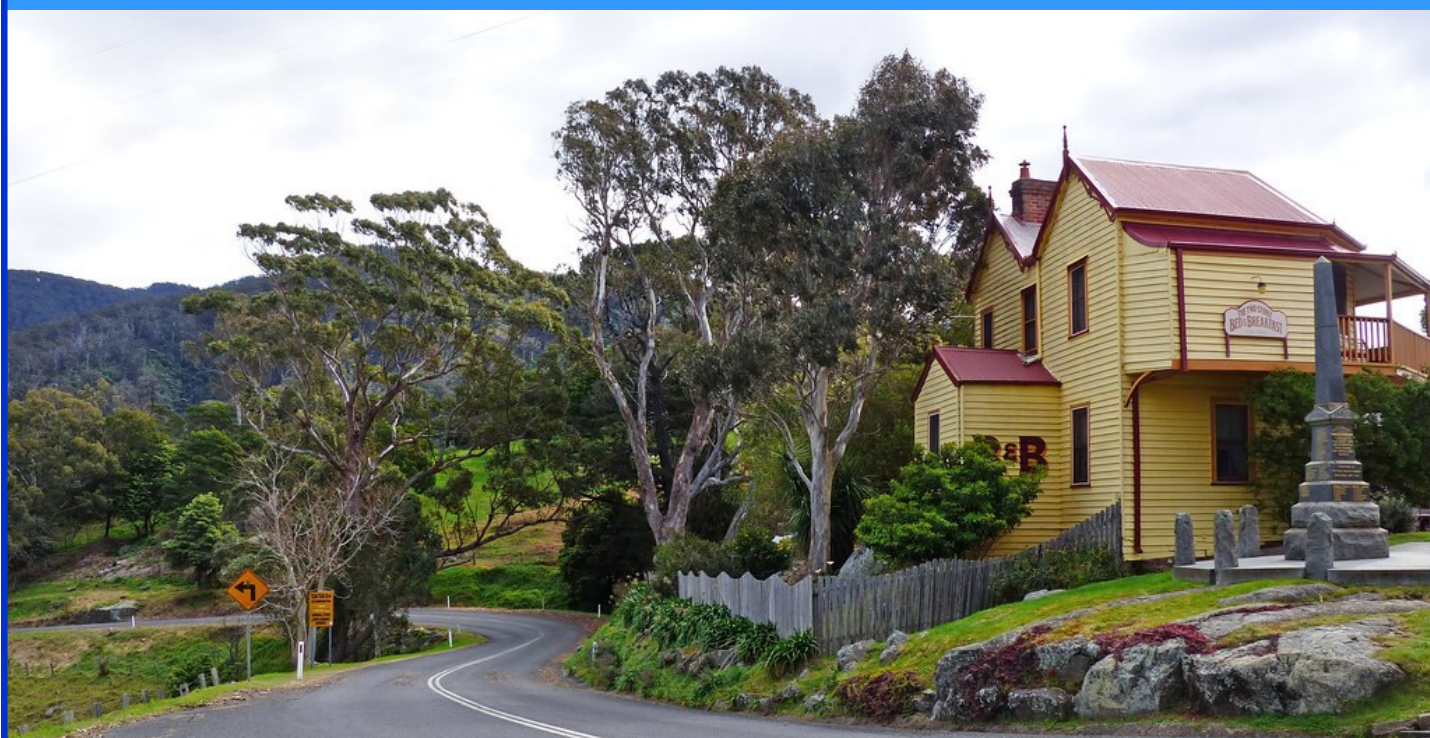




South Coast NSW

9 Days Tuesday 12 to Wednesday 20 May 2020



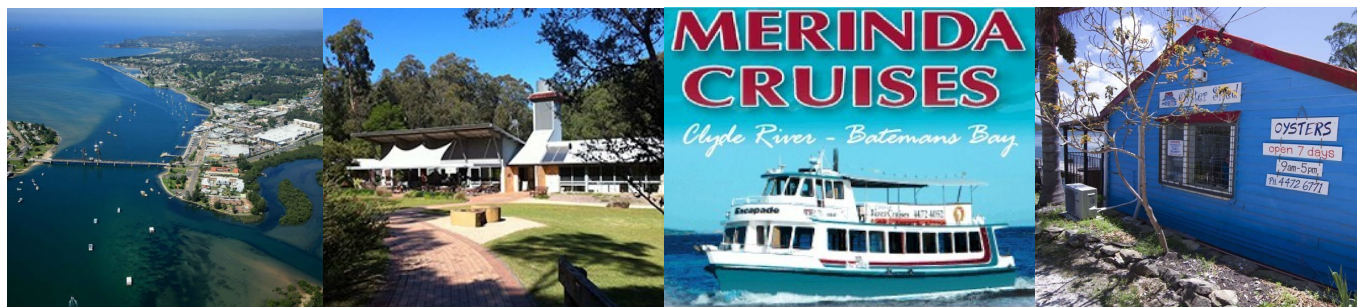
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Stunning scenery along with history associated with the whaling industry at Eden, the farming at Cobargo Farm, the cheese making at Bega and the splendid villages of Tilba Tilba and Central Tilba all combine to create a sensational holiday destination.

