

A Taste of Victoria

November 19th - 27th 2018



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Welcome Mercure \$3,198 | Swanston Grand \$3,418

Day 1 – Bundaberg - Brisbane – Melbourne - Monday 19th November 2018

Fly from Bundaberg (Qantas) to Melbourne with an arrival transfer included and check in to the Mercure Hotel Welcome or the Swanston Hotel Grand Mercure for the next 2 nights. Enjoy a welcome drink then on to dinner at the Inhouse restaurant "Louden Kitchen and Grill".

Meals: Welcome Drink (included), D (own expense)

Day 2 – Melbourne - Tuesday 20th November 2018



After breakfast we meet in the hotel foyer and take the tram to Flinders Station and board the City Circle Tram to view the highlights of the city. On our return we visit the infamous Lygon Street for a delicious treat. You could make this morning tea or lunch, whichever you desire. Browse the many shops and make your own way back by tram to the hotel to prepare for dinner on the Colonial Tramcar Restaurant (Smart casual dress – no jeans please). After dinner if you wish, visit the Crown Entertainment Complex for a nightcap or head back to the hotel for an early night.

Meals: B & D (included), MT / L (own expense)

Day 3 – Melbourne – Nagambie - Wednesday 21st November 2018



We rise for an early breakfast and board the coach for Nagambie located in the Goulburn River Valley (the Heart of Victoria). After lunch we visit Noorilim Estate (an historic mansion, gardens and vineyard dating back to 1879) for a guided tour of the homestead and garden. This afternoon check in to our accommodation for a 2 night stay at the Nagambie Waterfront Motel. Later that evening dress up (smart casual dress) for Pre-Dinner Drinks (included) followed by Dinner.

Meals: B, D (included). L (own expense)

Day 4 – Nagambie - Thursday 22nd November 2018



This morning after breakfast we visit the historic Tahbilk Winery then on to Mitchelton Winery and The Ministry of Chocolate. Experience wine tasting (own expense), the underground wine cellars and the stunning views from Mitchelton's "Ashton Tower". On our return to Nagambie take a walk along the lake boardwalk, visit the parkland or take a stroll up the main street (High Street). Our coach will pick us up for dinner and take us to the historic Royal Mail Hotel commonly known as "The Top Pub".

Meals: B (included), L and D (own expense)

Day 5 – Nagambie – Ballarat - Friday 23rd November 2018



Our coach departs Nagambie after an early breakfast to make our way to Ballarat. On the way we visit Hepburn Springs, where we can enjoy morning tea, take a walk to sample the different mineral water from the natural springs or you may like to choose from the different therapeutic bathing options that Hepburn Springs has to offer. We will then travel on to Daylesford for lunch at the historic Convent Gallery. From there we make our way to Ballarat for our stay at Craig's Royal Hotel. Free time to relax before our mystery dinner.

Meals: B, D (included). MT and L (own expense)

Day 6 – Ballarat – Melbourne - Saturday 24th November 2018



Today we will explore Sovereign Hill and sample "life 1850's style". Late afternoon we make our way back to Melbourne for our 3 night stay at the Mercure Hotel Welcome or the Swanston Hotel Grand Mercure. After check-in the remainder of the evening sees you at your leisure. For those who would like to experience Lygon Street for dinner, catch the tram from the Hotel's front door. Others may like to dine locally

and there are quite a few options within easy walking distance of our Hotel including Chinatown on Little Bourke Street. **Meals: B (included), L & D (own expense)**

Day 7 – Explore Melbourne - Sunday 25th November 2018



Enjoy breakfast at your leisure this morning before beginning your personal Melbourne adventure. The day and evening are yours to experience whatever you desire. Maybe take in some early Christmas shopping, a tour, or visit the Eureka Skydeck 88 for an awesome view of the city and surrounds or why not take the tram to St Kilda Beach and see Luna Park (still operating). While in St Kilda sample some of the

fine pastries and cakes in Acland Street. Tonight maybe consider going to the theatre or a show (if available). Today's options are almost endless. **Meals: All meals own expense.**

Day 8 – Yarra Valley - Monday 26th November 2018



After an early breakfast we will join a special private group tour to ride the Puffing Billy and then tour the Yarra Valley and Vineyards. On our return to the Hotel get together with our fellow travellers in the Cocoon Bar for a farewell drink (included) before dinner. Dinner is at your own leisure to allow you to choose your preferred cuisine or newly found favourite restaurant.

Meals: L (included) B & D (own expense)

Day 9 – Melbourne - Brisbane – Bundaberg - Tuesday 27th November 2018

After breakfast, check out of the hotel for a transfer to the Airport for the journey home, leaving with fond memories and newly formed friendships.

Meals: B (own expense)

Terms & Conditions

This tour will operate subject to a minimum of 12 passengers. Prices are based on per person, twin share. Single supplement is available on application. Personally escorted by Ronwyn Hooper.

A non-refundable deposit of \$400.00 per person is required to secure the booking. Travel Insurance is compulsory and an additional cost. A policy must be paid or supplied at time of deposit. Final payment will be due and payable on or before 28th September 2018.

Package Price Includes: Return Qantas airfares Bundaberg/Melbourne/Bundaberg, 8 night's accommodation, Airport transfers in Melbourne, Touring by coach and inclusions as per Itinerary, Entrance fees as per Itinerary, Drinks & Meals as indicated.

Package Price Excludes: Early check ins and late check outs, Optional excursions, Incidental expenses of a personal nature such as drinks with meals, phone calls etc., Entrances/sites/meals other than those specified, Tips to guides, representatives and drivers, Travel insurance, any other items not listed in above inclusions.

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