

# Kangaroo Island

Australia's  
nature  
sanctuary





# Welcome to Kangaroo Island!

This is the ultimate, luxury nature and wildlife tour of Kangaroo Island which is world famous for its scenic highlights, natural wonders and amazing wildlife. From the Sea-lions at Seal Bay, to the amazing geological formations of Remarkable Rocks

and Admirals Arch, you can discover this magnificent island with Kangaroo Island Odysseys.

Our eco-tours are first-class and designed for those seeking the perfect holiday. Tours are conducted in small, personalised groups and

accompanied by our experienced, local guides who are even able to guide in your own language!

It is our pleasure to share this magnificent island with you for an experience that you will never forget.



Incredible views across Maupertuis Bay to Cape du Couedic Lighthouse in Flinders Chase National Park.

## Why Kangaroo Island?

Australia is well known for its native animals and Kangaroo Island is one of the best places to see them in their natural habitat.

See koalas, Tammar wallabies, Australian Sea-lions and New Zealand fur seals and nowhere else will you see the Kangaroo Island kangaroo and the Glossy Black Cockatoo. The flora and fauna are amazing and in some cases Kangaroo Island is the only place in the world where they still survive.

Then there's the most stunning scenery: the ancient Remarkable Rocks carved by wild winds and waves over millions of years, sheltered bays and stunning beaches, rolling hills and farming pastures, towering sand hills and dense forests and Australian bushland.

A visit to Kangaroo Island should ideally be at least two to three days to fully appreciate this pristine environment.

## Why Kangaroo Island Odysseys?

Just because Kangaroo Island is wild doesn't mean you have to rough it. At Kangaroo Island Odysseys we offer the ultimate in first-class eco-touring with guides that speak your language.

Experience personalised travel in comfort and style in our luxury four-wheel drive vehicles and discover Australian animals as they're meant to be seen – roaming freely.

We go off the beaten track to privately owned areas of the Island. Our guides include naturalists, biologists and wildlife enthusiasts and we never mix language commentary on the same tour, making each trip more enjoyable. Whether it's super chic, luxury coastal retreats or the laid-back vibe of a seaside hotel, we offer a great range of accommodation options to suit every budget.

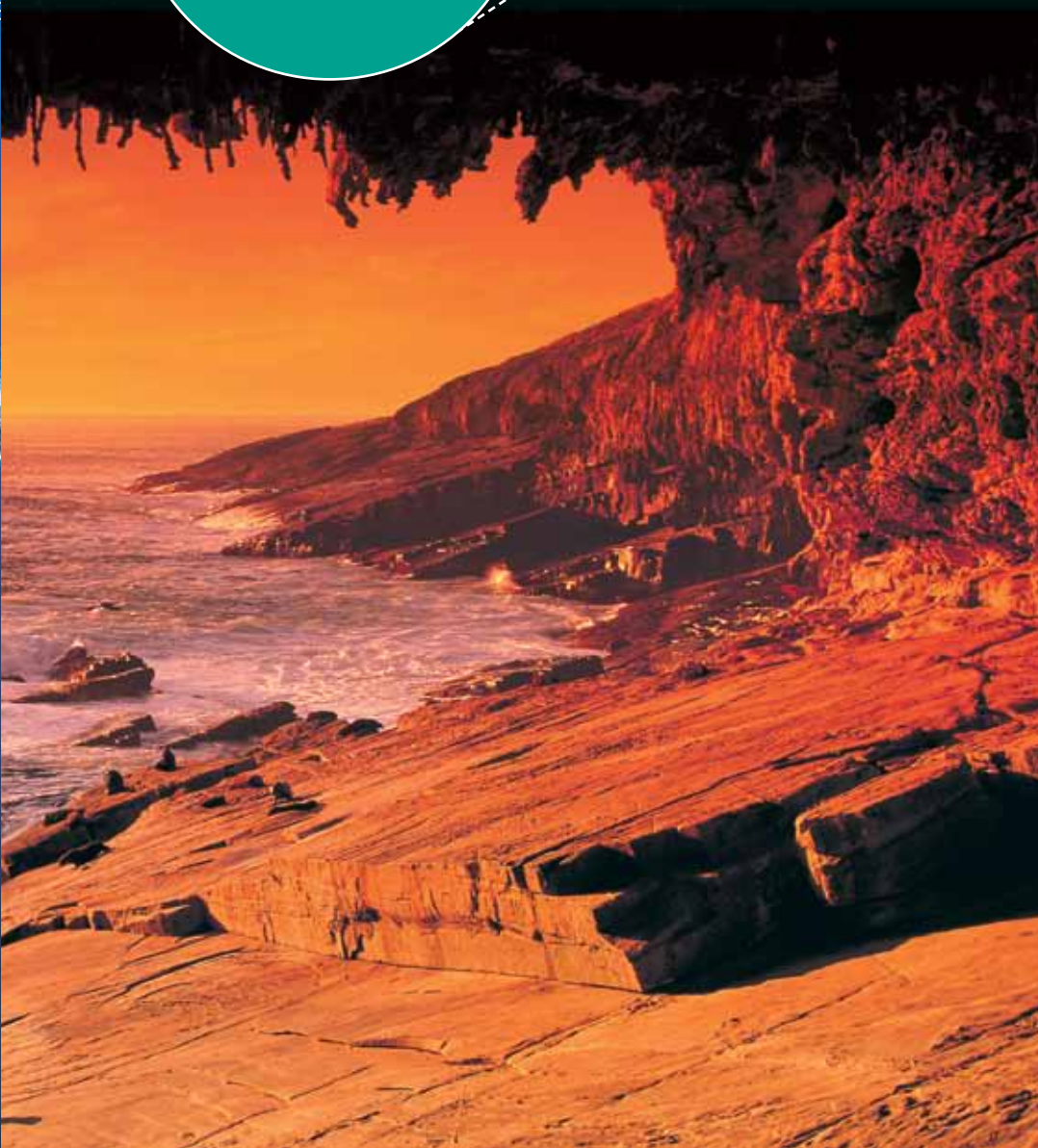
Personalised 4WD Nature & Wildlife Touring

