

PERTH & HORIZONTAL FALLS ADVENTURE

INDIAN PACIFIC

SYDNEY TO PERTH
DEPARTING WEDNESDAY
(MAY TO SEPTEMBER)
11 Days / 10 Nights

Your journey begins aboard the Indian Pacific as you make the epic transcontinental crossing of Australia arriving in the West Australian capital, Perth. Here you will visit the protected nature reserve of Rottnest Island, before journeying way up north to Broome, the gateway to the Kimberley. Savour the extremes of what makes this part of Australia so unique and experience the majesty of Horizontal Falls. You'll soar in a seaplane, witness the horizontal waterfalls in a cruise boat and soak up the amazing surrounds in Talbot Bay.

INCLUSIONS

- 3 nights aboard the Indian Pacific, Sydney to Perth, including all meals, beverages and Off Train Experiences in Broken Hill, Adelaide, Cook and Rawlinna
- Transfer from East Perth Rail Terminal to hotel
- 3 nights' accommodation in Perth, including breakfast daily
- Full day Discover Rottnest tour, including lunch
- Transfer from hotel to Perth Airport
- Economy flight from Perth to Broome
- 3 nights' accommodation in Broome, including breakfast daily
- Horizontal Falls luxury overnight stay including coach transfer, return seaplane flights, activities and meals
- 10 breakfasts, 4 lunches, 4 dinners

HIGHLIGHTS

- Explore mining and artistic history in Broken Hill
- Visit the foodie capital of South Australia, Adelaide
- Witness the barren beauty of the Nullarbor Plain
- Discover the almost-ghost town of Cook
- Cruise to Rottnest Island and meet a quokka
- Soar in a seaplane from Derby to Horizontal Falls
- Cruise through the Horizontal Falls taking in both the incoming and outgoing tide
- See the spectacular creek system in Talbot Bay
- Enjoy a guided fishing tour

Please note, itineraries are subject to change.

DAY 1 – BOARD THE INDIAN PACIFIC IN SYDNEY

Your adventure begins at Sydney's Central Station, where the Indian Pacific waits to carry you across the continent. As the train eases away from the platform and city skylines fall away, you'll soon be surrounded by the soaring sandstone cliffs and deep valleys of the Blue Mountains. Settle into your cabin or join fellow travellers in the lounge for a drink as the journey unfolds.

This evening, take your seat in the dining carriage for your first regionally-inspired dinner, thoughtfully paired with fine Australian wines and beverages. Afterward, return to the lounge carriage for a nightcap or retreat to your cabin as the train rolls westward. (D)

OVERNIGHT: 3 nights Indian Pacific

DAY 2 – INDIAN PACIFIC, BROKEN HILL, MCLAREN VALE, ADELAIDE AND SURROUNDS

Your morning begins in Broken Hill, the fabled Silver City. After a hearty breakfast, step off the train for your first Off Train Experience and discover the town's rich mining history and enduring character on a guided walking tour. Alternatively, explore its creative spirit with a lively morning of entertainment, local flavours, and stories that reveal a different side of Broken Hill.

Back on board, enjoy breakfast and lunch as the Indian Pacific sweeps past the southern tip of the Flinders Ranges, South Australia, and arrives into Adelaide by late afternoon for a choice of curated food and wine experiences. Savour the flavours of the Fleurieu Peninsula with a tasting of regional wines, local produce, and South Australian spirits, followed by dinner showcasing the region's seasonal character. Alternatively, discover the Adelaide Hills with a wine tasting among the vines before dinner inspired by the region's German heritage and local produce. In the city, explore Adelaide's brewing heritage with a behind-the-scenes Coopers brewery experience, followed by a teppanyaki dinner and evening stroll to Adelaide Oval (seasonal). Or discover the historic Adelaide Central Market after hours with curated tastings, a hands-on culinary experience, and a produce-led dinner accompanied by regional wines and live music.

