

LAKE EYRE, FLINDERS AND THE OVERLAND

9 DAYS * ADELAIDE * LAKE EYRE * WILPENA POUND * THE OVERLAND

THU Melbourne to Adelaide

After flying in to Adelaide, make your own way to your hotel. The remainder of the day is free for you to relax and explore this historic city.

Overnight: Crowne Plaza Adelaide or Stamford Plaza Adelaide (2 nights)

FRI Adelaide

Today you have the choice of a full day or half day tour in Adelaide. Choose from:

- * Ultimate Barossa Valley Wine Tour
- * Ultimate Adelaide Tour
- * Adelaide Hills and Hahndorf Tour
- * Central Market Tour
- * Adelaide City Highlights Tour

SAT Adelaide to Port Augusta

This morning is free to relax before boarding your 4WD vehicle and travelling north to Port Augusta. On arrival, check in to your hotel and enjoy the remainder of the afternoon at leisure before dinner tonight.

Overnight: Standpipe Motel D

SUN Port Augusta to Quorn to Marree

This morning, visit the Wadlata Outback Centre for an insight into the South Australian Outback, before journeying to the historic railway town of Quorn. See the town's famous railway station, then continue to the intriguing ruins of Kanyaka Station—a former sheep station that dates back to 1851. Afterwards, drop in to the Parrie Hotel in Parachilna, Australia's most awarded outback hotel, then continue to Marree.

Overnight: Maree Hotel (2 nights) BD

MON Lake Eyre

Today experience the rare natural phenomenon of Lake Eyre as it fills. Enjoy the breathtaking views afforded by a flight over the lake. Then, after a BBQ lunch at Marree Hotel, take a 4WD sightseeing tour to the edge of the stunning lake. *BLD*

TUE Parachilna Gorge to Wilpena Pound

After a visit to the beautiful Parachilna Gorge, stop in for lunch at the Blinman Hotel (own expense). Then continue to Wilpena Pound National Park and settle into your comfortable accommodation amid stunning natural surrounds. *BD*

Overnight: Wilpena Pound Resort (2 nights)

WED Wilpena Pound

This morning enjoy a scenic drive through the Bunyerroo Valley. Enjoy views of sweeping plains covered in native pine trees as well as the rugged gorges of the region. Then visit spectacular Brachina Gorge, an important refuge for the Yellow Footed Rock Wallaby as well as many species of birds and reptiles. With the afternoon yours to spend at leisure, perhaps take a walk into Wilpena Pound, a natural amphitheatre of mountains in the Flinders Ranges, or take a scenic flight over the beautiful area (own expense). *BD*

THU Wilpena Pound to Adelaide

After breakfast, set out along the picturesque Moralana Scenic Route, offering lovely views to the southern wall of Wilpena Pound, Black Gap Lookout, Red Range, Elder Range and more. Travel via the picturesque towns of Hawker,



Wilmington and Melrose before stopping for lunch at Clare (own expense). Then continue to Adelaide.

Overnight: Crowne Plaza Adelaide or Stamford Plaza Adelaide B

FRI Adelaide to Melbourne

Make your own way to Keswick Railway Station. Depart Adelaide at 7.40am this morning on The Overland. Arrive in Melbourne at 6.40pm this evening.

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INCLUSIONS:

- > Air travel, Melbourne to Adelaide
- > 3 nights in Adelaide
- > Choice of Adelaide Tour
- > 4WD touring
- > 1 night in Port Augusta
- > 2 nights in Marree
- > 2 nights in Wilpena Pound
- > Scenic flight over Lake Eyre
- > 5 Breakfasts
- > 1 Lunches
- > 5 Dinners
- > Rail travel on The Overland , Adelaide to Melbourne travelling Red Premium Seat

CONDITIONS:

Prices are based on twin share and single as stated. All components are subject to availability. Strict cancellation fees apply so travel insurance is highly recommended.

Full payment is required at the time of confirmation of your booking. Pensioner prices apply to holders of Pensioner Cards or Commonwealth Senior Health Care Cards.



DEPARTURE DATES:

Thursday 03 June, Thursday 10 June, Thursday 17 June ,
Saturday 26 June*, Thursday 22 July*,
Thursday 26 August* & Saturday 11 September* 2010

COST PER PERSON	ADULT	PENSIONER
TWIN SHARE	\$3673	\$3619
SINGLE	\$4329	\$4275

*Departures on these dates are on a partly reversed itinerary with rail travel to Adelaide and a flight home, due to The Overland departure days.

**An additional departure is also available on Monday the 5th of July however an extra nights accommodation in Adelaide is required at an additional cost of \$102 per person twin share.

