

TOUR ITINERARY

STRAHAN 3-DAY ADVENTURE

THE EXPERIENCE

- The Wall in the Wilderness is a magnificent work of art at Derwent Bridge in Tasmania's Central Highlands. Made from rare Huon pine, the sculpture is 3 metres high and over 100 metres in length and depicts the history, hardship and perseverance of the people in the Central Highlands and pays homage to the individuals who settled and protected the area.
- Enjoy lunch at Lake St Claire, Australia's deepest lake. Located at the southern end of the Cradle Mountain-Lake St Clair National Park, it forms part of Tasmania's Wilderness World Heritage Area and offers spectacular scenery, an award-winning visitor centre, and a range of beautiful walks to suit every ability. The environment around Lake St Clair is among Tasmania's most spectacular. Deep glacial lakes are fringed by dense forests of ancient pines, and the high mountains provide a dramatic backdrop.
- The drive to Queenstown via the 90 bends is truly epic. We pass through lush forest, over dramatic lakes, past ghost towns and into the lunar landscape around Queenstown which has been shaped by years of copper mining. It's a sight like no other.
- Embark on the famous and award-winning Gordon River Cruise across Macquarie Harbour to Hells Gates and then up the Gordon River. Enjoy the tranquillity of this majestic river in Tasmania's World Heritage-listed South West Wilderness National Park on this six hour cruise. Hop off for a short nature walk through tall Huon pines, sassafras and myrtle.
- Learn about the last attempted convict escape watching the play The Ship that Never Was. It's January 1834 and The Frederick, the last ship built at the convict settlement of Sarah Island in Macquarie Harbour, is about to sail for the new prison at Port Arthur. Ten convict shipwrights have other ideas. So begins the story of an amazing escape and an extraordinary voyage with an intriguing twist.
- On our final day we chase waterfalls. Starting with the stunning Nelson Falls in the UNESCO World Heritage-listed Tasmanian Wilderness, we then head to Mount Field National Park where we visit Tasmania's most photographed waterfall and arguably its prettiest! The short 20-minute return walk from the visitors centre to the cascading waterfall takes a scenic boardwalk through deep green forest, past mossy glens and huge man ferns.

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Day 1:

9am Hobart pickup.

Visit the Wall in the Wilderness.

Enjoy lunch on the shore of Lake St Clair, Australia's deepest lake.

Take in the scenery on the drive to Strahan via the 90 bends.

Dinner included.

Accommodation: Strahan Village.

Day 2:

Jump onboard for an award-winning six-hour cruise along the tranquil Gordon River. See the theatre production of the last attempted convict escape from the notorious Sarah island in The Ship that Never Was.

Breakfast and lunch included.

Accommodation: Strahan Village.

Day 3:

Visit Nelson Falls in the UNESCO World Heritage-listed Tasmanian Wilderness.

Walk to the stunning Russell Falls in Mt Field National Park.

Return to Hobart at 4pm.

Breakfast included.

WHAT IS INCLUDED

3 and 4-star accommodation for 2 nights

2 breakfasts, 1 lunch and 1 dinner

All activity entry and National Park fees

A small group tour (maximum 20 people)

Knowledgeable local driver and tour guide

Air-conditioned minivan or small bus

Live commentary onboard

WHAT IS NOT INCLUDED

Meals that are not mentioned above

Alcoholic beverages

Flights to and from Tasmania

PICK UP

At 9am we will meet on Davey Street next to the Tasmanian Travel and Information Centre (near the corner of Davey and Elizabeth Streets, Hobart).

If you are staying in the CBD we can pick you up outside your hotel. Simply enter your hotel name when completing the booking online. Our guide will notify you the day before as to exact pick-up time.

FLIGHTS

We recommend arriving in Hobart the day before the tour departure date.

We recommend booking a departure flight from Hobart Airport after 5.30pm for domestic flights and 6.30pm for international flights on the final day of your tour.

OTHER IMPORTANT INFORMATION**OUR CANCELLATION POLICY**

You can cancel your tour booking up to 31 days prior to the scheduled departure and receive a full refund less a 2% booking fee. Unfortunately, we are unable to

guarantee refunds for tours cancelled by you within 30 days of your departure date. If your plans change, please contact us! We would love to work with you to see if we can accommodate your needs.

Giving you an enjoyable experience touring you around Tasmania is our first priority, however in rare and unfortunate circumstances there might be a possibility of cancellation after confirmation should there not be enough passengers on a particular tour. In the event of this occurring, we will give you a full refund or work with you to arrange an alternative tour.

You will also receive a full refund should you not be able to travel due to government COVID-19 related travel restrictions, however we ask that you please let us know if you are unable to travel prior to the scheduled departure date.

BOOKING CONFIRMATION

You will receive confirmation within 48 hours of booking your tour.

WHAT TO WEAR

In Tasmania you can experience four seasons in one day. We love our changeable weather. Our east coast is often dry while our west coast is wet. Wear layers. Our sun can get hot, but once it goes down, the cool can set in fast. We recommend you bring a sunhat (and beanie), sunscreen, comfortable walking shoes and a waterproof jacket.

FITNESS LEVEL

There is an option to enjoy some walking on this tour so a moderate degree of fitness is required for this.

Alternatives are available if you prefer not to do the walks.

We recommend that if you have serious medical conditions you call us first to discuss. We would be happy to see how we can accommodate you.

ACCESSIBILITY

Our vehicles are conveniently equipped to carry collapsible wheelchairs with removable wheels providing the passenger is accompanied by someone who can assist them board and disembark.

If you have any questions about accessible options for this tour, please do not hesitate to contact us to see how we can accommodate you to have the best tour possible.

CHILDREN

For their safety, we kindly ask that children be accompanied by an adult.

Have another question? Please don't hesitate to contact us.

We look forward to seeing you and hope you enjoy your time with us.
The Tours Around Tasmania Team.