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and much more!



Norfolk Island Escape

7 Day Tour

Departing Saturday 19th October 2024

Returning Friday 25th October 2024

Norfolk Island is a quiet paradise, often overlooked yet unforgettable once found, discover for yourself why visitors return time and time again.

Take a short flight from Sydney and you will find yourself in one of Australia's most fascinating and historical destinations. Settled by descendants of mutineers who speak a mix of Tahitian and 18th Century English, it's a friendly place where giving a small 'Norfolk Wave' as they pass each other is almost mandatory, Cows have right of way and everyone knows everyone else.



Views on Bushwalk BBQ



Sound and Light Show

Tour Includes

- Return economy airfares from Sydney
- 1 night pre-accommodation in Sydney
- 5 nights accommodation on Norfolk Island.
- All breakfast and dinners on tour
- All tours highlighted in this brochure

\$3980 **\$4580**

P.P. Twin Share

Solo Traveller

Home pick up and drop of across the Central Coast and Lake Macquarie.

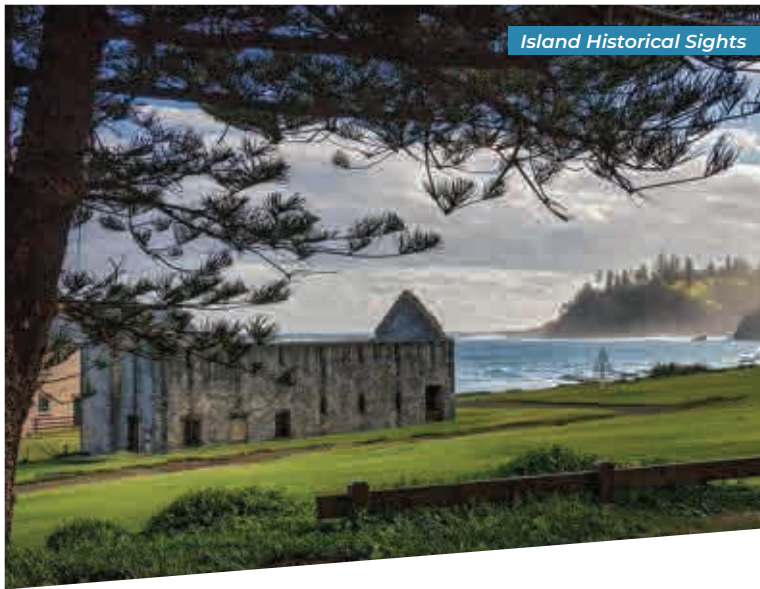
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Island Historical Sights



Fish Fry and Baunti Byuutis Dance Group



DAY 1 Home Pick up (D)

Be picked up at your doorstep late afternoon and join our coach as it drops you at a hotel right at Sydney airport for a rest and dinner as it will be a long day tomorrow.

DAY 2 Arrive Norfolk Island (B,D)

We hope you have your camera as we leave early this morning with our crew to help you check-in and clear customs for our **flight to Norfolk**. Upon arrival our wonderful team from Pinetree Tours will meet us and escort us to our accommodation for the next 5 nights at **South Pacific Resort**. Set in 5 acres of beautiful landscaped gardens the newly renovated South Pacific Resort is the largest and most conveniently located hotel on Norfolk Island. Just a brief walk to the main shopping township of Burnt Pine and only a short drive to historical Kingston and beautiful Emily Bay. Enjoy a welcome drink before settling into your room to relax, dinner will be at the resort this evening.

DAY 3 Norfolk Island exploring (B,D)

Start the day on a **Half Day Orientation Tour**, we take you to some of our key historic areas, including Kingston, Cascade and Longridge. This is your chance to learn all about the fascinating history of Norfolk Island. See the famous convict buildings for yourself and enjoy the stories told in the full commentary as you visit each new place. This afternoon is free to look around the shops and get those souvenirs early in the tour. You may also like to pre-book a Glass Bottom Boat Trip on Emily bay to watch the marine life on the protected reef (*extra charge*) OR a visit to the famous Colleen McCullough's home to look at her collection of artifacts collected over the years (*extra charge*). Tonight we enjoy an early night out at a **local restaurant** for a 2-course feast. Taste the local meat and produce from the island before being picked up to join the **Wonderland By Night Tour**. Wonderland by Night celebrates the stories of life gone by on Norfolk Island and how the past has shaped our identity. The setting is 10 acres of magical Norfolk Pines, which are lit up like a magical enchanted forest. Meander along (or ride in the 'moon buggy') through a gentle winding path with a descendant of the Bounty Mutineers, as they recite poems and light up the dioramas while sharing entertaining stories.

