks the boundary between the regions of Canterbury and Otago. Your day finishes in the heart of the Mackenzie Country at Oamaru. **Hotel: Heritage Gateway Hotel. B D**

### 8 Oamaru – Christchurch

Journey through the awe-inspiring Aoraki/Mt. Cook National Park. See majestic Lakes Pukaki and Tekapo, and stop to view the Church of the Good Shepherd. Later, traverse the fertile Canterbury Plains through Fairlie and Geraldine to Christchurch. **Hotel: Ibis. B D**

### 9 Christchurch – Picton

Travel along the rugged Pacific Ocean coast this morning to Kaikoura, where an optional whale-watching flight is available. Pass the pink-tinged crystallisation ponds of the Lake Grassmere Salt Works, then travel on to the pretty seaside village of Picton. **Hotel: Picton Beachcomber Inn. B D**

### 10 Picton – Wellington

Cruise tranquil Queen Charlotte Sound, then cross the Cook Strait to Wellington on the North Island. Take a city tour before enjoying some free time. Later, visit Te Papa Museum of New Zealand, where you'll have time to explore the many fascinating exhibits. **Hotel: Travelodge. B**

### 11 Wellington – Rotorua

Your special packed lunch today won't only be wholesome, it will also feed a Kiwi child who may otherwise go without, through the charity 'Eat My Lunch'. Travel along the scenic Kapiti Coast through lush dairy-farming country to Tongariro National Park and snow-capped Mt. Ruapehu. Panoramic views of Lake Taupo will unfold around every corner. View mighty Huka Falls and pass the Wairakei Geothermal Power Station. Enjoy an evening of fun and laughter and gain an insight into traditional Māori culture followed by a Hangi Highlight Dinner at the Tamaki Māori Village. **Hotel: Ibis, 2 nights. B L HD**

### 12 Rotorua Free Time

Relax or explore Rotorua at your own pace. Perhaps visit Rainbow Springs Nature Park and take a behind the scenes tour through the National Kiwi Hatchery, hatching over 55% of kiwis nationwide. **B**

### 13 Rotorua – Auckland

Explore the Waitomo Glowworm Grotto by boat, and walk through towering limestone caverns. Later, you'll follow the noble Waikato River into Auckland. Take an orientation tour of the city before joining your Travel Director for a Farewell Dinner. **Hotel: Holiday Inn Express. B FD**

### 14 Farewell from Auckland

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### LCCA: Christchurch to Auckland

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### LAAC: Auckland to Christchurch

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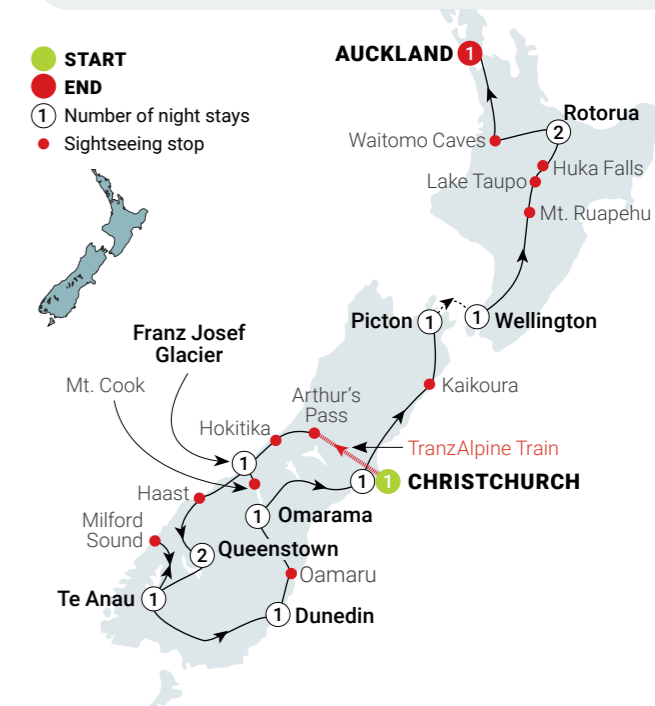
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# Southern Spotlight

## Highlights

### ✂ Flexible Holidays

From epic burgers to fine dining, Queenstown's restaurants, bars and cafes are just waiting to be enjoyed. Ask us for tips.

### 📍 Iconic Sites

Among the world's great train journeys, the TranzAlpine traverses countryside made for postcards, as are fabled Milford Sound and Franz Josef Glacier.

### 📷 Time For You

Sometimes, the best adventures are unplanned. We give you free days and afternoons to dive deep into southern attractions.

### 🌿 Sustainable Travel

By visiting Fiordland National Park, you're helping protect this fragile ecosystem's flora and fauna for future generations.



Lake Wakatipu, Queenstown

### 1 Welcome to Christchurch

You'll have time to relax before meeting your Travel Director and fellow travelers this evening for a Welcome Reception. **Hotel: Ibis.**

### 2 Christchurch – Omarama

See how Christchurch has rebuilt itself after the devastating earthquakes of 2010 and 2011, and pop into the Transitional Cathedral, the temporary home of the Christchurch Cathedral, built almost entirely of cardboard. Later, travel over the fertile Canterbury Plains to soak up spectacular scenery. You'll view the famous Church of the Good Shepherd, and stop for a quick photo with the bronze statue of a collie dog. You may wish to view Mount Cook National Park from the air this afternoon on an optional experience scenic flight. Your day finishes in the heart of the Mackenzie Country at Omarama. **Hotel: Heritage Gateway. B D**

### 3 Omarama – Dunedin

Your day starts with a journey along the Waitaki River, which marks the boundary between the regions of Canterbury and Otago, and with its large catchment it is an ideal source of hydro-electric power. From the Waitaki Valley you will travel to the historic town of Oamaru, with its elegant tree-lined streets and celebrated white limestone buildings. Continue to Dunedin, where your afternoon is at leisure. You may like to take a tour of imposing Larnach Castle, the country's only castle. **Hotel: Scenic Dunedin City. B**

### 4 Dunedin – Te Anau

This morning you're free to explore Dunedin at your own pace. Later, travel through lush green pastures, crossing sheep-filled farming land. As your journey continues, the rolling, grassy hills once again turn back into heavily forested, rugged mountains, and you'll meander into Fiordland National Park to the South Island's biggest lake and the town of Te Anau. Tonight, consider an optional experience and take a boat tour of the mysterious Te Anau Glowworm Caves. **Hotel: Luxmore. B D**

### 5 Te Anau – Queenstown

Your experience in magnificent Milford Sound is sure to be one of the highlights of your trip. Travel through tall native rainforests and rugged mountains of Fiordland National Park, then cruise the serene waters of this natural wonder. On the way to Queenstown see Mirror Lake, Cleddau Valley, the Chasm, Mitre Peak and Bowen Falls, then travel along the Devil's Staircase and the shores of Lake Wakatipu. Enjoy an informative orientation tour on arrival. **Hotel: Copthorne Hotel and Resort, 2 nights. B**

### 6 Queenstown Free Time

Explore New Zealand's adventure capital at your own pace today. There are jet boat rides and white water rafting for the thrill-seekers, and wine tours or intimate cafés for those who enjoy a more leisurely rhythm. You might like to visit the picturesque Queenstown Gardens and enjoy its beautiful tulips in spring or glorious roses in summer. Take a peaceful cruise this evening across Lake Wakatipu aboard the century-old TSS Earnslaw, the only remaining commercial passenger-carrying coal-fired steamship in the Southern Hemisphere. Your destination is Walter Peak High Country Farm, where you'll enjoy a gourmet barbecue Highlight Dinner and entertaining after-dinner show offering glimpses of high country farm life. **B HD**

### 7 Queenstown – Franz Josef

Your destination today is the wild west coast of the South Island. Stop to visit the gold-mining settlement of Arrowtown, where more than 70 original buildings from the gold-rush era are faithfully preserved. Sample luscious stone fruit in Cromwell and enjoy the serenity of the region's vivid blue lakes, the most famous of which is tranquil Lake Wanaka. Drive over the spectacular Haast Pass, passing the 96-metre Thunder Creek Falls and stopping for a leisurely rainforest walk on your way to the extraordinary Franz Josef Glacier. **Hotel: Scenic Franz Josef Glacier, Graham Wing. B D**

### 8 Franz Josef – Christchurch

Travel on this morning to Hokitika, home of New Zealand's famous greenstone. Pounamu (its Māori name) is of great cultural significance in Māori culture and was prized for its strength, durability and beauty. It was used for weapons, tools and personal ornaments, and also denoted great status. Continue to Arthur's Pass to board the iconic TranzAlpine train and embark on one of the world's most renowned rail journeys. Pass through magnificent landscapes ranging from the rugged gorges and pristine ice-fed streams and lakes of the Southern Alps, to the lush pasture-land of the Canterbury Plains. This evening in Christchurch, join your Travel Director and new-found friends for a Farewell Dinner. **Hotel: Ibis. B FD**

### 9 Farewell from Christchurch

Say farewell to your fellow travelers when your vacation comes to an end this morning after breakfast. **B**



Dunedin

From **\$3699**

per person double share land only

## LCQR: Christchurch Return

### Departure Dates

2022	2022 continued	2023
Apr 24	Sep 11, 18	Jan 01, 15, 22, 29
May 01	Oct 02, 09, 16, 23, 30	Feb 05, 12, 19, 26
Jun 05	Nov 06, 13, 20	Mar 05, 12, 19, 26
Jul 03, 31	Dec 04, 11, 18, 25	Apr 02
Aug 14		

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## LRQC: Christchurch Return

### Departure Dates

2022	2022 continued	2023
Apr 04, 11	Oct 03, 17, 24, 31	Jan 02, 09, 16, 23, 30
May 02	Nov 07, 21, 28	Feb 06, 13, 20, 27
Sep 05	Dec 05, 12, 19, 26	Mar 06, 13, 20, 27

A limited number of single rooms are available. Ask your local travel agent at time of booking.

