

Norfolk Island Getaway Fully Escorted Small Group Tour^



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Experience the unique history, culture and spectacular scenery of Norfolk Island. From World Heritage-listed convict sites to the hospitality and delicious fare of Bounty descendants, there's plenty to see and do on this South Pacific paradise.

Inclusions:

- Return economy airfares from Brisbane to Norfolk Island
- Meet & greet on arrival at Norfolk Airport
- Return airport to hotel transfers on Norfolk Island
- 7 nights accommodation at the Paradise Hotel
- Daily Breakfast
- Welcome dinner at Hilli Restaurant
- Morning Island Orientation Tour
- Foundation Day Reenactment followed by
- Morning Fletcher's Mutiny Cyclorama & Art Gallery.
- Taste of Norfolk Tour
- **Evening Progressive Dinner**

- Colleen McCullough Home Tour
- Afternoon Pitcairn Settlers Village Tour
- Captain Cook Lookout
- Morning Hilli Goat Farm Tour
- Evening Island Fish Feast
- Convict Settlement Tour
- Farewell dinner at Castaway Restaurant

Highlights:

- Taste some popular Island dishes.
- Get a glimpse into the life of a modernday literacy icon.
- Meet the local people in their island homes and hear Norfolk stories.
- Learn how the world's most famous mutiny created the Pitcairn and Norfolk communities - laugh, cheer and sing along with their descendants.
- Meet cheeky goats and learn about the milking and cheese making process.





From \$4,649 pp single



Day by Day Itinerary

Saturday 4 March 2023

Depart Brisbane Airport on your flight to Norfolk Island where you will be met at the airport and transferred to your accommodation. Unwind and enjoy your stay in comfort and privacy at the Paradise Hotel, located in the heart of the town centre, Norfolk's shopping and café district. This evening, get to know your group with a welcome dinner at Hilli Restaurant, you will be picked up from your hotel. Included meals: dinner

Accommodation: Paradise Hotel

Sunday 5 March 2023

After breakfast, you will depart on a half day Island Orientation tour. 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, the Government, laws and lifestyle. Enjoy views from scenic spots on this full commentary conducted tour. The remainder of your day is at leisure.

Included meals: breakfast Accommodation: Paradise Hotel

Monday 6 March 2023

Today is Norfolk's Foundation Day public holiday. On 6 March 1788 Lieutenant Philip Gidley King arrived with the first settlers - a party of fifteen convicts, 9 males, 6 females and 7 free men, to take control of Norfolk Island so the Island didn't fall into the hands of the French who were also interested in the South Pacific. Foundation Day celebrates this historical occasion and attracts many visitors especially those who are researching their family heritage. The re-enactment and celebrations all take place at Kingston, the World Heritage area of Norfolk Island. This will be followed by lunch under the marquee at Kingston.

Included meals: breakfast & lunch Accommodation: Paradise Hotel

Tuesday 7 March 2023

This morning head to Fletcher's Mutiny Cyclorama & 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 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



by Devonshire tea at Hilli Restaurant. In the afternoon, you will be picked up from your hotel and transferred to your "Taste of Norfolk" tour. On Taste of Norfolk you will meet first hand some passionate local producers. Visit a bee-keepers home where you will view flow hives and learn about the fascinating local honeybees and view their incredible flight path to their hives. Here you will taste the local honey. See how a Norfolk couple are trying their hand at tanning the skins of the cattle you see roaming the sides if the road. Visit another host who is making local salt from the oceans that surround our little island. You will taste of our local beef and the salt they are producing for cooking and table. Then moving on to meet another Norfolk Islander where you'll view a cooking demonstration. You will see and hear about our traditional dishes that were handed down by our Tahitian foremothers. This evening you will be partaking in a 3-course Progressive Dinner where you will enjoy the warm hospitality of different Norfolk Island family homes and learn about their heritage and life on Norfolk

Included meals: breakfast & dinner Accommodation: Paradise Hotel

Wednesday 8 March 2023

This morning, you will be escorted through the magnificent home of Colleen McCullough. The world-renowned author of 24 books called Norfolk Island home foralmost 36 years. She and husband, Norfolk Islander, Ric Robinson, created a



