KING WILLIAM TRAVEL

4 DAY
FLINDERS RANGES
‘SPRING’
INCLUDING
THE PICHI RICHI TRAIN
and
JEFF MORGAN GALLERY, WILPENA POUND
MARREE

OPTIONAL SCENIC FLIGHTS:
WILPENA POUND
MARREE MAN AND LAKE EYRE SOUTH

2019 DEPARTURE DATES:  07 SEPTEMBER
                         28 SEPTEMBER
                         12 OCTOBER
HIGHLIGHTS INCLUDE:

- 1 night at the Hawker Hotel and 2 nights at Leigh Creek Tavern Motel.
- Ride the historic Pichi Richi Railway ‘Afghan Express’ steam train from Port Augusta to Quorn.
- Stunning outback scenery and historic places such as the National Trust Kanyaka Ruins.
- View the amazing ‘Wilpena Panorama’ at Hawker.
- Tour into Wilpena Pound, including a shuttle ride into ‘The Pound’ and enjoy lunch at the famous Wilpena Pound Resort.
- See the famous Cazenaux Tree and travel through beautiful Parachilna Gorge.
- Full day excursion to the outback town of Marree at the junction of the infamous Birdsville Track. (weather permitting).
- Explore the old ghost town of Farina.
- Return to Adelaide via the country towns of Melrose and Clare.
- Optional: 30 minute scenic flight over Wilpena Pound. (additional cost).
- Optional: 1.5hr scenic flight over the Marree Man and Lake Eyre South. (additional cost).

HUGHES TRANSFERS TO AND FROM YOUR HOME:
Hughes transfers apply in the zoned area. These transfers may be available at additional cost to passengers who live outside the zoned area - please ask your King William Travel consultant.

‘HUGHES HOME PICK UP SERVICE’ will call you (2) working days before the commencement of the tour to confirm the time they will be arriving at your home. If you have missed the call, please contact Hughes 24 hours prior to departure on 8440 0766. If you are resident at a retirement village, please ensure Hughes have clear instructions from you as to means of entry and directions to find your home. Also, if you are out of zone you will be advised of the additional payment due and this should be made direct to the driver on the day of travel.

Hughes home transfers are based on 4 persons to a car. (numbers in a vehicle may vary according to type of vehicle used). In order to accommodate 4 persons and their baggage, suitcases should measure no more than 64cms in height when standing on end. Baggage larger than 64cms will result in a surcharge of $10.00 per person in each direction, payable to the driver on the day of travel.

The Hughes home pick up service only applies to scheduled tour departure and return tour dates. Those passengers wishing to extend their tours will be responsible for their own transfers.

ESSENTIAL ITEMS ON THIS TOUR ARE:
Closed toe walking shoes, hat, light jacket, sun glasses, sunscreen and water bottle. Don’t forget your camera and binoculars.

NOTES:
Health and Fitness: To assist us when booking, please advise your King William Travel consultant if you have any special needs such as mobility, dietary etc.
This tour is not suitable for those with mobility issues and a minimum level of fitness is required in order to be able to participate. You will need to able to walk up a flight of stairs and manage coach steps unaided and you must inform us before the commencement of the tour of any medical condition which may affect your ability to participate in the tour. If you are unable to manage on your own, it will be necessary to be accompanied by another person who is fit and able to assist you in day to day tasks and capable of providing the assistance required. Dietary requests must be accompanied by the appropriate dietary information.

It should be noted that we work a rotating seat system on board the coach and to be fair to all passengers, specific seats cannot be reserved.

It should be noted that any wildlife and flora mentioned in the itinerary is nature and therefore cannot be guaranteed.
**ROAD CONDITIONS:**
This is an outback tour and should any destination or venue not be accessible due to weather and/or road conditions, the Coach Captain will advise the group accordingly and his decision is final. Road conditions can change overnight and this is not a reason for cancellation of the tour. Any such event is a force of nature and beyond the control of King William Travel. An alternative destination/venue will be inserted in lieu if practicable.

**ABOUT YOUR ACCOMMODATION:**
Accommodation throughout is good quality motel style and extremely comfortable. All rooms have private facilities, TV, clock/radio, airconditioning and heating, tea/coffee making facilities, refrigerator. Other facilities include dining room, lounge bar, and TAB.
At Hawker all rooms are ground floor, at the Leigh Creek Tavern Hotel a few of the rooms have stairs up to the dining area - please advise your King William Travel Consultant if you wish to be on dining level. (subject to availability).

