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# AUSTRALIAN OPEN TENNIS & SPA COUNTRY WITH BILL PEACH JOURNEYS

Sojourn Australian Open Tennis & Spa Country

5 Days | 23 - 27 Jan 2024 | AUD\$6,995pp twin share | Single Supplement \$595\*

## EXCLUSIVE HIGHLIGHTS

- Enjoy 2 nights at Peppers Mineral Springs Hotel Hepburn, an elegant boutique deluxe retreat
- Spend 2 nights at the luxurious Oakwood Premier Melbourne near fashionable Southbank
- Premium tickets to Lower Bowl reserved seating at the Australian Open 2024 Women's Semi-Finals (both games) and Men's Semi-Final (one game)
- Tour Spa Country and the Macedon Ranges including Hepburn Springs, Kyneton and Trentham Falls
- Discover the picturesque Forest Glade Gardens and view the treasures of The Stokes Collection
- Uncover the riches of The Convent, Daylesford and the natural beauty of the historic Swiss Italian lavender farm, Lavandula in full bloom
- Visit TITANIC: The Artefact Exhibition, the most extensive and authentic Titanic exhibition in the world
- All meals - breakfast, lunch and dinner including Argus Dining Room and a private tour pre dinner at famed Sault, plus cider and wine tastings
- Enjoy the tennis with new friends while enjoying a considerably reduced single supplement charge
- Escorted throughout by a dedicated Journey Director

*"A truly magical experience. Bill Peach Journeys really know how to do luxury travel."*

A. Murray, Hervey Bay

Join Bill Peach Journeys for an exciting Sojourn to Melbourne for the world class Australian Open 2024 Tennis tournament. First held in 1905, the event has a long and illustrious history. This Sojourn guarantees to bring you an Australian Open experience like no other as you enjoy Lower Bowl reserved seating at this incredible competition. Witness the drama unfold as the world's greatest athletes dominate the courts at Melbourne Park and test each other's skill, determination, courage and endurance.

More than mere sporting heroes, the likes of Djokovic, Alcaraz, Kyrgios, de Minaur, Świątek and Sabalenka are global superstars. Watch on in person as these titans of international sport electrify Rod Laver Arena. Enjoy two days exploring the delights of Victoria's exclusive Spa Country before returning to Melbourne for the Australian Open and a discovery of TITANIC: The Artefact Exhibition. Stay in superb accommodation throughout, savour exceptional cuisine and wine and enjoy fascinating touring, all in Bill Peach Journeys inimitable style!

## 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 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 MELBOURNE

This morning you will meet at a designated departure point at Melbourne Airport. After morning tea the group will depart for Victoria's Spa Country. Our first stop is at stunning Trentham Falls, one of the longest single drop waterfalls in Victoria. Tour the historic and stunningly beautiful Lavandula Swiss Italian farm renowned for its lavender which will be in full bloom. A chance to stroll the picturesque and historic Vincent St in Daylesford before checking-in to Peppers Mineral Springs Hotel Hepburn, an elegant boutique deluxe retreat that seamlessly blends the lush countryside, heritage architecture, and contemporary interiors. There will be a welcome dinner at Argus Dining Room this evening.

Overnight: Peppers Mineral Springs Hotel

#### DAY 2 | EXPLORE SPA COUNTRY

Discover the historic town of Kyneton, where you can soak up the unique charm of Piper Street. Heading back, we have a tasting and lunch at organic certified award-winning Daylesford Cider where we will learn about their process. Making our way back to Hepburn Springs, for those interested there will be a visit to the historic Hepburn Bathhouse & Spa. Enjoy a private tour of the beautiful and acclaimed Sault property prior to enjoying an exceptional meal of fabulous fresh and regional produce this evening.

Overnight: Peppers Mineral Springs Hotel

#### DAY 3 | HEPBURN SPRINGS - MELBOURNE & THE AUSTRALIAN OPEN TENNIS

After breakfast, tour the award-winning Convent at Daylesford where contemporary and traditional art is housed in a Victorian-style, 19th-century former convent. Nestled on the crest of Wombat Hill Botanical Gardens, The Convent boasts expansive views of the countryside and township below. A feast for the senses, the gallery has been described as 'the most beautiful gallery in Australia'. Before leaving Spa Country, we stop for a tasting at acclaimed family winery Passing Clouds.

On our drive towards Melbourne we delight in a visit to Forest Glade at Mount Macedon, a historic private garden that is acknowledged as one of the most beautiful in Australia. We also tour The Stokes Collection nearby, regarded by many antique experts as the greatest private collection in the southern hemisphere.

We arrive into Melbourne this afternoon allowing time to relax before our transfer to the tennis. As we take our seats at Rod Laver Arena, the excitement builds as we anticipate an evening of Women's Semi-Finals. These matches are sure to be incredible competitions, as some of the game's greats battle it out. Premium seating in the Lower Bowl guarantees you a wonderful view of the action.

Overnight: Oakwood Premier

#### DAY 4 | MELBOURNE & THE AUSTRALIAN OPEN TENNIS

Explore this morning TITANIC: The Artefact Exhibition, the most extensive and authentic Titanic exhibition in the world. Exclusive to the Melbourne Museum, the exhibition features more than 200 actual artefacts recovered directly from the wreck site. After a fascinating morning of learning about this great tragedy, transfer to the tennis for more Semi-Finals action.

Overnight: Oakwood Premier

#### DAY 5 | DEPART MELBOURNE

Following breakfast, we transfer to the airport. Saying a fond farewell to new friends, we take away memories of an exciting Australian Open Sojourn in Melbourne and Spa Country.



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

\*Conditions Apply: The Reduced Single Supplement offer cannot be used in conjunction with any other offer. Full payment is due immediately on this tour to secure your seats for this event. This payment is non-refundable and will incur 100% cancellation fee. All other terms & conditions are as per the Bill Peach Journeys reservation form.

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