See available prices and departure dates from 01 Apr 2023 at [atkings.com](http://atkings.com). Or contact your local travel agent.

## Dining

8 Full buffet breakfasts B      3 Dinners D  
1 Highlight Dinner HD      1 Farewell Dinner FD

## Flight Information

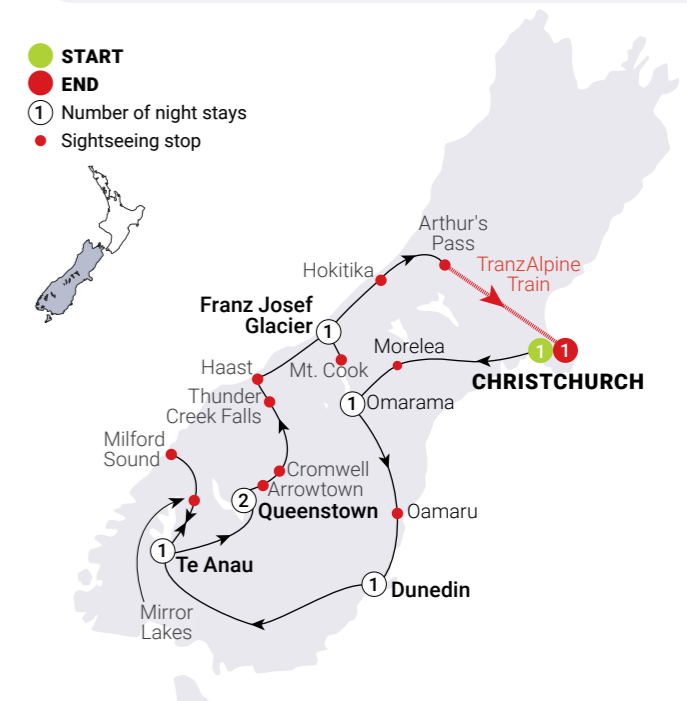
### LCQR: Christchurch Return

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# Outback Contrasts

Witness the rugged landscape of the Red Centre and marvel at the ancient cultures that have cared for this land for generations. Experience the majesty of Uluru, Kings Canyon and view rock art dating back thousands of years, witness striking landscapes and be immersed in the stories of the Dreamtime.



© Uluru Sunrise and Field of Light

Enter a fantasy garden of 50,000 slender stems of light crowned with radiant frosted glass spheres in colors of ochre, deep violet, blue and gentle white.

**6 DAYS** • Alice Springs • West MacDonnell Ranges • Kings Canyon • Kata Tjuta • Uluru

## Immerse

Experience true outback life as you enjoy lunch on Peter Severin's million acre property in the heart of the Red Centre.

## Indulge

Bask in the glow of the campfire as you indulge in a five course degustation with matching wines in the beautiful Kings Canyon Resort.

## Explore

Enter Walpa Gorge, an ancient temple crafted by nature, and discover the scenic wonders of the West MacDonnell Ranges.

## Relax

Nestled in the rugged bush, unwind in your Deluxe Spa Room at Kings Canyon Resort, with a private balcony overlooking a beautiful rock escarpment.

### Day 1: Welcome to Alice Springs

Meet your Journey Director who will share their take on what life is like in such an isolated town as Alice Springs. Visit the historic Overland Telegraph Station and hear how the north and south of Australia were connected by a single wire. Then **the stunning landscapes of the West MacDonnell take center stage, as you embark on a walk through Simpsons Gap**, and later view Alice Springs and surrounds from the top of Anzac Hill. This evening join your fellow travelers for a Welcome Dinner at Tali Restaurant.

**Crowne Plaza Alice Springs Lasseters**  
Welcome Dinner

### Day 2: Alice Springs – Kings Canyon

We head off along the 4WD Giles Track, crossing dry riverbeds and **outback landscapes**, to Kings Canyon Resort. The flickering glow of this evening's fire, dancing under the canopy of a starry Southern Hemisphere sky, is the perfect accompaniment to your **Local Dining Experience 'Under a Desert Moon'**. This degustation menu with matching wines is the perfect end to the day. Sit back and listen to the sounds of the outback come alive at night in the company of new friends.

**Kings Canyon Resort, Deluxe Spa Room**  
Breakfast, lunch, Local Dining Experience

### Day 3: Kings Canyon – Uluru

Gaze across the deep chasm at the edge of Kings Canyon as you embark on the spellbinding 6 km sunrise Rim Walk, past the sandstone domes of the 'Lost City' and down the stairs to the lush 'Garden of Eden'. Or you can opt for a gentler stroll along the canyon creek bed, treading in the footsteps of the Luritja people who once found sanctuary amidst the Itara trees at the canyon's base. Then we **head off towards Uluru, visiting the local Wanmarra Community to learn about the Luritja and Pertame people's spiritual connection to the land**. Discover bush food and bush medicine used for spirituality and healing. Now you'll wander across desert landscapes arriving at Curtin Springs Station, a vast farming property, for lunch. Feel the stirring of something bigger than you as you arrive at **Ayers Rock Resort, your launchpad to Australia's spiritual heart in Uluru-Kata Tjuta National Park**. As the day fades, the outback sun bids a fiery farewell. Uluru towers over the Northern Territory's remote landscape, the perfect back drop for this evening's sparkling sundowners.

**Sails in the Desert Hotel, Ayers Rock Resort, 2 nights**  
Breakfast, lunch



### Day 4: Uluru Sunrise & Field of Light – Kata Tjuta

Wake early, taking time to pause and contemplate the mesmerising sunrise over the desert terrain of Uluru and Kata Tjuta, **observing the shifting lights and play of colors of the impressive Field of Light installation as the desert awakens**. Wander through the paths where 50,000 glass spheres in colors of ochre, deep violet, blue and a gentle white have been installed. Later, learn about the spiritual connection local Anangu caretakers have with the land. **Skirt the red cliffs of Uluru, hear ancient tales, and see rock art**, then visit the Mutitjulu Waterhole, revelling in the stillness of this spiritual place, along with its resident wallabies, honeyeaters, and thorny devils. Later, relax by the pool or take to the skies on an Optional Experience to see Uluru from above before you visit Kata Tjuta and connect with nature during an afternoon walk through Walpa Gorge, a sacred place sheltered within rusty red cliffs that rise on either side of this desert landscape. This evening, join your fellow travelers for dinner at Ilkari Restaurant.

Breakfast, Dinner with wine

### Day 5: Uluru – Alice Springs

Enjoy a relaxed start to the day before heading across the desert landscapes on your way back to Alice Springs. This evening, **immerse yourself against the backdrop of the outback at an open-air Celebration Dinner with your hosts around a campfire, under the Southern Hemisphere's Milky Way**.

**Crowne Plaza Alice Springs Lasseters**  
Breakfast, Celebration Dinner

### Day 6: Farewell from Alice Springs

Your inspiring Red Centre journey comes to an end this morning when you are transferred to Alice Springs Airport for your onward flight.

Breakfast

From **\$4495**

per person double share land only

## Departures

2022			
Apr	05, 12, 19, 26	Aug	02, 09, 16, 23, 30
May	03, 10, 17, 24, 31	Sep	06, 13, 20, 27
Jun	07, 14, 21, 28	Oct	04, 11
Jul	05, 12, 19, 26		

See available prices or additional departure dates including those from 01 Apr 2023 at [inspiringjourneys.com/craa](https://inspiringjourneys.com/craa) or contact your local agent.

Single traveler must pay the single price.

## Inclusions

- Small group (22 guests max)
- 10+ Unforgettable experiences
- 11 included meals
- 5 Nights premium accommodation

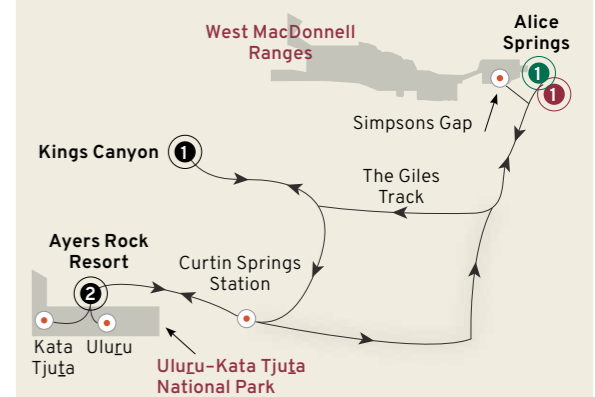
## CRAA: Alice Springs Return

Flights are not included in vacation price.