**Tour Departs Tuesday 12 May 2020
Grafton 8.00am**
Other pick up points to be arranged

Tour Inclusions

- * Quality Accommodation
- * Eurobodalla Regional Botanic Gardens, Batemans Bay
- * Clyde River cruise including lunch, Merinda Cruises
- * Entry to Mogo Zoo
- * Entry & lunch at The Original Gold Rush Colony, Mogo
- * Tour and lunch at Cobargo Farm
- * Twofold Bay Cruise including lunch with Cat Balou
- * Entry & guided tour at the Killer Whale Museum, Eden
- * Guided tour The Australian Botanic Garden Mt Annan
- * Meals as indicated (B) breakfast, (L) lunch, (D) dinner
- * Entry to attractions as set out in itinerary
- * Luxury five star coach travel
- * Professional and caring Coach Crew

TOUR COST All prices per person twin share.

Travel Club Members	\$2230.00
Non Members	\$2320.00
Single Supplement	\$470.00

A Deposit of \$150.00 is required at the time of booking with balance due on or before 27 March, 2020.

*Cancellation provisions apply contact our office for full details.
Itinerary subject to change without notice. Minimum numbers apply.
Payments can be paid by Cash, Cheque, Money Order or
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Day 1 — Tuesday 12 May

Home to Maitland

L D

Welcome to our 9 day tour to the South Coast of NSW. After we pick up everyone we will head to a location for morning tea. Back onboard relax as we travel south to Ricardoes Tomatoes & Strawberries where we stop for lunch. We continue south through Maitland to our overnight accommodation.

Accommodation:- Old Maitland Inn, Rutherford, 02 4932 5255

Day 2 — Wednesday 13 May

Maitland to Batemans Bay

B L D

We travel via the motorway today past Sydney with a stop for smoko on our way to Mittagong. We make a stop for lunch at Mittagong RSL Club. This afternoon relax and chat with friends as we make our way through to the coast. On arrival we can check into our accommodation and settle in as this will be home for the next 3 nights.

Accommodation:- Araluen Motor Lodge, Batemans Bay, 02 4472 6266

Day 3 — Thursday 14 May

Batemans Bay

B L D

First thing this morning we have time to explore the Regional Eurobodalla Botanic Gardens. The gardens grow and display plants which occur naturally in the region. There are a number of areas of interest with easy walking tracks heading in all directions. The sensory garden is worth a visit as are the display gardens. We then join the MV Merinda for a cruise on the picturesque Clyde River. See historical sites, remnants of early settlers' activity, bird life and natures wonderful artwork. There is a stop-over at the historical village of Nelligen with time for a stroll on the dock or to sit on the banks of the river and enjoy the views, just beautiful! Enjoy a fish and chips lunch on board including tea and coffee. We visit the Oyster Shed, located on the banks of the Clyde River. The shed is a 'farm gate' for fresh oysters but we'll also learn some of the secrets about oyster farming and perhaps sample a few of these local delicacies. Following our tour and tasting the rest of the afternoon has been left free to do some shopping in Batemans Bay.

Accommodation:- Araluen Motor Lodge, Batemans Bay, 02 4472 6266





Day 4 — Friday 15 May

MOGO

B L D

We head to the town of Mogo, once a gold rush town. Mogo has been given the kiss of life by the superb galleries, craft shops and a zoo. First we visit Mogo Zoo with many animals including Rothschild's giraffe, Sumatran tigers, snow leopards, African lions and western lowland gorillas. Mogo Zoo is passionate about the conservation of endangered species and believes that through education, combined with its involvement in various global breeding programs, they can make a difference to the world's threatened species. We now make our way to The Original Gold Rush Colony which recreates the 19th century goldmining village of Mogo.

Accommodation:- Araluen Motor Lodge, Batemans Bay, 02 4472 6266

Day 5 — Saturday 16 May

Batemans Bay to Eden

B L D

This morning we travel south via Narooma to see Central Tilba and Tilba Tilba. Both towns are protected by the National Trust due to their unique historical nature. Many of the original timber buildings have been retained and restored, while any new buildings have been built in the character and style of the era. Next stop is Foxglove Spires Garden covering three and a half acres of rose covered arbours and secluded flower filled areas. Then we head to Cobargo, to visit the wonderful Cobargo Farm for a tour and lunch. This unique farm is on 16 acres and produces fresh fruit and vegetables, as well as ferns, plants, flowers and seedlings. This afternoon we travel to Bega to visit the Bega Cheese Heritage Centre which is a faithful reproduction of one of the first buildings to be constructed on the Bega Cheese site in 1899. The Heritage Centre has a comprehensive display of cheese and butter making equipment from the turn of the 19th century, giving visitors the chance to see how early farmers in the region lived, worked and transported their wares. Leaving here we travel to Eden for the next 2 nights.

