



# DAY TOURS

BRISBANE & GOLD COAST



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# CROC EXPRESS TO AUSTRALIA ZOO

Australia Zoo, action packed wildlife shows, 100 acres with 1200 animals



**CRIKEY!** It's as wild as life gets at Australia Zoo, Home of the Crocodile Hunter, where you'll experience wildlife like nowhere else in the world. With over 1200 animals and free interactive wildlife shows daily – from tigers to otters, elephants to koalas and everything in between – it's a full day of wildlife action. Don't miss the slithering, swooping, jaw-snapping action of Australia Zoo's Wildlife Warrior Show in the world famous Crocoseum. Check out the brand new Africa exhibit and get the adrenalin pumping as you watch a massive Salt Water Crocodile launch from the water's edge.

## HIGHLIGHTS

- Travel north to the Sunshine Coast catching glimpses of the magnificent Glasshouse Mountains
- Australia Zoo - made famous by Steve and Terri Irwin with their global documentaries
- Begin your exploration hand feeding Siam, Sabu and Bimbo - the adorable Asian Elephants or watch them at play in their home at Elephantasia
- Watch the Australia Zoo Wildlife Warrior Show in the Crocoseum where all the crocodile action happens!
- Jump on Steve's Safari Shuttle hosted by friendly and knowledgeable guides
- Perhaps have a bite to eat at the Dingo Diner or Feeding Frenzy Foodcourt
- Animal encounters allow you to get amongst it and get involved...
- Koalas, kangaroos, snakes, birds, alligators, possums and much more!
- The ultimate souvenir a Wildlife Studio photo from Australia Zoo (own expense)
- Visit Tiger Temple – home to critically endangered Sumatran and Bengal tigers.
- See the amazing NEW Africa exhibit



	DEPARTS DAILY	CODE	ADULT	CHILD
Gold Coast	7.30am - 6.30pm	G474	\$138	\$87
Brisbane	8.45am - 5.30pm	B474	\$128	\$83

Fare Includes: Coach touring and entrance to Australia Zoo  
Special Offer: Crocs rule badges, photo vouchers and zoopons



# SUNSHINE COAST HIGHLIGHTS

Caloundra, Mooloolaba, Underwater World



Naturally refreshing, this is a magic holiday spot and home to marine wonderland, Underwater World. See magnificent beaches and soak up the relaxed resort lifestyle. Our coach travels past the scenic Glasshouse Mountains and pineapple plantations to Caloundra's Kings Beach esplanade and onward to beautiful Mooloolaba. Enjoy over two hours of shopping, seaside fun, wharf and river life.

## HIGHLIGHTS

- Pass the 'salad bowl' region - pineapple and macadamia nut plantations - and spectacular Glasshouse Mountains
- Travel through the lush and scenic surrounds of rural Queensland with a local guide
- First stop Caloundra Beach to wander along the beachfront esplanade, enjoy the parklands and purchase morning tea in this modern town
- Continue north along the coast to Mooloolaba
- Fashionable seaside resort city, Mooloolaba
- Stunning and picturesque beaches
- Visit Underwater World - an amazing display of under-the-sea life
- Seal Show daily
- Perhaps join the Stingray Reef talk and feed
- Observe adorable otters and seals at play
- Be entranced at your close proximity to gruesome sharks, cute turtles, Surgeon Fish and more!

	DEPARTS MON, SUN	CODE	ADULT	CHILD
Gold Coast	7.30am - 6.30pm	G464	\$115	\$73
Brisbane	8.45am - 5.30pm	B464	\$115	\$73

Fare Includes: Coach touring, stop at Caloundra esplanade, parklands and shops, visit Mooloolaba, the wharf, entry to Underwater World (Please note Shark Enclosure closed for renovations until September)



# RAINFOREST SKYWALK

World Heritage listed Springbrook National Park, Tamborine Rainforest Skywalk, Gallery Walk



Put on your walking shoes and enjoy rare butterflies, crystal clear waterfalls, creeping rainforest vines and ancient trees at multimillion dollar eco-attraction, Skywalk. An outstanding day out, you will see indigenous birds, insects and the freshwater fish aquarium at the interpretive centre and cafe. Tour travels via Tamborine Mountain's pretty retail precinct, Gallery Walk, with its European ambience. Bring your camera to snap Canyon Falls Lookout and breathtaking Purlingbrook Falls.