Flight Information:

Day 1 – flights to arrive prior to 12.00pm into Alice Springs Airport

Day 6 – flights to depart after 10.00am from Alice Springs Airport



- Start
- Finish
- Overnight
- Sightseeing
- Coach

# Kakadu's Ancient Secrets

Explore Kakadu, an ancient landscape of billabongs, gorges and hidden canyons teeming with spectacular wildlife. Admire rock art and hear stories of the Dreamtime. Embark on a journey to the haunt of the Lightning Man, Aboriginal clans and the crocodiles that roam Kakadu's floodplains.



© Top Didj Cultural Experience

Be welcomed to Katherine by award-winning Aboriginal artist Manuel Pamkal. Brought up in the bush near the King River, Manuel is a passionate teacher and storyteller ready to share his beloved childhood memories with you.

**5 DAYS** • Darwin • Kakadu National Park • Katherine Gorge • Litchfield National Park

## Immerse

Visit the Adelaide River War Cemetery and learn of its moving history, and discover the ancient rock art gallery of Ubirr.

## Indulge

Unwind on an indulgent Katherine Gorge dinner cruise, and dine at the award-winning Cicada Lodge, where the Chef's menu is crafted daily.

## Explore

Climb Ubirr for spectacular views over Kakadu, spot crocodiles and other wildlife on Yellow Water Billabong.

## Relax

Stay in the heart of Nitmiluk National Park at the eco-friendly Cicada Lodge, where you can enjoy sunset drinks and canapés poolside looking out to the native bushland.

As this journey departs at 7.30am from Hilton Darwin, accommodation will need to be pre-booked for the previous night.

### Day 1: Darwin – Litchfield National Park – Kakadu

Welcome to Darwin! This morning meet your Journey Director and board your luxury vehicle to begin your journey of discovery in the Top End. Travel across the Finnis River to Litchfield National Park. You'll visit tumbling Florence Falls and you'll also enjoy a swim to cool off at Wangi Falls, surrounded by tropical monsoon rainforest and hear about its importance in Aboriginal custom before stopping for lunch. Get ready for a cross-country journey into the magnificent Kakadu National Park. Keep your eyes open for Crocodiles as you cross the South Alligator River, Brolgas, Magpie Geese and Jabiru as you traverse along the long grasses of the marshes and wetlands. Kakadu really is a diverse UNESCO world heritage site. This afternoon check into the renowned Crocodile Hotel in the town of Jabiru and enjoy the wonderful Aboriginal Art Gallery within the hotel before getting to know your fellow travelers over dinner with wine.

**Mercure Kakadu Crocodile Hotel, Jabiru, 2 nights**  
**Dinner with wine**

### Day 2: Kakadu

This morning there's a chance to take to the air an optional scenic flight over Kakadu. One of the best ways to experience the enormity of this wonderful National Park as well as the diversity from waterfalls and billabongs to flood plains and wildlife. Join your Journey Director on

a walk at Kakadu's stunning Ubirr rock art site. You'll see ancient rock art and take a walk to discover remarkable views over the surrounding wetlands and escarpments from the fantastic vantage point, Nadab lookout. After lunch the famous Yellow Waters Billabong boat cruise will be a highlight of your journey. You will see a myriad of different bird species, spot estuarine crocodiles and simply enjoy the stunning billabong and floodplains system. Returning to your hotel you will have the chance to relax and unwind with a refreshing dip in the hotel's shaded outdoor pool or even wander through the on-site art gallery before enjoying a delicious dinner with wine.

**Breakfast, lunch, dinner with wine**

### Day 3: Kakadu – Nourlangie – Katherine

Visit Nourlangie to admire the ancient Dreamtime art of the Bininj and Mungguy people. Hear from your Journey Director a detailed interpretation of the art and the rich Aboriginal culture as you explore the various outdoor 'galleries', dating back 20,000 years. Continue driving through the ancient lands of Kakadu to the town of Katherine and further on into Nitmiluk National Park. This evening, indulge in five-star luxury at Cicada Lodge, a stunning eco-lodge surrounded by nature, where each private balcony opens out to the National Park. Cool off in the pool after the heat of the day, and then experience a glorious sunset.

**Cicada Lodge, Nitmiluk National Park, 2 nights**

**Breakfast, dinner with wine**



Yellow Water Billabong Cruise

### Day 4: Katherine Gorge

Today meet Manuel Pamkal who will welcome you with a traditional performance on the didgeridoo. Manuel was born and raised immersed in his rich traditional Dalabon culture. He'll share with you stories of growing up in the bush and teach you the fine art of rarrk (cross hatch) painting using a special brush from a reed called Julk. Call on the artist within you and paint your own masterpiece to take home! Enjoy lunch back on the deck at Cicada Lodge overlooking the natural surroundings, before time at leisure. This evening, relax on a Local Dining Experience cruise along Katherine River. Marvel at the gorges while you spot wildlife such as freshwater crocodile and barramundi, and learn about the history and culture of the local Jawoyn people. Enjoy the peaceful ambiance during the candle-lit three course dinner onboard your boat.

**Breakfast, lunch, Local Dining Experience**

### Day 5: Katherine – Farewell from Darwin

Enjoy a leisurely start to your day or get up early to experience the National Park completely immersed in the mystical morning light. Travel north along the Stuart Highway stopping at Edith Falls along the way for a relaxing dip. Continue to Adelaide River War Cemetery. During WWII, Adelaide River was the headquarters to a large military base and a cemetery was created especially for those who gave their lives in the service and defence of their country. Your Inspiring Journey concludes on arrival in Darwin.

**Breakfast, lunch**

From **\$3893**

per person double share land only

## Departures

2022			
May	05, 12, 19, 26	Aug	04, 11, 18, 25
Jun	02, 09, 16, 23, 30	Sep	01, 08, 15, 22, 29
Jul	07, 14, 21, 29	Oct	06

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## Inclusions

- Small group (22 guests max)
- 11+ Unforgettable experiences
- 11 included meals
- 4 Nights premium accommodation

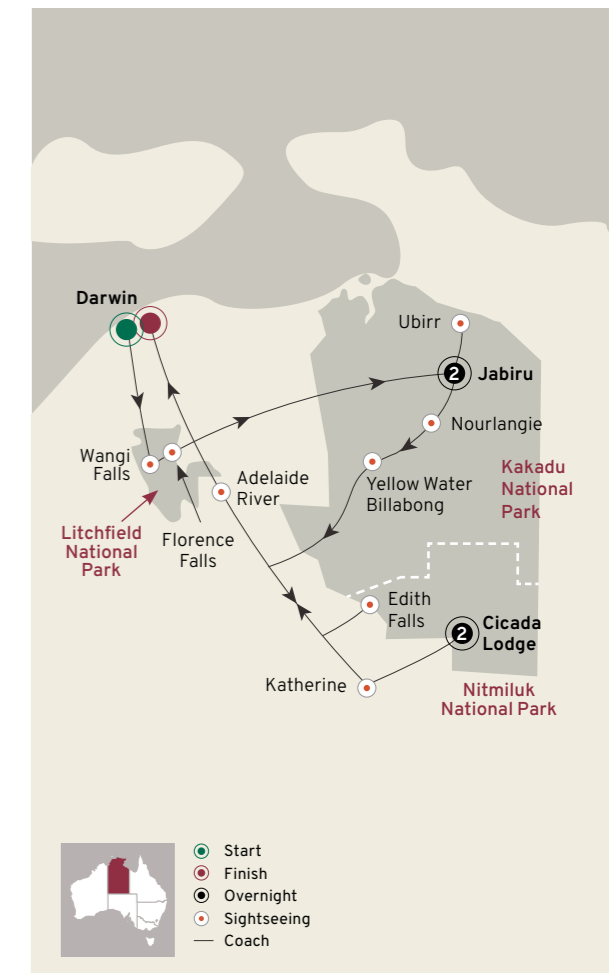
## MNDD: Darwin Return

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Flight Information:

Day prior – flights to arrive anytime into Darwin Airport

Day 5 – flights to depart after 8.00pm from Darwin Airport



# A Journey to the West

Relax as you enjoy VIP tastings at the Margaret River region's most picturesque vineyards and indulge in exclusive dining experiences celebrating local produce. Hear stories of Indigenous culture at stunning Cape Naturaliste before discovering marine and bird life at Shoalwater Bay and the idyllic Rottnest Island.



Enter the Boodja (country) of the Wadandi people through their eyes and learn about the Noongar seasons and the encircling connections with the rivers, seas, animals, fish and plants. Cape Cultural Tours

**7 DAYS** • Perth • Penguin Island  
• Bunker Bay • Busselton • Cape Naturaliste  
• Margaret River • Rottnest Island • Fremantle

## 🎯 Immerse

Discover the land of Cape Naturaliste through the eyes of an Indigenous custodian and learn about the history of Busselton Jetty.

## 🍷 Indulge

Discover wine-making philosophy and enjoy VIP tastings at some of Australia's best wineries in Margaret River, including the award-winning Hayshed Hill.

## 🌿 Explore

Discover Shoalwater Bay's glorious marine life and meet the colony of the world's smallest penguins, and encounter the adorable quokka.

## 🛋️ Relax

Enjoy the luxurious comfort of the 5-star Pullman Bunker Bay and unwind in the 1850s landmark Esplanade Hotel, located in the heart of Fremantle.

### Day 1: Welcome to Perth

On arrival in Perth spend time on your own to relax or explore the surroundings. This evening meet your Journey Director and new traveling companions at your hotel for a Welcome Reception with local Western Australian wine and beers along with local produce canapés.

