



# AUTOPIA

*Adventure Backpacker Tours*

**\$80**  
grampians DAY TOUR



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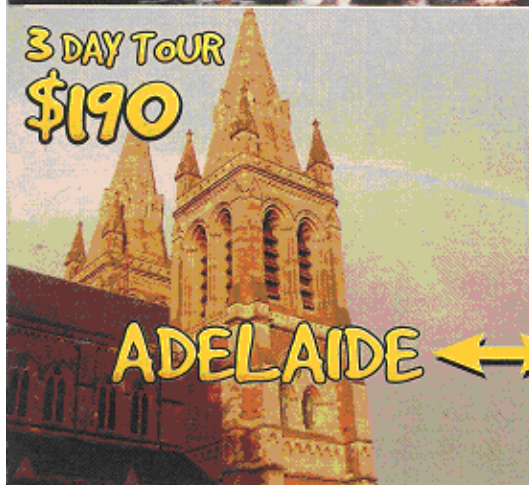


**\$90**  
great ocean road DAY TOUR



**\$99**  
penguin parade DAY TOUR

3 DAY TOUR  
**\$190**



ADELAIDE



MELBOURNE



4 DAY TOUR  
**\$395**

SYDNEY





## Penguin Parade

Tour 1 - 1 Day \$99



Nestled at the entrance to Western Port Bay, **Phillip Island** is home to Victoria's largest colony of **Little Penguins**. Take this opportunity at **Wildlife Wonderland** to hand feed **kangaroos & emus**, see **koalas** up close, cuddle a **wombat** and see a **Great White Shark** but don't pat the **dingoes**! We will also stop here for your complimentary lunch.



Travel over the bridge to **Phillip Island** where we spend more time on the island. Take a beautiful coastal walk to **Pyramid Rock**. See the rugged **Phillip Island coastline**, view the **Nobbies** and **Seal Rocks** just before getting up close and personal for the unique **Penguin Parade** at sunset. At the end of the parade you have time to see the award winning **information** and **display centre**.



**Departs MELBOURNE: Everyday**  
**Returns: 10.00pm - 12.00 midnight (Seasonal)**

### Free Lunch included

Enjoy your **free Pizza dinner** at the island township of Cowes.

We also offer **free tea coffee and cookies**

Bring adequate clothing due to cool conditions in *all* seasons. No photography allowed at Penguin Parade.

*Includes all entrance fees*



## Great Ocean Road & The Grampians

Tour 2 - 3 Day \$175



Visit one of Victoria's most outstanding natural features. Rich in **aboriginal history** and exhibiting a diverse array of **wildlife**, unique **plant species**, **rock formations** and **waterfalls**. Explore the walking tracks from the scenic **Wonderland Ranges** to **Halls Gap**, the spectacular **Jaws of Death**, **Reids Lookout** and magnificent **Mackenzie Falls**. See **Kangaroos** and overnight in the **Grampians**.



Up early to enjoy more scenic walks and postcard views from the spectacular **Pinnacles**. Heading south to the coast, we venture inside a rare **sunken volcano**. Keep an eye out for the **koala colony** and **emus**. From the town of Warrnambool we'll explore the western end of the **Great Ocean Road**, including the **Bay of Martyrs**, **Bay of Islands** and **London Bridge**. Overnight in the fishing village of **Port Campbell**.



Discover **Loch Ard Gorge** and the legendary tales of the 10 shipwreck coast. Expansive headlands offer fantastic views of the **12 Apostles**. Walk through the lush **rainforests** of the **Otway Ranges**, re-emerging to complete your journey of the entire **Great Ocean Road**. Surf's up on the legendary **Bells Beach**. Melbourne awaits.



