



# Pursers Hosted Journeys



## Christmas on Norfolk Island

Monday, 20 December 2021 - Tuesday, 28 December 2021

**EX BRISBANE**



**Tour Cost from: \$4075.00 per person twin share (Single Supplement \$570.00)**

**Tour Price based on minimum 15 paying passengers.**

Please note that the itinerary is subject to change without notice.

**Day 1 – Monday, 20 December 2021**

**Depart South Burnett – Arrive Brisbane**

**Accommodation: Brisbane Ibis Airport Hotel**

- This afternoon, travel from the South Burnett by coach to Brisbane Ibis Airport Hotel for your overnight stay (Room Only).
- *Dinner is at your own expense.*

**Day 2 – Tuesday, 21 December 2021**

**Depart Brisbane – Arrive Norfolk Island**

**Accommodation: South Pacific Resort Hotel**

- This morning, transfer to the Brisbane International Airport for your Air New Zealand flight to Norfolk Island. *Breakfast will be at your own expense.*
- Upon arrival on Norfolk Island you will be met and transferred to your accommodation.
- Arrive at South Pacific Resort Hotel – where you will be based for the entire week. The South Pacific Resort Hotel is nestled in 3.5 hectares of beautiful parkland, and a short walk to the island's main shopping township of Burnt Pine.
- Your Welcome Dinner tonight will be the Cliff Top Island Fish Fry (BYO Drinks). Take in the scenery of Norfolk's beautiful western coastline while enjoying a feast of island dishes, salads and fresh fried fish. Also enjoy some of the local entertainment.

**Meal Inclusions – Dinner**

### Day 3 – Wednesday, 22 December 2021

- After a cooked breakfast, spend the morning exploring your Norfolk Island accommodation and your new surrounds.
- This afternoon discover Norfolk Island on a Half Day Island Tour – a must for every visitor! Visit historic Kingston, Cascade, Longridge and much more. See and hear about the famous convict buildings, beautiful beaches and golf course, the renowned Melanesian Chapel, Norfolk Island government, laws and lifestyle. Enjoy views from scenic spots on this full commentary conducted tour. Rest for a delicious afternoon tea in the garden of a historic island home built by Fletcher Quintal – descendant of 'Bounty' mutineers Fletcher Christian and Matthew Quintal.
- This evening enjoy the warm hospitality of island families at a Progressive Dinner. Learn about their heritage and life on Norfolk Island. Enjoy a 3-course home cooked meal. A glass of wine is served with dinner or BYO if you wish.

**Meal Inclusions** – Breakfast, Afternoon Tea & Dinner

### Day 4 – Thursday, 23 December 2021

- Enjoy breakfast at South Pacific Resort Hotel followed by time to spend relaxing or exploring the island on your own.
- This afternoon, visit the stunning cliff top property Hilli Goat Farm at Anson Bay where you will meet the cheeky goats. Learn about the milking and cheese making process, then sit down to a delicious Hilli Goat style feast of beautiful local produce.
- Tonight enjoy a two-course dinner at the restaurant at your South Pacific Resort Hotel accommodation.

**Meal Inclusions** – Breakfast, Afternoon Tea & Dinner

### Day 5 – Friday, 24 December 2021

- Start your day with a breakfast bushwalk. Your walk will take you through diverse habitat from rainforest to cliff tops, while the topography is hilly, the pace is relaxed, and the guides cater to a range of fitness levels. Your efforts will be richly rewarded with a delicious barbeque breakfast with all the trimmings.
- This afternoon enjoy your own time exploring more of beautiful Norfolk Island.
- Tonight's dinner will be at the Norfolk Island Bowling Club where you will enjoy a one-course meal at the Bistro.

**Meal Inclusions** – Breakfast and Dinner





Day 6 – Saturday, 25 December 2021

### Christmas Day

Merry Christmas!!!

- ° This morning enjoy a relaxing cooked breakfast at your accommodation.
- ° For those who would like the option of attending a Christmas Church Service, a transfer from your accommodation can be arranged.
- ° A decadent Christmas Lunch will be served.
- ° More delicious culinary delights will be served for Christmas Dinner at South Pacific Resort Hotel.