🏠 DoubleTree Perth Waterfront, 2 nights  
🍷 Dinner with wine

### Day 2: Perth

Your Journey Director will show you the must-see sights including Elizabeth Quay, Yagan Square and you will have time to explore Kings Park with its sweeping city views and some of the 3,000 species of the State's unique flora. This afternoon is free for you to relax or explore more of the city. Tonight, you will dine in the heart of Perth's historical, cultural and dining precinct at the State Buildings.

🍷 Breakfast, dinner with wine

### Day 3: Perth – Penguin Island – Busselton – Bunker Bay

Today you'll head to world-renowned winery region of Margaret River. Your first stop is Penguin Island, which lays in the heart of the ruggedly spectacular Shoalwater Islands Marine Park. Here you will board your boat to cruise through Shoalwater Bay's Wildlife Sanctuary to see bottlenose dolphins, Australian sea lions and sea birds such as Spinebills and Goshawks. Afterwards, you'll continue south to explore the historic Busselton Jetty that has been standing for more than 150 years. There is the chance to explore the jetty on foot or take the Jetty Train along this 1.7km timber piled jetty that is the longest in the Southern Hemisphere. Nestled on the white sandy beaches your accommodation is the 5 star Pullman Bunker Bay. Enjoy dinner at the Other Side of the Moon Restaurant, where you will dine on an array of fresh locally sourced seasonal produce with local wines.

🏠 Pullman Bunker Bay Resort, 2 nights  
🍷 Breakfast, lunch, dinner with wine

### Day 4: Margaret River & Cape Naturaliste

Your day begins with a moving 'Welcome to Country' ceremony as part of your Indigenous experience at Cape Naturaliste. Your local guide will escort you on an interactive walk around Cape Naturaliste Lighthouse precinct, where they interpret the land through the eyes of an Indigenous custodian, followed by an artefact interpretation and didgeridoo experience. From Cape Naturaliste you'll drive through the vineyard lined roads to your Margaret River winery experience. Upon arrival, the winemakers will take you on a guided walk through the rolling vineyard, followed by a Local Dining Experience at a degustation lunch with matching wines at Hay Shed Hill. After you have indulged in your long lunch, there is time to explore the quaint town of Margaret River before returning to your hotel.

🍷 Breakfast, Local Dining Experience

### Day 5: Bunker Bay – Fremantle

Leaving the wine country behind you journey back up the beautiful south west coastline towards Fremantle. This afternoon you will join your local expert guide for an immersive walking tour of historic Fremantle. Departing from the hotel, enjoy a relaxed, informative and conversational walk and talk that is designed to entertain and educate. Walk into the past, present and future and get unique insight into the well-preserved architectural heritage.

🏠 Esplanade Hotel Fremantle, 2 nights  
🍷 Breakfast

### Day 6: Rottnest Island

Board a catamaran and escape across the open ocean to the magnificent and historic Rottnest Island, a paradise lovingly referred to by the sun-worshipping locals as 'Rotto'. Take a leisurely stroll along the beach and keep a keen eye out for the friendliest resident, the Quokka. Join a local guide on a Discovery Rottnest tour covering the island's most spectacular locations. Delve into the island's history and culture, its marine and land environments and the diverse flora and fauna. Enjoy lunch before exploring more of the beaches. This afternoon, you'll leave the pristine shoreline and cruise back to seaside Fremantle, where tonight you'll join your fellow travelers for a Celebration Dinner. What better way to toast to a mesmerising journey with Local Western Australian wines matched with the seasonal farm to table menu.

🍷 Breakfast, lunch, Celebration Dinner



Quokka, Rottnest Island

### Day 7: Farewell from Fremantle

Exchange phone numbers with new friends as your inspiring Western Australia journey ends. Before you depart, you may like to visit the historic Fremantle Markets. A private vehicle will transfer you to Perth airport for your onward flight.

🍷 Breakfast

From **\$5149**

per person double share land only

### Departures

2022		2023	
Apr	02, 30	Feb	04
Sep	17	Mar	04
Oct	15		
Nov	12		
Dec	10		

See available prices or additional departure dates including those from 01 May 2023 at [inspiringjourneys.com/ijwa](https://inspiringjourneys.com/ijwa) or contact your local agent. Single traveler must pay the single price.

### Inclusions

- Small group (22 guests max)
- 23+ Unforgettable experiences
- 13 included meals
- 6 Nights premium accommodation

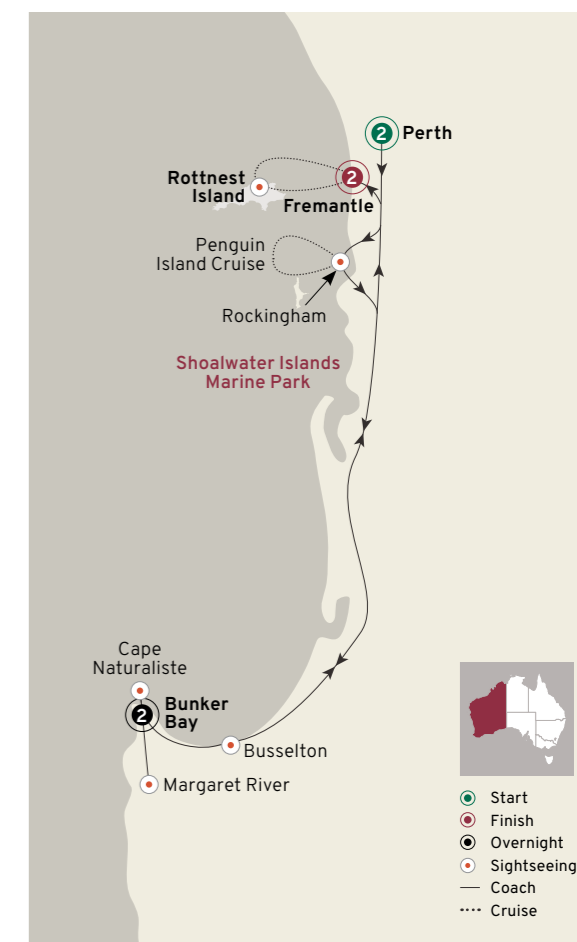
### IJWA: Perth to Fremantle

Flights are not included in vacation price.

Flight Information:

Day 1 – flights to arrive prior to 4.30pm into Perth Airport

Day 7 – flights to depart after 1.00pm (Domestic) or 3.00pm (International) from Perth Airport



# The Long White Cloud

Be awed as you traverse New Zealand's North and South Islands, from the hot pools of Franz Josef, an exclusive TreadRight experience in Rotorua, to the brave depths of Queenstown, the adventure capital. Explore extraordinary landscapes and ancient heritage, as you encounter exhilarating New Zealand as few have seen it before.



Milford Sound Cruise  
After a taste of the world-famous Milford Track, it's all aboard your cruise in the comfort of a small boat. Cruise the length of the fiord and experience the beauty of Milford Sound in all its grandeur.

## 19 DAYS • Christchurch • Queenstown

- Franz Josef Glacier • Milford Sound
- Dunedin • Wellington • Hawke's Bay
- Rotorua • Auckland

### 📍 Immerse

Embrace the traditional Māori greeting at Tamaki Māori Village, and immerse yourself in the sights and sounds of Waimangu.

### 🍷 Indulge

Enjoy an unforgettable dining experience at Craggy Range Winery in Hawke's Bay, a region blessed with fertile soils.

### 🌿 Explore

Join a nature guide on the breathtaking Milford Track, and discover the luminous shimmer of the Footwhistle Cave.

### 🌸 Relax

Wake up to the wonder of fiordland at Milford Sound Lodge, and take a deep breath and unwind at Te Waonui Forest Retreat.

#### Day 1: Welcome to Christchurch

On arrival in Christchurch, board a private transfer to your hotel. Tonight, meet your Journey Director for a Welcome Reception.

🏠 **The George**

#### Day 2: Christchurch – TranzAlpine – Franz Josef

Travel through the Southern Alps aboard TranzAlpine train. From Arthur's Pass, visit the small town of Hokitika, and meet a local greenstone (jade) carver. Continue to Franz Josef, where you'll spend two nights in an eco-friendly retreat nestled in the wilderness.

🏠 **Te Waonui Forest Retreat, 2 nights**

🍷 **Breakfast, dinner with wine**

#### Day 3: Franz Josef Glacier (Relaxed Start)

📍 This morning, explore Franz Josef, where a local guide explains the history behind the imposing Franz Josef Glacier.

🍷 **Breakfast**

#### Day 4: Franz Josef – Arrowtown – Queenstown

📍 Discover the Haast River this morning as you journey its length in a fully enclosed river jet boat. Stop at Makarora, then explore the heritage gold-settlement of Arrowtown, before an orientation of breathtaking Queenstown.

