

PRELIMINARY ITINERARY

WORLD HERITAGE PROSPECTS: THE ADELAIDE PLAN, SYSTEMATIC COLONISATION AND THE CORNISH DIASPORA IN SOUTH AUSTRALIA



Redruth Goal. Image by Nadinne Grace Photography



Unicorn Brewery Cellars. Image by Nadinne Grace Photography

Adelaide was designed as a 19th Century colonial experiment, mixing social ideals and commercial outcomes. Its design is intact and speaks to utopian ideals.

Tour highlights include the City of Adelaide and Park Lands Tour and the National Heritage listed Burra and Moonta colonial mine sites and towns, a living part of the Cornish diaspora.

World heritage discussions will be accompanied by world renowned wines from the Clare Valley.

Adelaide – the Adelaide Plan and Systematic Colonisation

The Adelaide component will take you on a tour of the expansive Park Lands, Squares and the generous Terraces and well-ordered streets of the city, immersing you in the planning outcomes of the social and political reform movement of pre-Victorian England.

Early Migrants and International Diasporas

The regional tour will explore the potential trans-national World Heritage value of the Cornish diaspora, celebrated in the National Heritage place listing of the Cornish Mining Sites Burra and Moonta.

This tour will explore and experience the unique heritage values of the 1840s-1870s colonial township of Burra. A workshop will be convened to discuss issues associated with the impact of World heritage listings on the local community and the benefits of heritage listing to the world community.

Heritage Management in Australia

Burra is also the home of Australia's world-renowned Burra Charter, the guiding document for heritage management in Australia. A discussion surrounding the Charter, first adopted by Australia ICOMOS in 1979, and its impact within the world heritage conversation is proposed, fittingly accompanied by fine wine from the first-class surrounding Clare Valley region.



Hosted by:

Regional Council of Goyder and Heritage South Australia, of the SA Department for Environment and Water

In collaboration with:

Adelaide City Council, Copper Coast Council, National Trust SA, Clare & Gilbert Valleys Council and Light Regional Council

Day One – Monday 28 August 2023

Please make your own travel arrangements to Adelaide.
Upon arrival at Adelaide please make your own way to your accommodation.

- Morning Enjoy a self-guided walking tour of your choice to explore Adelaide.
1400hrs Meet in the foyer of the Adelaide Town Hall, 128 King William Street for early afternoon tea and a welcome with the Lord Mayor of Adelaide. UNESCO World Heritage bid introduction/explanation.
1500hrs Departure via coach for your afternoon tour of Adelaide City and Park Lands.
1800hrs You will be dropped off at your hotel after the tour to enjoy the evening at leisure.

Accommodation: Crowne Plaza Adelaide x 1 night (4 star)
27 Frome Street, Adelaide, SA 5000
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Day Two – Tuesday 29 August 2023 (B, L)

- 0630hrs Breakfast at your hotel
- 0750hrs Please wait in the hotel foyer for coach pick up.
0800hrs Travel to National Heritage Listed Burra situated in Mid North South Australia and learn about the Cornish mining history and settlement patterns in South Australia. Hear about George Goyder, a surveyor from the 1860's, who is remembered today for Goyder's Line of rainfall, a line used in South Australia to demarcate land climatically suitable for arable farming from that suitable only for light grazing and to whom the region was named after.
- 1000hrs **Arrive in Burra**
1030hrs **Welcome to Country-** Receive a Welcome to Country by a Ngadjuri Elder and enjoy a morning tea at the heritage listed Paxton Cottages Function Centre situated in the heart of Burra along the banks of the beautiful Burra Creek.
- 1130 hrs **Tour of Burra Mine Site-** Enjoy a guided tour of the Burra Mine Site, a Nationally Heritage Listed Area. The open-air museum contains remains of the mining operations, recreating the exciting atmosphere of the monster mine.
- 1300hrs **Lunch at the restored Burra Heritage Railway Station-** Be spoilt with a delicious lunch at the recently restored station which showcases the Mid North railway history. When the railway reached Burra in 1870, the Adelaide-Burra line was more than half the total railway line laid in South Australia. The station is also home to a megafauna display- a partial skeleton of Diprotodon australis, the first fossil mammal named from Australia.



- 1430hrs **Burra Heritage Passport Tour-** The town of Burra is rich with mining heritage and most of its 1840's legacy is still intact. The surest way to get the whole picture is to undertake the Burra Heritage Passport tour, which gives you instant access to see, hear and touch the past. This guided tour of the Passport will allow you access to eleven locked sites, including the Monster Mine area, Redruth Gaol, the underground Unicorn Brewery Cellars and the Dugouts.
- 1600hrs Check in to your accommodation at **Paxton Square Cottages-** Experience the executive heritage apartments, featuring contemporary fit outs of miners' cottages dating from 1848 and be part of the town's living cultural heritage.
- 1800hrs **Pre dinner drinks at the Burra Town Hall-** One of Australia's great small halls built in 1857 for the Welsh and Cornish miners.
- 1900hrs Enjoy a Traditional Aussie Country Pub Meal and meet the locals (at own cost)

Day Three – Wednesday 30 August 2023 (B, L)

