

9 DAY FLINDERS RANGES & KANGAROO ISLAND

DESTINATIONS

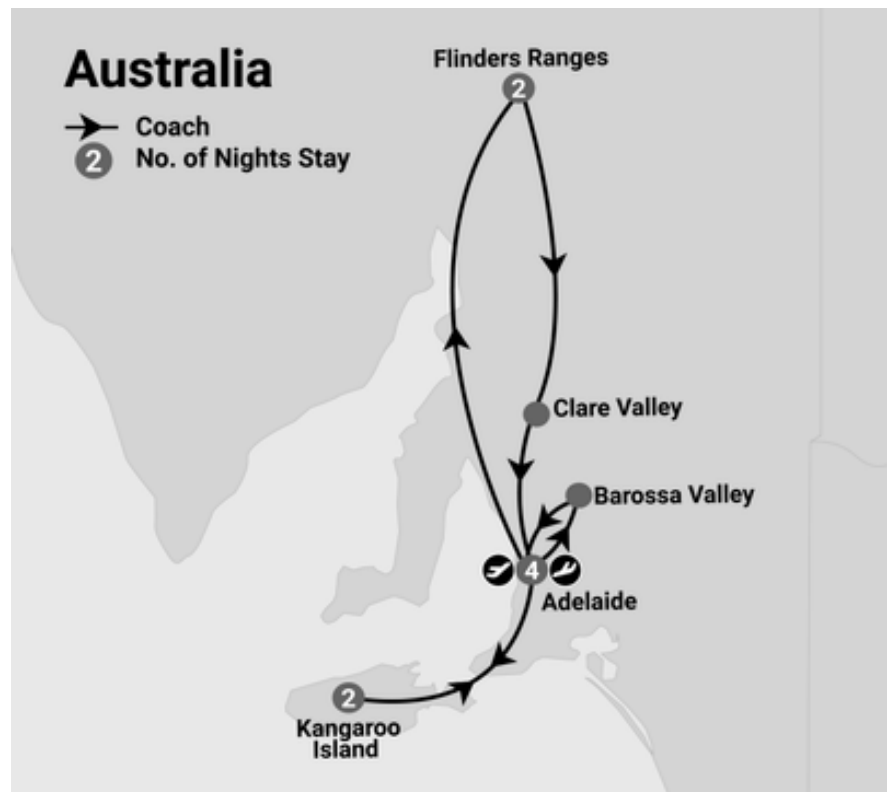
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ADELAIDE

CLARE VALLEY, SA

KANGAROO ISLAND, SA

CAPE JERVIS, SA



TOUR ITINERARY

DAY 1

Destination	Adelaide
Meals included	
Hotel	4 ★ Crowne Plaza Adelaide, or similar

Welcome to Adelaide! On arrival, make your way to your hotel. Your tour will start early tomorrow morning when you are picked up from your hotel.

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DAY 2

Destination	Adelaide 🚗 Port Wakefield 🚗 Port Germein 🚗 Quorn 🚗 Flinders Ranges
Meals included	Lunch
Hotel	3 ★ Quorn Motel, or similar

Commence your wilderness journey heading north via the old coastal towns of Port Wakefield and Port Germein, which boasts the longest wooden jetty in the Southern Hemisphere. During the safari your Tour Guide will introduce you to a remarkable and resilient history of both Aboriginal and white settlement in S.A. Be amazed by the beauty of the Southern Flinders Ranges, 600 million year old mountain peaks and spectacular views over Spencer Gulf. Travel through the picturesque Pichi Richi Pass to the historic township of Quorn. With its typical outback buildings and the original Ghan Railway station, Quorn has been the setting for many iconic Australian films.

Follow in the path of our early explorers driving to Warren Gorge Conservation Park to search for rare and elusive Yellow-Footed Rock Wallabies. Dramatic rock outcrops harbour these endangered wallabies with only an estimated 8,000 living in the wild. Sit back in the comfortable, fully equipped 4WD vehicle as we head along the remote tracks through the deserted Willochra Plains where eagles soar and emus run free.

