7 Days Sleigh Bells in the Snowys

Day-by-Day Itinerary

Today we leave the Alpine region and visit the Snowy Hydro Discovery Centre for a self-guided tour of its exhibits on the hydroelectric scheme. This afternoon takes us on a scenic route travelling via the Southern Highlands into Sydney. 2 Night Stay: Sofitel Sydney Wentworth

DURATION	FROM PRICE	TOUR TYPE	TOUR CODE
7 Days	**$5,865**	**Coach Tours**	**FO50**

Overview

Fly into Canberra and begin with a drive-by tour of Canberra's International Embassies and High Commissions before a luxury stay at Jamala Wildlife Lodge, including a private guided zoo tour, animal encounters and an African gourmet dinner party. Enjoy a long lunch at Courgette, then travel into Kosciuszko National Park for three nights in Thredbo. Ride the Kosciuszko Express Chairlift and choose an optional self-guided walk to Mount Kosciuszko Lookout, enjoy lunch at Eagles Nest Restaurant, and take on the Alpine Coaster. Celebrate Christmas Day with a special message, a leisurely morning or Pipeline Path walk, then a long lunch with included beverages. Continue via the Snowy Hydro Discovery Centre to Sydney for two nights, including a private Opera House tour, harbour lunch cruise, city sights and Bondi Beach. Our flights arrive into Canberra where we board our luxury Diamond Class coach, then traverse through the capital city, enjoying a drive-by tour of Canberra's International Embassies and High Commissions. The journey takes us to Jamala Wildlife Lodge, where an "Out of Africa" experience awaits. At uShaka Lodge, we enjoy a private guided tour of the zoo, unveiling the wonders of the animal kingdom. Luxuriate in 5-star themed accommodation, choosing from the opulence of Jungle Bungalows, the elevated charm of Giraffe Treehouses, or the elegance of uShaka Lodge. Prepare for spellbinding animal encounters with majestic lions, tigers, cheetahs and bears. The night unfolds with pre-dinner drinks progressing to the Rainforest Cave, where surprises may manifest in the form of white lions or hyenas joining the gathering. Dive deeper into the African theme with a delectable and lively African gourmet dinner party featuring exceptional wines, all seamlessly included for an immersive and unforgettable expedition. This remarkable journey blends luxury, sustainability and the enchantment of wildlife, promising an unparalleled experience. 1 Night Stay: Jamala Wildlife ...

Itinerary

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Canberra

Meals: Lunch, Two Course Dinner

Our Carbon Neutral flights arrive in Canberra, where we board our opulent 'Diamond Class' coach, travelling responsibly knowing all coach emissions are 100% offset. Traverse through the capital city, enjoying a drive-by tour of Canberra's International Embassies and High Commissions, followed by a delightful light lunch at the National Arboretum. The journey extends to Jamala Wildlife Lodge, where an 'out of Africa' experience awaits. At uShaka Lodge, a warm welcome initiates a private guided tour of the zoo, unveiling the wonders of the animal kingdom. Luxuriate in 5-star themed accommodations, choosing from the opulence of Jungle Bungalows, the elevated charm of Giraffe Treehouses, or the elegance of uShaka Lodge. Prepare for spellbinding animal encounters with majestic lions, tigers, cheetahs, and bears. The night unfolds with pre-dinner drinks progressing to the Rainforest Cave, where surprises may manifest in the form of white lions or hyenas joining the gathering. Dive deeper into the African theme with a delectable and lively African gourmet dinner party, featuring exceptional wines—all seamlessly included for an immersive and unforgettable expedition. This remarkable journey seamlessly blends luxury, sustainability, and the enchantment of wildlife, promising an unparalleled experience. 1 Night: Jamala Wildlife Lodge

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Thredbo

Meals: Full Breakfast, Lunch, Two Course Dinner

Following a leisurely breakfast, the day unfolds with the freedom to explore the zoo at your own pace. Indulge in a lavish, hat-awarded long lunch at one of Canberra's finest restaurants. As the journey progresses, traverse into the breathtaking scenery of Kosciuszko National Park, where rugged mountains, lush forests, and alpine meadows create a picturesque landscape. Our destination is Thredbo Village, embraced by ski slopes and hiking trails, and home to the delightful Thredbo Alpine Hotel. Immerse yourself in the charm of this alpine haven, surrounded by nature's beauty, promising a serene and rejuvenating retreat in the heart of the mountains. 3 Nights: Thredbo Alpine Hotel