🏠 **Hotel St. Moritz, 3 nights**

🍷 **Breakfast, dinner with wine**

#### Day 5 & 6: Queenstown at Leisure

📍 Enjoy two full days to discover Queenstown. Perhaps consider a wine tour, or even an adrenaline-filled activity. On your second night, **your Local Dining Experience is in one of Queenstown's exclusive restaurants.**

🍷 **Breakfast, Local Dining Experience**

#### Day 7: Queenstown – Te Anau – Milford Sound

📍 Travel south along the shores of Lake Wakatipu to Te Anau and then through the rainforest of World Heritage Fiordland National Park. Tonight, **stay at Milford Sound Lodge, with views of the magical Cleddau Valley.**

🏠 **Milford Sound Lodge, 2 nights**

🍷 **Breakfast, dinner with wine**

#### Day 8: Milford Track Walk & Milford Sound Cruise

📍 **Get a taste of the world-famous Milford Track with a half-day walk.** Walking in a small group, your nature guide will point out the native fauna and flora and share the fascinating human heritage of the track. This afternoon, enjoy Milford Sound's awe-inspiring scenery from the comfort of a small boat. **Cruise the length of the Fiord, view iconic Mitre Peak and get up close to Stirling Falls.** With limited numbers, you'll be rewarded with an intimate experience and unobstructed photo opportunities from the outdoor viewing decks. Keep an eye out for seals and maybe a pod of dolphins. The perfect way to round off your day.

🍷 **Breakfast, dinner with wine**

#### Day 9: Milford Sound – Gore – Dunedin

📍 Depart majestic Fiordland National Park for the fertile sheep-dotted pastures of South Otago. Travel through the country music town of Gore, before arriving in Dunedin.

🏠 **Distinction Dunedin Hotel, 2 nights**

🍷 **Breakfast, dinner with wine**

#### Day 10: Dunedin (Relaxed Start)

📍 Join a behind the scenes tour at a state-of-the-art 5000L craft brewery, Emerson's, before joining your hosts for an exclusive **tasting.** This afternoon, perhaps consider an optional experience.

🍷 **Breakfast**

#### Day 11: Dunedin – Oamaru – Timaru – Christchurch

📍 Travel up the east coast through Oamaru and Timaru. **On arrival in Christchurch, embark on a sightseeing tour of the city.**

🏠 **The George**

🍷 **Breakfast, dinner with wine**

#### Day 12: Christchurch – Kaikoura – Wellington

📍 **Guests depart this morning in Christchurch (Code: NZSI).** Travel along the Pacific coast to Kaikoura. Continue to the seaside village of Picton and later, cross the Cook Strait to Wellington. **Guests join this afternoon in Wellington (Code: NZNI).**

🏠 **QT Wellington, 2 nights**

🍷 **Breakfast, dinner with wine**

#### Day 13: Wellington at Leisure

📍 **Today see Wellington your way.** Why not visit the Weta Workshop, home of the creative wizards behind The Lord of the Rings and The Hobbit trilogies or visit Te Papa Museum of New Zealand.

🍷 **Breakfast**

#### Day 14: Wellington – Hawke's Bay

📍 Travel through the dairy farming land of Manawatu to Napier. **This evening, enjoy wine-tasting and a Local Dining Experience at Craggy Range winery, in the shadow of spectacular Te Mata Peak.**

🏠 **Porters Boutique Hotel, 2 nights**

🍷 **Breakfast, Local Dining Experience**

#### Day 15: Napier (Relaxed Start)

📍 **Join a local guide for a vintage car tour through Napier and surrounds areas.** You'll learn about the earthquake that destroyed the city in 1931 and hear stories of the people that led the rebuild in the Art Deco style.

🍷 **Breakfast, dinner with wine**

#### Day 16: Hawke's Bay – Rotorua

📍 Continue your journey, arriving in Rotorua. **Visit the world's youngest volcanic valley, Waimangu.** Cruise the tranquil waters of Lake Rotomahana to see stunning geothermal activity and native birdlife.

🏠 **Pullman, 2 nights**

🍷 **Breakfast**

#### Day 17: Rotorua

📍 **Ascend the breathtaking Redwoods Treewalk for an elevated bird's eye view of the 120-year old redwood giants.** At Rainbow Springs Nature Park you'll learn about their kiwi hatchery programme that is proudly supported by TreadRight. **Your Local Dining Experience is a Māori Hangi and cultural performance at the Tamaki Māori Village.**

🍷 **Breakfast, Local Dining Experience**

#### Day 18: Rotorua – Auckland

📍 **Make your way to the famous Caveworld Waitomo for an exclusive 5-star Eco Glowworm experience in Footwhistle Cave.** Later, travel to Auckland. This evening, toast your trip at a Celebration Dinner.

🏠 **QT Auckland**

🍷 **Breakfast, Celebration Dinner**

#### Day 19: Farewell from Auckland

📍 Your epic New Zealand journey comes to an end today and you are transferred to Auckland Airport for your onward flight.

🍷 **Breakfast**

From **\$13815**

per person double share land only

#### NZIJ: Christchurch to Auckland (19 Days) Departures

2022		2023	
Oct	10	Jan	02, 09, 30
Nov	07	Feb	06
		Mar	06

From **\$9005**

per person double share land only

#### NZSI: Christchurch return (12 Days) Departures

2022		2023	
Oct	10	Jan	02, 09, 30
Nov	07	Feb	06
		Mar	06

From **\$5353**

per person double share land only

#### NZNI: Wellington to Auckland (8 Days) Departures

2022		2023	
Oct	21	Jan	13, 20
Nov	18	Feb	10, 17
		Mar	17

See available prices or additional departure dates including those from 01 Oct 2023 at [inspiringjourneys.com/nzlj](https://inspiringjourneys.com/nzlj) or contact your local agent. Single traveler must pay the single price.

#### Inclusions

- Small group (22 guests max)
- 13+ Unforgettable experiences
- 30 included meals
- 18 Nights premium accommodation

#### NZIJ: Christchurch to Auckland

Flight Information:

Day 1 - flights to arrive prior to 4.00pm into Christchurch Airport

Day 19 - flights to depart anytime from Auckland Airport



**VERY IMPORTANT:** The information below is a summary of the booking conditions as at the date of the production of this brochure and are for guidance only. The 'Full Booking Conditions' can be found at **[aatkings.com/booking-conditions](http://aatkings.com/booking-conditions)** and form the legal agreement between us and you as our guest. If there is any conflict between the information below and the Full Booking Conditions, the Full Booking Conditions shall prevail. Booking Conditions are regularly updated and may have changed since this brochure was printed.

## Booking Conditions

AAT Kings Guided Holidays, Inspiring Journeys & Short Breaks			
<b>Tours including land only</b>			
Deposit Required	\$200		
Final Payment (before departure)	60 days		
<b>Tours including land &amp; internal-holiday airfares</b>			
Deposit Required	\$350		
Final Payment (before departure)	90 days		
<b>Cancellation Terms (per person) if you cancel your holiday – No. of days (before travel)</b>			
<b>Land only</b>	<b>Cancellation charge</b>	<b>Land &amp; Air</b>	<b>Cancellation charge</b>
60+ days	Loss of deposit	90+ days	Loss of deposit
59-16 days	30% of tour price	89-60 days	30% of tour price
15-8 days	50% of tour price	59-16 days	60% of tour price
7-1 days	90% of tour price	15-8 days	90% of tour price
Less than 24 hours	100% of tour price	7-0 days	100% of tour price

AAT Kings Day Tours	
<b>Cancellation Terms (per person) if you cancel your holiday – No. of hours (before travel)</b>	<b>Cancellation charge</b>
Within 48 hours	50% of tour price
Within 24 hours	100% of tour price

Travel agent fees and cancellation charges may also apply.

### DISCLAIMER

Travel is personal and each individual's goals and experiences may differ. AAT Kings will not be bound by, or liable for any description, photograph, representation or warranty made by or provided by any independent third party sales representative, Travel Agent, or other person or entity relating to any vacation offered by AAT Kings.

### GENERAL INFORMATION & CONDITIONS

Vacation prices are based on costs, charges, tariffs, rates, prices, taxes, levies, exchange rates and other considerations as of the production date of this brochure. All are subject to change. For up-to-date pricing contact your travel agent or visit [www.aatkings.com](http://www.aatkings.com). No surcharges regarding cost or currency fluctuation will be made to the LAND only price once the deposit is received. No refund will be made on account of reduction of any of the above. If the total vacation price increases by more than 10%, guests will have the option to cancel the vacation within 7 days of notification of the surcharge without penalty.

### FEES & TAXES

Other fees and taxes are subject to change without notice and will be confirmed at time of booking. Any additional fees charged by airlines such as baggage handling, seat selections, and/or any other services are at the sole responsibility of the guest(s). Additional air-related restrictions apply.

### TOUR PARTICIPATION, EXCLUSION AND RELEASE

Children under eighteen (18) years of age must be accompanied by an adult. Children under five (5) years of age are ineligible for Guided Vacations. Children under twelve (12) years of age are ineligible for Inspiring Journeys. Clients with disabilities are welcome on AAT Kings tours provided they are accompanied by an able-bodied companion and do not require special assistance from AAT Kings personnel. You must advise AAT Kings at the time of booking if you are affected by a condition, medical or otherwise, that may affect your enjoyment of the tour or its enjoyment by others. Failure to do so may result in the termination of your travel arrangements without any liability on the part of AAT Kings.