## HIGHLIGHTS

- Visit Springbrook National Park
- Tamborine Rainforest Skywalk
- Visit Purlingbrook Falls
- See Canyon Lookout
- Head inland into the vast mountain range of Eucalypt forest
- Tamborine Mountain in the Gold Coast hinterland
- Gallery Walk - premier arts, crafts, giftware, fashion, jewellery and dining precinct
- Time to walk and browse this picturesque strip with its cluster of art galleries and boutique shops
- Fresh produce such as a cheeses, jams and fudge
- See the European style cuckoo clock shop

	DEPARTS TUESDAY	CODE	ADULT	CHILD
Gold Coast	8.45am - 5.00pm	G431	\$113	\$76
Brisbane	8.45am - 6.00pm	B431	\$113	\$76

Fare Includes: Coach touring, entry to Tamborine Rainforest Skywalk, national park fees, visit to Gallery Walk, Mt Tamborine



# GRAND BRISBANE

City Tour, Kangaroo Point, Brisbane River Cruise & Wheel of Brisbane



See the sights of historic Brisbane, Australia's third largest city and Queensland's capital, with its fresh, innovative and vibrant CBD. From a trendy cafe club culture to thriving shops and 19th century sandstone buildings, enjoy a city tour, river cruise and sky high experience on the Wheel of Brisbane before strolling the arts and manmade beach precinct of Southbank Parklands. Your tour also takes in Mt Coot-tha Lookout and Lone Pine Koala Sanctuary. A snapshot of Brisbane for history lovers.

## HIGHLIGHTS

- Cathedral Square
- Pass the Botanic Gardens
- Pass under Story Bridge, detailed commentary of 16 sites
- Parliament House
- Conrad Treasury Hotel
- Anzac Square
- City Hall
- Kangaroo Point Cliffs - panoramic views of Brisbane and the river
- Cross Captain Cook Bridge and Story Bridge
- Fortitude Valley
- Chinatown
- Queen Street Mall - shopping precinct
- Enjoy a scenic cruise on the Brisbane River
- Spectacular views of waterfront homes and Brisbane skyline
- Southbank Parklands and manmade beach
- The Wheel of Brisbane - breathtaking views of the city and the river
- Mt Coot-tha Lookout - spectacular views toward Brisbane city, Moreton Island and Stradbroke Island

	DEPARTS WED, THU, SAT, SUN	CODE	ADULT	CHILD
<b>Gold Coast</b>	<b>7.30am - 6.30pm</b>	<b>G497</b>	<b>\$148</b>	<b>\$93</b>
<b>Brisbane</b>	<b>9.15am - 5.00pm</b>	<b>B497</b>	<b>\$148</b>	<b>\$93</b>

Fare Includes: Coach touring, a river cruise, morning tea on board and the Wheel of Brisbane, entry to Lone Pine Koala Sanctuary



# BRISBANE CITY TOURS

1. City Tour, Kangaroo Point (morning)
2. City Highlights, Mt Coot-tha, Lone Pine (afternoon)

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## BRISBANE CITY TOUR - MORNING



Get a taste of Brisbane's sights and history on this half-day guided tour of the places and spectacular architecture that characterise Queensland's capital city. Learn about the history of this fast growing cosmopolitan centre set on the Brisbane River and browse the shops for Australian made treasures.

Note: Please note Gold Coast passengers have the afternoon free to explore Brisbane at their leisure before being returned to their hotel in the late afternoon.

