



BEAUTIFUL BRIGHT IN AUTUMN

Sunday 28 April – Thursday 2 May 2024

5 days/4 nights

The Tour Price Includes:

- Home Pick Up and Return (T&C's apply)
- Luxury Travel with Daytripper Coach
- Driver/Tour Escort
- 4 nights quality motel accommodation
- Most meals as per itinerary
- All Tours & Entry fees as per itinerary

Tour Highlights:

- Marysville
- Mansfield
- Millawa Cheese Company
- Bright Town Tour
- Bright Museum
- Bright Art Gallery
- Bright Township
- Lavender Hue Farm
- Grannys Pantry
- Mount Beauty
- Harrietville Museum
- Pumpkin Seed Farm
- Garden Tours
- Red Stag Deer Farm
- Many Hands Wines - plus much more....





The Bright region and indeed the north east of Victoria, have always been regarded as picturesque and spectacular places to live and visit. Magnificent tall oaks, ashes, poplars and many other varieties of trees and shrubs in this part of the State are second to none, with tourists both young and old coming from around the country to soak up the ambiance. Bright and the surrounding districts are blessed with the perfect climate for magnificent autumn colours. Prepare yourself for a sensory treat mixed with amazing scenery, and you have the ingredients for a wonderful short break.

DAY 1: Home to Bright

(L/D)

Today sees us departing on our adventure heading to the lovely, picturesque town of **Marysville**. This beautiful town was decimated by the Black Saturday fires in 2009. We will enjoy some **morning tea** and a chance to stretch our legs whilst here. From Marysville we travel on to **Mansfield**, a small town in the foothills of the Victorian Alps. Here we enjoy a lovely light lunch before making our way towards **Milawa** and the **historic butter factory** that houses **Milawa Cheese Company** & other local arts & gifts. Let's sample some of the lovely cheese made in this region. With tantalised taste buds, we board the bus to head to our motel— our home for the next 4 nights. Take time to relax and unpack before our beautiful **2 course dinner**.

Overnight: Riverbank Park Motel – all 4 nights

DAY 2: Beautiful Bright

(B/D)

Following **breakfast**, it's time to explore **Bright**. We will meet with our **local guide** who will be taking us on a town tour including **the Chestnut Farm & Apple Orchard** – sampling the local produce. We then head to the **local museum** for an informative tour. Next some time **explore this lovely little village** and purchase some lunch for yourself from one of the local shops (we hear the bakery and Gum Tree Pies is rather good!!). After lunch we'll visit the **Bright Art Gallery** before we make our way back towards our motel with plenty of time to freshen up for another great meal together.



DAY 3: Harrietville

(B/L/D)

Another lovely breaky and we are off to **Harrietville**. Our first stop being **Shady Brook Cottage Garden**, a unique garden in a bush setting on the Ovens River. Here we will enjoy a guided tour of the lovely gardens. Next, we visit **Lavender Hue** where we will stop for our **morning tea**. Scones with jam & cream – yum, including a small tour of the lavender farm and a visit to the gift shop. Our next stop is The **Harrietville Historical Museum**, housed in a restored old miner's cottage right behind the famous dredge bucket. It features some unique exhibitions, including homemade snowshoes used by skiing pioneers, and gold mining relics from the 1880s. We'll enjoy a **light lunch (our shout)** in town before we visit the local trout farm for a guided tour of the beautiful gardens here. Then we are on our way to **Grannys Pantry** to visit the secret garden and enjoy some more local produce. We will head back to our motel and another lovely dinner.

DAY 4: Mount Beauty & Eurobin

(B/L/D)

After breakfast we board the bus and Head to **Mount Beauty** with gorgeous views of the Bogong High Plains. We'll visit the Tourist Information Centre for some local knowledge on the area. Our next destination for the day is the **Red Stag Deer and Emu Farm**. Here we'll encounter some of the majestic Red Stags. We can also visit the resident pigs and meet the goats. The animals are very special and display unique personalities. Buckets of feed can be purchased to feed the animals and whilst feeding you can meet the master stag named Patrick along with Prince the goat who will happily come over and talk to you. After some outside time, we'll enjoy a lovely light lunch. Then we are off to **Pepos Pumpkin Seed farm**. Australia's first and only pumpkin seed growers and producers of fine artisan oils. Located in the picturesque Ovens Valley. You are welcome to explore, taste and learn about what is made from paddock to plate. Sample the growing range of locally crafted products. Tea & Coffee are available to purchase here. We'll head back to our motel with plenty of time to freshen up for dinner



DAY 5: Bright to Home

(B/L)

After breakfast, it's time to bid farewell to our hosts and make our way towards home stopping for Morning tea along the way. We'll travel to one of our favourite wineries **Many Hands** for a delightful lunch together with our hosts Tony & Jen (the gnocchi here is home-made by Tony and is AMAZING). Departing Many Hands, we head for home where **you are transported to your door** having enjoyed a lovely break - **Bright during Autumn** with Daytripper Tours

**Tour Cost from \$ 1599.00 per person Twin Share
(\$295.00 single supplement)
Minimum numbers required.**

\$300pp deposit required to secure your seats....

Tour Price is Valid for Travel during 2024

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