

TOUR ITINERARY

DEEP SOUTH ADVENTURE

PICK UP

8:00am - 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 select **"Other Location"** then enter your hotel name under the **"Pickup"** section when completing your online booking. Your guide will notify you the day before to confirm the exact pick-up time.

THE EXPERIENCE

- Leaving Hobart, we quickly we descend into the bucolic Huon Valley as we embark on our two hour drive. We drive through the beautiful winding roads of the Deep South as we head to our first destination, Hastings Caves.
- Head underground with a specialist guide to explore the largest dolomite cave open to visitors in Australia. See spectacular stalactites, columns, shawls and stalagmites. The cave is spacious with no narrow passages, however, there are 250 stairs with handrails leading in and out of the cave.
- Feeling chilly from the cave experience? Warm up in the nearby swimming pool which is fed by thermal springs. The water is 28 degrees Celsius all year.
- On our way to Tahune Adventures, we stop at the historic Kermandie Hotel. Built in 1932, the charming Kermandie remains the heart of Port Huon. Here you can enjoy a delicious lunch with spectacular views over its private marina on the Huon River.
- Next, we explore more of the Huon Valley as we wind through the countryside to Tahune Adventures. Spend two hours exploring the forest at Tahune Adventures. Walk among the treetops on the Airwalk – a steel canopy that overlooks the forest floor 50 metres below. Breathe deep as you do a forest walk and be brave as you cross the river on a swinging bridge.
- Follow the Huon Pine Trail to see and smell one of Australia's oldest living trees. Find out how fire has affected the forest and see first-hand the natural regeneration that occurs in a forest environment.
- For the thrill-seekers, there's an optional extra to take on the Cable Eagle Hang Glider. Be whisked 250 metres across the Huon River at speeds of up to 40 km per hour.
- During the longer days of summer we stop at the infamous Willie Smith's Apple Shed as we return to Hobart. This rustic barn houses a cidery and restaurant alongside an apple museum. Sip on a tasting paddle (not included in price) as you learn about the Huon Valley's history of apple growing.
- We aim to get you back to Hobart just after 5pm.

WHAT IS INCLUDED

A small group tour
Knowledgeable local driver and tour guide
Air-conditioned minivan or small bus
Admission to Hastings Caves & Thermal Springs and Tahune Adventures

WHAT IS NOT INCLUDED

Food and drinks purchased
Cider tasting
Cable Eagle Hang Glider experience at Tahune Adventures

OTHER IMPORTANT INFORMATION

OUR CANCELLATION POLICY

We recognise that we live in an especially uncertain world and value your trust. This is why we do our best to have as flexible a cancellation policy as we can afford.

For our updated cancellation policy please refer to our Terms and Conditions on our website.

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 minimal walking on this tour, however, 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.