- Guests must advise AAT Kings, at time of booking of any physical, medical or other special needs that require accommodating. AAT Kings will make reasonable modifications to its policies, practices and procedures when necessary unless doing so will fundamentally alter the nature of the services provided.
- Guests must ensure they are medically and physically able to travel. AAT Kings may impose safety requirements. AAT Kings may exclude an individual from participation in a vacation or an activity, if the individual's poses a threat to the health or safety of others. The decision, made solely by AAT Kings, to exclude an individual will be based on an individualized assessment and reasonable judgment that relies on current medical evidence or on the best available objective evidence to determine the nature, duration and severity of the risk, the probability that potential injury will occur and whether reasonable modifications of policy, practices or procedures will mitigate the risk. No refunds will be given if the decision is made to exclude the guest.
- AAT Kings does not provide personal devices (such as wheelchairs, hearing aids or prescription eye glasses) or services of a personal nature (such as eating, toileting or dressing). A traveler who requires services of a personal nature should strongly consider bringing a companion to provide such assistance and must understand that the other travelers, Travel Director and AAT Kings staff will not be available for such purposes.
- Regrettably, motorized scooters are not allowed on any AAT Kings vacations.
- AAT Kings does not employ medical personnel; any necessary medical attention must be sought at a local facility, if available, at the guest's expense. AAT Kings is not responsible or liable for losses or costs incurred due to unavailability of medical service, or medical services obtained while on vacation, or for the quality of the care or services received. Medical care in other countries is not always comparable to care that you may receive in your local area. You are encouraged to purchase medical insurance that will cover you while on vacation. Your regular health insurance may not apply abroad.
- In purchasing your vacation, you attest that you are physically fit for it, if you have concerns please request additional details about your journey from your travel agent or AAT Kings.
- Some vacations include rough terrain, extensive walking over cobblestone streets, uneven pavement, steps, and/or locations which may not be easily accessible or accessible by wheelchair. During the vacation, AAT Kings may make arrangements with carriers, hotels and other independent suppliers to provide travel services. These parties are independent entities which AAT Kings does not control. Accommodations in international vacations may differ from those in North America. AAT Kings cannot guarantee disability access or accommodations for guest traveling on international vacations.

Many Optional Experiences are operated by independent third party suppliers, not AAT Kings. These are not part of the vacation package provided by us. Your contract will be with the operator of the experience. We are not responsible for providing of the experience, or anything that happens during the experience. Some experiences involve outdoor activities and/or can be physically demanding. You must make your own decisions about experiences and participate only in activities that suit your physical ability, we suggest that you speak with your medical providers if you have questions about your abilities. We recommend you check whether any insurance you have also includes your participation in adventure activities you may undertake. AAT Kings may, in its sole discretion, decline booking any guests or remove any guest who cannot comply or refuses to comply with AAT Kings' terms and conditions. If this occurs, you are responsible for the cost of travel back

to your hometown and AAT Kings shall not be liable for your losses and no refund shall be provided. You agree that AAT Kings is released from all liability for, and you agree not to hold AAT Kings responsible for termination of your tour arrangements in accordance with the previous conditions, or any decision made by AAT Kings or by any service provider who refuses to provide you with special accommodations/facilities or services that are not available or who refuses to carry you by reason of any disability or medical condition. You agree that your AAT Kings' Travel Director or Representative may take photographs and videos of you while you are on vacation and that these may be used in our brochures and/or advertising or publicity material without obtaining any further consent or payment in respect of such photographs and/or films.

**PASSPORTS, VISAS AND OTHER ENTRY/EXIT REQUIREMENTS**  
To enter and leave Australia and New Zealand, all guests including children in possession of a passport are required to have a passport valid for 6 months after their trip return date along with applicable visas. Some countries require multiple entry visas. For Australia, Canadian and US passport holders require an ETA prior to departure. Please consult AAT Kings or your travel agent for further details. Due to government imposed security/immigration measures, passport and emergency contact information is required for all guests prior to release of travel documents. It is the guest's sole responsibility to secure and/ or pay for any and all visas, reciprocity fees, affidavits, immunizations, etc. that are required to be permitted entry into each destination. In some countries you may be subject to (reciprocity) fees and/or departure taxes/exit fees which will be collected at the airports upon entry/departure by local government authorities. Please note that entry to any country may be refused even if the required information and travel documents are complete and, if this occurs, no refund is due. For up-to-date detailed information on travel documents and visas, entry/exit taxes and further information on entry and exit requirements please check with your Travel Agent or local consular services. Obtaining and carrying these documents is your sole responsibility. AAT Kings bears no responsibility for such information and will not be responsible for advising and/or obtaining required travel documentation for any guest, or for any delays, damages, and/or losses including missed portions of your vacation related to improper documentation.

### AIR ARRANGEMENTS

Special airfares for travel within Australia and New Zealand are available to international visitors, in conjunction with their international air tickets. Your travel professional will have details.

**Reservations/Ticketing:** Air-inclusive bookings require an additional non-refundable deposit at time of booking. Upon receipt of air deposit, your airfare, taxes and surcharges are final. This will be regardless of future price fluctuations up or down. When booking a guided vacation including flight, you will be required at the time of booking to provide us with the full name as detailed on the passport, date of birth, passport number, date and place of issue and expiration date for each guest. For published airfare bookings, a \$75 per person processing fee will be charged. Changes to flight itineraries, name changes and/or corrections may either not be allowed or may result in penalties charged by the airline. These are the guest's responsibility. Airlines (and other travel providers, including AAT Kings) change prices and routes from time to time. All air routings are in the sole control of the airline and are subject to change at any time.

**Airline Availability:** Seats are limited in our contracted class of service and may not be available on every flight. AAT Kings does not hold block spaces on any airline and does not assure seat availability for every single guided vacation departure date.  
**Airline Seating:** Not all airlines offer pre-assigned seats. Some may charge for pre-assigned seats. Any additional charges imposed by airlines will be at the guest's expense. Where pre-assigned seats are not offered or different seats are desired guests must contact the airline(s) directly to arrange seating assignments. Seating is solely under the airline's control, as are itinerary changes due to flight delays and schedule changes. AAT Kings reserves the right to offer alternative schedules for itineraries affected by airline schedule changes and equipment flight delays, flight cancellations and schedule changes are the responsibility of the airline. AAT Kings will not be responsible or liable for such delays or rescheduling.

**Price Changes:** Airlines and other travel providers (including AAT Kings) change pricing and itineraries from time to time. Prior to your booking and paying for travel, all prices and itineraries in this brochure are subject to change at any time. Guest Changes to flight itineraries and name changes may result in penalties charged by the airline. These are the guest's responsibility. Airline Fuel Surcharges and Air-Related Taxes, Fees and Restrictions Airfares will be provided at time of booking, will be based on round-trip purchase, and will include air-related taxes, fees and fuel surcharges imposed by the airlines. Any additional fees charged by the airlines such as baggage handling, seat selections and/or any other services are at the sole responsibility of the guest(s).

**Airline Special Requests:** Seat assignment and special meal requests can be requested at time of booking. AAT Kings does not assure the request will be granted. Frequent Flyer miles can be accrued on most air carriers. Upgrades using mileage are not permitted. Many airlines do not automatically add frequent flyer numbers to records for flights booked and ticketed by AAT Kings. It is the guest's responsibility to request frequent flyer credit from the airline. AAT Kings shall not be responsible for matters concerning frequent flyer miles.

**Air Transportation:** Not included unless otherwise indicated in the price panel. Please be advised that due to the Transportation Security Administration's (TSA) Secure Flight Program, airlines must collect required information from guests. For more information regarding TSA's Secure Flight Program, please visit [www.tsa.gov](http://www.tsa.gov).

### BOOKING CHANGES, CANCELATIONS & REFUNDS

A fee of \$35 or more per person, per change and any further costs we incur, will be charged for any revisions or alterations made to a reservation after the booking is confirmed with payment unless the change increases the price of the booking. Cancellations will be charged increase the closer to the departure date that changes are made. We will try to make your requested change but it may not be possible. A change of Guided Vacation date or itinerary within 60 days of departure date will be treated as a cancellation. Cancellation fees will apply except when changing to an earlier departure date and the vacation price is equivalent or greater, in which case a \$35 (or more) per person amendment fee will be charged. Name changes or corrections will be treated as a cancellation and fees may apply. You must also pay any charges or fees imposed by airlines for any changes, including name and date changes. This can be up to 100% of the value of the ticket.

### DISCOUNT CONDITIONS

1. Kings Club Past Guest Benefit – one benefit will be available per person, per Guided Holiday (First Choice, Best Buys or Inspiring Journeys) to the tour portion only. 3rd Party tours booked through AAT Kings will not qualify for Kings Club Benefit. You must have travelled with us before you can redeem a discount. Please advise previous tour details at time of booking, subject to availability and verification.
2. 2nd Holiday Discount applies to AAT Kings operated Guided Holidays (First Choice, Best Buys) & Inspiring Journeys. Holidays must be booked at the time of booking and the discount is per person off the Land Only portion of the holiday with the shortest duration. Valid on tours 7 days or more in duration.
3. Triple Share Discount is available when 3 guests share a twin or double room with an extra bed (foldaway, sofa bed or rollaway) and is

not available with young traveller discount. Triple share is not available on Inspiring Journeys, third party operated tours, cruise and rail holidays, or at all hotels.

4. Travelling Solo feature applies to AAT Kings operated Guided Holidays (First Choice, Best Buys). It does not apply to Inspiring Journeys & Short Breaks. Ask your travel agent at time of booking.
5. Group Travel Discount applies only to AAT Kings and Inspiring Journeys operated holidays.
6. Discounts provided on Future Travel Credits are not combinable with other discounts.

Please refer to [aatkings.com/combined](http://aatkings.com/combined) or call AAT Kings for a full list of which discounts can be combined.