**DAY 1 - ADELAIDE/HAWKER - PICI RICH TRAIN, KANYAKA RUINS, JEFF MORGAN GALLERY**
The tour departs from Adelaide Central Bus Station, 85 Franklin Street at 6.00am.
Travel via Dublin and Wild Horse Plains to Port Wakefield for a morning tea stop (own cost), then on through Crystal Brook to Port Augusta.
At 10.30am we join the ‘Afghan Express’ steam train to Quorn. Enjoy a superb ride back in time via the Pichi Richi Pass, and across the Willochra Plain with views of Devil’s Peak. On arrival at Quorn enjoy a light lunch.
Stop at the fascinating Kanyaka Ruins, carefully preserved by the National Trust, then onto our overnight stop at Hawker where we view the amazing Wilpena Panorama – a 30 metre continuous landscape of pure grandeur, superbly painted by local artist Jeff Morgan, with special background sound effects of the Flinders Ranges provided by Bruce Emsley.
Be captivated by the 360o birds eye view of the spectacular Flinders Ranges as seen from St Mary’s Peak. Check out the superb range of Jeff’s paintings and prints, also lovingly handcrafted wares, including local hand-turned woodwork, pottery, scarves, jewellery, and soft toys.
**OVERNIGHT: HAWKER HOTEL/MOTEL, HAWKER. (L,D)**

**DAY 2 – HAWKER/LEIGH CREEK - WILPENA POUND, GORGES – OPTIONAL: WILPENA POUND SCENIC FLIGHT**
This morning take the Moralana Scenic Route through the heart of the magnificent Flinders Ranges, to Wilpena. There is an opportunity to take the shuttle up to the Pound for stunning views of the Settlers Cottage and St Mary’s Peak, or an optional 30 minute scenic flight over Wilpena Pound. (own cost), or maybe just enjoy a stroll around the area. It is a good idea to take your camera, as there is abundant wildlife - kangaroos, emus, possums, the endangered yellow footed rock wallabies and wedge tailed eagles. A light lunch is included today in Poddy Dodger’s Bar after which we depart Wilpena, with our route taking us to the Cazenaux Tree, a must for photographers, and past the Great Wall of China to Blinman.
Our journey continues through beautiful Parachilna Gorge, location for afternoon tea.
We end our day at Leigh Creek in the Northern Flinders Ranges, our home for the next 2 nights. ..
**OVERNIGHT: LEIGH CREEK TAVERN MOTEL. (B,L,A,D)**
DAY 3 - AT LEIGH CREEK – MARREE, FARINA – OPTIONAL: MARREE MAN & LAKE EYRE SCENIC FLIGHT

This morning, we follow the Old Ghan railway line north to the tiny outback town of Marree, at the junction of the infamous Birdsville Track and the rugged Oodnadatta Track. Marree (aboriginal name for possum), was the staging post for camel trains which were the main means of transporting supplies and heavy loads in the Outback. An **optional 1.5 hour scenic flight** is available out of Marree over the iconic and mysterious 2.4km long Marree Man at Callanna, then out over Lake Eyre South to view the floodwaters and bird life. Those passengers not flying will enjoy morning tea off the coach and take a drive along part of the Oodnadatta Track (conditions permitting), then everyone will enjoy a **BBQ lunch** at the historic Marree Hotel. On our return journey to Leigh Creek we take time to explore the ruins of the old ghost town of Farina.

**OVERNIGHT: LEIGH CREEK TAVERN MOTEL. (B,M,L,D)**

DAY 4 - LEIGH CREEK/CLARE VALLEY/ADELAIDE – MELROSE

This morning we regretfully say farewell to our hosts and rejoin our coach for the return journey to Adelaide, passing the Mount Remarkable National Park and on to Melrose, one of the oldest towns in the lower Flinders Ranges. We will enjoy a delicious ‘pub lunch’ at the **Mount Remarkable Hotel**, later continuing our journey through Gladstone and the beautiful Clare Valley. Arrive back at Adelaide Central Bus Station at approximately 6.30pm. (B,L)

**AT THE END OF YOUR TOUR A HUGHES CAR WILL DRIVE YOU HOME**

**TOUR COST:**

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<td><em>Optional: 30min Wilpena Scenic Flight:</em></td>
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*Book early as space is limited*