DAY 3

Destination	Flinders Ranges
Meals included	Breakfast, Lunch
Hotel	3 ★ Wilpena Pound or Rawnsley Park Resort, or similar

This morning after a hearty breakfast, our expert guide will drive you on a wonderful journey to the spectacular Bunyeroo Gorge, visiting secluded areas of great natural beauty. Explore the ever changing creek beds of Brachina Gorge. This is an area alive with wildlife and boasts a remarkable geological history including Ediacaran fossils dating back millions of years. World-renowned South Australian painter, Sir Hans Heysen was inspired by this country and painted many of his landscapes here. After a scrumptious picnic lunch, immerse yourself in the ancient landscape; take that special photograph from Razor Back Lookout or just enjoy some of the most spectacular outback scenery Australia has to offer. Wildlife including Kangaroos, Emus and Wedge tailed Eagles are prolific in this rugged terrain and are usually spotted in abundance in the late afternoon.

DAY 4

Destination	Flinders Ranges 🚗 Clare Valley 🚗 Adelaide
Meals included	Breakfast
Hotel	4 ★ Crowne Plaza Adelaide, or similar

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Enjoy an early morning walk, breathe in the fresh air while listening to the unique sounds of the Australian Bush. Spend a relaxing morning travelling back to Adelaide along the Eastern side of the magnificent Flinders Ranges with its mighty Red Gum forests. The land will change into lush expanses of natural rural beauty as we head south. Enjoy a break in the world-famous Clare Valley wine region before returning to Adelaide. Tonight is at your leisure.

DAY 5

Destination	Adelaide 🚗 Barossa Valley 🚗 Adelaide
Meals included	Lunch
Hotel	4 ★ Crowne Plaza Adelaide, or similar

Today you will be picked up from your hotel at 8:30am. The day starts off at Château Yaldara: home to what is undoubtedly some of the finest shirazes as well as magnificent and well-preserved period architecture.

From Chateau Yaldara we drive through the picturesque vineyards of the Barossa Valley, and crossing Jacob's Creek. The tour then arrives at the historic township of Tanunda where there's time to wander up the high street and explore the quaint little shops or enjoy a coffee. As one of the best getaways in Adelaide, our next stop is the renowned Peter Lehmann winery. There our group will enjoy an exclusive structured wine tasting hosted in the beautiful Eight Songs room within their cellar door. Here you'll be given the opportunity to sample some of the Barossa's internationally acclaimed vintages. Peter Lehmann's is also our venue for lunch, where you will be treated to an exquisite Weighbridge platter of cheeses, olives, the region's finest meats and assorted vegetables accompanied by freshly baked bread.

We will then head to our final wine-tasting experience for the day, Lindsay Wines. On the way, we take in the breathtaking panoramic views of the Barossa from Mengler's Hill Lookout. At Lindsay Wines you will be treated to a beautiful experience with the fusion of art, wine and music. Learn about the winery's fascinating history as music from the staff's own vintage vinyl records play in the background before returning to your Glenelg hotel around 5:30pm

DAY 6

Destination	Adelaide 🚗 Cape Jervis 🚗 Penneshaw 🚗 Kangaroo Island
Meals included	Lunch
Hotel	4 ★ Mercure Kangaroo Island Lodge, or similar

Early morning pick up from your Glenelg hotel for a scenic coach journey to Cape Jervis taking in the picturesque Fleurieu Peninsula with its vineyards, coastal views and rolling hills. On arrival, board the SeaLink Kangaroo Island ferry for the 45 minute crossing to Penneshaw on Kangaroo Island.

On arrival at Penneshaw or Kingscote Airport you will be met by your local guide and your island nature experience begins with an introduction to Kangaroo Island. At the spectacular Seal Bay Conservation Park, your guide will escort you on a memorable walk along the beach. This bay is home to a healthy Australian sea lion colony. Walk among the sea lions as they bask on the beach or among the sand dunes after their extensive fishing expedition.

Enjoy a delicious gourmet picnic style lunch with South Australian wine. Follow your lunch with a pleasant bushwalk or a stroll along the beach. Travel through the island's interior keeping an eye out for koalas and echidnas. Explore the spectacular beaches and enjoy a bushwalk.

Later in the afternoon, as the day draws to a close, see the kangaroos leave the safety of the bush to begin grazing on the open pastures. Your day concludes at your overnight stay on Kangaroo Island.

