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MURRAY RIVER

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AND SOUTH AUSTRALIA EXPLORATION

Visiting Victor Harbor, Kangaroo Island, Adelaide
and cruising the mighty Murray River

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3 to 16 May 2026 or 13 to 26 September 2026



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Discover the delights of the Murray River plus Victor Harbor, Kangaroo Island and Adelaide. Highlights include cellar door tastings at Burk Salter Boutique winery and the Banrock Station Wine & Wetland Centre, guided walks around historic towns, an Aussie barbecue beside the river; a visit to a wildlife shelter, sheep shearing demonstration and a guided walk through one of Australia's most significant aboriginal archaeological sites at Ngaut Ngaut Conservation Park. The tour is fully escorted and includes Murray River cruise and coach travel, sightseeing tours in each region and special events for tour members. We hope that you can join us for two fun weeks.

DAY 1 Adelaide

Tour members arrive in Adelaide and make their own way to the hotel. Check in will be available from 3.00pm. This evening we enjoy a Welcome Dinner.

DAY 2 Kangaroo Island

Early this morning we travel to Cape Jervis to catch the ferry to Kangaroo Island. Kangaroo Island is a South Australian icon and one of the world's finest nature destinations, with breathtaking landscapes, fascinating wildlife and a renowned food and wine industry. This afternoon we will have a gourmet tour of the island visiting some of the wine and food producers that Kangaroo Island is famous for.

DAY 3 Kangaroo Island

This morning we visit the westernmost part of the Island, Flinders Chase National Park, one of Australia's largest and earliest conservation parks. We travel through the park and enjoy breathtaking views of its unique trees, plants and coastal scenery. We will see the rock formations known as The Remarkables and Admirals Arch as we continue around the rugged southern coastline. In the afternoon we continue to the southern coast of the island, where we will have a tour of Seal Bay, viewing the sea lion colony and learning about their habitats before returning to Kingscote early evening.



DAY 4 Victor Harbor

This morning we depart Kangaroo Island and travel to Victor Harbor. This afternoon we will ride the historic Victor Harbor horse drawn tram across the Causeway to Granite Island.

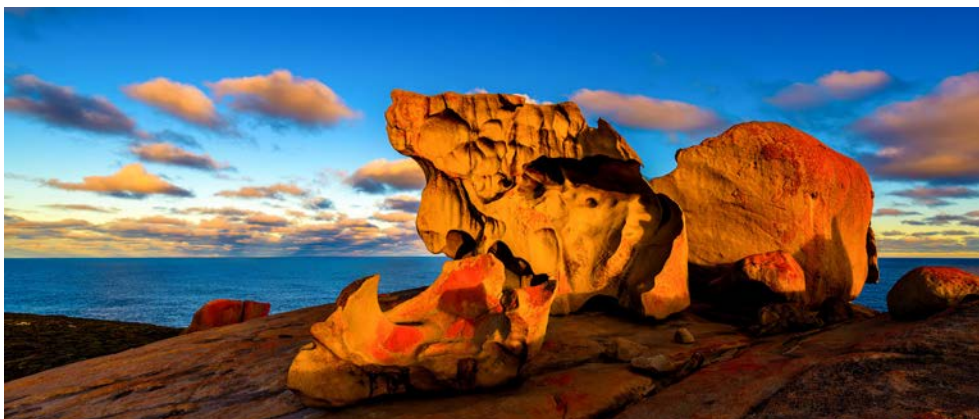
DAY 5 Victor Harbor

This morning join the Cockle Train as it travels along the oldest steel railed railway in Australia dating back to 1887 when it was constructed to provide a link between the River Murray and the ocean wharfs at Pt Elliot and later at Victor Harbor. In early days of settlement the local residents would take a horse drawn train

to Goolwa to collect cockles from the sandy beaches near the Murray mouth. It was a great day's outing and thus gained its name. Between Port Elliott and Victor Harbor the train climbs to the top of the coastal cliffs and passengers then experience some of the most picturesque coastal scenery on the Fleurieu Peninsula, with nothing separating you from the beach below and a perfect view of the Southern Ocean – in winter the home of Southern Right Whales. On arrival into Goolwa, there is free time to explore and we will also visit Hindmarsh Island for views of the Murray Mouth.

DAY 6 Piggy Flat | Coolcha

This morning we travel to Mannum, stopping along the way in the historic town of Strathalbyn. Strathalbyn is known for its charming main street, filled with antique shops. In 1975 street scenes for the film Picnic at Hanging Rock were filmed in the town. Mid-afternoon the Murray Princess departs historic Mannum, birthplace of the Murray River trade and communication, and heads upriver while you enjoy a Welcome Dinner. As we cruise under floodlight to our overnight mooring at Piggy Flat / Coolcha, you may see nocturnal wildlife on the riverbank. Watch for kangaroos, hairy-nosed wombats, tortoises, egrets and many other species. Our on-board entertainer provides music for the night owls.