- 0700hrs Breakfast supplied in your room's kitchen provided by Paxton Square Cottages
- 0800hrs Travel to Moonta by coach- Stop at Lake Bumbunga- Lochiel's famous Pink Lake which is known to change colour from pink to white to blue depending on the salinity of the water throughout the year.
- 1030hrs **Moonta Mines Railway tour on train-** Departing from the platform adjacent to the Moonta Mines Museum, the Moonta Mines Tourist Railway is a guided tour of the historic Moonta Mines State Heritage Area. Featuring extensive commentary from a local driver, you will be taken past many historic landmarks of the former mining operations, including the reservoir, ore sorting floors, and through a tunnel in Ryans Tailings Heap. It visits the former Precipitation Works, which was set up in 1900 to recover additional copper from the tailings heaps, a process which continued until 1943.
- 1130 hrs **Tour of Moonta Mine and Museum-** Experience the history and culture of Moonta and districts with a wealth of interesting displays on show. The museum is located in the former Moonta Mines Model School, erected in 1878
- 1300hr Lunch at the Moonta Mines Church- Participate in a presentation on the Conservation Management for the Nationally Heritage listed Burra and Moonta.
- 1430hrs Travel to Wallaroo- View the open cut mine on your travels.
- 1500hrs Gin and beer tasting at the Bond Store- Microbrewery, Distillery and Restaurant (drinks at own cost)
- 1600hrs Depart Wallaroo
- 1800hrs Arrive back in Burra
- 1900hr Dinner at the Paxton Cottage Function Centre and the remaining of the evening at your leisure

Day Four – Thursday 31 August 2023 (B, L)

- 0800hrs Coach travel to the Clare Valley one of Australia's oldest wine regions and boasting its world class Riesling.
- 0830hrs **Catered breakfast at Bungaree Station and guided tour-** Let the owners share the stories of Bungaree which was the headquarters of one of Australia's most successful sheep



flocks, running 100,000 merino sheep at a time. With over 50 staff and their families living on the property, Bungaree soon resembled a small village, with its own Store, School, District Council Chambers, Blacksmith Shop and Church, as well as the Woolshed, Shearers Quarters, Homestead, Manager's House and other staff cottages.

- 1020hrs Coach travel to Seven Hill
- 1045hrs **Sevenhill Wines and Monastery tour** - The first winery in the Clare Valley, Sevenhill Cellars was established by Jesuits in 1851 to produce sacramental wine. Today, the award-winning cellar door offers a diverse range of table wines that are highly regarded throughout Australia and overseas.
- 1230 hrs Relax in the beautiful gardens of Sevenhill Wines whilst enjoying a picnic lunch
- 1300hrs Coach travel Watervale to Martindale Hall
- 1315hrs **Martindale Hall tour**- Martindale Hall built in 1879, is a unique experience of a living museum, where you will take a step back in time during this tour to the days of gracious living on a large pastoral estate late in the 1800's to early 1900's.
- 1430 hrs **Mintaro heritage town walk and slate quarry visit**- Stroll through this small, thoroughly charming, largely untouched historic town features some of the most significant and captivating 19th century buildings and ruins in the state. Mintaro has long been regarded as one of the region's most captivating and picturesque destinations. Pop into the local pub for a drink and meet the locals at the end of your walk.
- 1530hrs Travel Back to Burra stopping to visit the recently completed Farrell Flat train silo art which depicts the last train to pass through this historic township. An art piece covering 900 square metres!
- 1615hrs Arrive back in Burra and relax before dinner
- 1800 hrs **Edge of the Outback Dinner Experience**- Experience a farm to table 4 course meal under the stars on Ngadjuri country, whilst enjoying live music and other entertainment during the evening.

Day Five – Friday 1 September 2023 (B, L)

- 0700hrs Breakfast supplied in your room's kitchen provided by Paxton Square Cottages
- 0800hrs Check out and travel by coach to Hallett to visit Sir Hubert Wilkins Cottage
- 0830hrs **Sir Hubert Wilkins Cottage**- Visit the birthplace of one of Australia's most famous explorers. In a life filled with extraordinary adventures, Sir George 'Hubert' Wilkins is particularly noted for 'firsts', including flights across the Arctic and in Antarctica, and taking a submarine beneath the frozen Arctic Ocean. He was also a war correspondent, cinematographer, naturalist, geographer and pioneering climatologist.
- 0930hrs Travel by coach to Kapunda
- 1045hrs **Kapunda** – View the Kapunda Mine which was the first successful commercial metal mine in Australia and together with Burra contributed to the colony's recovery from economic crisis in the early 1840s. Then head to the Bagot's Fortune Museum which is an interpretative display covering all aspects of the early mining and pioneer lifestyle.
- 1245hrs Travel back to Adelaide (lunch provided on bus trip)
- 1430hrs Arrive in Adelaide
Please make your own travel arrangements to depart Adelaide Airport to Sydney

End of Arrangements

**Tour Cost:**

\$2,295.00 per person based on double occupancy

\$2,410.00 per person based on single occupancy

Tour Inclusions:

- Accommodation as specified
- Bus tour and sightseeing as per the itinerary
- English speaking commentary
- Breakfast daily and other meals as specified (Breakfast = B, Lunch = L, Dinner = D)

Not Included

- Airfares to/from destination
- Arrival Airport transfers in destination
- Meals other than specified
- Personal expenses
- Beverages & anything not specifically mentioned
- Arrival and Departure transfers in destination

Airfares

Domestic airfares to pre and post tour destinations are not included in the ground cost of the tour. You may still register on the pre and post tours if you have not finalised your travel arrangements. On completion of the registration form, you will be issued with an access key, which you need to record as this key allows you to access and update your booking and registration details at a later date.

Restrictions/Accessibility: Some of the heritage sites may not be suitable for wheelchairs or persons with limited mobility.

Fitness level: Moderate

Minimum number of participants: 10

Maximum number of participants: 30

Is French speaking commentary available: No