## Ballarat Begonia Festival

# 7 Day/6 Night Escorted Group Tour Departs Saturday 10th March 2018

## Tour Itinerary

#### Day 1: 10th March 2018 [D]

Depart Kangaroo Island – Home pickup to ferry, ferry and coach travel. Our day will take us to Coonalpyn to view the Silo Art by Guido van Helton. The art portrays five Coonalpyn Primary School children. Their images represent the future of the town. Travel onto Horsham for our overnight stay.

#### Day 2: 11th March 2018 [B,D]

Depart Horsham for a day viewing Silo Art at Brim, Sheep Hills and Rupunyap, time in Stawell and a visit to Gum San Chinese Heritage Centre in Ararat. Gum San Chinese Heritage Centre tells the story of the Chinese miners and their arduous journey from Southern China to Australia where they dreamed of finding gold and discovered one of the world's richest shallow alluvial goldfields, the Canton Lead. Overnight in Mid City Motel Ballarat.

#### Day 3: 12th March 2018 [B,D]

Today we visit the Ballarat Begonia Festival. Regional Victoria's largest flower festival, the Ballarat Begonia Festival, attracts more than 60,000 spectators annually. Held on the Victorian Labour Day long weekend this three day event has something for everyone. Flowers, celebrity gardeners, markets, entertainment, kids' activities and a community parade. Overnight in Mid City Motel Ballarat.

#### Day 4: 13th March 2018 [B,D]

Up early we visit the Goldfields of times past at Sovereign Hill before departing Ballarat for a scenic drive to Geelong, a photo stop at Bells Beach and travel to Apollo Bay. Overnight in Apollo Bay Motel and Apartments.

#### Day 5: 14th March 2018 [B,D]

We farewell the seaside township of Apollo Bay to continue along the Great Ocean Road, to view the magnificent Twelve Apostles and the Bay of Islands. Enjoy a visit to Allansford Cheese World before arriving in Warrnambool. Overnight in Best Western Olde Maritime.

#### Day 6: 15th March 2018 [B,D]

An early start today to visit Flagstaff Maritime Museum, before we travel to Port Fairy. Enjoy the seaside vistas of this fishing village before we make our way to South Australia. Our destination is Mount Gambier, known for its limestone, volcanic landscapes and crater lakes. We visit the Blue Lake, which turns cobalt blue in Summer, Umpherston Sinkhole which contains a lush sunken garden and also a visit to the City's Cave Gardens. Overnight in Quality Inn Presidential.

#### Day 7: 16th March 2018 [B]

Farewell Mount Gambier as we travel to Robe and into Kingston SE to visit Larry the Lobster!! From here we will make our way toward Cape Jervis for your journey home.

[B] Stands for Breakfast[D] Stands for DinnerNo lunches included on this itinerary

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## **Tour Highlights**

- 12 Apostles
- Sovereign Hill
- Ballarat Begonia Festival
- Blue Lake in Mount Gambier
- Gum San Chinese Heritage Centre
- Flagstaff Maritime Museum

#### Price Inclusions:

- Kingscote to Penneshaw Private Coach Transfer (home pick up from Kingscote, American River and Penneshaw)
- Return ferry travel from Kangaroo Island to Cape Jervis
- · Coach travel from Adelaide to Ballarat
- Accommodation
- Fully escorted tour by Evelyn Swayne from Kingscote Travel
- 6 breakfasts and 6 dinners
- Attractions and entry fees as per itinerary inclusions

#### From

\$1,768 per person, twin share

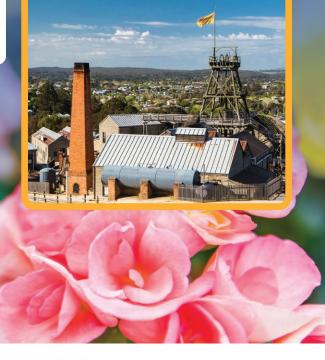
### Single supplement from \$350

Terms & Conditions

Itinerary is subject to change and departure is subject to minimum group numbers. A non-refundable deposit of \$100 pp is required at the time of booking. Full payment is due before 9/02/18. Cancellation fees may apply. Travel insurance is strongly recommended.









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