












Travel Dates: 29 April - 3 May 2026

-  Albury and North East Victoria
-  2580.00 per person twin share 
-  3010.00 sole occupancy 
-  5-day tour

Tour Highlights

		
Bright & the High Country	Beechworth & Milawa	Mitta Valley & Dartmouth Dam

Day 1, Wednesday 29 April

Home to Albury

Welcome to our 5-day tour to **Albury** and **North East Victoria**. Once we have loaded our luggage and finish our nominated pickups, we are all set and ready to go. From home we travel via Canberra to Murrumbateman where we stop for lunch at the **Murrumbateman Country Inn**. This afternoon, we make our way to Holbrook for a visit to the **Holbrook Submarine Museum**. You might think it's a bit odd to find a life-sized submarine in the middle of rural NSW? Our visit will reveal why the HMAS Otway's final resting spot came to be in Holbrook. Through an amazing holograph presentation we will hear how a brave young Submariner, whose exploits during the First World War earned him the honour of having a town named after him. Late afternoon we arrive into Albury and check into our hotel for the next 4 nights' accommodation.

Meals: Lunch at Murrumbateman Country Inn, Dinner in the motel

Day 2, Thursday 30 April

Bright and the High Country

Today we are heading to the lovely town of **Bright**, which is surrounded by the towering Australian Alps in the northeast of Victoria. Bright has managed to retain its character and charm, thanks partly to its old-fashioned guest houses and historical buildings. Passing through Milawa and Myrtleford we arrive at the **Red Stag Deer Farm**. Established in 1987 as a commercial deer farm, it now offers the visitor a great opportunity to feed, touch and learn about these majestic animals with their unique characters and instinctive behaviour. We have a brief talk and tour followed by Morning tea. On arrival in Bright, we have some free time to look around town, then we meet a local guide who will join us on the coach for a tour through town, then we head into the beautiful **Mount Buffalo National Park**. The mountain was named back in 1824 by explorers Hume and Hovell on their trek from Sydney to Port Phillip Bay. It's surrounded by huge granite tors - great blocks of granite broken off from the massif by the expansion and contraction of ice in winter and other weathering effects. We take a relaxing drive through the park and also take a look at the **Mount Buffalo Chalet** that was damaged in the 2006 fires. Built in 1910 by the Victorian Government, the chalet was Australia's first ski resort, and has served generations of skiers, hikers and families over the years it operated.

Meals: Breakfast & Dinner at hotel, Picnic Lunch

Day 3, Friday 1 May
Beechworth & Milawa
<p>Our touring takes us from Albury to Beechworth where we will be joined by our locally based guide who will show us around this imposing historical town with many landmarks of the gold rush era still surviving. Our time today in Beechworth includes a visit to the Beechworth Historic Courthouse – get ready to re-enact some of the dramatic events which took place inside these walls! We are in for a treat at Billson’s Beechworth Breweries. The historic brewery was built in 1865 while Beechworth was at the height of the Gold Rush. The site was chosen because a natural spring occurred here and the pure water has been used in all of the beverages to this day, known now as Snowline Pure Mountain Spring Water. During the 1920's due to the intervention of a temperance group the production of beer ceased, although Stout continued to be made for another 30 years. It was at this time a soft drink and cordial factory was started. Today they specialise in turn of the century gourmet cordial mixers of long forgotten flavours made to time honored recipes and methods, we enjoy a tasting here before making our way to the Milawa gourmet region, starting at Brown Brothers Vineyard who have been making wine in this region since 1889. We have a wine tasting here and lunch before visiting the Milawa Cheese Company for a tasting, located in the historic Murray Goulburn Butter Factory. Leaving the area, we return to our hotel for time to freshen up before dinner.</p>
Meals: Breakfast and dinner in motel, lunch at Brown Brothers Winery

Day 4, Saturday 2 May
The Mitta Valley & Dartmouth Dam
<p>This morning, we are heading into the Mitta Valley – home to Australia’s largest man-made dam and the highest mountain in Victoria. We will be joined by a local identity who will take us to the Dartmouth Dam. The dam boasts the highest rock filled wall in the southern hemisphere and when its full, holds seven time more water than Sydney Harbour! it will be a fun tour with plenty of jokes and folklore stories along the way. We also make a stop at the Goulburn Valley Murray Water Lake Dartmouth Information Centre with models of the lake and a short video on the construction process. Lunch will be at the Dartmouth Tavern in a delightful setting on the verandah overlooking exquisite alpine scenery. We are sure to meet resident king parrots, rosellas, galahs and cockatoos. It will be a fabulous day full of great alpine scenery and genuine country hospitality.</p>
Meals: Breakfast and dinner in motel, lunch at Dartmouth Tavern

Day 5, Sunday 3 May
Albury to Home
<p>Farewelling Albury, we snake our way along the Alpine Way passing by the Murray One Power Station and the Thredbo Ski Village. Lunch today is at Wild Brumby Distillery just before we reach Jindabyne, then in the late afternoon, we arrive home.</p>
Meals: Breakfast in hotel, lunch at Wild Brumby Distillery

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

BOOK YOUR PLACE NOW

Please contact us to make a booking. A deposit of \$300.00 is required within 7 days of booking with final payment due on or before 14 March 2026

- Cost includes:

4 nights’ accommodation, 4 dinners, 4 breakfasts, 5 lunches, 2 tastings, varied morning and afternoon teas, entrance fees, tours and attractions as per itinerary and luxury coach travel.
- Cancellation Policy:

From Reservation to 46 days prior to travel - Loss of deposit
45 days or less prior to travel - 100%

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