



## Our Mission

Groovy Grape Getaways provides interactive tours that embrace the Indigenous cultures of the diverse destinations we visit, with local authentic experiences in a fun, informative and adventurous style. We are eco aware, using sustainable practices and offering a value for money travel option which exceeds our customer's expectations, while promoting Australia to the rest of the world.



# GREAT OCEAN ROAD & GRAMPIANS



# \$385

All inclusive. 2011/12

## Great Walks through the Grampians National Park

## Sunset & Sunrise at the Twelve Apostles

## Otway Ranges Temperate Rainforest

## Local Surf Towns & Seaside Villages



One of the world's best coastal routes blended with the beauty and history of the Grampians National Park, making this one of the best trips in Australia!

**Day 1** Departing Adelaide we cruise through the Adelaide Hills with a mid morning stop at a country bakery to grab a bite to eat. We eat lunch at Frances before we marvel at Mt. Arapiles then onto the Grampians National Park. Here we hike the Northern Grampians, rich in flora, Aboriginal and European history. In the late afternoon, see the kangaroos and other wildlife come out to play. We stay overnight in the heart of the Grampians National Park in hostel accommodation.

**Day 2** Visit the Brambuk Aboriginal Cultural Centre and then spend a great morning hiking the beautiful Grampians. After a lunch stop, we head south to the Great Ocean Road. We visit Bay of Martyrs, London Bridge and Loch Ard Gorge, part of the fantastic coastal scenery in this area, finishing the day with a sunset at the spectacular Twelve Apostles. Overnight is in hostel accommodation on the Great Ocean Road.

**Day 3** After an early breakfast, back out to the amazing coastline for some magic opportunities to photograph the Twelve Apostles in the morning light. Soak up the beauty of the Otway National Park. Walk through some of the oldest temperate rainforest in the world. A great place for a lunch stop. Marvel at the historical section of the Ocean Road carved by returned WWI servicemen. It provides one of the most

spectacular coastal roads that you will ever see. Explore the artistic seaside villages of Apollo Bay and Lorne. Anglesea, Bells Beach and Torquay (home of Rip Curl and Quicksilver) are all part of the famous surf coast with time to check out the local waves. We then head through Geelong to arrive in Melbourne approximately 7pm.

*(This itinerary is the Adelaide to Melbourne trip. Melbourne to Adelaide itinerary is similar but in reverse. Arrive Adelaide on day three at approximately 7pm.)*

### What's Included

All Meals (2 breakfasts, 3 lunches & 2 dinners), accommodation & National Parks entry fees.

### What to Bring

Hat, sunscreen, walking shoes, insect repellent, windproof/waterproof jacket, water bottle, otherwise all the usual stuff, and most important a sense of adventure.

### Optional Extras

Helicopter ride at the Twelve Apostles. Accommodation upgrade options for single, double and twin – subject to availability.

Departs From:

**ADL MEL**



## Adelaide to Melbourne

3 Days / 2 Nights

Departs Adelaide every Tuesday & Saturday morning (also Thursday December to March)  
Pickups from City 6:45am

## Melbourne to Adelaide

3 Days / 2 Nights

Departs Melbourne every Tuesday & Friday morning (also Sunday December to March)  
Pickups from City 6:45am, Arts Centre 7:15am and St Kilda 7:30am



### History of the Grape

Starting operations in 1997, with the Barossa Valley tours, we have grown to cover the best of Southern and Central Australia.

### Like Minded Travellers

Groovy Grape Getaways caters especially for the youth, adventure traveller and backpacker who want fun informative adventurous trips. We are a young, active and energetic tour company: our tours and passengers reflect this.

### The All Inclusive Concept

Groovy Grape Getaways trips are all inclusive. All meals, accommodation and National Park fees are included. No nasty surprises!

### Quality is Paramount...

With our coaster buses having a maximum of 21 comfortable seats, air-conditioning, music, with top quality swags at the end of a day in the outback and comfortable hostel accommodation and delicious meals that cater for dietary requirements.

### Groovy Guides

Our guides are knowledgeable and passionate about the places you'll visit, understanding the history, culture, people, landscape, flora and fauna. They are not only interactive and informative, but have that X Factor that can only be described as GROOVY so you can expect to be captivated by their fun adventurous spirits.

### Travel with Confidence

Our culturally aware tours have been endorsed with accreditations for Eco Tourism and Tourism Business. We have radio communications on board, carry an approved remote first-aid kit and all guides have current first-aid certificates.

### Charter Tours Tailored to Your Needs

We operate charter tours both intrastate and interstate upon request. Contact us for a free quote on your next social, sporting or student group's day tour or extended getaway.

### The Experience

You will not only experience the outback way of life, but get up close and personal with the many wonders of native wildlife that inhabit this vast expanse of beauty.

So, whether you're hiking through the beautiful Grampians, watching the sunset on Uluru, or tasting the wines from the Barossa Valley... do it with Groovy Grape and you'll be doing it in style!

