

# 3 Day Sydney to Melbourne Safari



## Highlights

Canberra  
Jindabyne  
Snowy River High Country  
Mt Kosciuszko  
Roof of Australia (seasonal)  
Ninety Mile Beach  
Wilson's Promontory National Park

### Day 1 : Sydney to Thredbo Alpine Village\*

Our first stop is the capital city of Australia – Canberra – where the Prime Minister hangs out. We'll check out the view from Mt. Ainslie, take a tour of Parliament House, check out a few embassies and see other city highlights. We travel via Cooma, learning about the historically important Snowy Hydro-Electric Scheme on our way to Thredbo. \*In ski season (Jun-Sep) we stay in Jindabyne. (D)

### Day 2 : Thredbo to Lakes Entrance via Snowy River Country

Grab your hiking boots, we're going to the 'Roof of Australia'. There's a chairlift express up the mountain (seasonal) and you can either walk to the summit of Australia's highest mountain, Mt Kosciuszko (weather permitting), or to the viewing point. During winter, we have time to play in the snow at the ski resort of Perisher/Smiggins (optional toboggan hire or snow tube at own expense). It's a spectacular drive along Barry Way, with the Snowy River below. Tonight we stay at Lakes Entrance, the Gateway to the Gippsland Lakes and Australia's longest beach – Ninety Mile Beach. (BD)

### Day 3 : Lakes Entrance to Wilson's Promontory National Park and Melbourne

We travel to mainland Australia's most southerly point, Wilson's Promontory National Park. Walk along gleaming beaches, hike along amazing granite rock formations and learn about coastal flora and native wildlife. You might even see emus and wombats! We finish our tour travelling to Melbourne through pastoral landscapes in South Gippsland. (B)

**Bring:** Sturdy walking shoes (ankle high), hat, sunscreen, towel & toiletries, swimming gear, warm clothing (including waterproof jacket & pants), water bottle, torch, insect repellent, camera, money for some meals & optional activities.

**Included:** Experienced guide, meals as indicated, national park entry fees, chairlift to 'Roof of Australia' (seasonal), two nights hostel dorm accommodation incl. bed linen (or upgrade to ensuite).

## YOUR TRIP DETAILS

Confirmation Number

Departure Date

Departure Location

Finish Date

Local Payment Amount

## THINGS TO REMEMBER

You need to reconfirm your tour on 1800 068 886 at least 48 hours before departure.

Your luggage **MUST** be kept to a maximum of 15kgs, except on tours to Kakadu, where the maximum is 10kgs.

Drink lots of water, wear a hat and sunscreen.

Part of the enjoyment of our tours is participating!

Max People: 24



MOTEL OR HOSTEL

Tour Code: SM3

## TERMS & CONDITIONS

**LUGGAGE:** Luggage must be kept to a MAXIMUM OF 15 KGS (except KAKADU tours which are MAXIMUM 10KGS) in a backpack or soft overnight bag with a small day pack for easy access to camera, film, sun block etc. It is recommended to plan ahead and arrange to store bulky items at pre-tour accommodation. It may be necessary to freight excess luggage at passenger's expense.

**MEALS:** Our emphasis is on fresh food wherever possible and our meals are nutritious and varied. We cater for vegetarian and gluten intolerance – please advise at time of booking.

**FITNESS & PARTICIPATION:** Our tours are active and most require a reasonable level of fitness. Tours graded '3 boots' are only suitable for very fit and active people who enjoy basic bush camping. They are not suitable for children. If you have any doubts about the suitability of your clients please check with our reservations team as we reserve the right to assess suitability to participate at check-in. Passengers are expected to help with the preparation of food, washing of dishes and general assistance to the guide as directed.

**INSURANCE:** Travel insurance is NOT included. We strongly recommend that passengers have their own travel insurance against illness, injury, loss/damage to personal belongings and not being able to travel on the confirmed departure date.

**PRICING, FEES AND LEVIES:** Rates are quoted in AUD and are correct at time of publication. Prices can be subject to alteration due to extreme external economic pressure. No responsibility is accepted by the Adventure Tours Australia Group for unforeseen omissions or misrepresentation of our code-share partners. Fees and levies are charged in AUD per person and subject to change. Refer to our website for fees and levies on your specific tour.

**Fuel Levy:** Should the price of diesel increase by more than we regard as a reasonable increase a fuel surcharge levy may be introduced. This will be at a maximum of \$20 per person per tour.

**Sleeping Bags:** Tours in the Northern Territory and between Darwin and Adelaide require sleeping bags, which can be hired for \$20 per person. Safaris between Exmouth (WA) and Darwin require sleeping bags, which can be hired at \$30 per person. Sleeping bags can be purchased for \$50 each.

**CONDITIONS OF TRAVEL:** Adventure Tours reserves the right to alter the route or itinerary of any of its tours and arrange alternative carriers to those advertised if necessary. No refunds will be given in these circumstances or in the event of any delay, curtailment or alteration of a trip resulting from any cause including severe weather conditions or mechanical failure. Adventure Tours can't guarantee pick up or drop off times and are not liable for passenger failure to connect with other services or any costs associated in such delays. We accept no responsibility for loss or damage to personal belongings or baggage. Components of our trip are weather dependant and we cannot be held liable if they are not available on the day of travel.

**LIABILITY:** Whilst we make every effort to safeguard our clients, we cannot be held responsible for personal injury or sickness to any customer or damage or loss of property due to events which are beyond our control. Passengers should note that adventure travel involves a higher than normal risk and a signed release will be required from all participants before tour departure. We also take no responsibility for any act of neglect by any company whose services are used as part of our packages including but not limited to activity and accommodation providers.

**PASSENGER NUMBERS:** A minimum number of passengers is required to operate each tour. It may therefore be necessary to cancel a scheduled departure and to offer an alternative or full refund for that tour.

**CANCELLATION POLICY:** Cancellation of a booking or part thereof may incur fees, see our website for more details. Once travel has commenced, no refunds will be made for any unused services and clients will be responsible for their travel arrangements from that point onward.