Native Australian flora and fauna in the wild

Tailor made experiences for Kangaroo Island as well as other South Australian regions

Private Charters

Language specialists





## Where in the world?

A guided beach walk at Seal Bay is an exclusive opportunity to observe Australian Sea-lions in their natural environment of sand dunes, beach and ocean.

The koala is not a bear, it is a marsupial animal and eats mostly eucalypt leaves and rests or sleeps up to 18 hours a day.

## Kangaroo Island Wildlife Discovery

### TOUR W1

Want to see koalas, kangaroos and Sea-lions in the wild but only have a day to spare? This full-day tour starts with a guided and memorable walk past endangered Australian Sea-lions basking and playing in the water and on the beach at spectacular Seal Bay. After this unforgettable experience, enjoy a gourmet picnic lunch and a glass of local wine on a heritage-listed, exclusive natural bush land property before exploring the environment including the prolific bird life on a pleasant bushwalk. Its then on through the Island's interior to the stunning north coast beaches, spotting kangaroos, Tammar wallabies, koalas and echidnas along the way.

#### Highlights

Wander among Australia's most accessible Australian Sea-lion colony

Explore beaches and take walks through majestic native bush land

See koalas, kangaroos, wallabies, echidnas, bird life

Enjoy a delicious gourmet lunch in an Australian bush land setting

#### Includes

Four-wheel drive touring, park entrance fees, special permits, sightseeing and commentary, lunch and local wine

## Flinders Chase Nature & Wildlife

### TOUR W2

It's not just the wildlife that makes Kangaroo Island so special: the scenery is a stand out as well. On this one-day tour head to Flinders Chase National Park which takes up nearly 20% of the Island and has declared Wilderness Protection Areas. Watch some of the 10,000 playful New Zealand Fur Seals that frolic in the water at the amazing Admirals Arch where Mother Nature has really worked her magic and discover why Remarkable Rocks earned its name. Enjoy a gourmet picnic lunch with local wine in a secluded bush land setting before travelling to a private area of the Kelly Hill Conservation Park where we need a special permit to enter. Here we will spot koalas, kangaroos grazing and other native wildlife before rounding off a perfect day at Vivonne Bay, named Australia's best beach.