Accommodation:- Coachman's Eden, 02 6496 1900

Day 6 — Sunday 17 May

Eden

B L D

We begin exploring the town with the help of a local guide. Following our town tour we then head down to Eden's Main Wharf where we board Cat Balou. This specifically built catamaran will take us on a 2 hour discovery cruise around the beautiful Twofold Bay. (Lunch will be served on board). We may see dolphins and seals. On return from our cruise we visit the Killer Whale Museum. You'll hear all about 'Old Tom', who now resides here along with a great range of memorabilia from 'the old whaling days'. Until 10 years ago, Eden had a fish cannery which was the major employer for the locals. Unfortunately it has closed but the story of its creation and eventual demise is illustrated here. We have the rest of the time at leisure to explore the township.

Accommodation:- Coachman's Eden, 02 6496 1900

Day 7 — Monday 18 May

Eden to Yass

B L D

We leave the coast and travel inland to Cooma – the gateway to the Snowy Mountains. Originally settled in 1823 it became the headquarters for the building of the Snowy Mountain Hydro Electric Scheme which commenced in 1949. In the main street we will see the Mosaic Time Walk in Centennial Park depicting the life of the Monaro from its origins through to the present and a statue of Banjo's Paterson's immortal mountain man, "The Man from Snowy River". We enjoy lunch at the Cooma Ex Services Club then visit the Snowy Mountain Hydro Centre. Here there are a number of displays and videos about this remarkable project before driving past Canberra to Yass.

Accommodation:- Swaggers Motor Inn, Yass, 02 6226 9900

Day 8 — Tuesday 19 May

Yass to Port Stephens

B L D

We travel north stopping to visit The Australian Botanic Garden Mount Annan. Mount Annan is the native plant garden of the botanic gardens trust and covers 416 hectares, making it the largest botanic garden in Australia. Here we enjoy a guided tour in the beautiful gardens. After a lovely morning relaxing in the gardens we travel to Campbelltown Catholic Club for lunch. Later today we arrive in Port Stephens for our final night on tour.

Accommodation:- Marina Resort, Nelson Bay, 02 4981 4400

Day 9 — Wednesday 20 May

Port Stephens to Home

B

Leaving Port Stephens we head for home today. We'll make convenience stops along the way arriving mid-afternoon with many wonderful memories of our time away.



Terms & Conditions of Travel

Acceptance of Terms & Conditions

It is understood by Northland Coach & Travel that the terms and conditions of travel are accepted by the passenger when the deposit is paid.

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Tour Prices

Tour prices are correct at time of printing but subject to change without notice for unforeseen circumstances such as higher hotel rates and fuel prices. All prices quoted include GST. Tour price excludes drinks, telephone calls, travel insurance or items of a personal nature.

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Seats cannot be reserved on tours. However it is a policy of Northland Coach & Travel that passengers will rotate seats daily so that all passengers enjoy front and window seats. Should you require a single seat on this tour, you will be required to pay the coach content of the additional seat.

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Due to strict government vehicle weight restrictions, one medium size suitcase per person. Maximum weight of all luggage not to exceed 20kg. We suggest you have a suitcase with wheels for easy of manoeuvrability. In addition, one piece of hand luggage may be carried onboard the coach with your personal items.

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Special meal requests must be advised at the time of booking. All efforts are made to accommodate special dietary requirements, like vegetarian and coeliac meals however in some locations this cannot be guaranteed.

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Special Needs

It is essential you advise us of any mobility, medical conditions or special needs you may have at the time of booking so that we can ensure your needs are met as best as possible. Passengers requiring special assistance are welcome onboard provided they are accompanied by an able-bodied companion capable of providing all necessary assistance and do not require special assistance from Northland Coach & Travel personnel or anyone else on the tour.

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Tour Name: South Coast NSW Tour

Departure Date: Tuesday 12 May 2020

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Please print your name as per your Photo ID

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ACCOMMODATION ☐ Double ☐ Twin ☐ Single (extra to be paid for single supplement)

Do you suffer from mobility problems? YES NO Do you require a special room? YES NO

If sharing with someone (Name):

Are you a Northland Travel Club Member? Yes/No

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TRAVEL INSURANCE Travel Insurance is not included but is strongly recommended.

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☐ Purchase an alternative policy ☐ use my credit card policy ☐ depart without travel insurance

On behalf of all persons named, I/We have read, understand and agree to abide by the booking conditions.

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