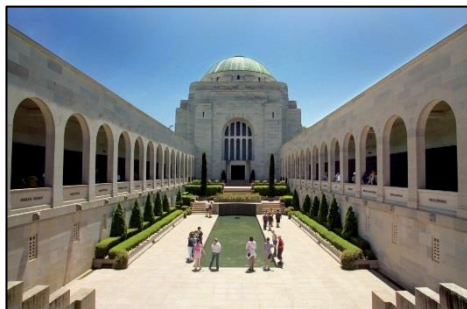




## 7 Day/6 Night Canberra Highlights Tour including Floriade

Sunday, 27 September 2020 - Saturday, 3 October 2020  
**EX BRISBANE**



**Tour Cost from: \$3299.00 per person twin share (Single Supplement \$624.00)**

**Tour Price based on minimum 20 paying passengers.**

Please note that the itinerary is subject to change without notice.

**Day 1 – Sunday, 27 September 2020**

**Depart Brisbane – Arrive Bowral**

Following your transfer from the South Burnett onboard with Pursers Coaches you will arrive at Brisbane Airport to check-in for your flight to Sydney. Upon arrival into Sydney you will board your luxury coach to travel to your overnight stop in Bowral.

On arrival into Bowral, you will experience the legend of Sir Donald Bradman at the Bradman Museum and International Cricket Hall of Fame. You will be able to relive the glories of Australian cricket and follow Sir Don's footsteps from birth to becoming the greatest cricketer of all time. The museum is not only a monument to the Don, but to the game itself. Next door is the Bradman Oval, one of the most picturesque cricket grounds in the world and where the great man started his cricketing career.

While in Bowral, you will visit Tulip Time, one of Australia's oldest and best loved floral festivals. Corbett Gardens, the centrepiece of the Festival is mass-planted with over 75000 tulips.

**Overnight** – Gibraltar Hotel, Bowral

**Meal Inclusions** – Dinner

**Day 2 – Monday, 28 September 2020**  
**Bowral to Canberra**

Following breakfast, you will depart Bowral and head towards Canberra, the nation's capital. On the way you will visit Tulip Top Gardens at Bywong. This magnificent 10-acre garden is home to a spectacular display of tulips, spring flowers and hundreds of blossom trees. A popular pathway takes visitors to the cascading waterfall and to the 70-metre high viewing platform for the perfect photo.

Next stop is the Ngunnawal – Gold Creek Station where you will see a demonstration of sheep shearing and working dogs. This will be followed by a BBQ lunch.

After a hearty lunch and on the approach Canberra you will visit Cockington Green Gardens where the world will be at your feet! Cockington Green is home to a fascinating display of meticulously handcrafted miniature buildings from around the world.

**Overnight** – Novotel Canberra

**Meal Inclusions** – Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

**Day 3 – Tuesday, 29 September 2020**  
**Canberra**

Start your day with breakfast at your accommodation.

This morning a visit to Mt Ainslie will allow you to view the city from above taking in the Parliamentary Triangle and Lake Burley Griffin. This will be followed by a guided tour/visit to the Australian War Memorial. The War Memorial galleries include The First World War, Second World War, Aircraft Hall and ANZAC Hall just to name a few. Enjoy some free time to stroll at your leisure or inspect the Roll of Honour and visit the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier.

Next you will be taken down to Commonwealth Park to view and wander the magnificent Canberra Floriade Display where the colour and scent is just amazing. Along with the thousands of tulips and daffodils why not wander the paths to Camelia Walk or to Rhododendron Glade.

This afternoon a visit to the National Capital Exhibition will tell the story of Canberra. The exhibition will detail how Canberra is unique in design and innovative in the history of town planning because it came about as the result of a worldwide competition.

**Overnight** – Novotel Canberra

**Meal Inclusions** – Breakfast, Dinner



Day 4 – Wednesday, 30 September 2020  
Canberra

Following breakfast, you will be taken to Parliament House where the group will be given a private tour of this stunning building. Located on Capital Hill, Parliament House is a unique building which has become an enduring symbol of Australia's democracy. Officially opened in May 1988, Parliament House replaced the provisional Parliament House (now known as Old Parliament House).

Once finished at the new building, you will then move across to Old Parliament House where decades of politics and passion echo through the corridors of the Museum of Australian Democracy, making it one of Australia's most memorable heritage attractions.

Enjoy a drive along Embassy Row before boarding a leisurely highlights cruise on the waters of Lake Burley Griffin. This cruise offers great views of the many iconic buildings and of course Commonwealth Park, home to Floriade.

**Overnight** – Novotel Canberra

**Meal Inclusions** – Breakfast, Dinner

Day 5 – Thursday, 1 October 2020  
Canberra

Start your day with breakfast at your accommodation.

The National Museum of Australia which is situated on the shores of Lake Burley Griffin and uses state-of-the-art technology to explore Australia's past, present and future will be the first attraction on today's busy schedule.

