

# 10 day fully escorted premium Country & Coast



## Spectacular sightseeing experiences

- Gold Creek Sheep Station
- Tour of Parliament House
- Kosciuszko National Park
- Explore historic Beechworth
- Travel the Great Ocean Road
- The amazing Twelve Apostles
- Tower Hill Game Reserve
- View the mysterious Blue Lake
- City tour of Adelaide
- Visit seaside Glenelg
- Explore Victor Harbor
- Sea Lions at Seal Bay
- Flinders Chase National Park
- 2 nights on Kangaroo Island
- INCLUDED Aboriginal Cultural Experience



## Premium holiday inclusions

### Transportation

- Tour by luxury air-conditioned coach with 2-door access, restroom, seatbelts, reclining seats, panoramic windows

### Professionally Escorted

- Tour with an experienced, professional Tour Director and Tour Driver

### Dining Inclusions

- Full Buffet Breakfasts (9) **B**
- Lunches (2) **L**
- Hotel Dinners (5) **D**

### Accommodation

- Twin share rooms with private facilities in centrally located hotels

### Plus

- Welcome drink
- Travel wallet and map
- Airport transfers (Day prior from Sydney Airport - flights anytime; Day 10 to Adelaide Airport - flights to depart after 2.00pm)
- Hotel portage included



## Itinerary

### Day 1: Sydney - Canberra

Depart Sydney at 8.00am. We begin our journey to the nation's capital via the Southern Highlands with a stop at historic Berrima, famous for its gaol, a visit to a working sheep farm and an Aussie barbecue lunch. On arrival in Canberra, we'll tour through Parliament House and visit the Australian War Memorial before enjoying a welcome drink and dinner this evening with your Tour Director and fellow travellers.  
**Hotel: Rydges Lakeside, Canberra. L D**

### Day 2: Snowy Mountains

Cooma and the Snowy Mountains Hydro Scheme start our day, plus the option to take a ride on the Mt. Kosciuszko chairlift to experience Australia's highest point! You'll be awestruck by the stunningly picturesque Kosciuszko National Park - home to mobs of kangaroos - as we travel the Alpine Way, over the mighty Murray River into Victoria and beautiful Beechworth, Victoria's best preserved gold rush town, for our unique overnight stay in one of the Bed and Breakfast properties.  
**Hotel: Boutique Country Accommodation, Beechworth. B**

### Day 3: Melbourne

Get to know Beechworth with a tour and some free time to explore the legendary

Beechworth Bakery, as well as antique shops and galleries. Later we'll see the museum then it's on through Glenrowan and Ned Kelly country to culturally diverse and cosmopolitan Melbourne. A dinner option tonight is on board the distinctive Colonial Tramcar Restaurant.  
**Hotel: Crowne Plaza, Melbourne, 2 nights. B**

### Day 4: Melbourne 'Free Time'

Today Melbourne is all yours to explore. You'll have time to discover some of the secrets of this exceptional city - a myriad of cafés, galleries, museums, markets, restaurants, laneways and parks await you. Or if you want to get out of town you can take a tour to Phillip Island's little penguins, the Yarra Valley's wineries, the Dandenongs and Puffing Billy or Sovereign Hill's goldmine. **B**

### Day 5: Great Ocean Road

Hold on to your seats today for one of the world's great road trips - the Great Ocean Road. We'll get plenty of photo opportunities along this gorgeous coastal road, including stops at surfing-mecca Torquay, world famous Bells Beach, a visit to the amazing Twelve Apostles, before finishing the day in the whale watching capital of Warrnambool.  
**Hotel: Country Comfort, Warrnambool. B D**



VICTOR HARBOR, FLEURIEU PENINSULA (DAY 8)



HISTORIC BEECHWORTH (DAY 8)



AUSTRALIAN WAR MEMORIAL (DAY 1)

### Day 6: Tower Hill - Mt. Gambier

 This morning we visit Worn Gundidi at Tower Hill State Game Reserve. The area was a rich food source for the Koroitgundij people whose descendants retain links with this country. Our guide will provide us with an Aboriginal perspective about flora, wildlife, volcanic formations, bush existence and medicinal practices. Then marvel at the pristine vistas before we continue along the coast through picturesque Port Fairy. We skirt the Lower Glenelg National Park crossing the border to South Australia into Mt. Gambier for a city tour and stop to look at the spectacular and mysterious Blue Lake.

