





6 DAYS | FROM ADELAIDE | Departs 26 September 2026

DISCOVERCANBERRA AND THE FLORIADE FESTIVAL

What to expect

Discover the captivating beauty of Canberra, as you explore its iconic landmarks and immerse yourself in the enchanting world of flowers. Celebrate the vibrant season of the Floriade Festival, Australia's eagerly anticipated flower show, and experience the blooming bulbs and the explosion of colours and fragrances. Visit Parliament House and delve into the rich history and political significance it holds. Step back in time as you explore Old Parliament House. Stroll through the tranquil Botanic Gardens and encounter a vast collection of flora. Pay tribute to the heroes at the War Memorial and experience first-hand the solemnity and reverence that surrounds this iconic landmark. Join us on this unforgettable journey to the Canberra Flower Festival, where the beauty of nature meets the richness of history and culture.

Tour Inclusions

- · Return domestic flights from Adelaide in economy class
- · 5 nights' accommodation
- · 15 meals
- · Sightseeing per itinerary with applicable fees
- \cdot Chartered air-conditioned coach with commentary driver
- · Pre departure function and tour documentation
- · Escorted from Adelaide with a Phil Hoffmann Travel escort

Fitness Levels



Physical Rating - Level 2

A good level of fitness is required for this tour. This tour involves getting on and off coaches, walking around sites, climbing steps or stairs, and navigating uneven terrain. Expect a moderate amount of walking each day (2- 3 hours).

TOUR FROM FULL FARE PRICE
TWIN SHARE \$4,899*
SOLO PRICE \$5,799*

Personally Escorted by Deb Machnik

BONUS

Choose from one of the following offers





DAY 1: SATURDAY 26 SEPT 2026

Depart Adelaide

Stay: Canberra Rex Hotel, Canberra - 5 nights*
Travel from Adelaide to Canberra. On arrival in Canberra, you will be transferred to your hotel. (D)

DAY 2: SUNDAY 27 SEPT 2026

This morning, discover the art and world class exhibitions on show at the National Gallery of Australia. Art lovers and novices alike will enjoy meandering through the galleries and admiring the collection which includes the famous 'Blue Poles' by Jackson Pollock and the Ned Kelly series by Sidney Nolan. Take in some of the city sights as we travel through Embassy Row, finding embassies and high commissions of countries from around the world. Look out for the spectacular traditional design of the Chinese Embassy or the splendid Georgian style United States Embassy. Next, stop at the National Portrait Gallery for a quick self-tour as this will be the lunch stop for today. After lunch, visit the Museum of Australian Democracy (formally Old Parliament House). The Museum was home to Australia's Federal Parliament for more than 60 years and is now a much-loved heritage building, offering a unique glimpse into the nations fascinating past. Then head to Capital Hill, the focal point of Canberra to be introduced to the meeting place of the nation. Parliament House, for a tour through this political powerhouse. Dinner tonight is at Waters Edge Canberra. (B,L,D)





DAY 3: MONDAY 28 SEPT 2026

Start the day at the internationally renowned National Arboretum Canberra. Created as a place of breathtaking beauty, experience the world's largest living collection of rare, endangered and significant trees. The views are also sensational from here! From here visit the Royal Australian Mint, to discover they produce more than just the country's coins. Next, head to the Australian War Memorial and have lunch at Poppy's Café before exploring this world-class museum, shrine and extensive archive, the Memorial's purpose is to commemorate the sacrifice of those Australians who had died in war or on operational service and those who have served our nation in times of conflict. Wander the impressive exhibitions and somber ceremonial areas including the Hall of Memory together with the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier, the Pool of Reflection and the Roll of Honour that lists the names of over 102,000 Australian service men and women who have died in war then he farewelled with the Last Post Ceremony. The touching ceremony features the national anthem, piper's lament, an individual story, ode recited by a Defence Force personnel and ending with the sounding of the Last Post. What an unbelievable experience. (B.L.D)



DAY 4: TUESDAY 29 SEPT 2026

Canberra has established its wine growing region with boutique cellar doors and local creations. Begin the day at Robyn Rowe Chocolates for a talk and to indulge in the smooth and creamy chocolate tastings on offer. A delicious tasting awaits at Murrumbateman Winery. The boutique cellar door has a warm, rustic feel making it also the perfect place to enjoy lunch. This afternoon we visit the famous Cockington Green Gardens. This award-winning tourist attraction takes its name from the township of Cockington in Devon, a historic English village. It is a onetwelfth scale reproduction of building and gardens - thatched cottages, a tiny church, the village green and even Stonehenge. Furthermore, model figures bring the scenes to life. Whilst here, enjoy a miniature steam train ride. (B.L.D)







DAY 5: WEDNESDAY 30 SEPT 2026

Today is festival day! Visit Tulip Top Gardens were acres of stunning world class gardens bloom to life. Hundreds of blossom trees nestle between the flowers and provide a magic pathway to the cascading waterfall and watercourse with classical music wafting through the air in the hidden valley. Enjoy Devonshire Tea before dropping into Little Sutton Bakehouse for lunch. Then off to Commonwealth Park, for the amazing Floriade Festival. The flower display is the largest of its type in the Southern Hemisphere. Explore the impressive array of inspiring flowerbeds, horticultural exhibitions and unmissable entertainment. Tonight enjoy a farewell dinner at the Canberra Burns Club. (B,L,D)

DAY 6: THURSDAY 1 OCT 2026

This morning take a guided tour at the Australian National Botanic Gardens. Enjoy a farewell lunch at the Pollen Café. After lunch transfer to the Canberra Airport for your flight home to Adelaide. (B,L)

*or similar (B) Breakfast (L) Lunch (D) Dinner



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