

# DISCOVER RIVERINA DELIGHTS With Bill Peach Journeys

Sojourn Springtime in the NSW Riverina

7 Days | 8 - 14 Nov 2020 | AUD\$5,595pp twin share | Single Supplement FREE\*

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# **EXCLUSIVE HIGHLIGHTS**

- Tour the picturesque country towns of Wagga Wagga, Gundagai, Jugiong, Cootamundra, Temora, Narrandera, Lockhart and Griffith
- 💔 Stay in stylish accommodation throughout
- Sample from NSW's largest wine producing region and try natural and crafted delights including awardwinning cheeses and organic chocolate and liquorice
- Uncover the region's history at Temora's Aviation Museum, Greens Gunyah Museum and the Griffith Pioneer Park Museum
- ♥ Visit the iconic Dog on the Tuckerbox and birthplaces of Don Bradman and Bill Peach
- Exceptional cuisine throughout including fine dining at *Limone* in Griffith and a farewell dinner at *Food I Am* prepared by a private chef
- Includes return economy flights to Wagga Wagga from Sydney
- 💔 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

oin Bill Peach Journeys as we embark on delicious adventures through the heart of 'Australia's Food Bowl'. Fertile soils have long supported an extraordinary variety of crops, earning the region this apt title. In the exhilarating Riverina region we will discover acclaimed wines, taste gorgeous fresh produce and explore spectacular natural scenery throughout. The Riverina is home to the Murrumbidgee River and its waterways, which winds its way through an amazing array of food trails, natural wonders and picturesque towns. We will explore the charming country towns of Wagga Wagga, Gundagai, Jugiong, Cootamundra, Temora, Narrandera, Lockhart and Griffith. Discovering the history of the region and its early settlers, we visit the Dog on the Tuckerbox, a fascinating aviation museum and the birthplaces of Don Bradman and Bill Peach. The Riverina is one of the world's most abundant pastoral regions and we will enjoy much of its natural and artisan delights including fine dining at *Limone* in Griffith and a memorable dinner at famed Food I Am prepared by a private chef. A feast for the senses, join us as we uncover the Riverina's breathtaking natural beauty.

#### **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 WAGGA WAGGA Fly from Sydney to Wagga Wagga and transfer to the hotel. A welcome dinner tonight hosted by your Journey Director is the perfect opportunity to meet your fellow travellers.

Overnight: Townhouse Hotel

#### DAY 2 | WAGGA WAGGA

We begin with a heritage tour of Wagga Wagga, the state's largest inland city and an important agricultural hub of Australia. The city straddles the Murrumbidgee River, one of the great rivers of the Murray-Darling Basin.

We visit Coolamon Cheese Factory which produces the only Australian Brie to win a medal at the recent World Cheese Awards. In a beautiful country setting, we tour the private garden of "Tambea" and enjoy a light lunch before transferring to Junee.

We tour this picturesque country town, noted for it's heritage streetscapes before uncovering the delights of the Junee Liquorice and Chocolate Factory. A pleasure for all the senses, we will learn about the production of these organic treats in the rustic surrounds of the old flour mill.

Overnight: Townhouse Hotel

## DAY 3 | WAGGA WAGGA -GUNDAGAI - JUGIONG

After breakfast we visit the iconic Dog on the Tuckerbox monument at Gundagai which commemorates the European pioneers who settled in the area. Tour this picturesque country town including its historic bridges. Explore the Architectural Walk, a 2km walk visiting the town's historic points of interest as we learn about its rich architectural, colonial and indigenous history. We transfer to Jugiong for lunch then to the hotel for an afternoon of leisure.

Overnight: Sir George Hotel

#### DAY 4 | JUGIONG - COOTAMUNDRA TEMORA - GRIFFITH

Leaving Jugiong, we drive north west to Cootamundra, an important agricultural hub it is renowned for being the birthplace of famous cricketer, Sir Donald Bradman. Moving on to Temora, we visit the Aviation Museum. Having a rich and noteworthy aviation history Temora was home to the No. 10 Elementary Flying Training School set up by the Royal Australian Air Force (RAAF) in May 1941. At its peak the unit contained a total of 97 de Havilland Tiger Moth aircraft. Today we will view the amazing collection of aircraft. Fine dining at acclaimed *Limone* this evening.

Overnight: Quest Apartments

# DAY 5 | GRIFFITH

Today we begin by touring the Catania Fruit Farm and gain an understanding of how a wide variety of horticulture and viticulture crops are grown in Australia's largest irrigation area, the Murrumbidgee. As a nod to the Italian settlers of the region, we enjoy traditional cannoli from an Italian patisserie before our visit to the Griffith Pioneer Park Museum rich in the region's unique history. After lunch at a local winery, enjoy an afternoon at leisure. Overnight: Quest Apartments

#### DAY 6 | GRIFFITH - WAGGA WAGGA

We drive to Narrandera today and tour the Glendale Citrus and Hazelnut Orchard before arriving in Lockhart, the birthplace of Bill Peach. Here we visit the Greens Gunyah Museum with an extensive range of historical artifacts, photography and machinery on display. Next we see the Sculpture and Heritage Trail and Water Tower Murals before transferring to Wagga Wagga. A memorable farewell dinner at Food I Am this evening prepared by your private chef.

Overnight: Townhouse Hotel

DAY 7 | DEPART WAGGA WAGGA Transfer to the airport after breakfast for your flight to Sydney. Say farewell to new friends and take away memories of another delightful Bill Peach Journeys Sojourn.



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