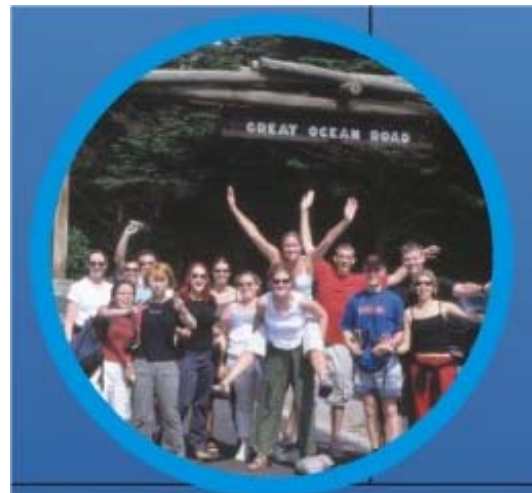
**Departs MELBOURNE: Monday, Wednesday & Saturday Returns: 7.00 pm third day**

### Accommodation Extra

Hostel options from \$18 - \$22 per night. **Twin/Double must be requested at the time of booking but cannot be guaranteed. Price on application.**

**Meals Extra:** Breakfast \$3, lunch and dinner at own expense, however an Aussie BBQ can be organised for the evening at a small cost.

*A reasonable level of fitness is required for walks*





**Great Ocean Road**  
**Tour 3 - 1 Day \$90**



Set against the spectacular backdrop of the **Otway Ranges**, the **Great Ocean Road** winds its way along Victoria's magnificent southern coast. Come and enjoy a fun filled day with our experienced guide, exploring **beautiful beaches treacherous gorges, magnificent rain forests and unique rock formations.**

From **Bells Beach** to the extraordinary **12 Apostles**, we pass through the coastal towns of **Anglesea, Lorne and Apollo Bay**. Hear the historic stories about how the road came to be and the tragic tale of the shipwreck at **Loch Ard Gorge**. **Port Campbell National Park** is where it's all at and with other great sites like **London Bridge** and the **Island Archway**, you're guaranteed a great day.



Have the chance to locate in the wild, our furry friends the **koala**. As well, you may see our prickly friend the **echidna** and many different species of **birds** along the way.



**Departs MELBOURNE: Everyday Returns: 9.30 pm approx.**

**Free Lunch included**

Enjoy **free tea, coffee and cookies** by the beach

*Optional helicopter ride available at the 12 Apostles (ask your guide)*



**The Grampians**  
**Tour 4 - 1 Day \$80**



Visit one of Victoria's most outstanding natural features. The **Grampians National Park** is rich in **aboriginal history** and exhibits a diverse array of **wildlife**, unique plant **species**, **rock formations** and **waterfalls**. In spring, the **wildflowers** come out to bloom in all their **magnificent colours**.

This place is a hikers delight and you can explore the walking tracks from the scenic **Wonderland Ranges** to **Halls Gap**, the spectacular **Jaws of Death**, **Reids Lookout** and majestic **Mackenzie Falls**. Remember to bring good walking shoes, as the rocks can be slippery when wet.



**Departs: Monday, Wednesday & Saturday**  
**Returns: 9.00pm approx.**

**Includes free morning tea and lunch.**

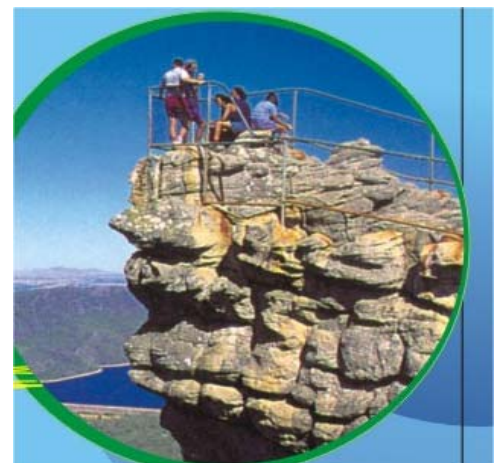
**STOP OVER IN THE GRAMPIANS AVAILABLE**  
*(ask at time of booking).*

Please arrange your own accommodation

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#### **Accommodation OPTIONS INCLUDE:**

Halls Gap YHA Eco-Hostel	Ph: (03) 5356 4544
Tirn's Place	Ph: (03) 5356 4288
Brambuk	Ph: (03) 5356 4250
Asses Ears Wilderness Lodge	Ph: (03) 5383 9215
Grampians Backpackers	Ph: (03) 5356 4516







**Melbourne - Adelaide**  
 Tour 5A - 3 Day \$190 (one way)  
**Adelaide - Melbourne**  
 Tour 5B - 3 Day \$190 (one way)



**Melbourne - Sydney**  
 Tour 6A - 4 Day \$395 (one way)  
**Sydney - Melbourne**  
 Tour 6B - 4 Day \$395 (one way)

1

Set against the spectacular backdrop of the **Otway Ranges**, the **Great Ocean Road** winds its way along Victoria's magnificent southern coast. The first of 3 fun filled days awaits with our experienced guide, exploring **treacherous gorges, beautiful rain forests and unique rock formations**. From **Bells Beach** to the extraordinary **12 Apostles, London Bridge, Loch Ard Gorge, Port Campbell National Park, and Island Arches**, you're guaranteed a great day.

