2 Day Great Ocean Road and Grampians Tour: **Melbourne Returns with Hostel Dormitory**

2 days 1 night

KEY FACTS



- 1. Overnight tour to/from Melbourne return
- 2. One Night Accommodation Hostel Dormitory (shared bathroom facilities)
- 3. Meals (1 x Breakfast, 1 x Lunch)
- 4. All National Park entry fees
- Guided bush walks
- 6. Knowledgeable Tour Commentary
- 7. Experienced Driver Guide
- 8. Transfer from/to selected hotels included before departure time. Must be pre-booked.



- 1. Food & beverages not listed as Inclusions
- 2. Souvenirs
- Travel Insurance

Depature point

- Departs:
- Season 1 (01 May 31 May): Mondays, Thursdays, Saturdays
- Season 2 (01 Jun 30 Sep): Mondays, Saturdays
- Season 3 (01 Oct 30 Nov): Mondays, Thursdays, Saturdays
- Season 4 (01 Dec 31 Apr): Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays, Saturdays Tour does not run on Christmas Eve (24 December), New Year's Eve (31 December)
- Departure Point: Athenaeum Theatre (Address: 188 Collins St, Melbourne VIC 3000)
- Departure Time: Day 1 at 07:15

Complementary transfer from/to selected hotels included before departure time. Must be pre-booked.

• Arrives back on Day 2 at approximately 18:00

How to get there

Complimentary transfer from/to selected hotels included. Please indicate the name of your hotel at the point of booking - the most convenient pick-up location and time will be advised in your booking confirmation.

Reconfirmation requirements

Please be advised you are required to contact The Service Provider 48 hours prior to the travel date during business hours to reconfirm your booking, pick up location and time, and departure time with your confirmation number. Please adjust your travel plan according to the details given by The Service Provider at time of reconfirming.

Check-in requirements

Please arrive 10 minutes prior to the pick-up time at your booked pick up location. There might be 5-10 minutes delay depends on the traffic on the day. If you think the coach is late or you are not being picked up, please call The Service Provider and quote your confirmation number to double check.

What to bring/wear

- Small overnight bag with personal towel & toiletries. No toothbrush, toothpaste, or slippers
- Appropriate clothing for all weather conditions, eg. jacket for cooler months.
- Comfortable enclosed walking shoes
- Protective clothing, hat, sunscreen lotion, and sunglasses
- Water bottle, Snacks
- Umbrella / raincoat if rains
- Insect repellent
- Camera
- Money / credit card for optional purchases

Other info

• Minimum Booking Numbers Apply

The maximum is 24 person in each group with minimum of 4. The Service Provider may cancel a tour if not enough bookings received at any time.

- Child Policy
- Not suitable for children 7 years and under.
- Children aged between 8 and 17 years old are required to stay in a private Double/Twin Room and must be accompanied by a legal guardian or adult.
- Dormitory Room fare applies to Adults 18+ over only.
- Physical Requirement
 Moderate level of fitness required.

Luggage Limit

Maximum baggage allowance per person is 15kg preferably a soft travelling pack. Excessive luggage may incur a surcharge fee. In addition, you may bring a sleeping bag. Inappropriate luggage presented at departure, such as suitcases, strollers, walking frames and wheelchairs may result in refusal to board unless previously arranged. Excessive amount of luggage may incur a surcharge fee, for concerns please call the Service Provider before booking.

[Important Post-Covid Service Information]

- The customer shall comply with all Government (Federal, State and Territory) COVID entry restrictions and vaccination guidelines or testing requirements for entry into Australia and/or at the time of travel for tour and transport services.
- Where the customer is not vaccinated and/or not able to show a negative RAT test prior to departure, the customer will forfeit any and all monies paid and the Service Provider holds the right to refuse boarding.
- It is strongly recommended that guests traveling on Tours bring enough RAT tests for 1 test per person per day.
- It is recommended by the Department of Health that commercial passenger vehicle drivers and passengers wear fitted face masks whilst in transit to minimise the spread of the virus.

OVERVIEW

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Experience this 2 day Great Ocean Road Grampians Tour travelling through spectacular Great Otway National Park and rugged bushlands of the Grampians National Park returning to Melbourne in the early evening of day two. Get the opportunity to escape the city lights on this overnight adventure, visiting some stunning places including the 12 Apostles, Loch Ard Gorge, Mackenzie Falls, Halls Gap and some other magnificent sights throughout these regions.





Day 1 Melbourne - Great Ocean Road (- / Lunch / -)

Tour Highlight

- Travel through Torquay & Bells Beach the surf capital of Australia
- See Memorial Arch the Great Ocean Road Sign
- Marvel at the cliff top views of the Great Ocean Road
- Enjoy a guided walk through an ancient rainforest
- Explore the 12 Apostles, Loch Ard Gorge and Razorback
- · Stay overnight in Halls Gap
- Experience wildlife encounters with kangaroos & emus
- · Visit Reeds or Borok Lookout
- · Visit McKenzie Falls or Silverband Falls
- · Walk out to the Balconies lookout and Jaws of Death
- Guided Bushwalks and hikes

NOTES BEFORE YOU BOOK:

- 1. Guest are asked to reconfirm their tour at least 48 hours prior to departure and notify of special dietary requirements.
- 2. Travel insurance is recommended for all international travellers and should be taken out prior to booking.
- 3. A moderate level of fitness is required to complete the walks within this itinerary.
- 4. Passengers are asked to bring a 1.5L water bottle to use on walks.
- 5. Children aged between 8 and 17 years are required to stay in private Double/Twin room and must be accompanied by a legal guardian or adult. Not suitable for children 7 years and under.

Sample Itinerary

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Day 1

- The journey begins on the beautiful Great Ocean Road Tour, enjoying the stunning scenery of this famous coastline.
- Enjoy the atmosphere of the beautiful seaside village Apollo Bay.
- Enjoy a relaxing walk through ancient rainforest, admiring some of the world's tallest trees in the Otway National Park.
- · Next stop is the awe-inspiring Twelve Apostles, perfect photo opportunity.
- Followed by a visit to the pristine beach of Loch Ard Gorge, where you will learn the tragic tales of this shipwreck coast.
- Heading inland to stay overnight in the Grampians National Park, Halls Gap.

Accommdation = Basic Dormitory with share bathroom facilities



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- Wake up to see the amazing views and kangaroos! Grampians National Park, one of Victoria's most popular holiday destinations is an area rich in Aboriginal culture set in a beautiful and rugged ancient landscape.
- Embark on a walk in the National Park and take in some of the breathtaking views at Boroka and Reed's Lookout, before making
 your way to Mackenzie Falls (or Silverband Falls) where you hike to view these stunning falls.
- After an amazing 2 days exploring the rugged coastline and mountain ranges, you will make your way back to Melbourne early in the evening.



Cancellation Policy

All sales are final and incur 100% cancellation penalties.

