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Passengers are strongly recommended to take out travel insurance in case of cancellation or curtailment expenses, loss of luggage or illness etc.

Cancellations and amendments:

Cancellation fees will be levied relative to the amount of notice given:

42 days or more—loss of deposit

29-41 days: 50% of fare plus deposit

30 days before and Day of departure: 100% of fare.

In case of concert or sporting tours, where admission tickets are purchased in advance, a minimum cancellation fee equivalent to the cost of admission tickets will apply.

Some accommodation require prepayment and refund will be subject to their own conditions.

Please note: Passenger baggage to be a maximum of 20kg. per person

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CANBERRA FLORIADE



6 days

Tuesday 4—Sunday 9 October 2022

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**Canberra Floriade
6 Day
Tuesday 4 October to Sunday 9 October 2022**

Travel the countryside during the most colourful time of the year! Lay your eyes upon the magical Celebration of Spring at the Spring Festival of Flowers. Be enchanted by the countless colours dotted throughout the Floriade Festival and don't forget to count the blooming bulbs at the Tulip Top Gardens. Come along with us and experience the rejuvenation of Spring!



Day 1: HOME – MITTAGONG Tuesday 4 October 2022 (LD)
Welcome to your springtime tour, featuring the annual Floriade Festival!

To-day we depart the Port Macquarie Coach terminal at 8.00am. Once we are comfortable in our seats we begin our holiday by heading to Bulahdelah for our morning tea stop from our coach.

After morning tea we will travel down the highway to the Hunter Region Botanic Gardens where we will meet our guide, we will be taken on an interesting botanical walking tour of the gardens before enjoying lunch set amidst the serene gardens. After this pleasant break we continue to Mittagong for our overnight stay. Dinner tonight will be at the Mittagong RSL Club.

TOUR INCLUSIONS:

- Air conditioned coach travel
- 5 night's motel accommodation
- 3 cooked motel breakfasts & 2 other breakfasts—see below
- 5 motel dinners
- 4 included lunches – see below
- Guided Tour of the Hunter Region Botanic Gardens including lunch
- Dinner at Mittagong RSL Club
- Breakfast at Mittagong RSL Club
- Entry to Corbett Gardens - Tulip Time Festival
- Entry to Red Cow Farm
- Entry to Cockington Green Gardens
- View of Canberra from Black Mountain look out
- Floriade Entry Admission
- Visit to Australian War Memorial including Last Post
- Tour of Parliament House
- Group Entry and lunch at Lanyon Homestead
- Group Entry in to Tulip Top Gardens
- Group entry and lunch at Riversdale & Gardens National Trust
- Dinner at Mittagong RSL Club
- Breakfast at Mittagong RSL Club
- Lunch at East Maitland Bowling Club



Accommodation - Springs Resort Mittagong RSL Motel
(02) 4871 1277

Day 6: HOMEWARD BOUND Sun 9 Oct 2022 (BL)

This morning we wake to our last day on tour and farewell our host City to begin our journey home.

Stopping at the East Maitland Bowling Club for our lunch.

We continue on to Port Macquarie, arriving home with colourful memories of Spring, to share amongst friends over a nice up of tea.

All itineraries are subject to change due to occasional restrictions in opening times/days of some attractions, e.g. churches, wineries etc. We cannot be held responsible for any changes due to closures, inclement weather etc. This itinerary is going through a National Park. Please check if you require an Operators Licence to enter the park.

COST: \$1965.00 per person

(based on twin/double share accommodation)

Single supplement \$430.00

A deposit of \$250.00 per person is required upon
booking with final payment being

20 August 2022

Day 2: MITTAGONG TO CANBERRA Wed 5 Oct 2022 (BD)

This morning we make our way into the pretty little village of Bowral and visit **Corbett Gardens**, one of the region's oldest and most beautiful parks. You have time to purchase morning tea or an early lunch while here. Continuing to Moss Vale we visit the **Red Cow Farm Garden**, a dream come true for anyone with a green thumb. Garden lovers can enjoy an amazing choice of gardens including a walled garden, vegetable garden, an orchard and more. Nearing Canberra, we stop at **Cockington Green**, a one 12th scale reproduction of buildings and gardens of a historic English village. Wandering around you'll find thatched cottages, a tiny church, the village green and even Stonehenge. Completing our visit, we then head to our accommodation, settle in for the next three nights.

3 nights Novotel Canberra PH: (02) 6245 5000

Breakfast and dinner at motel | lunch own arrangement and cost

**Day 3: FLORIADE FESTIVAL AND THE LAST POST
CEREMONY
Thurs 6 Oct 2022 (BD)**

Witness stunning 360-degree views over Canberra and its countryside from the top of Black Mountain before heading to the *Floriade Festival!

Feel nature's joy of renewal as you wander through the extensive displays of more than a million blossoming bulbs. Revel in an impressive array of inspiring

flowerbeds, horticultural exhibitions and unmissable entertainment.

Enjoy lunch at one of the many food stalls before heading to the Australian War Memorial. Join a public tour or wander at your own pace through this somber and uplifting monument, unveiling the sacrifices made by the women and men who served in war.

We farewell the Memorial by witnessing the moving Last Post Ceremony before returning to our hotel.

**dates and program yet to be released*



Day 4: PARLIAMENT HOUSE AND LANYON HOMESTEAD Fri 7 Oct 2022 (BLD)

Heading to Capital Hill, the focal point of Canberra is where we are introduced to the meeting place of the nation, Parliament House.

Listening to your guide as they lead you through this political power house, you are enlightened to daily life of democracy. Making our way to Lanyon Homestead, enjoy lunch while taking in the view of the Brindabella

Mountains before experiencing the restored Homestead.

Led by your guide, we will discover the convict-era outbuildings and explore the stunning gardens that make it the gem of Canberra's history.

After a splendid day, we head back to our hotel to relax and enjoy dinner.

Day 5: TULIP TOP GARDENS TO MITTAGONG Sat 8 Oct 2022 (BLD)

This morning we pack our bags and farewell the Capital to make our way to the magnificent Tulip Top Gardens.

Behold the glorious display of tulips nestled between hundreds of trees as you walk along the path to the cascading waterfall with classical music wafting in the background.

Take the popular pathway past the rosemary field framed by the stunning trees to the high viewing platform for the perfect photo opportunity.

After a magical morning wandering around the tulips, we continue our journey stopping at Riversdale & Gardens National Trust for lunch. Meeting our guide, we discover the history of the Riversdale before exploring the beautiful gardens. After our enjoyable visit we head to Mittagong, arriving at our motel for dinner.

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