

8 Day Budget Tour



Tour Highlights

Queen Victoria Museum & Art Gallery
 2 Night stay in Launceston
 Launceston's Cataract Gorge
 Grindelwald Swiss Village
 Historical townships of Ross, Oatlands,
 Richmond & New Norfolk
 3 Night stay in New Norfolk
 Mt Wellington
 Salamanca Markets
 Royal Tasmanian Botanical Gardens
 Tasman Peninsula Coastal Features
 Port Arthur Historic Site
 Mt Field, Cradle Mountain & Lake St.Clair
 National Parks
 Nelson Falls
 2 Night stay in Queenstown
 Gordon River Cruise

Tour Price Includes

Quality Coach with experienced Coach Captain
 7 Nights Accommodation
 Quality Meals -
 ♦ 7 Breakfasts (B)
 ♦ 6 Quality Dinners (D)
 ♦ 1 Highlight Dinner (HD)
 Tour is fully inclusive with no added expenses

Tour Prices (\$AUD)

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Departures

15th October 2008
 21st January 2009
 15th April 2009

Commences Launceston 2:00pm

Adults (twin share) **\$1499.00**
 Single Supplement **\$320.00**

**For booking conditions please see back page*

Itinerary

Day 1 Launceston (D)

Check in at your Launceston accommodation by 2pm today to meet your coach captain and spend an afternoon visiting some of the natural attractions Launceston is famous for.
Accommodation: Launceston (2 Nights)

Day 2 Tamar Valley (B D)

Travel through the picturesque Tamar Valley just north of Launceston. The fertile banks of the Tamar River and the area's cool climate have contributed to this region fast becoming one of Australia's top wine producing regions. Visit some local attractions before making your way back to Launceston via Grindelwald, a unique Swiss village.

Day 3 Heritage Highway (B D)

The Heritage Highway, the original coaching route between Launceston and Hobart could tell a thousand stories of convicts, farmers, and bushrangers. As you travel this historic highway you will see many reminders of the bygone era and have time to visit and experience some of the authentic atmosphere of Ross and Oatlands. Stay tonight in New Norfolk, a Historic township just north of Hobart.
Accommodation: New Norfolk (3 Nights)

Day 4 Hobart (B HD)

As well as sightseeing and a visit to Hobart's famous Salamanca Precinct today includes some free time to experience the many pleasures Hobart offers. Take time to explore Hobart's famous waterfront or wander into town to check out the local shopping. Tonight enjoy a gourmet bar-b-que dinner at the Salmon Ponds just out of New Norfolk.

Day 5 Tasman Peninsula (B D)

After a morning exploring the spectacular coastal formations of the Tasman Peninsula, visit the historic penal settlement of Port Arthur and learn of the atrocities that took place here over 200 years ago. In the afternoon enjoy a cruise of the harbour before its time to board the coach for the trip back to New Norfolk.

Day 6 West Coast (B D)

Say goodbye to New Norfolk, and travel to Queenstown on Tasmania's rugged west coast, visiting National Parks and waterfalls on the way.
Accommodation: Queenstown (2 Nights)

Day 7 Gordon River (B D)

Relax on a cruise that crosses Macquarie Harbour before travelling up the famous Gordon River. Spend some time exploring Strahan before making your way back to Queenstown for dinner.

Day 8 Cradle Mountain (B)

Make your way back to Launceston via the renowned Cradle Mountain National Park area and Sheffield, the town of murals. Arrive back in Launceston in time for a late afternoon departure.

Why Groups Tasmania?

'Very good value for money, the tour covered a wide and varied range at a comfortable pace'

