

NSW NORTH COAST & JACARANDA FESTIVAL COASTAL BEAUTY & LILAC WONDERS

Thu 3rd – Wed 9th November 2022
7 days/6 nights

The Tour Price Includes:

- Door to Door Pick Up & Return
- Economy Flights & Airport Transfers
- 6 nights Quality Motel Accommodation
- Most Meals as per itinerary
- All Entry Fees and Guides as per Itinerary



Tour Highlights:

- Port Macquarie guided tour
- Coffs Harbour
- Butterfly House
- Sealys Lookout
- Grafton
- Jacaranda Festival Parade Day
- Clarence Region
- Maclean
- Yamba
- Yamba Museum
- Old Kirk Church
- Yamba Town Tour
- New Italy
- Tweed Heads
- Tweed Heads Town Tour
- Tropical Fruit World – Lunch & Tour
- Tweed Eco Cruise with lunch





Explore the vibrant seaside towns of the North Coast uncovering rich history, tranquil rainforests, and welcoming locals. Cruise the stunning Tweed River and celebrate the coming of hundreds of lilac-blossoms with entertainment, markets and more at the Jacaranda Festival!

Day 1 – Thu 3/11: Home – Port Macquarie (D)

Good Morning and welcome aboard as we pick you up from home and make our way towards Tullamarine. There will be plenty of time to grab something to eat at the airport before our Virgin Airlines **flight to Newcastle** to explore the North Coast and experience the Jacaranda Festival. Arriving into **Newcastle** we continue on to **Port Macquarie**, arriving in time for dinner.

Overnight - El Paso Motor Inn Port Macquarie

Day 2 – Fri 4/11: Port Macquarie to Coffs Harbour (B/L/D)

This morning we take advantage of being in Port Macquarie and have a look around. With our **guide** leading the way we discover more to this port. Afterwards we head to **Coffs Harbour** and visit the **Butterfly House** for lunch. Then strolling amongst these beautiful creatures, you'll become enlighten to their life cycle as you tour the butterfly house. Let's see how popular we are, by counting on how many land on us! Then at **Sealys Lookout** we behold panoramic views of mountains and coastline before heading to our hotel.

Overnight - Country 2 Coast Motor Inn, Coffs Harbour (2 nights)





Day 3 – Sat 5/11: Jacaranda Festival

(B/D)

It's just a hop, skip and a jump to **Grafton** this morning, to spend the day at the annual Jacaranda Festival. Wander through the markets, viewing the many stalls selling local wares. Purchase yourself lunch from one of the many stalls. Fortunately, we are here on the last Saturday of the festival as today is **Parade Day***. See the **Grand Float Procession*** down Prince Street before heading to our motel.

*The program for the 2022 Jacaranda Festival has not been released, events cannot be guaranteed and may be subject to change

Overnight - Country 2 Coast Motor Inn, Coffs Harbour

Day 4 – Sun 6/11: Grafton to Tweed Heads

(B/L/D)

This morning head out a little bit earlier to explore a beautiful part the **Clarence region**. Travelling through to **Macleay**, known as the "Scottish town" and noted for its historical buildings we arrive into **Yamba**. Visit the **Award-Winning Yamba Museum**, uncovering the towns rich and diverse history. Wander through the school room depicting the historical record of public education and access the 'Old Kirk' the adjoining church and view the current exhibition. Then a guide will join us as we discover the sights of the town. Then its back to travelling up the coast. Stopping at **New Italy** we enjoy lunch before continuing to **Tweed Heads** where we unpack and settle in for the next 3 nights.

Overnight – Mantra Twin Towers (3 nights)

Day 5 – Mon 7/11: Exploring Tweed Valley

(B/L/D)

Meeting our **guide** this morning, we uncover the inside story of Tweed Heads on a **local sightseeing tour**. Afterwards, head to **Tropical Fruit World**, where every season brings a different variety of exotic and delicious fruit. Perched on the rim of an extinct volcano, we will unearth these varieties along with exploring the plantation onboard the tractor train and more. Returning to Tweed Heads the rest of the afternoon will be yours to enjoy at your own pace before gathering again for dinner.

Overnight – Mantra Twin Towers (3 nights)



Yamba Museum and The Old Kirk

Day 6 – Tue 8/11: Cruising the Tweed River

(B/L/D)

This morning we make our way to the nearby marina to board **Tweed Eco Cruises**. Experience the spectacular natural beauty of the Tweed River to the rainforest at Stott's Island. We have the opportunity to relax while taking in the abundant nature that the regions river and mangrove system hold whilst enjoying a local morning tea, locally sourced tea/coffee and a grazing board for lunch. What a day!

Overnight – Mantra Twin Towers (3 nights)

Day 7 - Wed: Homeward Bound

(B)

We pack our bags one last time and enjoy a morning free before heading to the **Gold Coast Airport**. Once comfortable in our seats, we will know doubt find ourselves reflecting on the wonderful stories and amazing experiences we have all shared together as we make our way home to **Melbourne**. Once we've landed and collected our luggage we will be met by our chauffeurs who will **transport us to our front doors!**

**Tour Cost from: \$3299 per person Twin Share
(\$499 single supplement)**

Minimum numbers required.

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