#### Highlights

Wander among the amazing Remarkable Rocks

Get up close to New Zealand fur seals at Admirals Arch

See one of South Australia's first Light Stations at Cape du Couedic

See koalas, kangaroos, Tammar Wallabies and other native wildlife

Enjoy a delicious gourmet lunch in a bush land setting

#### Includes

Four-wheel drive touring, park entrance fees, special permits, sightseeing and commentary, lunch and local wine



## Memorable encounters



The short-beaked echidna (or spiny anteater) has a very long, sticky tongue perfect for catching termites and ants. Like the platypus they are the world's last surviving monotremes.

The Kangaroo Island Kangaroo is a sub-species of the Western Grey Kangaroo on the mainland. They have thicker, darker brown fur and a 'deer-like' face.



## 2 Day / 1 Night Kangaroo Island Highlights

### TOUR K123

Combining our W1 and W2 day tours makes a fantastic two-day odyssey where you will experience the best of Kangaroo Island. See kangaroos, koalas and wonderful native birdlife in their natural habitats, wander past wild Australian Sea-lions, lunch in style in the private bush land settings and visit formations such as Remarkable Rocks and Admirals Arch. To cap it all off, a great range of accommodation awaits you.

#### Highlights

Unforgettable Australian Sea-lion walk at Seal Bay Conservation Park  
 Explore Flinders Chase National Park  
 See New Zealand fur seals at Admirals Arch  
 Wander among Remarkable Rocks  
 See wildlife ... in the wild!  
 Cape du Couedic Light Station  
 Enjoy gourmet lunches in the bush  
 Watch kangaroos and other native animals graze at Kelly Hill Conservation Park

#### Includes

Four-wheel drive touring, park entrance fees, special permits, sightseeing and commentary, lunch and local wine

## 3 Day / 2 Nights Natural Wonders of Kangaroo Island

### TOUR K133

This is the ultimate Kangaroo Island adventure: a chance to fully appreciate the wildlife and scenery of Australia's third largest island. As well as experiencing all the highlights of the two-day tour, enjoy an extra day to discover the eastern end of the Island where soaring lighthouses, sweeping bays and panoramic views await from the highest vantage point on the Island. Even the fascinating meeting between French and English explorers that happened here in 1803 is explained.

#### Highlights

Guided beach walk at Seal Bay  
 Explore Flinders Chase National Park  
 See koalas and kangaroos  
 Admirals Arch and Remarkable Rocks  
 Gourmet lunches in bush settings  
 Penneshaw and Frenchman's Rock  
 Cape Willoughby Light Station  
 Pennington Bay and Prospect Hill

#### Includes

Four-wheel drive touring, park entrance fees, special permits, sightseeing and commentary, lunch and local wine



## Let us explore

The famous 12 Apostles, magnificent rock stacks rising up from the Southern Ocean on Victoria's dramatic Great Ocean Road coastline.

The Barossa – rich in local produce, premium wines and heritage architecture.



## 4 Day / 3 Night Adelaide, Barossa Valley & Kangaroo Island

### TOUR KI47

Australia's best wine and wildlife experiences have been captured on this four day South Australian adventure. Spend a day exploring Adelaide at your leisure before heading to the Barossa Valley, Australia's most famous wine region. Visit Maggie Beer's Farm Shop and a 168-year-old Shiraz vineyard – believed to be the oldest in the world. Then it's on to discover the wildlife wonderland of Kangaroo Island where you can wander past wild Sea-lions at Seal Bay, spot koalas and kangaroos and discover the bizarre rock formations at Remarkable Rocks and Admirals Arch. Enjoy gourmet lunches in natural bush land settings and relax each night in first-class accommodation.

#### Highlights

Wine tasting in the Barossa Valley  
 Australian Sea-lions at Seal Bay  
 New Zealand fur seals at Cape du Couedic  
 Remarkable Rocks and Admirals Arch  
 Kangaroos at Kelly Hill Conservation Park  
 Koalas and other wildlife

2 gourmet picnic lunches, with local wine when on Kangaroo Island

#### Includes

Four-Wheel drive touring on Kangaroo Island, park entrance fees, special permits, sightseeing, commentary and lunches with local wine

**Note** – This is a partnership between Kangaroo Island Odysseys and Prime Mini Tours

## 5 Day / 4 Night Southern Explorer Adventure

### TOUR KI66

This is a 5-day spectacular tour from Melbourne to Adelaide via the world famous Great Ocean Road, with visits to gorgeous seaside towns, the Twelve Apostles, historic Ballarat, Grampians National Park, Aboriginal Cultural Centre and various art sites. Then venture on to the stunning Blue Lake, an extinct volcano in Mt Gambier before flying to Adelaide for overnight. Fly to Kangaroo Island next where you will traverse the Island over two days in a luxurious 4WD looking for echidnas, Tammur wallabies, kangaroos, koalas and Australian Sea-lions in the wild, not to mention the incredible and bizarre formations at Remarkable Rocks and Admirals Arch, birdlife, reptiles and wildflowers.