2

From the fishing village of **Port Campbell**, we'll explore the western end of the **Great Ocean Road**. Including **London Bridge, Bay of Martyrs, Bay of Islands** and onto a rare **sunken volcano**. Keep an eye out for the **koala colony and emus**. The **Grampians** are ahead of us and its time to stretch those legs as we take a hike up one of the mountains. Feeling tired after a good feed, we spend the night here.

3

There's more of the **Grampians** to see and enjoy, **The All Jaws of Death, Reids Lookout and Mackenzie Falls** are just some of the highlights of one of Victoria's largest National Parks. Heading west, see rare **Albino Kangaroos in Bordertown** and cross the mighty **Murray River at Murray Bridge** before arriving in Adelaide.

#### Tour Departs:

**MELBOURNE - Sunday, Wednesday, Friday**  
 Arrives Adelaide 8.00pm

**ADELAIDE - Monday, Wednesday, Saturday**  
 Arrives Melbourne 7.00pm

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**Price on application.**

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**Tour itinerary from Adelaide is the reverse of the above.**

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1

Travel from Melbourne through the **Dandenong Ranges** to the picturesque **Wilson's Promontory National Park**. Enjoy the spectacular granite rock formations & golden beaches. **Experience the native Wildlife** – including emus and wombats!

Visit mainland **Australia's most southerly point** and finish off the day with an overnight stay in Foster.

2

Travel through East Gippsland and visit the **Ninety Mile Beach – Victoria's Longest Beach!** While in the Snowy River High Country, take the 2-3 hour guided sunset hike and search for Australian Wildlife on an **interpretive nocturnal walk**. Stay overnight in the picturesque High Country.

3

Taking the spectacular scenic drive through the high country to **Kosciuszko National Park**, visit the Jindabyne Cultural Centre. Travel to **Charlotte Pass to see Mt Kosciuszko, Australia's highest Peak (seasonal) and hike to the glacial Blue Lake** along an alpine track. Snow hike or Ski (winter only/additional cost). Stay overnight in Jindabyne.

4

Try Canoeing, water skiing (seasonal), horse riding, or mountain bike riding in the picturesque snowy mountain region (all at own expense)! Travel to Canberra, the nation's capital and see Parliament House, Lake Burley Griffin and stunning views from Mt Ainsley. Diving towards **Sydney, The Harbour Bridge and Opera House** are now, not far away.

#### Tour Departs:

**Melbourne - Tuesday, Thursday & Sunday**

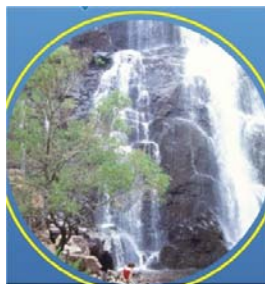
**Sydney - Tuesday, Friday & Sunday**

*Tour Itinerary may change due to adverse road & weather conditions*

\$395 Aus (includes GST) for Dorm Accommodation  
 \$455 Aus (includes GST) for Double Accommodation  
 \$545 Aus (includes GST) for Single Accommodation  
 \* Accommodation upgrade not available July/August