### GUIDED VACATION CANCELATION

AAT Kings and Inspiring Journeys reserve the right to cancel, re-schedule or make other adjustments to any guided vacation departure in any circumstances, including in accordance with operating requirements or circumstances beyond their control. If cancellation is made by AAT Kings or Inspiring Journeys any time prior to the departure date of the guided vacation, except when you failed to pay the final balance on time, AAT Kings or Inspiring Journeys will offer a comparable vacation if available or a future travel credit. AAT Kings and Inspiring Journeys will refund any difference in price if the alternative is of a lower price; however, the guest will be responsible for additional costs if the alternative is priced higher. AAT Kings and Inspiring Journeys will not be liable for cancellation, delay, rescheduling or other adjustment or impact to a departure or itinerary or other aspect(s) of the vacation brought about due to force majeure or other circumstance beyond their control that prevents or interferes with any aspect of the tour, also including governmental and administrative actions. AAT Kings and Inspiring Journeys are not responsible for other travel arrangements affected due to our cancellations or changes and are not liable for any cancellation or change costs or penalties incurred on other travel arrangements, including air tickets.

### CANCELATIONS & CANCELATION FEES

Travel arrangements for any member of the party may be canceled at any time by written notice by the person who made the booking. Please note the following:

- If full payment is not received 60 days (and only vacations) or 90 days (land & internal-air vacations) prior to the departure date, AAT Kings has the right to cancel your reservation. AAT Kings will not be responsible for lost reservations.
- Notice of cancellation must be made in writing directly to AAT Kings or through your travel agent.
- If a person in a party cancels and there is a room change caused by this cancellation (such as a Twin/Double to Single, or Triple to Twin/Double), the changes for the new room type will be the responsibility of the remaining party.
- The charges detailed in the Summary Information Table at left will be applied when notice of cancellation is given after the booking is confirmed.
- If a guest fails to join the vacation on the day of departure, cancellation fees will be 100% (unless the guest notifies us of the delay and joins the vacation later at their own expense).
- Cancellation fees applied to additional accommodations and/or chargeable transfers, prior to and after the vacation reserved through AAT Kings, are additional to any cancellation or other charges that may be levied by your Travel Agent.
- Additional hotel accommodations and/or chargeable transfers canceled within 14 days of booked date will incur a 100% cancellation fee. For cancellation outside 14 days before the booking date the following fees will be charged.

**Airline Flights/Tickets:** After deposit has been received, any changes prior to airline ticketing incur a \$35 service fee per person or if after ticketing a \$75 service fee per person. This is in addition to any airfare rate increase and any additional change fees imposed by the Airline. Some airfares including published fares booked by AAT Kings are non-changeable and non-refundable. See Air Cancellation Section above. AAT Kings is not responsible for other travel arrangements that you or your party has made outside AAT Kings that are affected by our cancellation. If the reason for our cancellation is covered under your insurance, you may be able to reclaim these charges from your insurer. You and your Travel Agent are responsible to make this claim to your insurer. Illness or Absence Early return expenses are the guest's responsibility. There is no refund for absence or early departure from a vacation, included but not limited to missed hotels, transfers, meals or sightseeing. AAT Kings urges you to purchase travel insurance to cover such circumstances. AAT Kings makes no representation or guarantees concerning reimbursement, scope of coverage or other aspects of any travel insurance policy or claim.

### TRIPLE SHARE ROOMS

Triple share rooms may be available on selected vacations in limited numbers. Triple rooms will often feature one double bed plus a 'foldaway', sofa bed' or rollaway'. Three adults may find these rooms small and suitcase space slightly restricted; they are generally more suitable for 2 adults and a child. Triple share rooms are not available at all hotels.

### QUAD SHARE ROOMS

Quad share rooms are not available and clients are required to book two double rooms. Inter-connecting rooms are available on request and subject to availability.

### HOTEL CHECK-IN/CHECK-OUT

Check-in time at most hotels is 3pm. If you are arriving early into a city, you may wish to request an early check-in to your hotel room, so as to allow for immediate check-in. An additional nights charge will apply.

### EXTENDED STAYS

If you arrange with AAT Kings to remain at a destination before or after your vacation, your stay will be at your sole expense as is the transfer to either the hotel or airport. Please see the 'Extend your Vacation' section of this brochure for a list of pre and post vacation accommodations. Space is limited and if available is for up to three nights before and/or after each vacation. Breakfast and luggage handling is not included unless otherwise noted. If your extra night/s accommodations is not the hotel where your vacation begins or ends, you will be responsible for your transfer arrangements at your own expense.

### REFUNDS AND PENALTIES

Illness or absenteeism: in the event of your withdrawal from a tour after commencement for reasons of illness you must obtain a medical certificate in support of any insurance claim. We regret that no refunds can be made for absences from a tour, including but not limited to, missed meals or sightseeing. AAT Kings makes no representation or guarantees concerning reimbursement of funds paid by you under any insurance claim.

### TRAVEL INSURANCE

AAT Kings strongly recommends that all guests purchase comprehensive Travel Insurance. Certain countries have a requirement for foreign visitors to have valid medical insurance on entry. AAT Kings cannot be held responsible for denied entry if a guest is unable to provide details to authorities of insurance or denial of entry for any reason.

### VACATION INCLUSIONS

Transportation, entrance fees and boat cruise prices as per itinerary, services of a Travel Director and/or Driver Guide and meals as specified. Accommodations on a double share basis (unless otherwise specified). Subject to a minimum number of clients, AAT Kings reserves the right

to operate touring on a smaller vehicle with a Driver Guide. On some occasions coach restrooms may be inaccessible depending on operational conditions.

### ITINERARY VARIATIONS

AAT Kings strives to improve vacation itineraries, services and features. If improvements can be made, or if circumstances beyond our control make changes necessary, we reserve the right to vary itineraries and to substitute hotels. At certain peak periods multiple departures may operate, sometimes in reverse order, hotels may vary from those stated on the itinerary pages. Departures in early and late season are potentially operated in cool weather conditions. As a result, itinerary variations may occur. Certain activities may not be precisely as described or may not be available due to seasonality or weather conditions. We will try to notify you or your travel agent of changes. If your enjoyment may be diminished by such limitations, please check with us or your travel agent before making a reservation. AAT Kings' Best My Guest' experiences are unique and take place in singular locations. In the unlikely event that our local hosts are unable to welcome AAT Kings guests, AAT Kings will attempt to find an alternative experience or a highlight meal will be provided in place of the 'Be My Guest' experience.

### VACATIONS & CHANGES

During local or regional vacations, certain facilities such as museums, sightseeing, trips and shopping may be limited or unavailable. In such instances itinerary changes are made by AAT Kings seeking to reduce inconvenience to guests. Such changes are deemed not to be a major change to the itinerary and no compensation will be payable to guests. Holidays, closing days and other occurrences may necessitate a change of the day of the week for scheduled highlight dinners, regional meals, sightseeing or other activities. If, you feel your enjoyment might be diminished by any of these circumstances please check with the respective national, state or territory tourist office before selecting a specific departure date.

### AIRPORT TRANSFERS

Where indicated in this brochure, complimentary arrival and departure transfers are provided between designated airports and AAT Kings' hotels on the scheduled start and end days of your tour only (First Choice Guided Vacations & Inspiring Journeys only). Complimentary transfers are only included with pre/post tour accommodations booked with AAT Kings, and where flight arrival and departure details are advised.

### SPECIAL MEALS

Please advise AAT Kings of any special dietary requirements at least 14 days before departure. Note that any special meal requirements will be on a request basis only. AAT Kings cannot guarantee the availability of special meal types.

### NOT INCLUDED IN YOUR TOUR PRICE

Any items and matters not referred to above, including airlines to and from your destination, air-related taxes and fees (except where specified); additional fees charged by airlines such as checked and/or excess baggage, seat selections and any other services, passport and visa fees, insurances or all kinds, tips/gratuities to Motorcoach Driver, Local Host, Local Specialists and Travel Director; laundry; phone calls; minibar; beverages and meals not detailed in the itinerary; optional Experiences; and all items of a personal nature. Additional taxes and surcharges may be collected by foreign government and non-governmental entities. The price does not cover costs and expenses, including your return home, if you leave the guided vacation whether of your own volition, our decision based on behavior that disrupts the trip, due to illness, action by any government or other reason. This list is illustrative and not a complete list of every item not included.

### LUGGAGE ALLOWANCE

One medium size suitcase per person plus one piece of hand luggage which may be carried on board the coach. Please note that hand luggage with an adjustable handle and wheels will not fit in the overhead compartments of the vehicle and cannot be accepted as hand luggage. Maximum weight of the suitcase is not to exceed 50lbs (23kg). We are required by strict Government vehicle weight regulations to enforce and adhere to this limit. If your luggage exceeds this limit, we ask that you make alternative arrangements for the excess to be forwarded to the termination point of your tour. We suggest that you have wheels on your suitcase, as there are certain places where assistance is not available (e.g. railway stations and cruise terminals). Airlines may impose stricter weight and size limits for luggage and may also charge fees for checked baggage, including the first checked bag. Please check with your airline directly for their most current baggage regulations and related fees. AAT Kings is not responsible for additional fees imposed by carriers in regard to luggage. All luggage and personal effects are at all times, and in all circumstances at the risk of the tour participant. Luggage insurance is strongly recommended.

