



CANBERRA & THE ALPINE WAY WITH BILL PEACH JOURNEYS

Sojourn Canberra & the Alpine Way

6 Days | 8 - 13 Mar 2021 | AUD\$4,995pp twin share | Single Supplement FREE*

EXCLUSIVE HIGHLIGHTS

- ✦ Spend 6 days exploring Canberra and the Alpine Region by luxury coach
- ✦ Explore the Alpine towns of Tumut, Tumbarumba, Thredbo, Jindabyne and Cooma
- ✦ 5 nights of excellent accommodation including the Park Hyatt Canberra & Lake Crackenback Resort & Spa
- ✦ Enjoy the Boggy Creek Show
- ✦ Visit the Snowy Hydro Discovery Centre
- ✦ Marvel at the ***Botticelli to Van Gogh Exhibition - Masterpieces from the National Gallery, London*** at the NGA featuring more than 60 paintings by some of Europe's most revered artists
- ✦ All meals - breakfast, lunch and dinner
- ✦ Escorted throughout by a dedicated Journey Director

"Bill Peach Journeys arrangements did not disappoint – they were first class from quality of accommodation and food to transport and an excellent Tour Director. Very pleased with the whole experience."

Mr Neil Buxton, Port Macquarie, NSW

Join Bill Peach Journeys for an exciting sojourn to Canberra and the Snowy Mountain region of New South Wales. This stunning sojourn starts in Canberra and makes its way through Murrumbateman, Yass and Jugiong before arriving in Tumut – the gateway to the Snowy Hydro Scheme. The journey continues to the township of Tumbarumba before driving along the Alpine Way through Khancoban and Kosciusko National Park offering spectacular scenic mountain views. Spend 2 nights at the luxurious alpine retreat of Lake Crackenback Resort & Spa surrounded by the spectacular Snowy Mountains. Continue on to Cooma before heading back to Canberra and viewing the ***Botticelli to Van Gogh Exhibition - Masterpieces from the National Gallery, London*** at the National Gallery of Australia. This exhibition features more than 60 paintings by some of Europe's most revered artists spanning 450 years including Titian, Rembrandt, Vermeer, Velázquez, Goya, Turner, Renoir, Cézanne and Gauguin. A sojourn not to be missed!

ABOUT SOJOURNS

Our Sojourn programmes are short break journeys put together in conjunction with themes, events or experiences.

These programmes range from cruising New Zealand's North Islands to world class sporting events and unique experiences throughout Australia and New Zealand.

FULLY INCLUSIVE

When you travel on a Sojourn

with Bill Peach Journeys everything is included and arranged before you even leave home. That includes all sundries like tips, taxes and transfers. In fact you won't even need to carry your bags.

Enjoy the finest level of accommodation, dining and service all in the one fare. From the very moment your journey begins, your seamless travel experience with Bill Peach Journeys begins.



DAY 1 | ARRIVE CANBERRA

Transfer from Canberra Airport to the Park Hyatt Canberra. Located near the banks of Lake Burley Griffin and moments away from Parliament House it is the perfect location to start your journey. There will be a welcome dinner tonight at the famous Boathouse Restaurant.

Overnight: Park Hyatt Canberra or similar

DAY 2 | CANBERRA - YASS - TUMUT

After breakfast we travel through the Yass Valley, passing through the township of Murrumbateman before stopping off for a history tour of Yass. We follow the Murrumbidgee River as we continue on for lunch at Jugiong and visit the Dog on the Tuckerbox at Gundagai. Mid-afternoon we arrive in Tumut situated on the Tumut River at the north-west foothills of the Snowy Mountains, referred to as the gateway to the Snowy Mountains Scheme.

Overnight: The Amaroo Motel or similar

DAY 3 | TUMUT - LAKE CRACKENBACK VIA ALPINE WAY

Following breakfast we enjoy a town tour of Tumut before arriving at Tumberumba which is located on the periphery of the Riverina and South West Slope regions at the western edge of the Snowy Mountains. We visit the Pioneer Women's Hut, one of Australia's most important and unique museums celebrating the lives of the many rural women who lived

in this area. We continue on to Boggy Creek, a working farm set in the foothills of the Snowy Mountains with spectacular, uninterrupted views. We enjoy an award winning show which combines all the skill of horsemanship, mustering, whip cracking, working dogs and sheep shows.

Our journey continues along the Alpine Way as we pass through the extraordinary Kosciuszko National Park. The area covers 6,900 square km and contains mainland Australia's highest peak, Mount Kosciuszko. Its borders contain a mix of rugged mountains and wilderness, characterised by an alpine climate, which makes it popular with recreational skiers and bushwalkers. Arrive this afternoon to Lake Crackenback Resort & Spa surrounded by views of Snowy Mountain landscapes, rugged countryside, spectacular snow gums, lakes and rivers.

Overnight: Lake Crackenback Resort & Spa

DAY 4 | LAKE CRACKENBACK

This morning take a chair lift to Mount Kosciuszko. The Kosciuszko Express Chairlift is nearly two kilometres long and rises 560 vertical metres. The ride takes 15 minutes one way and offers spectacular valley views as you are lifted to the closest access point to Mount Kosciuszko. For lunch we travel to Jindabyne. With a spectacular backdrop of Australia's highest peaks, pristine waterways such as Lake Jindabyne, and giant granite

boulders dotting the Monaro Plains, the region is a postcard escape any time of the year. Lunch today is at the Wild Brumby Distillery where we will learn about how schnapps is made and enjoy a tasting.

Overnight: Lake Crackenback Resort & Spa

DAY 5 | LAKE CRACKENBACK - CANBERRA

Depart Lake Crackenback for Cooma and the Snowy Hydro Discovery Centre. This state-of-the-art visitor facility showcases the amazing history of the Snowy Mountains Scheme. We return to Canberra and visit the National Gallery of Australia to see the ***Botticelli to Van Gogh Exhibition - Masterpieces from the National Gallery, London*** featuring more than 60 paintings by some of Europe's most revered artists, including Titian, Rembrandt, Vermeer, Velázquez, Goya, Turner, Renoir, Cézanne and Gauguin. Highlights include Van Gogh's ***Sunflowers***, Vermeer's ***A Young Woman seated at a Virginal*** and Rembrandt's Self Portrait. Return mid-afternoon to the Park Hyatt. There will be a farewell dinner at the hotel this evening.

Overnight: Park Hyatt Canberra or similar

DAY 6 | DEPART CANBERRA

After a leisurely breakfast, transfer to the airport. Say farewell to new friends and take away memories of another delightful Bill Peach Journeys Sojourn.

Please contact Bill Peach Journeys or your local travel agent for assistance with airfares.

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