

BE AMAZED BY BEAUTIFUL BRIGHT.

BE NURTURED, AT THE OVENS VALLEY MOTOR INN.

# Your Itinerary

## HIGH COUNTRY HOLIDAYS

*Take in the picturesque scenery of Victoria's  
High Country in the company of friends.*



### DAY 1: TRAVEL TO BREATH-TAKING BRIGHT (D)

Pick up by coach from your specified location and travel to the Ovens Valley Motor Inn, Bright. Your coach captain will arrange morning tea and lunch, on the way to Bright.  
Dinner at Commercial Club Albury.

### DAY 2: MAJESTIC MT BUFFALO (BD)

We visit the Bright Museum for an informative presentation and tour. We then enjoy a town tour of Bright before continuing to the historic village of Wandiligong and visit to Nightingales Apple Orchard.

Its then back into Bright for free time where you have the chance to purchase lunch at one of the many excellent cafes, enjoy the lovely shops or a stroll in the park.

This afternoon we visit Mt Buffalo National Park, where alpine tourism was born in 1910. As we make our way up the scenic mountain we drive past waterfalls, lyre birds, wallabies and amazing rock formations nestled among mountain ash and snow gums. Wander the gardens of the historic Mt Buffalo Chalet, take a bush walk or relax while we serve afternoon tea. From the look out, on a clear day you can see to Mt Kosciusko.

Dinner tonight is served in the motel restaurant.

### DAY 3: LEGENDARY BEECHWORTH (BD)

After breakfast we travel through the hills to Beechworth where we will be accompanied by local character Pat for a town tour. You will move onto the historic Beechworth Gaol for a walking tour before being set free to enjoy the other experiences in town. You may choose to visit the Bourke Museum or the entire Beechworth Historic Precinct also incorporating the Court House, Telegraph Station & Chinese Cultural Centre. There is also a 20min film about Beechworth shown at the Visitors Centre every ½ hour.

It is then time to explore the gorgeous shops and cafes. You may like to eat lunch at the famous Beechworth Bakery. After lunch we visit the Beechworth Honey Experience before making our way to Yackandandah, a quaint town with gorgeous galleries, which was also the film set for the movie 'Strange Bedfellows' in 2004 starring Paul Hogan.

Dinner tonight is served in the motel restaurant.

### DAY 4: GOURMET CROSSROADS (BLD)

This morning we visit the Australian Pumpkin Seed Company to sample the products and learn about these speciality seeds Then enjoy free time in Myrtleford, a chance for a coffee, shopping or a river walk.

We then head to the Red Stag Deer Farm for lunch and a talk. Take the opportunity to walk around the farm and have a chat to the animals.

This afternoon we visit the Milawa gourmet region, where we stop at Milawa Cheese Factory to enjoy a talk & tasting of their award winning products. We pop into Milawa Mustard and the olive shop. On our way home we visit Gapsted Winery for a tasting while enjoying the most spectacular views of the valley. Dinner tonight is served in the motel restaurant.

### DAY 5: HIDDEN HARRIETVILLE (BLD)

On arriving in Harrietville this morning we visit Lavender Hue for beautiful Devonshire tea including a lavender scene. Our charismatic host Verona will entertain you with stories of the working farm and its beginnings.

We visit the Harrietville dredge hole, once a working dredge now a tranquil lake, then enjoy a picnic in Pioneer Park. It is then on to the Mountain Fresh Trout Farm where you will learn a thing or two about fishing, you have the option to catch your own fish and we will cook it for dinner tonight. We travel down the valley to Smoko to meet Rocky & Margaret at Gunnadoo Berries for a farm talk and chance to purchase local produce.

This afternoon there is the option to hire an electric bike and ride the Rail Trail to Porepunkah or just enjoy your last afternoon relaxing by the pool.

Tonight we enjoy our farewell dinner including that delicious fresh trout we caught today.

### DAY 6: TRAVEL HOME (B)

Today we wave good bye to your group and hope your memories of our beautiful region stay in your hearts for a long time, Your coach captain will arrange morning tea and lunch stop, on the way home.

*We hope you enjoy our slice of Victoria.  
Shannon & Simeon Crawley*

Daily meals included in tour cost:

(B) Breakfast

(L) Lunch

(D) Dinner