### TIPPING/GRATUITIES

While it's not compulsory in Australia or New Zealand, tipping is becoming an increasingly accepted practice in all areas of the service industry. Tipping is on a voluntary individual basis, with a guideline of \$5 per day, to your Travel Director or Driver Guide at the end of your vacation.

### SMOKING AND SEAT TROTUNG

Government regulations prohibit smoking inside tourist coaches, including e-cigarettes. Please restrict smoking to the ample stops en route. To enable everyone the opportunity of enjoying window and front seats, guests change seats daily during the course of the tour.

### LIABILITY

In any legal action, arbitration, or other proceeding to enforce, interpret or construe the terms and conditions, or concerning any grievance relating to the booking, the prevailing party shall be entitled to recover its reasonable legal fees and expenses on a solicitor/client basis.

### WHAT TO BRING

We recommend casual, lightweight, drip-dry clothing with some warmer articles for the evenings and cooler days. For the winter months, a warm jacket is recommended. Pack shorts, pullover, rubber-soled walking shoes, swimsuit, towel, sleeping clothes and waterproof jacket. Do not forget a hat, camera, sunglasses, insect repellent, sunscreen, toiletries and a bottle for drinking water. Note that regular laundry facilities may not always be available. Dress is usually casual, so bring comfortable clothing. In Central Australia, Southern Australia and New Zealand nights in winter (May to August) can be cold, frosts and snow do occur and occasionally cold winds blow, so bring warm clothing to suit. Days are usually sunny and mild. In Northern Australia warmer conditions apply, so come prepared.

### WI-FI

Complimentary Wi-Fi service is available in many hotel guest rooms and/or the public areas of most hotels. Complimentary Wi-Fi is also provided on-board most of our touring coaches. Wi-Fi on coaches uses a mobile/cellular network and as a result the connection will be slower than regular broadband and at times may not be available in some areas. Please note that Wi-Fi may not be available on transfer coaches and other local services.

### INDEPENDENT TOURING

Companies other than AAT Kings operate some touring in this brochure.

### THIRD PARTY SUPPLIERS

**IMPORTANT:** Scenic Flights, Boat Cruises, Helicopter Flights, Cable Car Rides, some 4WD Tours, White Water Rafting, Camel Rides, Hot Air Ballooning, Rail etc. These excursions are not operated by AAT Kings Tours, or by persons or companies associated with AAT Kings Tours. These activities may involve inherent risk of injury, death, accident, delay and loss, and guests assume all such risk with regard to any misadventure, death, injury, delay or loss which occurs during, or as a result of any such activity.

### COMPLAINTS

If an issue arises or you need assistance, you should immediately inform the relevant supplier (for example the hotel) and your Travel Director or our local representative who will endeavor to assist you. Prompt action will assist the supplier of the services to rectify the situation and ensure enjoyment of your vacation. It is a legal requirement that you advise the supplier of any issues you may have whilst on tour. If you fail to give the supplier and/or AAT Kings the opportunity to investigate and rectify your complaint at the time, this may affect your rights under this contract if your complaint cannot be resolved locally or through our office (detailed below). You should make contact with the travel agent with whom you booked your vacation who will contact us to advise of the problem so that we may endeavor to resolve it. Should a problem not be resolved, we request that a complaint be made in writing within 28 days of completion of your tour to:

Guest Relations Department, AAT Kings Tours (USA), 5551 Katella Avenue, Cypress, California 90630

### ULURU-KATA TJUTA NATIONAL PARK ENTRY FEES

The entry fee for Uluru-Kata Tjuta National Park is USD29/CAD39 per adult and is valid for a period of 3 consecutive days. Children 17 years and under are free of charge. The entry fee is included on all Short Breaks. The entry fee is not included on any Day Tours and must be pre-purchased at time of booking or on day of travel. This is an additional compulsory government charge and is subject to change without notice. You must carry your entry ticket with you every time you enter the National Park. If you are unable to purchase another ticket. These prices are subject to change without notice.

### DISCLAIMER FOR WARRANTIES

The Operator warrants only that the services shall be generally, though in view of the vagaries of travel, not necessarily precisely, as described, and subject to change and the other terms and conditions herein. All other warranties, express and implied, including warranties of fitness for a specific purpose and merchantability are expressly excluded. There is no warranty that extends beyond the description of the face hereof.

### RESPONSIBILITY

1. This brochure represents the entire agreement between the Guest and AAT Kings International Ltd., who is the product owner.
2. AAT Kings and its agents (collectively 'AAT') act only as agent for the guest and upon express condition that AAT Kings shall not be liable or responsible for any direct, indirect, consequential or incidental damage, injury, loss, accident, delay or irregularity of any kind, which may be occasioned by reason of any act, or omission of any third party (including without limitation, any act, inaction or breach of contract of any third party which is to, or does supply any goods or services for this tour). Without limiting the foregoing, AAT Kings does not own or operate any third party suppliers of services such as hotels, restaurants, transportation companies, sightseeing companies or local tour operators. It is not responsible for any injury, death, loss or expense due to overcrowding of accommodations, default of any third parties, sickness, weather, epidemics, pandemics, strikes, acts of God, government's, acts of terrorism, criminal activity, war, quarantines, force majeure events or any other cause beyond its control. All such risk, loss and expense must be borne by the guest.
3. Most coach tours are subject to a minimum number of guest bookings. Where this is not reached, we endeavor to give ample notice and suggest suitable alternatives. Any additional costs incurred are the responsibility of the guest.
4. Legal proceedings against the company may be instituted only in a State or Federal Court within the State of California, or in the U.S. District Court for the Central District of California. The applicable law shall be the law of the State of California.
5. We reserve the right to change the hotels and vehicles used, if operational considerations require this.

### ADDITIONAL RISKS

Additional risks and damages may arise including, but not limited to hazards of traveling in undeveloped areas, hazards of travel by boat, train, automobile, aircraft and other means of conveyance, animal interactions, forces of nature, political unrest, other unrest, hazardous local customs and practices, differing levels of sanitation, differing standards of safety, risks associated with water, food, plants, insects and differing animal regulation, accident or illness in areas lacking means of rapid evacuation of medical facilities and acts of national and local governments and unrest and acts of others against governments. These risks are not an exhaustive list but are examples of many kinds of risks. You are voluntarily participating in these activities with the knowledge that there are significant dangers involved and you hereby agree to accept any and all risks. As lawful consideration for the agreement with AAT Kings to participate in such trips and activities you agree you will not make a claim against AAT Kings or its related companies or its personnel or sue for bodily injury, emotional trauma, death, property loss or damage or other loss, cost or expense, however caused, as a result of or related to your contracting for, traveling to or from, or on any and every other way participating in the trip. You release AAT Kings, its related companies and its personnel from any and all claims, known or unknown, arising from contracting for, traveling to or from, and in any and every way participating in a trip. This release of liability and assumption of risk agreement is entered into on behalf of you and all members of your family and party, also including minors accompanying you. This agreement also binds your heirs, legal representatives and assigns.

### SAFETY

Where the guest occupies a motorcoach seat fitted with a safety belt, neither AAT Kings nor the operator nor its agents or co-operating organizations or service providers will be liable for any injury, illness or death for any loss or damages or claims whatsoever arising from any accident or incident, if the safety belt is not being used at the time of such an accident or incident. The exclusion and limitation of liability shall not be used to imply that the operator or its agents or affiliated entities are liable in other circumstances.

### INTERNATIONAL TRAVELERS

Transportation companies, airlines etc. are not to be held responsible for any act, omission or event during the time the guests are not on board planes, transportation or conveyances. We rely on international convention which may apply to the services provided by us, our suppliers or agents with respect to any claim of any nature brought by you against us as a result of the provision of those services. International conventions which apply may include: Warsaw Convention 1929, (as amended by Hague Protocol and Montreal Protocol) in relation to air travel, or Montreal Convention, the Berne Convention for rail travel, Athens Convention 1974 for carriage by sea, the Geneva Convention for carriage by road and the Paris Convention 1962 for Hotels. We are to be regarded as having all the benefits of these conventions on limiting our liabilities in relation to any claim of death, injury, loss, damage and delays to guests and luggage. Enrollment in and payment for a vacation shall constitute agreement and acceptance by the guest of the terms and conditions in this brochure. These cannot be varied except in writing by and office of the Company.

### AAT KINGS LIMITED ROLE

AAT Kings a California corporation, serves only as a sales representative, and is not responsible for any activity beyond its limited role in arranging reservations and ticketing. AAT Kings shall not be responsible or liable for any acts, omission or default, whether negligent or otherwise, of any other entity whether or not affiliated with the operator.

### CHOICE OF LAW AND VENUE SELECTION

This Agreement is deemed to be entered into in Orange County, California. The exclusive venue for any action concerning the interpretation, enforcement, or breach of any term, obligation, or duty as contained or related to these Terms and Conditions shall be solely in the

Superior Court of California in or for Orange County or the United States District Court for the Central District of California. This Agreement shall be construed according to the internal laws of California without regard to conflicts of law principles, all guests claims must be submitted in writing and received by AAT Kings no later than 60 days after completion of the AAT Kings vacation. GUEST CLAIMS NOT SUBMITTED AND RECEIVED WITHIN THIS TIME SHALL BE DEEMED TO BE WAIVED AND BARRED.

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