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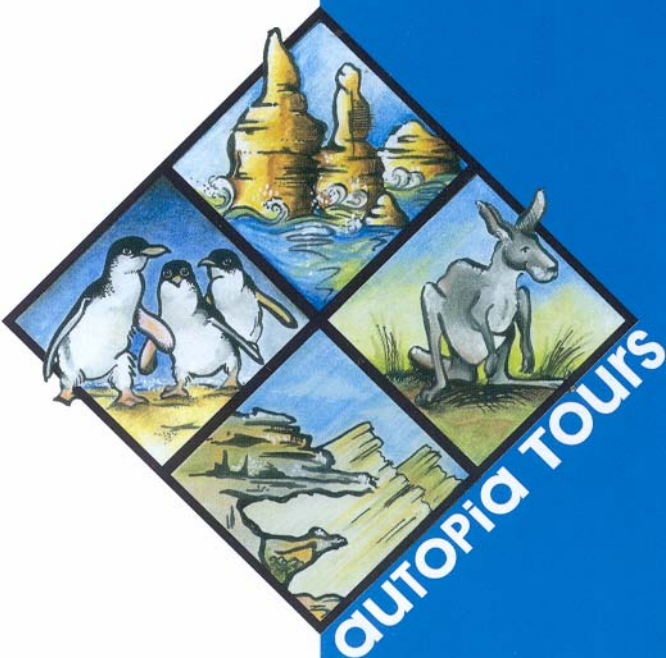
Grampians

Sydney

Canberra

Melbourne

Adelaide



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## Pick Up Locations:

MELBOURNE	Tour 1	Tour 2,3,4	Tour 5A	Tour 6A
Lords Lodge / Pint on Punt Windsor	10.50am	7.20am	7.50am	
Olembia Guest House	10.50am	7.20am	7.50am	
Base Backpackers St. Kilda	10.55am	7.25am	7.55am	
Sth Melb, Urban Central, 334 City Rd	11.05am	7.35am	8.05am	
Cnr. Flinders / Market St	11.15am	7.45am	8.15am	
Cnr King / Little Bourke St	11.20am	7.50am	8.20am	
Melb Transit Centre - 58 Franklin St	11.25am	7.55am	8.25am	
The Nunnery, 116 Nicholson St, Fitzroy	11.30am	8.00am	8.30am	
YHA Melbourne Metro	11.40am	8.10am	8.40am	6.35am
YHA Chapman Gardens	11.45am	8.15am	8.45am	
Victorian Arts Centre				6.15am
Hotel Backpack				6.30am
Base Backpackers				6.45am

SYDNEY	Tour 6B
Sydney Town Hall – 456 Kent Street	6.30 am
804 George Street, across the road from Base Backpackers	7.10 am

ADELAIDE	Tour 5B
Adelaide YHA	7.00 am
My Place Backpackers	7.00 am
Annie's Place	7.05 am
Bus Terminal - Cnr Franklin & Bowen St	7.10 am
18-20 Greenfell St (Aust. Rail Travel Centre)	7.15 am
Carrington Street Hostels	7.20 am
Backpack Oz	7.25 am
Adelaide Travellers Inn	7.30 am

## Important Information

**Fares:** Due to the nature and content of these tours **children under 14 years of age** cannot be carried. Fares are at discount prices and are standard for all passengers and do not include food unless otherwise stated, but stops are made where it can be purchased. Fares are shown in Australian currency and are correct at the time of printing but are subject to change.

**Accommodation:** Please be aware that cooking facilities may not always be available on our extended tours.

**Smoking:** Passengers are requested to restrict smoking to stops en route.

**Responsibility:** Autopia Tours shall be exempt from all liability in respect of any detention, delay, loss, damage, sickness or injury however caused occurring of or to the passenger at any time while participating in any Tour or related activity and passengers will travel with the understanding that these conditions are accepted prior to departure. Travel insurance is recommended. The management retains the right to alter fares, itineraries and day of operation, also, to cancel tours for any unforeseen circumstance. In any case of cancellation, the passenger will receive full refund of money paid.

**Cancellation:** Passenger cancellation or transfer of any tour, in less than 24 hours prior to departure time, within business hours, will result in a 50% cancellation fee of the tour cost. Failing to take up a tour will result in a 100% cancellation fee. Agents fees may also apply.

## All About Us

**Autopia Tours** began in 1987, with the aim to show budget travellers of all nationalities the best parts of Victoria. We were the first tour company to offer affordable tours to the backpacker market. Our local guides know their territory and will educate inform and entertain you along the way. Our smaller **air-conditioned buses** (22 people max) enable a more personal touch and the opportunity to make new friends. We visit places other tour companies cannot and we try to avoid the crowds by getting to places earlier or later than the others. Due to our popularity, please remember to book early to avoid disappointment.

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