



4 DAY

16 AUGUST - 19 AUGUST 2013

FINE WINES OF SOUTHERN AUSTRALIA BY PRIVATE JET

ESCORTED BY GREG BONDAR, SYDNEY ROYAL WINE SHOW JUDGE

EXCLUSIVE HIGHLIGHTS

- Visit 4 of Australia's most famous wine areas: the Tamar Valley, TAS; The Coonawarra & The Barossa, SA and Mudgee, NSW
- Private Grange tasting experience, Australia's most celebrated wine
- Exclusive private wine tours and tastings, hosted by winemakers and owners
- Travel by private Embraer Jet, landing directly in "wine country"
- Spectacular aerial flightseeing of the Twelve Apostles and South Australian Coastline

DAY 1 ♦ THE TAMAR VALLEY

Your Journey begins in Sydney. Boarding your private Embraer Jet, we fly south to Launceston.

On arrival, transfer to Pipers Brook Vineyard. Here, enjoy a private winery tour and sample a selection of premium wines **accompanied by winemaker René Bezemer.**

Transfer by road to Moores Hill Estate, located at one of the coolest climate sites on the West Tamar - ideal for slow and gentle ripening. First planted in 1997, the vineyards offer 4.9ha of Pinot Noir, Chardonnay, Riesling and a very small amount of Cabernet and Merlot. Enjoy a private wine tasting, followed by a delicious lunch, accompanied by winemaker Julian Allport.

After lunch, transfer to the beautiful Peppers Seaport Hotel, and enjoy the remainder of your day at leisure.

Early evening, transfer to Josef Chromy vineyard for a sumptuous welcome dinner, **accompanied by stunning Josef Chromy wines.**

Overnight: Peppers Seaport Resort

DAY 2 ♦ THE COONAWARRA

After breakfast this morning, board your private aircraft for your flight to the Coonawarra, SA. On the way, enjoy spectacular aerial flight seeing over the Twelve Apostles, as your aircraft flies along the Great Ocean Road.

The beautiful Coonawarra region specialises in the production of world-class red wines,

particularly Cabernet Sauvignon. Its secret lies in the rich red "terra rossa" soil. Your first winery visit today is the beautiful Katnook Estate, stretching back to 1896.

Katnook Estate's Odyssey Cabernet Sauvignon and Katnook Estate Cabernet Sauvignon have both earned a place in Australia's Langton classification, "the honour roll" of fine Australian wine.

At Katnook, enjoy a private tour of the winery, and tasting of their award-winning reds, **accompanied by winemaker Trent Nankivill. After, enjoy a sumptuous lunch in The Stables.**

After, a short transfer to Majella Wines Estate. Recipient of over 600 awards in its short history, the vineyard is renowned for its famous Sparkling Shiraz. Its premium "Malleea", has also been acclaimed by critics as one of Australia's greatest reds. Here, **join consultant winemaker Brian 'Prof' Lynne for a winery tour and private tasting.**

Mid-afternoon, transfer back to Mount Gambier airport for your short flight to Adelaide. On the way, view the stunning South Australian coastline from above. On arrival in Adelaide, transfer to your hotel, the



InterContinental. Dinner tonight is at your leisure.

Overnight: The InterContinental, Adelaide

DAY 3 ♦ THE BAROSSA VALLEY

This morning, transfer by road to the beautiful Barossa Valley.

Containing some of the world's oldest Shiraz vineyards, the Barossa's cool summers and rainy winters make it perfectly suited for red wine production.

Our first stop is Charles Melton, a vineyard of truly premium red wines, specialising in Shiraz and Grenache. **Accompanied by Charlie Melton, you will enjoy a private wine tasting, followed by a winery tour.**

Our Barossa wine journey continues to John Duval winery. After an illustrious career at Penfold's including chief winemaker, John is now renowned as one of the Artisans of the Barossa. John Duval's highly regarded wines include Plexus, Entity and the much sought after Eligo. **Meet John and sample his handcrafted wines** which will be complimented by the superb cuisine of acclaimed chef Mark McNamara.

Followed by a true highlight of the sojourn is an **exclusive premium Penfold's wine tasting including the widely acclaimed Penfold's Grange, considered Australia's 'first growth'.** It is the nation's most collected wine and recipient of myriad awards, including listed as "Exceptional" in Langton's Classification of

Australian Wine since 1991.

Transfer by road back to Adelaide. Tonight, dinner is at leisure.

Overnight: The InterContinental, Adelaide

DAY 4 ♦ MUDGEE

After breakfast this morning, board your private aircraft for your flight to Mudgee, NSW.

With a viticultural history that stretches back to 1858, Mudgee is primarily a producer of robust and deeply coloured red wines.

Our first stop is the beautiful di Lusso wines, which specialise entirely in Italian grapes and varieties. At di Lusso, enjoy a private tasting, **hosted by winemaker David Kyngdon,** followed by a sumptuous lunch.

After lunch, transfer to Lowe Wines, awarded 5 stars by James Halliday. A certified organic winery, Lowe Wines specialise in small batch winemaking using innovative techniques; and produce lower yields of distinctly individual grapes.

Here, be **joined by owner and winemaker David Lowe** for a private vineyard tour and tasting.

Transfer back to Mudgee airport, boarding your private aircraft for your final flight home to Sydney.

* Journeymaker rebate is not applicable on journeys of 9 days or less.

* Hosts & winemakers are subject to change

JOURNEY INCLUSIONS

- Travel throughout by private 36 seat Embraer Jet
- 3 nights superb accommodation in Launceston and Adelaide
- Fully inclusive of the finest wines and gourmet meals throughout
- All transfers and touring in luxury private vehicles
- Fully escorted by Greg Bondar, Sydney Royal Wine Show Judge and journalist and editor of The Alternative Palate

E Activity Rating - Easy Going

PRICING AND DATES

Journey	Commences	Concludes
Code	Sydney	Sydney
FW300	16 Aug 13	19 Aug 13
Price \$4,995 per person twin share		
Single Supplement \$482		

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