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DAY 7

Destination	Kangaroo Island
Meals included	Breakfast, Lunch
Hotel	4 ★ Mercure Kangaroo Island Lodge, or similar

Travel to the western end of the island and discover the remarkable Flinders Chase National Park, one of the oldest and most important national parks in South Australia. The park incorporates almost 20 per cent of the island and much of it is a Wilderness Protection Area.

See at close range some of the 10,000 healthy Long-nosed Fur Seals in their colony at Cape du Couedic and discover the formation of Remarkable Rocks.

At Admirals Arch see where the powerful forces of nature have cut through the headland to create this natural geological formation. A delicious gourmet style picnic lunch with South Australian wine will be served in a secluded bush setting.

By special permit, enter the Kelly Hill Conservation Park to see kangaroos and other native wildlife emerge from the safety of the bush land to graze on the open plains.

DAY 8

Destination	Kangaroo Island 🚗 Penneshaw 🚗 Adelaide
Meals included	Breakfast
Hotel	4 ★ Crowne Plaza Adelaide, or similar

Early morning departure from Penneshaw back to Adelaide. On arrival you will be returned to your hotel in the evening.

DAY 9

Destination	Adelaide
Meals included	
Accommodation	N/A

Today your Flinders Ranges and Kangaroo Island trip comes to an end. At the appropriate time make your way to the airport or continue your onward journey.

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Inclusions

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- Small group tour, up to 20 guests only
- Incredible sightseeing, including Flinders Ranges, Wilpena Pound, Ancient Aboriginal cave paintings, the exquisite Barossa Valley and discover Kangaroo Island
- 8 nights hotel and motel accommodation
- 4 breakfasts, 5 lunches
- Transportation in purpose built modern coaches
- Escorted tour guides (Day 2-4, Day 5 and 6 - 7)
- All park and entry fees

SIGHTSEEING HIGHLIGHTS

- Explore the ancient landscape of Wilpena Pound in the Flinders Ranges
- Search for the rare Yellow Footed Rock Wallaby, see an abundance of Kangaroos, Emus and Wedge Tailed Eagles
- Visit ancient Aboriginal cave paintings
- Travel to Quorn, with its typical outback buildings and the original Ghan Railway station
- Explore the ever changing creek beds of Brachina Gorge
- Experience the exquisite and stunning wineries in the Barossa Valley region
- Visit Flinders Chase National Park
- Wander among the amazing Remarkable Rocks and see Long-nosed Fur Seals at Admirals Arch
- See one of South Australia's first Lighthouses at Cape du Couedic
- Watch kangaroos and other native animals graze at Kelly Hill Conservation Park

INSPIRING FEATURES

- **Tastes:** Enjoy gourmet style picnic lunches with complimentary South Australian wines in an Australian bush setting during your stay at Kangaroo Island
- **Sights:** Be amazed by the beauty of the Southern Flinders Ranges, 600 million year old mountain peaks and the rugged coastal wilderness of Kangaroo Island
- **Stays:** Enjoy staying in central Adelaide, a stones throw from everything.

Fine Print

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BOOK WITH CONFIDENCE

Inspiring Vacations has been globally recognised and awarded for its handling of COVID-19 during the pandemic. The safety and wellbeing of our guests is our highest concern during this time of uncertainty, and we are continuously monitoring the evolving COVID-19 situation.

We have adopted the advice of the WHO to ensure all customers can travel with the knowledge of how to travel safely and with confidence.

Australian owned and operated with 100% Australian Customer Service support

We are proudly 100% Australian owned and operated, with our head office located in Melbourne, Victoria. When you make your booking, you will receive dedicated and ongoing support from our team of travel professionals throughout your booking, up until you are due to depart.

Flexible Date Change Option

Book now, change later with our Flexible Date Change option. You may select this \$99pp option at time of purchase, giving travellers the flexibility to change your date without penalty (subject to availability, less third party costs incurred, plus any applicable surcharges for the new date selected).

Date change must be requested prior to 65 days before your original selected departure date*. Once inside 65 days of departure, date changes are not permitted.

*some packages may have a varied period in which you can request a date change due to limitations with the third-party provider.