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Thredbo

Meals: Full Breakfast, Lunch, Two Course Dinner

This morning we meet up and make our way to the Kosciuszko Express Chairlift for a different kind of ascent. As you ride the Thredbo lift soak up the stunning mountain views. Here we embark on an optional self guided walk to Mount Kosciuszko Lookout, a grade 2 hike, being a gentle walk with a distance of 4km return. We take a seat at Eagles Nest Restaurant, perched high above, and enjoy a delicious lunch while taking in the breathtaking panoramic views of Mount Kosciuszko. After lunch, we have fun riding the 1.5km long Alpine Coaster. From leisure cruisers to thrill-seekers, riders can control their speed of up to 40km/h, travelling along a mix of uphill and downhill tracks. Riders wind their way down through a tunnel and over bridges while taking in the stunning alpine environment.

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Thredbo

Meals: Full Breakfast, Lunch, Two Course Dinner

Merry Christmas! This morning we will gather for a special Fun Over 50 Holidays Christmas message from your crew. Enjoy breakfast before choosing a morning at your leisure or join your hostess for the grade 2 Pipeline Path walk. A perfect 3km round trip walk for those looking for a relaxing stroll through the forest and along the Snowmakers Pond. Dress festive for our Christmas Day long lunch filled with food, friends and a jolly good time. No rush today, slow down to sip and savour Christmas delights. Tonight, we regather for a light dinner.

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Sydney

Meals: Full Breakfast, Lunch, Two Course Dinner

This morning we embark on a scenic journey to Wildbrumby Schnapps Distillery, breaking here to visit the sculpture gardens and savour in a unique tasting experience, sampling their renowned schnapps. After the flavours dance on our palates, we break for lunch. This afternoon takes us on a scenic route travelling via the Southern Highlands into Sydney. 2 Nights: Sofitel Sydney Wentworth

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Sydney

Meals: Full Breakfast, Lunch, Two Course Dinner

This morning, we set out on an exclusive, privately guided tour of the legendary Sydney Opera House, an architectural marvel and UNESCO World Heritage listed masterpiece. As we step inside this globally celebrated venue, our expert guide will bring its history to life, sharing captivating stories of its visionary design, the groundbreaking engineering innovations, and the challenges faced during its ambitious construction. We continue our journey with a scenic lunch cruise on the spectacular Sydney Harbour. Relax and indulge in a delicious two-course meal while gliding past the city's iconic skyline in a truly unforgettable setting. Enjoy uninterrupted 360-degree views of famous landmarks, including the Harbour Bridge, Circular Quay, and the Royal Botanic Gardens.**Dinner venue caters for gluten free and vegetarian dietary requirements only. Anyone with an allergy must self-manage.

HIGHLIGHTS

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Sydney

Meals: Full Breakfast, Morning Tea, Lunch, Afternoon Tea, Two Course Dinner

Enjoy a farewell breakfast before boarding a local operator's coach where we visit The Rocks, for a stroll around the markets before partaking in a driving tour to take in views of Mrs Macquarie's Chair and Kings Cross before breaking for lunch at famous Bondi Beach. We are then transferred to the airport for our respective Carbon Neutral flights home. **Lunch is at your own expense today. B = Full Breakfast MT = Morning Tea L = Lunch AT = Afternoon Tea D = Two Course Dinner

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Inclusions

• Economy class flights to Canberra ex Brisbane, Sydney, Melbourne or Adelaide and from Sydney to Brisbane, Melbourne or Adelaide • Journey in comfort aboard our luxury Diamond Class coach • Fully escorted tour with experienced Fun Over 50 Holidays Tour Host and Coach Captain • Canberra city sightseeing tour • 1 night Jamala Wildlife Lodge including private guided zoo tour, animal encounter rooms and animal experiences • Visit one hat Courgette restaurant for lunch • 3 nights Thredbo • Enjoy thrilling express chairlift and Alpine Coaster ride • Savour a scenic lunch at Eagles Nest Restaurant with panoramic views • Christmas Day lunch with traditional fare and included beverages • Snowy Hydro Discovery Centre • 2 nights Sydney • Private guided tour of Sydney Opera House • Spectacular lunch cruise on Sydney Harbour • Sydney city sights tour • 18 delicious meals included on your journey • Diamond Class beverages served with dinner (includes a capped bar tab for beer, wine and soft drink)

Ready to Book?

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