

ADELAIDE DELIGHT

GREAT SOUTHERN

DEPARTURE MONDAY

This seven-night itinerary is a feast for the senses as you travel through Australia's south east to make your way to Adelaide, South Australia's food and wine capital. With the perfect combination of meals on and off the train, you'll make the most of your rail journey while also exploring the delights of iconic regions like Coffs Harbour and the Hunter Valley. Upon arriving in Adelaide, settle into your accommodation for the next four nights and use it as your base to discover South Australia's food gems including the world-renowned Barossa Valley.

INCLUSIONS

- 4 nights at the Majestic Roof Garden Hotel including breakfast
- Adelaide City Tour Riverside Long Lunch at the Intercontinental
- Northern Barossa Valley Voyager Tour
- Transfer from hotel to Adelaide Parklands Rail terminal
- 3 days / 2 nights aboard the Great Southern, Adelaide to Brisbane including all meals, beverages and Off Train Excursions in the Grampians, Canberra and Northern New South Wales Coast
- 6 x breakfasts, 5 x lunches, 2 x dinners

HIGHLIGHTS

- Visit the Adelaide Central Market on a hosted small group tour with tastings
- Savour a delicious Market cafe lunch post tour
- Discover the history of the Barossa Valley
- Enjoy cellar door tastings & a Restaurant Lunch which includes a glass of wine
- Appreciate the ancient beauty of the Grampians
- Explore Canberra's art, history and culinary culture
- Enjoy a special beachside dining experience on the NSW coast

DAY 1 ARRIVE ADELAIDE

Welcome to Adelaide. After checking into your accommodation in the heart of the CBD, there are plenty of opportunities to delve into its food, wine, arts and shopping scenes, and get to know the laid-back capital.

DAY 2 ADELAIDE

Visit the iconic Adelaide Central Markets and taste a delicious selection of foods from SA artisan food producers. Meet the suppliers, stallholders and producers whose families have traded the Market for generations. This small group tour is hosted by local guides and is serious fun for those with a passion for great food, and the people who grow and supply it to our tables. After your tour, settle in for a delicious Market cafe lunch and watch the world go by, or if you are too full after the tour tastings we can arrange a gourmet Italian panini picnic lunch to take away - your choice no need to make your mind up until the day. (B,L)

DAY 3 LEISURE DAY

Today is yours to explore one of Australia's most elegant and sophisticated cities. If you'd like to get right to the source of that gourmet experience by visiting another wine-growing region, McLaren Vale is a perfect option. (B)

WE RECOMMEND

McLaren Vale Winery Experience, \$190 per person

A tour to McLaren Vale along the beautiful Fleurieu Peninsula includes four cellar door experiences and a delicious restaurant lunch. The region is best known for its Shiraz, but expert vignerons will explain why Grenache, Cabernet Sauvignon and Chardonnay grapes also thrive in this unique microclimate.

DAY 4 BAROSSA VALLEY

Today your boutique wine and food touring continues with a visit to the very special and historic Northern Barossa with its 80 cellar doors. You'll even visit one of the oldest vineyards in the world where Shiraz vines were planted in 1843. (B,L)

DAY 5 BOARD THE GREAT SOUTHERN IN ADELAIDE

Unwind and familiarise yourself with your cabin as the journey begins, before savouring a long lunch onboard with your fellow travellers. Leaving Adelaide behind, you'll be transported to the striking Grampians, one of the nation's most stunning wilderness regions. This magical place is home to ancient sandstone mountains, Indigenous rock art sites, dazzling waterfalls and native fauna including wallabies and echidnas.

Overnight: 2 nights Great Southern (B,L,D)

DAY 6 GREAT SOUTHERN, CANBERRA

After a restful night on board, today you'll discover why Australia capital is more than just politics. While the jewel in Canberra's crown is undoubtedly Parliament House, this compact city is also home to landmarks such as the National Portrait Gallery, Australian War Memorial and the National Arboretum, and today there are plenty of opportunities to delve into Canberra's art, history and culinary culture. (B,L,D)

DAY 7 GREAT SOUTHERN, NORTHERN NEW SOUTH WALES COAST AND BRISBANE

Feel the sand between your toes and the sea breeze in your hair as you enjoy brunch on the beach near Coffs Harbour this morning, with superb views of the Northern new South Wales Coast. Return to the train for more pampering as your rail journey continues to Brisbane where your journey comes to an end. (B,L)