Please refer to our 'Book with Confidence' section for terms and conditions.

The Flexible Date Change option does not cover cost incurred for components not fulfilled by Inspiring Vacations or in the event extra services have been booked with Inspiring Vacations outside of the standard package, including but not limited to airfares, pre/post accommodation or insurance.

Cooling off period

If you change your mind within 7 days of making your booking online, you can request a refund of your initial deposit payment as part of our cooling off period.

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Once your purchase date falls outside of the 7 day period, our standard terms and conditions will apply. Please ensure that any request to cancel your booking is received via email to support@inspiringvacations.com, including the reason for cancellation.

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HOW TO BOOK & PAYMENTS

Deposit & Payments

- Secure your package with only a \$99 deposit per person.
- Pay a 2nd instalment of \$1000 per person within 28 days.
- You will then be invoiced for final payment 90 days prior to departure.

Booking Process

- Select the purple 'Reserve Your Seat' tab to begin your booking (you must 'Sign Up' first by entering your email and creating a password)
- Then select the purple 'Book now' tab of the tour you have selected
- Select your Departure Date, Departure City, Number of Passengers, Room Configuration, any Upgrade Options, and enter any Special Requests
- Click the purple 'Proceed to Secure Checkout' tab
- Enter your credit card or PayPal details to secure your deposit/payment
- Once your order is complete, you will be prompted to complete a Booking Form so that we can fulfil your booking
- Your booking is on request and will be confirmed by Inspiring Vacations once all components of your package have been secured with our partners, please see below for further information

Booking On Request

- Your Inspiring Vacations package is made up of multiple components and travel partners. Once your booking is made and passenger details form submitted, we will begin to confirm all of your arrangements. Please note, this process can take several business days to complete.
- Once all elements have been confirmed we will send you an email confirmation, if we are unable to confirm we will provide you with alternative dates or offer a full refund of your deposit or re-credit your account if a travel credit was used.
- Please DO NOT book any additional services, such as flights, until we have confirmed your Inspiring Vacations package in writing. Inspiring Vacations will not be liable for any fees or charges incurred to change or cancel components not booked by Inspiring Vacations should your selected package be unavailable.

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EXCLUSIONS

- Travel insurance (highly recommended)
- Anything not mentioned in the itinerary
- Personal expenses
- Optional activities

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

COVID-19

Due to COVID there may be disruptions to standard operating schedules of particular components of this itinerary. Should a component be effected a substitute will be confirmed prior to departure.

Fitness Requirements

While the tour itinerary should give you some guidance and overview to the expected requirements, to determine if this tour is right for you we categorise each of our tours in terms of their intensity. These guidelines are to ensure that each tour group is conducted as expected and to ensure the overall satisfaction of all Inspiring Vacations customers.

As a general rule, portage is not included, therefore at all times you are expected to handle your own luggage where help may not be available.

This particular tour is categorised as a "3".

3 – Moderate Tour: A good level of fitness and mobility is required, as this tour includes a moderate level of physical activity and is considered a medium-fast paced tour. You should be able to walk up and down stairs, get on and off the coach and able to walk reasonable distances of approximately 2 kilometres per day or more with ease. Any physical ailments you may have must be disclosed at the time of booking to determine your suitability. If you have any form of walking aids, other than a walking stick or hiking poles, then this tour is not suitable.

Tour Type - Small Group

These tours are our proudest creations. They have been crafted for Inspiring Vacations travellers exclusively, with personal and unique experiences in mind. You will travel with between 10-20 other guests depending on your selected tour.

Accommodation

The accommodation listed is subject to change. Any changes will be of an equal or higher standard. Bedding configurations (double or twin) are requests only. All efforts will be made to meet your preferences, however any changes are beyond our control.

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Single Supplement

Single supplement is \$1299 per person in addition to the twin-share price.

Triple Share

Not available.

Travel Insurance

Travel insurance is required to protect yourself against the unexpected.

Covid Itinerary Changes

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Tour Documentation

Final documentation including, e-tickets and hotel details, will be provided approximately 30 days prior to travel.

Group Size

10 - 20 people maximum.

Children

Children must be 5 years old or above and share a room with parents at all times. Children are charged the same price as adults.