



## **Kangaroo Island Walking - 5 days/4 nights, ex Adelaide**

This tour departs from central Adelaide at 6.45am. We can arrange for collection from inner-city accommodation if required.

<b>Tour grade:</b>	Easy
<b>Maximum group size:</b>	10
<b>Accommodation:</b>	Accommodated/Farmstay

### **About Kangaroo Island**

Kangaroo Island is the third largest island off the Australian coast. It is 155km long and up to 55km wide, and, is an area of outstanding natural beauty.

The island's population is quite small, with most people involved in the fishing and farming industries.

Over 30% of the island's area is protected by 21 National and Conversation Parks, which contain over 850 plant species and shelter the island's prolific wildlife.

On our tours we regularly encounter kangaroos, wallabies, echidnas, sand monitors (goannas), koalas, possums, seals, colourful parrots and large wading birds. Kangaroo Island is the perfect place to observe native Australian wildlife in its natural habitat. The terrain is gently undulating.

Surrounding the island is dramatic coastline; sheer sea-cliffs, unique rock formations, secluded coves, lonely lighthouses, and white sandy beaches.

There are also a number of limestone caves with amazing formations.

### **Sample Itinerary**

#### **Day 1**

Depart Adelaide by 4WD or Minibus. We will be driving to Cape Jervis and catching the ferry to Penneshaw. On the way to our accommodation we will visit a unique Eucalyptus Distillery, Little Sahara dune complex, and walk among the Australian Sea Lions at Seal Bay on a guided tour.

## **Day 2**

Visit Kelly Hill Caves for a guided tour, and walk via flowering bushland and lagoons to Hanson Bay on the South Coast. (9km walk, approx 4.5 hours)

## **Day 3**

Visit Flinders Chase National Park to see prolific wildlife. Visit the Fur Seal colony at Cape du Couedic and the Remarkable Rocks. Walk to the mouth of Rocky River. (6km walk, approx 3 hours)

## **Day 4**

Visit the lonely Cape Borda lighthouse and view the magnificent coastal cliffs of the Island's North coast. Walk along the beautiful Ravine de Cassours to a secluded cove. Spotting native animals on our host farm tonight. (8km walk, 3 –4 hours)

## **Day 5**

A final walk before returning to Adelaide. This may be in the Deep Creek National Park, or at Victor Harbor on the mainland. Alternatively we may drive to Second Valley, and Normanville (still on the Fleurieu Peninsula). \*\*We try to maximise time on the island on all tours, however due to ferry timetables that are out of our control some tours depart the island at 10:30 am on this last day. Return to Adelaide at approximately 5.00pm.

## **Cost**

### **Included**

- All meals, including wine with dinner,
- Shared Accommodation,
- Professional Driver/Guide throughout,
- Night spotlighting tour,
- Return transport from Adelaide, including ferries and ground transport, and
- All entry charges to National Parks and other features.

### **Not Included, but available from us for hire**

- Waterproof jackets (\$15.00 for the duration of the trip),
- Waterproof overpants (\$5.00 for the duration of the trip), and
- Day Packs (\$10.00 for the duration of the trip).

Our tours are led by professional leaders who point out the significant natural features and places of historic interest. A detailed gear list and medical/dietary requirements form is provided upon confirmation.

## Tour Dates and Cost

Depart	Return	Cost
02/05/2007	6/5/2007	AU\$1395
19/05/2007	23/5/2007	AU\$1395
15/09/2007	19/9/2007	AU\$1395
24/09/2007	28/9/2007	AU\$1395
27/10/2007	31/10/2007	AU\$1395
11/03/2008	15/3/2008	AU\$1590

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