DAY 7 Wagon Wheel Landing

Daybreak and it's time for the keen photographers to be out to capture the special light and the morning movement of wildlife. This morning, your discovery vessel awaits for a wildlife tour. Travelling in small, personalised groups, we explore the maze of the river and the birdlife is amazing. Watch for darters, herons and egrets feeding along the river's muddy edges. For those who choose to stay on-board, you may wish to partake in a game of bocce or compete in the fishing challenge before we cruise upriver past Walker Flat and Sugar Shack Conservation Park. In the afternoon, join us in the Sturt Dining Room for a special presentation on the bounty of food and wine produced in the Riverland. After dinner, enjoy being entertained by our on-board musician.

DAY 8 Morgan

Continue cruising upriver this morning as we enjoy breakfast and pass through one of 13 locks which maintain the flow and levels of the river's water. This morning, enjoy some free time and in the afternoon join in the fun playing a few games of bingo. Late afternoon we will secure the vessel at Morgan and after dinner join the 'Morgan by Night' historic walk of the township.

DAY 9 326Km Mark

Today we are transferred by coach to the Riverland town of Waikerie and Banrock Station Wine and Wetland Centre near Kingston On Murray. Enjoy some free time in Waikerie and at Banrock Station delight in cellar door wine tastings followed by a delicious lunch and DVD presentation. There will be time to take a stroll around the gardens and orchards enjoying the relaxing scenery. Return by coach to Morgan where we will re-board the Murray Princess and continue our journey upriver, securing for the night at the 326km mark of the Murray River.

DAY 10 Blanchetown

After breakfast, we continue upriver to our turnaround point, picturesque Hogwash Bend. Enjoy a leisurely lunch as we cruise downriver towards Morgan. Join a guided walk of the township and the Morgan Living History Museum, before continuing to our mooring at Blanchetown. Visit Burk Salter Boutique Winery and enjoy wine tasting at the cellar door, which is fitted out with beautiful red gum bars. After dinner, join us for all the fun and excitement, and participate in our "Murray River Cup".



DAY 11 Sunnydale

After breakfast cruise to picturesque Swan Reach. The town was first settled in the 1850s and was originally the largest of five sheep and cattle stations in the area and is now home to native flower and fruit growers. The original Swan Reach homestead is now the Swan Reach Hotel where you can enjoy an ale or cappuccino overlooking the Murray River (additional cost). Join a walking tour and visit the Swan Reach Museum (gold coin donation at entry). Cruise downriver after lunch and take in the tranquillity as the landscape slides by. Catch up with friends over a coffee or drink whilst enjoying the magnificent scenery. When we arrive at Sunnydale, it's all ashore for the Woolshed Show as we recreate typical Australian woolshed history. Later we visit the Native Wildlife Shelter where some of South Australia's most interesting native animals are cared for. And then of course, there is the great Aussie Barbecue – cooked and served in a bush setting on the banks of the mighty Murray River. **Optional tour:** Sunnydale Nocturnal Tour. Additional cost and bookings can be made on board through your Passenger Services Attendant. For details, see 'Optional Onshore Tours & Activities' in your Cruising Guide.

DAY 12 Younghusband

After an optional Sunnydale Bush Tucker Breakfast* or a bush walk with the Captain, we slowly cruise downriver past magnificent cliffs scoured by the river over millions of years. We reach Ngaut Ngaut Conservation Park, one of Australia's most significant archaeological sites, for a step back in time – tens of thousands

of years – for a guided boardwalk tour to view ancient rock carvings and to learn about Aboriginal history in the area. We return to the vessel to cruise downriver to Younghusband. Along the way, adventure seekers can also take a scenic tender boat ride. Tonight, join your fellow passengers for a delicious final night dinner and enjoy the evening entertainment.

***Optional tour:** Bush Tucker Breakfast.

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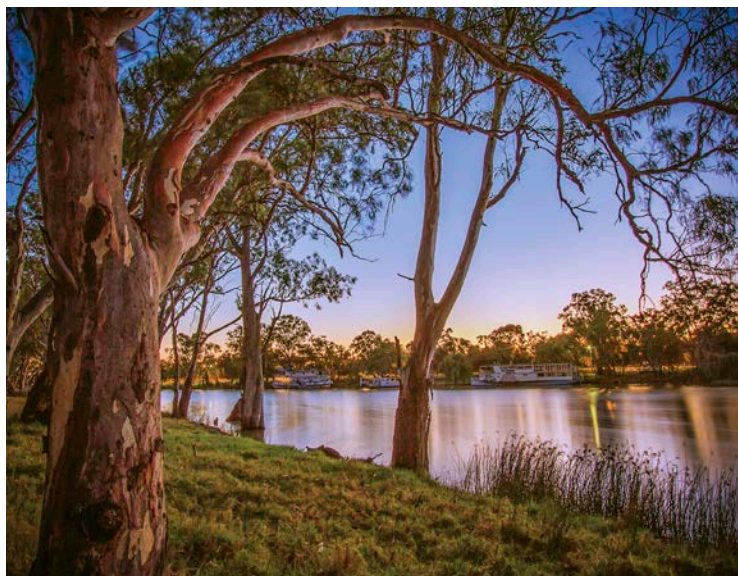
DAY 13 Disembark | Adelaide

We leave Younghusband and head back to Mannum. After breakfast we disembark and travel to Adelaide. Along the way we will have time for a stop in the quaint town of Hahndorf – "Australia's Oldest German Town", settled in 1839 by Lutherans fleeing religious persecution in Prussia. Hahndorf was named after the ship's captain Hahn, whilst dorf is German for village. Continue to Adelaide and enjoy a sightseeing tour of the "City of Churches", so called due to its 529 exquisite, architecturally designed churches, with the Holy Trinity Anglican Church being the oldest, dating from 1838. We will see the art gallery, museum, state library, university and the Adelaide Botanic Garden. This evening we enjoy an included Farewell dinner.