DAY 4 Island Fish Fry (B,D)

Want to learn all about **Norfolk Islands Convict History**? Join us on an in-depth **tour** of the World Heritage Listed Georgian settlement of Kingston. This whole area is a living showcase of Polynesian, convict, and

Pitcairn Islander history. We take you through the cemetery, where you will hear the history of the colonial headstones, as well as the old houses along Quality Row. You will also walk through the ruins of the New Gaol, see the Pier Store, Boat Shed and the Crank Mill - all of which must be seen to be believed, morning tea is included. This afternoon is at your leisure to relax or do some shopping in Burnt Pine Township right next to your hotel. **The Norfolk Island Fish Fry** is a must tonight. This fantastic event has been operating for over 40 years. Imagine - a feast of local dishes, salads and homemade coconut bread, alongside mouth-watering fried fish that you won't forget. Your feast overlooks breathtaking coastal scenery as the sun sets with live music in the background. Your evening is completed by local entertainment from the **Baunti Byuutis Dancing Group**, on our exclusive Western Side property 'Orn Dar Cliff'. Nightfall at Kingston brings a completely different mood to the Convict Settlement on Norfolk Island. The stillness and the stars are there just as they were when the original settlers arrived in 1788. However, with the dramatic use of real-life sounds, theatrical lighting and costumed actors, the stillness is broken as Pinetree Tours takes you through the horrifying decades of Norfolk Island's convict era. **The Sound and Light Show Tour** is considered a must here. It's a lot of fun and you'll come away with a whole new perspective.

DAY 5 Bush Walk BBQ Breakfast (B,D)

This morning, join us on a **Bush Walk BBQ**. This tour caters for everyone and gives you the opportunity to enjoy a walk in the great outdoors, with a delicious breakfast waiting at the end! Take your choice of a stroll through Palm Glen Reserve or for the more energetic, a leisurely 3.5 km walk through scenic Mt. Bates (the highest point on the island) to Captain Cook Monument. At the end of the walks, we all meet up on the clifftop for a delicious breakfast barbecue. This tour is also flexible - if you would prefer to sleep in and skip the bush walk, but would like to have breakfast on the clifftop, you can join the walkers at Captain Cook Monument and share in the festivities. Next **The Bounty Folk Museum** tells the strange and startling history of Norfolk Island, from the harrowing tales of ill-fated convicts brought here, to the against-the-odds survival of the Bounty mutineers and their Tahitian wives. **Fletcher's Mutiny Cyclorama** is about as close as you can get to watching Norfolk Island's history unfold without whipping out a time machine. Creating a cyclorama to explain this part of Norfolk's history was the idea of Marie Bailey, a descendant of Fletcher

Christian. Measuring 3.6 metres in height and 50 metres in circumference, this 360° painting puts you at the centre of our story, with scenes depicting the voyage and mutiny on the Bounty and the settlement of the island. This evening we will give you an experience that gives a firsthand insight into Norfolk Island living, the **Progressive Dinner** is a must. You will join a group of other Norfolk Island visitors to enjoy a 3-course meal, progressing to different Norfolk Island family homes. Each home has been carefully selected - and each dinner host has a sensational story to tell. You'll hear all about their family's history and day to day life. You will come away with a true insight on life on Norfolk Island and its beautiful people.

DAY 6 Green Fingers Tour (B,D)

A **Green Fingers Tour** featuring some of the most stunning gardens on Norfolk Island. Through the morning, we visit a nursery owned and operated by a Norfolk Islander and view the hydroponics. We also visit a gorgeous private garden with a spectacular view and Norfolk Islands only maze! Morning tea is also included, at a scenic location. This afternoon takes a trip in an old 1928 model A Ford - Norfolk's first tour bus through **Pitcairn Settlers Village**. Your guided tour will include the gracious old original Bailey Homestead and gardens, a stroll through the Barn, dairy and outbuildings, the oldest working forge in the Pacific, ex New Zealand army hut with wartime memorabilia, exclusive historic film, and refreshments. Want to hear some spooooky stories? based on the history of Norfolk Island? The **Norfolk Island Ghost Tour** involves a dinner and lantern walk, while listening to talks and stories that will delight you, make you sad and send shivers down your spine! The dinner will be held in a beautiful, historic Georgian Building - while the lantern walk takes you through the historic Kingston Ruins.

DAY 7 Home bound (B)

Our last meal together today over breakfast as we share our experiences and get that last souvenir bought before heading to the airport to check-in and fly back to Sydney where our coach will be waiting to take us back to our homes.

As this is an International Tour we request all passengers to take out Travel Insurance as medical help is limited and requires evacuation services if you fall ill.

Meals Supplied:
B - Breakfast L - Lunch D - Dinner

*Please note: The content of the tour itinerary is subject to change should unforeseen circumstance occur.

*To participate on this tour you are required to have a moderate level of fitness.

FITNESS LEVEL **2**

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