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<b>Gold Coast</b>	<b>7.30am - 6.30pm</b>	<b>G461</b>	<b>\$126</b>	<b>\$84</b>
<b>Brisbane</b>	<b>9:15am - 12.15pm</b>	<b>B461</b>	<b>\$116</b>	<b>\$74</b>

Fare Includes: Coach touring and guided commentary, a river cruise, morning tea on board and the Wheel of Brisbane

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## BRISBANE HIGHLIGHTS - AFTERNOON



This guided tour showcases the sights of Brisbane including the historic Treasury Casino. Visit Lone Pine Koala Sanctuary, the world's first and largest koala sanctuary to cuddle a koala and enjoy views of the city and Moreton Bay from Mt Coot-tha Lookout.

## HIGHLIGHTS

- Anzac Square - location of the Anzac Memorial and Shrine of Remembrance
- Roma Street parklands
- Suncorp Stadium
- XXXX Brewery
- Visit Lone Pine Koala Sanctuary - home to over 130 koalas
- Perhaps have your photo taken while you hold a cuddly koala (own expense)
- Experience an emu encounter
- Opportunity to hand feed kangaroos (own expense)
- Tasmanian Devils and wombats
- Join in on the koala presentation
- Pass Botanical Gardens and Brisbane Planetarium
- Mt Coot-tha Lookout - spectacular views toward Brisbane city, Moreton Island and Stradbroke Island
- See sheepdog and shearing show and platypus in captivity

	DEPARTS WED, THU, SAT, SUN	CODE	ADULT	CHILD
<b>Brisbane</b>	<b>12.45pm - 5.00pm</b>	<b>B492</b>	<b>\$102</b>	<b>\$79</b>

Fare Includes: Coach touring, entry and free time at Lone Pine Koala Sanctuary and Mt Coot-tha Lookout

# GOLD COAST HINTERLAND

Surfers Paradise, Canal Cruise, Natural Bridge



A giant aquatic playground of stunning surf beaches, winding residential canals and broad rivers all fringed by rainforest mountains and waterfalls combine to create a day of exciting natural contrasts of green and gold. Lunch (own cost) at Australia Fair shopping centre.

## HIGHLIGHTS

### RIVER CRUISE

- Enjoy a scenic cruise on Nerang River
- Million dollar homes
- Enjoy morning tea onboard
- Cruise around Chevron Island and under the Gold Coast Bridge - officially marking the end of Nerang River and the Southport Broadwater Entrance
- Mariners Cove - a commercial marina

### COACH TOUR

- Sheraton Mirage & Palazzo Versace
- Tour through Murwillumbah - reminiscent of a 30s and 40s movie set
- Mt Warning - estimated at 23 million years old is the central volcanic remnant of an ancient volcano

- Magnificent views of the surrounding ranges built by lava including the Border Ranges, Tamborine Mountain and the McPherson Ranges
- Springbrook National Park World Heritage site - magnificent waterfalls, lush rainforest, ancient trees - this region is of extraordinary ecological importance and natural beauty
- Take a guided rainforest walk
- Visit Natural Bridge in Springbrook National Park - a naturally formed rock arch and waterfall over Cave Creek - home to a Glow Worm colony
- Return to the Gold Coast and Brisbane through Numinbah and Nerang.

	DEPARTS FRIDAY	CODE	ADULT	CHILD
Gold Coast	10.45am - 5.00pm	G427	\$108	\$65
Brisbane	8.45am - 6.00pm	B427	\$108	\$65

Fare Includes: Nerang River canal cruise, morning tea and guided rainforest walk.



# BYRON BAY & MT WARNING

Byron Bay, Cape Byron Lighthouse, Mt Warning



Enrich your spirit. Stand on the eastern most edge of the Australian continent at lifestyle capital and international tourism magnet, Byron Bay. See cliff top Cape Byron Lighthouse, trendy shops, eateries and the sapphire blue Pacific Ocean. If you are lucky, spot turtles, dolphins and whales and the Julian Rocks Marine Reserve just offshore. Admire Elephant Rock on famous surf beach, Currumbin Beach as we journey southward. On the way home we stop on the banks of the Tweed River for views of majestic Mt Warning.