After a memorable evening, return to the Indian Pacific to continue your westward journey. (B,L,D)



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DAY 3 – INDIAN PACIFIC, NULLARBOR PLAIN
Today is all about the vast, unforgettable views of the Nullarbor Plain. Awaken to the rolling dunes of Ooldea and spend the morning watching from your window as the landscape morphs into iconic arid country. You'll journey across the legendary expanse on the world's longest stretch of straight railway track, before pausing at Cook, a once-bustling railway town and now a near-empty outpost with stories etched into its weathered buildings.

By evening the train will roll into Rawlinna, on the edge of Australia's largest sheep station. Here, the outback comes alive as you dine beneath a canopy of stars at a spectacular signature long-table dinner (seasonal/weather permitting). Alternatively, gather around a roaring bonfire with drinks and canapés to soak up the atmosphere of this remarkable setting. (B,L,D)

DAY 4 – INDIAN PACIFIC, PERTH
Wake to the soft light over Western Australia's Avon Valley, its rolling green hills a fitting finale to your transcontinental adventure. Savour a leisurely brunch on board as the train makes its final approach into Perth. Soon, you'll step off the Indian Pacific, farewelling fellow travellers and crew before transferring to your accommodation, where your Perth exploration begins. (B)

OVERNIGHT: 3 nights DoubleTree by Hilton Perth Waterfront

DAY 5 – PERTH
It might be the largest state in Australia, but Western Australia's capital city features a conveniently compact centre, packed with things to see and do. Enjoy your day at leisure in Perth visiting Kings Park, Barrack Square or some of the many museums and galleries. (B)

DAY 6 – ROTTNEST ISLAND
Make your way to Barrack Street Jetty and board Rottnest Express, bound for Rottnest Island, 22kms offshore. On arrival, a 90-minute air-conditioned bus tour around 'Rotto' takes you to some spectacular locations, including Wadjemup Lighthouse and the boardwalk lookout at the rugged west end. Feast on a delicious lunch before exploring the island at your leisure – make sure you meet a quokka. Return to Perth by ferry in the afternoon. (B,L)

DAY 7 – PERTH TO BROOME
Your time in Perth comes to an end this morning as you join your economy flight to Broome. On arrival in Broome, you will be transferred to your accommodation and your base for the next two nights. (B)

OVERNIGHT: 2 nights Cable Beach Club Resort & Spa

DAY 8 – BROOME
The town of Broome is reputed for its history and its glorious pearling era. The day is yours to enjoy at leisure. Visit the fascinating Chinatown district, the historic city centre, and the Japanese Cemetery, dating back to 1896. This area's past is marked by the immigration of numerous Chinese and Japanese workers who came to Broome for the pearl industry at the end of the 19th century and at the beginning of the 20th century. (B)

DAY 9 – BROOME TO HORIZONTAL FALLS
See the natural landscape change as the sun rises and sets. This morning you will depart Broome by coach and travel to Derby where you will board your awaiting seaplane for your scenic flight to Horizontal Falls.

Jetwave Pearl offers an exclusive accommodation base for a maximum of 20 guests. Enjoy 24 hours of pure excitement with numerous power boat cruises, a guided fishing charter and relaxing cruise through the crystal blue waters of Talbot Bay and the ancient rock formations of Cyclone Creek.

Cap off the day with a resident shark show and a cooling swim in the marine viewing platform. Savour sunset drinks and appetisers on the rooftop lounge or spacious decks before you dine on the catch of the day and quality local produce. (B,L,D)

OVERNIGHT: 1 night Jetwave Pearl

DAY 10 – HORIZONTAL FALLS TO BROOME
This morning, indulge in breakfast and enjoy a hot beverage while listening to the wildlife start their day. Get the camera ready and board the seaplane for your scenic flight back to Derby, flying low across King Sound, Cone Bay and an expanse of tidal flats. Once you land in Derby, your transfer will return you to your hotel late morning. The rest of the day is free for you to explore Broome at leisure. (B)

OVERNIGHT: 1 night Cable Beach Club Resort & Spa

DAY 11 – FAREWELL
After breakfast, check out of your accommodation with memories made for sharing. (B)