**Meal Inclusions** – Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

Day 7 – Sunday, 26 December 2020

- ° Enjoy a full cooked breakfast this morning, followed by time to spend relaxing or exploring on your own.
- ° This afternoon enjoy Norfolk's signature Settlement Secrets Tour which reveals the tumultuous tale of Norfolk Island history and offers the most comprehensive and in-depth tour of the iconic Convict Kingston UNESCO World Heritage listed site with special emphasis on the unique and rare aspects of the site and human experience through story-telling. The tour also includes a walk through the colonial cemetery and the Landing Place.
- ° Tonight savour the culture, music and laughter and enjoy a delicious two course feast with the Mutineers! Enjoy a complimentary drink on arrival along with island dancing, island drumming, weaving and language, as well as talks on whaling.

**Meal Inclusions** – Breakfast and Dinner

Day 8 – Monday, 27 December 2020

- ° Start the day with a cooked breakfast, before spending the morning at Fletcher's Mutiny Cyclorama and Art Gallery. The Cyclorama provides a total experience. Visitors walk inside one continuous 360° panoramic painting and feel as though they are standing on a pier or ship's deck and are a part of the scenes. Walk inside this unique work of art that will take you on an incredible journey. Discover how the world's most famous mutiny created the Pitcairn and Norfolk communities.
- ° Enjoy a delicious Devonshire Tea at Hilli's Restaurant.
- ° Learn the story of English pirates and Polynesian Princesses. The Curious Castaways – our Island Culture Tour includes fascinating early Pitcairner history, Norfolk language, weaving and wetls/traditional food tasting. This tour offers guests the opportunity to explore the island with an experienced and knowledgeable local guide, who will introduce you to all that Norfolk Island has to offer and share with you fascinating insights into the rich and varied past on Norfolk Island.
- ° Tonight's Farewell Dinner will be at Hilli's Restaurant. Enjoy a two-course dinner at the local a' la carte restaurant.

**Meal Inclusions** – Breakfast, Morning Tea, Dinner

- Enjoy a relaxing cooked breakfast at South Pacific Resort Hotel, followed by free time to complete any last minute shopping prior to your departure from Norfolk Island.
- This afternoon, transfer to the airport and bid farewell to beautiful Norfolk Island before your return flight home.
- On arrival into Brisbane, you will be met for your return journey to the South Burnett with Pursers Coaches.

### Meal Inclusions – Breakfast



### **Important Information:**

#### **COVID-19**

Due to the ongoing current global circumstances and the impact of COVID-19, Pursers Coaches Pty Ltd is not responsible for any travel restrictions imposed by state or federal governments before or during your travel. Pursers Coaches Pty Ltd will continue to monitor the relevant government agencies and will advise our group passengers if any special requirements for entry are necessary.

Pursers Coaches Pty Ltd is not responsible for any costs incurred to you for changes or cancellations of your booking by you and/or suppliers.

Pursers Coaches Pty Ltd is bound by our wholesalers/suppliers and their Terms and Conditions as well as government authorities. Pursers Coaches Pty Ltd has the right to charge cancellation and amendment fees as per our Fee Schedule.

#### **General Information/Health and Fitness**

There is no age limit or fitness standard required to participate in the Norfolk Island Tour.

In some destinations there are sightseeing excursions by foot. It is suggested that if you are elderly or have recently suffered a serious illness that you consult your doctor to see if you are fit to travel. Please be aware that a variety of temperatures may be encountered on the tour. Any disability or medical condition requiring special attention must be advised at the time of booking.

Pursers Coaches Pty Ltd is not responsible for any loss of enjoyment, loss of touring or loss of monies should the passenger be unable to participate in the tour or in any or all of the activities.

Pursers Coaches Pty Ltd will endeavour to assist all passengers but are unable to guarantee provision of individual assistance to any passenger for walking, dining, boarding or alighting coaches or other transportation vehicles or other personal needs.

Pursers Coaches Pty Ltd welcomes passengers with disabilities or special needs. Please feel free to discuss your particular needs with our friendly staff. It is the passenger's responsibility to advise of their circumstances to ensure the selected tour is suited to their individual needs.

### **Passport/Visa Requirements:**

From 1 July 2016, travel to Norfolk Island from mainland Australia will be classed as domestic travel.

The Department of Immigration and Border Protection advises anyone travelling between Norfolk Island and mainland Australia will be required to identify themselves. Although passports and visas are no longer mandatory for Australian citizens when travelling to Norfolk Island from Australia, a valid passport continues to be the preferred method of identification.