Hotel: Quality Inn International, Mt. Gambier. **B D**

### Day 7: Adelaide

We travel through Meningie, located on the shores of Lake Albert, en route to Adelaide, where we'll take a city tour. The afternoon is yours to explore the gorgeous 'City of Churches'.

Hotel: InterContinental, Adelaide. **B**

### Day 8: Victor Harbor

First up seaside Glenelg then we continue on to the picturesque coastal village of Victor Harbor on the Fleurieu Peninsula. Here you'll have some free time to explore, maybe take a walk to Granite Island and see some sensational coastal views. Next we travel by ferry to Kangaroo Island for our two-night stay. Tonight we'll have dinner at the Aurora Ozone Hotel, overlooking the spectacular Backstair Passage.

Hotel: Aurora Ozone Hotel, Kangaroo Island, 2 nights. **B D**

### Day 9: Kangaroo Island

Today we explore Kangaroo Island! At Seal Bay we'll take a guided tour along the beach among a breeding colony of Australian sea lions. We'll experience more great photo opportunities at the Remarkable Rocks and Admiral's Arch. We'll also do some koala, wallaby and kangaroo spotting within Flinders Chase National Park. **B L D**

### Day 10: Depart Adelaide

This morning we cruise by ferry back to Cape Jervis then on to elegant Adelaide. You will be transferred to Adelaide Airport for your onward flight. **B**

## INDIAN PACIFIC/THE OVERLAND TRAIN OPTIONS

Add a journey from Adelaide to the end of your tour aboard the newly refurbished Overland to Melbourne or the renowned Indian Pacific to Sydney. Travel in style, relax in comfort, mingle with fellow travellers and delight in the ever changing countryside along the way. Ask your travel agent for details.

**10 days from \$3235** Per Person Twin Share

Optional Single Supplement available on request

### Sydney to Adelaide (ESMK)

**\$3235**

Per Person Twin Share

**\$650**

Single Supplement Option

**2010**

Start	End
<b>Apr 06</b>	<b>Apr 15</b>
Apr 20	Apr 29
May 25	Jun 03
Jun 08	Jun 17
Aug 31	Sep 09
<b>Sep 14</b>	<b>Sep 23</b>
Oct 19	Oct 28
<b>Nov 02</b>	<b>Nov 11</b>
Dec 07	Dec 16

**2011**

<b>Jan 25</b>	<b>Feb 03</b>
Feb 08	Feb 17
<b>Mar 15</b>	<b>Mar 24</b>
Mar 29	Apr 07

**\$3365**

Per Person Twin Share

**\$650**

Single Supplement Option

**2011 (continued)**

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Apr 19	Apr 28
May 24	Jun 02
Jun 07	Jun 16
Aug 30	Sep 08
<b>Sep 13</b>	<b>Sep 22</b>
Oct 18	Oct 27
<b>Nov 01</b>	<b>Nov 10</b>
Dec 06	Dec 15

Note: Prices may vary because of fuel surcharge or changes in statutory taxes or charges. See page 31 for details.

■ Highlighted dates indicate Guaranteed Departures

Refer to [www.aatkings.com](http://www.aatkings.com) for additional Guaranteed Departure dates.

### Discounts

are per person off the above prices

Child 15 years & under	Save \$645
King Club	Save \$160
Triple Share / Friendly Fours	Save \$160
Concession Card Holders	Save \$45

See discounts details on page 11. Note: Itinerary & departure dates may change from 01/04/11.