DAY 14 Departure

Tour arrangements conclude after breakfast. Tour members to make their own way to the airport.

Relax & enjoy!



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TOUR PRICES*

TOUR 1: 3 May 2026

The price per person, twin-share \$ 7,290

Single price \$ 9,990

TOUR 2: 13 September 2026

The price per person, twin-share \$ 7,490

Single price \$ 10,490

*Includes GST • The price for flights will be additional

Cabin Description: Outside Cabins open onto the outside deck and have picture windows. Each cabin has a private ensuite, air-conditioning, electric blankets, soaps, shampoo and towels and are serviced daily. Each cabin is approximately 12 sq metres. Most rooms have twin beds. There are a limited amount of rooms with double beds and these will incur a surcharge – contact us for more information. Single/Sole Occupancy cabins may be smaller than standard twin rooms.



Included in the tour price:

- 7 night cruise on the PS Murray Princess in an Outside Cabin including all meals
- Accommodation in carefully selected 3 and 4-star rated centrally located hotels/motels with private facilities. Hotel taxes and service charges
- Breakfast daily and Welcome & Farewell Dinners
- Travel in a first-class coach
- Sightseeing and general entrance fees as detailed in the itinerary
- The services of a Travelrite Tour Manager

Not included in the price:

- **Flights are not included.** Please contact one of our friendly consultants for a quote 1800 630 343
- Airport transfers from the airport to hotel and return
- Travel insurance
- Meals and drinks not specified in the itinerary
- Sightseeing and general expenses not specified in the itinerary
- Items of a personal nature
- Additional travel arrangements not in the tour itinerary will be quoted for separately

General information and booking conditions

Touring can involve a considerable amount of walking and stair climbing in the places visited and it is important that all tour participants have a level of physical fitness that allows them to take part in this activity without the need of assistance from others.

TOUR OPERATOR: Travelrite International Pty Ltd, (ABN 64 005 817 078) is the tour operator. The PS Murray Princess is operated by SeaLink.

TOUR COSTS: The tour costs are based on general transport, entry, and accommodation costs. Travelrite reserves the right to alter the costs if any of these factors change, giving any passenger that has booked the right to withdraw with full refund of monies paid or modify arrangements. No alterations to price will be made within 95 days of departure from Australia.

DEPOSITS AND PAYMENTS: A non-refundable deposit of \$900 per passenger is required at the time of booking. Full payment will be required 95 days before departure for the Murray River Cruise tour. Cancellation over 95 days before tour departs will result in a cancellation fee of \$900 per person. Cancellation under 95 days before tour departs will result in a loss of all monies paid. Payment may be made by cheque or cash. A 1.5% administration fee will be charged on payments made by credit cards.

TRAVEL INSURANCE: Travel insurance is recommended to cover the costs of cancellation fees due to illness, death in family, etc.

MINIMUM TOUR NUMBERS AND CONDITIONS: The tour has been priced on the basis of a minimum number of passengers having booked 95 days prior to departure. Travelrite reserves the right to cancel the tour, giving a full refund of all monies paid or offer arrangements to proceed with the tour at a modified cost.

TOUR ORGANISATION: Travelrite reserves the right to change advertised entrances if necessary for the smooth operation of the tour.

REFUNDS: The tour is based on arrangements that do not allow for any refunds in respect to sightseeing, accommodation, meals, airfare or other services not utilized after the tour has commenced.

BAGGAGE: Due to coach restrictions, tour members can only bring one large suitcase.

RESPONSIBILITY: Travelrite International Pty Ltd, (ABN 64 005 817 078) is the tour organizer. Travelrite acts only as an agent in the making of arrangements

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DELAYS AND UNFORESEEN EVENTS: You engage Travelrite International to book this tour on your behalf and you acknowledge that Travelrite International acts as your agent for the purpose of making contracts between you and the various providers of accommodation, transportation and other services that comprise the tour. Travelrite International may without reference to you provide or make available to you, or may as your agent engage any third party to provide or make available to you, any good or service which Travelrite International reasonably believes is necessary for your benefit to maintain the tour itinerary, repatriate you or otherwise accommodate, transport or sustain you in circumstances in which the tour itinerary fails wholly or partly for any reason. You appoint Travelrite International your attorney for this purpose. You agree to pay Travelrite International any cost thereof and you indemnify

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