**Min of 3 persons required for scenic flights.**

**MEAL CODINGS:**

- (B) – Breakfast
- (A) – Afternoon tea
- (M) – Morning tea
- (D) – Dinner
- (L) – Lunch
TOUR INCLUSIONS:

- Hughes transfers to/from your home. (Zoned area only).
- Airconditioned and restroom equipped touring coach.
- All motel accommodation with private facilities.
- Cooked breakfast each morning and 2 course dinner each evening, 4 lunches, 1 morning tea, 1 afternoon tea. Other refreshments off the coach will be provided where appropriate.
- Pichi Richi Railway train trip, Jeff Morgan Gallery and the amazing Wilpena Panorama, Kanyaka Ruins, national park entry fees.
- Touring as per itinerary.
- Goods and Services Tax.

NOT INCLUDED:

- Meals, morning and afternoon teas, other than those specified in the itinerary.
- Porterage. Maximum suitcase size 64cms and max. 20kg weight + 1 piece hand baggage per passenger.
- Items of a personal nature.
- Optional 30 minute Wilpena Scenic flight.
- Optional 1.5 hour Marree Man & Lake Eyre South scenic flight.

**Conditions Apply**
DOMESTIC TOUR BOOKING CONDITIONS

TRAVEL INSURANCE:
Travel insurance is strongly recommended. Please ask your consultant for details.

EVENTS BEYOND THE CONTROL OF KING WILLIAM TRAVEL:
Should an event occur which is beyond the control of King William Travel, ie: delays to ship, aircraft, train, coach thereby incurring extra expenses, these additional costs are borne by the passenger at the time of the event. A travel insurance claim for reimbursement should be submitted to the insurance company upon return home. It should be understood that neither King William Travel nor any subsidiary company or representative shall be liable for any loss, injury or damage arising from our services.

ITINERARIES:
Itineraries are subject to change and no responsibility can be accepted. Coach operator and size of coach may be changed at the discretion of King William Travel without notice. Where a tour does not meet minimum numbers travelling together on the outward journey a cost surcharge will apply. If group numbers fall below 15 adult paying passengers no tour leader will be provided. No itemisation of tour arrangements can be given and no refund for any portion of a tour not taken. Flora and fauna as described in an itinerary is nature and as such cannot be guaranteed.

ACCOMMODATION:
King William Travel reserves the right to alter hotel/motel accommodation and to substitute a suitable alternative. Where accommodation is booked on a ‘will share basis,’ at the time of finalisation if there is nobody suitable to share with, it may be necessary to pay the appropriate single supplement. King William Travel does not accept any responsibility for the non-compatibility of ‘sharing’ clients. If by choice a single room is requested and booked a single room surcharge will apply.

HEALTH AND FITNESS:
A minimum level of fitness is required in order to be able to participate. As a minimum you will need to able to walk up a flight of stairs and manage coach steps unaided. You must inform us before the commencement of the tour of any medical condition which may affect your ability to participate in the tour. Dietary requests must be accompanied by the appropriate dietary information.

FUEL SURCHARGES AND TAXES:
All bookings may attract additional fuel surcharges and taxes which can be levied up to and including the date of departure even if final payment has been made. Booking is subject to final audit.

SECURITY DEPOSIT:
A non-refundable security deposit of $690.00 per person (inc GST) is required within five (5) days of booking.

FINAL PAYMENTS:
The security deposit forms part of the total price, the balance of which is due 45 days prior to departure, or in the case of bookings made within that 45 day period, the final payment is due as soon as the booking is confirmed.

LATE BOOKINGS AND AMENDMENTS:
Bookings made within 7 days inclusive of departure will incur a late booking fee of $75.00 per person. Late bookings subject to availability. Once a booking has been made a $75.00 per person amendment fee will apply for any alterations on selected departures only, and if applicable, one (1) change only to that booking. Transfers to other tours not permitted.

CREDIT CARDS:
If paying by credit card, a surcharge applies of 2% for Visa and Mastercard and 3.5% for Amex and Diners cards.

CANCELLATION CONDITIONS:
BOOKINGS CANCELLED AFTER THE FINAL PAYMENT HAS BEEN MADE:
(a) Bookings cancelled 46 days or earlier, full refund less deposit and booking fee and any other non-refundable services or products.
(b) Bookings cancelled 45 days or less prior to departure will incur a cancellation fee of 100% of the tour cost.
(c) No refund can be given for any portion of the tour not taken and no refund after the tour has commenced.

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