- It is recommended that you travel with a passport if you have one, however, technically from 1 July 2016 photographic identification for Australian citizens such as an Australian driver's licence, will be acceptable.
- It's important you provide us with your full name as it appears on your Passport or Driver's Licence to ensure your airline ticket matches your ID document.
- Those without a passport may experience some delays with manual customs checks.
- Those travelling without a passport should also be aware that in the event of a flight diversion eg. due to inclement weather preventing the aircraft from landing on the island, the flight could be diverted to New Zealand. Those passengers without an Australian or New Zealand passport will not be permitted to leave the transit area at Auckland airport.

### **Airline Check in:**

The flights will depart from and arrive at the **Brisbane International Airport.**

Check in is required two hours prior to the scheduled departure time.

### **Luggage:**

Checked luggage is limited to 23kg per person.

A limit of 7kg per person carry-on luggage is permitted.

All bags must be clearly labelled with a name.



### **Seat Rotation:**

For the enjoyment of all passengers the tour operates a daily seat rotation system which all travellers must participate in as a condition of booking.

### **Dress:**

Casual/comfortable clothes are suggested for the duration of the tour. Suitable footwear is recommended. Please ensure you pack a hat/visor, sunglasses and sunscreen.

**Mobile Phone:**

Norfolk Telecom's 3G/4G telecommunications network went live on Tuesday 12 January, 2021; the existing 2G network was switched off on the same day. Visitors to Norfolk Island are currently unable to use mobile phone roaming services from their telecommunications providers overseas and will need to connect to Norfolk Telecom in order to access mobile phone and internet services.

**Norfolk Telecom Visitor SIM**

A Visitor SIM can be purchased from Customer Care who are located at 9 New Cascade Road. Customer Care offices are open Monday to Friday, 9am – 4pm. In order to use a Norfolk Island Telecom SIM card, your phone must not be locked to a network provider. The Visitor SIM is valid for 21 days and includes: 2 GB of data, 25 minutes of call time to local mobile phones and 25 minutes to local landlines, as well as 5 international dial minutes to Australia and/or New Zealand and 100 local texts.

**Dietary Requirements:**

Special dietary requests (eg: Vegetarian, Gluten Free, Lactose Intolerant and Diabetic) should be advised at the time of booking. These requirements will be forwarded onto the accommodation and tour providers. Any further intolerances needing to be managed are the responsibility of the passenger.

**Free WiFi:**

Free WiFi is available at the Norfolk Island Airport during flight arrival and departure times only.

**Special Requirements:**

Please ensure you bring any prescription medication needed.

**Travel Insurance**

It is strongly recommended that passengers be covered by adequate travel insurance for protection against amendment or cancellation costs, travel delay, luggage, accidental death and personal liability. For the purposes of travel insurance Norfolk Island is deemed to be a domestic destination. As airlines do not accept responsibility for flight delays or cancellations due to weather, passengers electing not to take travel insurance do so at their own risk for costs or losses incurred. Pursers Coaches are agents for Covermore Travel Insurance. Please ask for an obligation free quote.

**Medical Treatment**

Effective 1 July 2016, medical treatment on Norfolk Island is covered by Medicare as it is on mainland Australia. Emergency medical treatment will be covered by Medicare or your private health insurer. If you need to be medically evacuated from the island, you will be transferred from Norfolk Island's health facility to the closest, appropriate mainland hospital. The cost of the medivac will be covered by the Australian Government.



**Tour Price Includes:**

Return coach transfers from South Burnett to Brisbane Airport  
Return economy airfares and taxes from Brisbane Airport to Norfolk Island  
Return airport transfers on Norfolk Island  
1 x night accommodation – Brisbane Ibis Airport Hotel (Room only)  
7 x night accommodation – South Pacific Resort Hotel Norfolk Island  
7 x Breakfast  
1 x Lunch  
1 x Morning Tea  
2 x Afternoon Tea  
7 x Dinner  
Half Day Island Tour  
Decadent Christmas Lunch  
Hilli Goat Farm Tour – The Norfolk Whey  
Fletcher’s Mutiny Cyclorama  
Progressive Dinner  
Curious Castaways – Norfolk Island Cultural Tour  
Settlement Secrets Tour  
Cliff Top Island Fish Fry  
A Night with the Mutineers  
Bonus Norfolk Island Discount Shopping Card



**Tour Price Excludes:**

Beverages  
Optional tours and services  
Travel Insurance  
Excess Luggage  
Meals and drinks not specified  
Items of a personal nature - laundry etc.

***Non-refundable deposit of \$500.00 per person is due at time of booking to confirm your place on this tour together with a completed booking form.***

***Tour Balance Due – Friday, 3 September 2021***

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