Next stop is the National Film and Sound Archives of Australia (NFSA). The NFSA is Australia's audio-visual archive, responsible for developing, preserving, maintaining, promoting and providing access to a national collection of copies of film, television, sound and radio audio-visual materials.

To end the day, you will visit Telstra Tower, Canberra's iconic telecommunication tower rising 195.2 metres above the summit of Black Mountain. It is not only a landmark and one of Canberra's most visited tourist destinations, but also offers 360° panoramic views of Canberra and the surrounding countryside from an indoor observation deck and two outdoor viewing platforms.

**Overnight** – Novotel Canberra

**Meal Inclusions** – Breakfast, Dinner



**Day 6 – Friday, 2 October 2020**  
**Canberra**

This morning, after breakfast, you will travel to Tidbinbilla to visit the Canberra Space Centre which is located in the grounds of the Canberra Deep Space Communication Complex. The centre offers visitors the chance to learn about the role that Australia plays in the exploration of space. Take in the magnificent views of the largest antenna complex in the southern hemisphere, as well as see a piece of the moon that is over 3.8 billion years old. The Moon Rock Café will be available for passengers to purchase their lunch.

Next stop will be the Royal Australian Mint. The Mint's function is to produce Australia's coins; however, it also produces coins for other countries, along with medals, medallions, tokens and seals for private clients, both national and international.

After leaving the Mint you will be taken to the Australian National Botanic Gardens. The plants on display in the gardens are for the enjoyment and education of visitors and are used for research into plant classification and biology. The Gardens also cultivate plants that are threatened in the wild and helps protect them from extinction.

**Overnight** – Novotel Canberra

**Meal Inclusions** – Breakfast, Dinner

**Day 7 – Saturday, 3 October 2020**

**Depart Canberra - Arrive Brisbane via Sydney**

Enjoy breakfast prior to checking out.

Bid farewell to Canberra as your coach transfers you back to Sydney Airport for your return flight home to Brisbane.

On arrival into Brisbane, you will be met for your return journey to the South Burnett with Pursers Coaches.

**Meal Inclusions** – Breakfast



## **Important Information:**

### **General Information/Health and Fitness**

There is no age limit or fitness standard required to participate in the Canberra/Floriade Tour.

In some destinations there are sightseeing excursions by foot. It is suggested that if you are elderly or have recently suffered a serious illness that you consult your doctor to see if you are fit to travel. Please be aware that a variety of temperatures may be encountered on the tour. Any disability or medical condition requiring special attention must be advised at the time of booking.

Pursers Coaches Pty Ltd is not responsible for any loss of enjoyment, loss of touring or loss of monies should the passenger be unable to participate in the tour or in any or all of the activities.

Pursers Coaches Pty Ltd will endeavour to assist all passengers but are unable to guarantee provision of individual assistance to any passenger for walking, dining, boarding or alighting coaches or other transportation vehicles or other personal needs.

Pursers Coaches Pty Ltd welcomes passengers with disabilities or special needs provided they are accompanied by a companion capable of providing all necessary assistance. It is the passenger's responsibility to advise of their circumstances to ensure the selected tour is suited to their individual needs.

### **Airline Check in**

Passengers may be requested to show photo identification upon check-in at the airport. Photo identification can be in the form of a driver's licence or passport.

### **Luggage:**

Checked luggage is limited to 23kg per person.  
A limit of 7kg per person carry-on luggage is permitted.  
All bags must be clearly labelled with a name.

### **Seat Rotation:**

For the enjoyment of all passengers the tour operates a daily seat rotation system which all travellers must participate in as a condition of booking.

### **Dress:**

Casual/comfortable clothes are suggested for the duration of the tour. Suitable footwear is recommended. Please ensure you pack a hat/visor, sunglasses and sunscreen

### **Dietary Requirements:**

Special dietary requests (eg: Vegetarian, Gluten Free, Lactose Intolerant and Diabetic) should be advised at the time of booking. These requirements will be requested to the accommodation providers. Any further intolerances needing to be managed are the responsibility of the passenger.

### **Special Requirements:**

Please ensure you bring any prescription medication needed.

**Tour Price Includes:**

Return coach transfers from South Burnett to Brisbane Domestic Airport  
Return economy airfares and taxes from Brisbane Airport to Sydney Airport  
Return coach transfers from Sydney Airport to Canberra CBD Accommodation  
Luxury coach travel in and around Canberra  
1 Night accommodation – Gibraltar Hotel, Bowral  
5 Nights accommodation – Novotel Canberra  
Breakfast daily  
Dinner daily  
All entry fees and guides as per itinerary

**Tour Price Excludes:**

Beverages  
Optional tours and services  
Travel Insurance  
Excess Luggage  
Meals and drinks not specified  
Items of a personal nature - laundry etc.

*Non-refundable deposit of \$500.00 per person is due at time of booking to confirm your place on this tour together with a completed booking form.*

*Tour Balance Due – Wednesday, 1 July 2020*

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