## HIGHLIGHTS

- Pass Elephant Rock, Currumbin
- Head south passing popular beachside suburbs
- Cross the border into New South Wales for your journey to Byron Bay
- Tweed Valley - heart of sugar cane country
- Byron Bay - a former whaling station and now a fashionable coastal town
- Cape Byron State Conservation Area - a coastal rainforest protected from further developments
- Cape Byron Lighthouse built in 1901 - the lookout is the most easterly point of the Australian mainland
- Time to explore Byron Bay (over three hours)
- Visit the banks of the Tweed River to photograph Mount Warning

This tour has English and Japanese commentary

	DEPARTS DAILY	CODE	ADULT	CHILD
Gold Coast	8.00am - 4.30pm	G436	\$102	\$63

Fare Includes: Coach touring, Cape Byron Lighthouse and walking track, over three hours free time in Byron Bay



# O'REILLY'S GREEN MOUNTAIN

Lamington Plateau, O'Reilly's Rainforest Guesthouse, Mt Tamborine



Discover mountain top forest wonderland of vine clad vegetation in the cool shade of ancient tree species, waterfalls, insects and wildlife in sub tropical rainforest. Distant city and coastal views make this World Heritage National Park one of Australia's unique and most desirable locations to visit. Travel via Canungra and Tamborine Mountain.

Optional extras: Bird feeding, Birds of Prey show, souvenir shopping and Segway tours

## HIGHLIGHTS

- Head inland into the mountain range of Eucalypt forest
- Mt Tamborine in the Gold Coast hinterland
- Gallery Walk - premier art and craft precinct
- Time to walk and browse this picturesque strip with its cluster of galleries, cafes and craft shops
- Perhaps enjoy a local speciality at Granny Mac's... tantalizing fudge and confectionary made on the premises! What a treat! (own expense)
- Wind your way through the forest to 'The Goat's Track' - original logging route and the only road to O'Reilly's Rainforest Retreat
- Spectacular scenery of ancient beech trees and sub tropical rainforest vegetation
- Pass the Kokoda Army Barracks - Jungle Warfare Training Centre in Canungra
- Lamington National Park - gazetted in 1944 and heritage listed for its significant species of flora and fauna
- Hear the stories of the heroic rescue by Bernard O'Reilly of the Stinson plane crash survivors and the fascinating life of these early pioneers
- Immerse yourself in the surroundings of the sub tropical rainforest of the Green Mountains
- Visit O'Reilly's Plateau (approx 2 hours)
- Lunch at O'Reilly's Mountainview Cafeteria (own cost)
- Perhaps feed Crimson Rosellas and King Parrots (own expense)
- O'Reilly's Mountain Cafe - enjoy spectacular views of the mountain range while dining from the balcony (own expense)
- Visit an Alpaca Farm and souvenir/retail shop



	DEPARTS DAILY	CODE	ADULT	CHILD
<b>Gold Coast</b>	<b>8.45am - 5.00pm</b>	<b>G433</b>	<b>\$102</b>	<b>\$63</b>
<b>Brisbane</b>	<b>8.45am - 6.00pm</b>	<b>B433</b>	<b>\$102</b>	<b>\$63</b>

Fare Includes: Coach touring and tree top walk, Alpaca Farm, Gallery Walk



 This tour has English and Japanese commentary

# TANGALOOMA DOLPHIN ADVENTURE

Island experience, Desert Safari tour with sand tobogganing, Wild dolphin feeding



An unforgettable day out, discover a tropical island escape just 75 minutes from inner city Brisbane. A winning combination of crystal clear seas, white sand and untouched national parks, Tangalooma Resort on Moreton Island is a pristine wonderland waiting to be explored. Challenge yourself to sand tobogganing, handfeed dolphins and savour island life for a day.