#### Highlights

3 days of guided touring from Melbourne to Adelaide  
 Overnight accommodation in Ballarat, Halls Gap, Adelaide and Kangaroo Island  
 Tour of Sovereign Hill in Ballarat  
 2 days of guided touring on Kangaroo Island

#### Includes

All flights, transfers, four-wheel drive touring on Kangaroo Island, park entrance fees, special permits sightseeing, commentary and breakfast and lunch daily

**Note** – This tour is also offered in reverse, is available in German language and as a private charter. This is a partnership between Kangaroo Island Odysseys, Magic Tours and Parkwood Personalised Tours



## The perfect setting to relax and refresh

Peerless views of the wild Southern Ocean, welcome to a sanctuary of comfort, style and inspiration.



## 3 Day / 2 Night Southern Highlights

### TOUR W4 SOL1

Southern Ocean Lodge is Australia's first true luxury lodge and after arriving, you'll understand why we give plenty of time to explore it at leisure. Chic, exotic and inspired are just some of the words used to describe this sanctuary of comfort set back from a cliff above the pounding surf. Enjoy lunch at your stunning lodgings, take advantage of spa facilities, indulge in pre-dinner drinks in the Great Room and dine decadently in the Restaurant before adjourning to your sumptuous suite with mesmerising views over the Southern Ocean.

The next day discover the best of Kangaroo Island on a private tour. Spot kangaroos at Kelly Hill Conservation Park, see Remarkable Rocks and Admirals Arch and watch New Zealand fur seals play in the waters at Cape du Couedic and then enjoy a gourmet lunch with wine in a native bush land setting. Then it's time to spot koalas while they lounge in the trees before heading to Seal Bay for a guided walk among Australian Sea-lions lazing on the beach and in the sand dunes – an amazing experience. Finish a perfect day at Vivonne Bay, declared the best beach in Australia, before returning to Southern Ocean Lodge for dinner. In the morning, transfer to the airport for your flight back to Adelaide.

#### Highlights

Southern Ocean Lodge... Australia's only true luxury lodge

Kangaroos and koalas in the wild

Guided walk at Seal Bay

Remarkable Rocks and Admirals Arch

New Zealand fur seals at Cape du Couedic

#### Includes

Airport/Hotel private transfers in Adelaide

Air travel Adelaide to Kangaroo Island

On-Island transfers to Southern Ocean Lodge

2 nights' accommodation at Southern Ocean Lodge (Flinders Suite)

1 day private 4WD touring experience

2 breakfasts, 1 lunch, 2 dinners at Southern Ocean Lodge

1 gourmet lunch with wine on tour

Park fees, permits and all sightseeing

**Note** – Special booking and payment terms and conditions apply for this tour. Extra nights can be purchased. No surcharge applies for private language tours – English, Italian, French, German, Spanish, Japanese and Mandarin.



## General Information

### Environmental Awareness

Leave nothing but footprints... Kangaroo Island Odysseys is committed to the environment ... which is why we've been awarded Advanced Ecotourism Certification under the Australian National Ecotourism Program. We own more than 280 hectares of heritage-listed, pristine native bushland on Kangaroo Island and we are revegetating some of the cleared areas to bring it back to life.

We are committed to achieving carbon neutral status by 2015, recycle wherever possible and use biodegradable chemicals to clean vehicles and kitchens.



### Language Tours

Language tours are conducted in French, German, Italian, Spanish, Mandarin and Japanese and conducted separately from our English language tours, making your tour more enjoyable.



### Luggage Limits

For flights between Kangaroo Island and Adelaide smaller aircraft are used and suitcases cannot be carried. This will entail 'packing down' to a smaller bag. When this occurs, luggage may be stored at the airport (fees may apply).

### Disclaimer

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