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^Small group: Minimum 10, maximum 20 participants. Minimum numbers required to guarantee departure.



luxurious hideaway and maintained their privacy to ensure that Colleen had the perfect environment for her writing. Some of her most powerful titles were created in this much-loved sanctuary. Ric and Colleen's home was never open to the public until her passing. This exclusive guided tour to the author's magnificent property takes you through Ric and Colleen's home and you will be able to view some of their priceless collections from around the world. This afternoon, you will be picked up from your hotel and transferred to Pitcairn Settlers Village where you will learn about the colourful history of Norfolk's most recent settlement – the Pitcairn descendants. Experience the history and culture of the Pitcairn Settlers. View the magnificent homestead gardens, including many traditional crops.

Included meals: breakfast Accommodation: Paradise Hotel

Thursday 9 March 2023

After breakfast, you will have a chance to the monumental and scenic lookout where Captain Cook and his officers landed in 1774. You will later be transferred from your hotel to The Hilli Goat Farm. Visit this stunning cliff top property at Anson Bay and 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, handmade cheeses and breads, fresh fish and so much more. A complimentary glass of wine is also included. This afternoon will be at your own leisure. Tonight, you will have an eagle-eyed view of the tiny crescent-shaped beach and the magnificent spread of ocean stretching to the far horizon. The beautifully set tables will delight you - it's the most glamorous picnic you will ever attend! Scrumptiously fresh, local fish is prepared the local way and accompanied with a range of seasonal island dishes including those passed down from our Polynesian fore-mothers. This extends even to dessert. Our feast kicks off with entertainment, by a local singer and Tahitian-style dancers.

Included meals: breakfast & dinner Accommodation: Paradise Hotel

Friday 10 March 2023

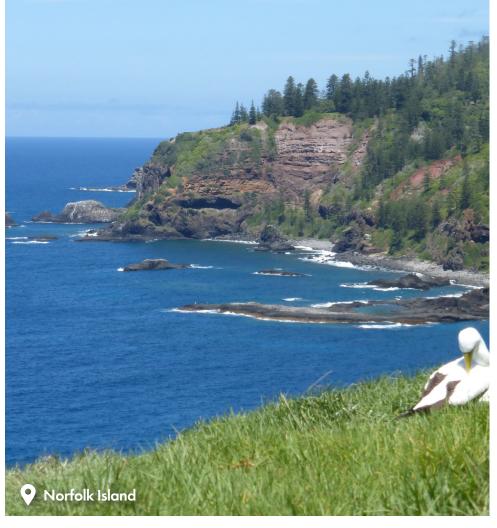
After breakfast, the morning will be at your own leisure to relax or explore. In

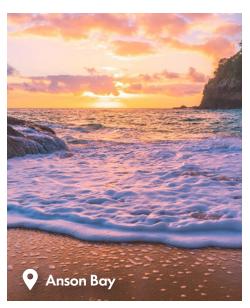
the afternoon, you will enjoy the Convict Settlement tour. An 'In Depth' tour of the historic Georgian settlement of Kingston. Walk through the cemetery and hear the history of interesting convict and colonial headstones, hear stories of the houses along Quality Row. Walk through the ruins of the New Gaol, see the Pier Store, Boat Shed and the Crank Mill. This evening you will have your farewell dinner at Castaway Restaurant. Enjoy a grazing platter and delicious wood-fire pizza.

Included meals: breakfast & farewell dinner Accommodation: Paradise Hotel

Saturday 11 March 2023

This morning is free to do some last minute shopping or just relax prior to your departure to Norfolk Island Airport for your flight to Brisbane On arrival in Brisbane Airport, this marks the end of your memorable holiday. Included meals: breakfast





Essential information:

- All prices are in AUD unless otherwise stated
- We take a \$600 deposit plus the cost of any airfares at the time of booking.
- It is your responsibility to ensure you have a valid passport (international destinations only) and all the correct documentation and/or visas required for travel.
- Travel insurance is strongly recommended for all passengers