## HIGHLIGHTS

- Return coach transfers
- Access to Day Lounge
- Over 80 activities on the resort
- Over 40 free land based activities on the resort
- Introductory onboard video on activities and tours available at the resort
- Moreton Island - third largest sand island in the world
- Buffet lunch included
- Spend the day at leisure at Tangalooma Island Resort
- Swim in the resort pools or crystal clear unspoilt beaches
- Desert Safari Tour - try thrilling sand tobogganing - exhilarating stuff for fun lovers!
- Wild dolphin feeding at sunset
- Return 75 minute cruise to Moreton Island

\* Dolphin feeding is dependant on tides, weather conditions and dolphin appearance (dolphins are wild animals however the resort experiences a 98% attendance rate)

	DEPARTS SUN - FRI *DOES NOT OPERATES SAT	CODE	ADULT	CHILD
Gold Coast	7.30am - 9.30pm	GT31G	\$275	\$186
Brisbane	8.45am - 8.30pm	BT31G	\$211	\$148

Fare Includes: Return coach transfers, buffet lunch, desert safari tour and wild dolphin feeding





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## DEPARTURE POINT

**Brisbane:** Level 3, Counter O, Brisbane Transit Centre, Roma Street or from your hotel  
**Gold Coast:** Pick up from most hotels

- » Please check-in 10 minutes prior to departure
- » Return times are approximate

## BIG BLUE PASS



SAVE UP TO  
**26%**  
 (tour: 400)  
 Adult: \$326  
 Child: \$195

In Brisbane and the Sunshine Coast travel on two of the most popular tours:

- **Croc Express** (Tour B474/G474)
- **O'Reilly's Green Mountains** (Tour B433/G433)

### Plus..... one of the following:

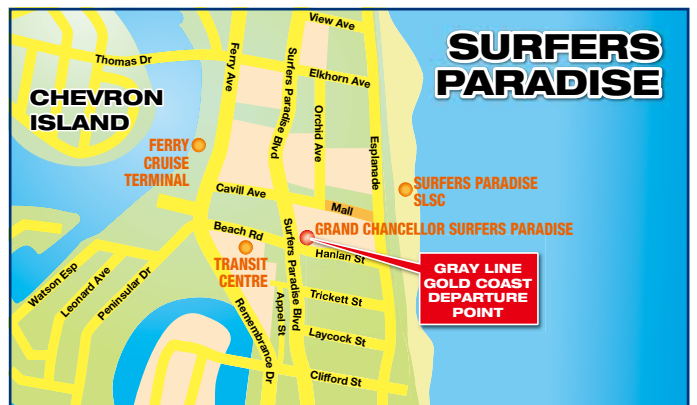
- **Penguin Parade** (Tour 384) ..... Melbourne
- **Blue Mountains** (Tour 284) ..... Sydney
- **Grand Barossa with Hahndorf** (Tour 584) ..... Adelaide
- **Green Island On the Reef** (Tour 486) ..... Cairns
- **Palm Valley** (Tour 886) ..... Alice Springs
- **Grand Port Arthur** (Tour 784) ..... Hobart
- **Pinnacles Desert** (Tour 654) ..... Perth
- **Litchfield National Park** (Tour 845) ..... Darwin

- Pass must be paid for in Brisbane or Gold Coast
- You choose when you wish to travel. Simply call Gray Line the day before to reserve your seat
- Pass applies to only these tours



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- » Pick-up times may vary 10 minutes depending on traffic
- » No hotel drop-off after morning tours
- » To ensure a hotel pick-up please make sure you have made a reservation with Gray Line or your hotel



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- **Group Discount Super Saver:** Applies to groups of 6 or more. • **AAA:** Discount available to AAA card holders.
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**TERMS AND CONDITIONS** Cancellation fee of 50% applies for a tour cancelled within 72 - 24 hours of travel. Within 24 hours of departure 100% cancellation fee applies. Itineraries, prices and days of operation are subject to change or withdrawal without notice. A fuel levy may apply when world oil prices exceed the allowance in the fare.

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