SOLO TRAVELLER FRIENDLY TOUR

Discover Norfolk Island

7 FEBRUARY 2022 **SOLD OUT!**
2 MAY 2022
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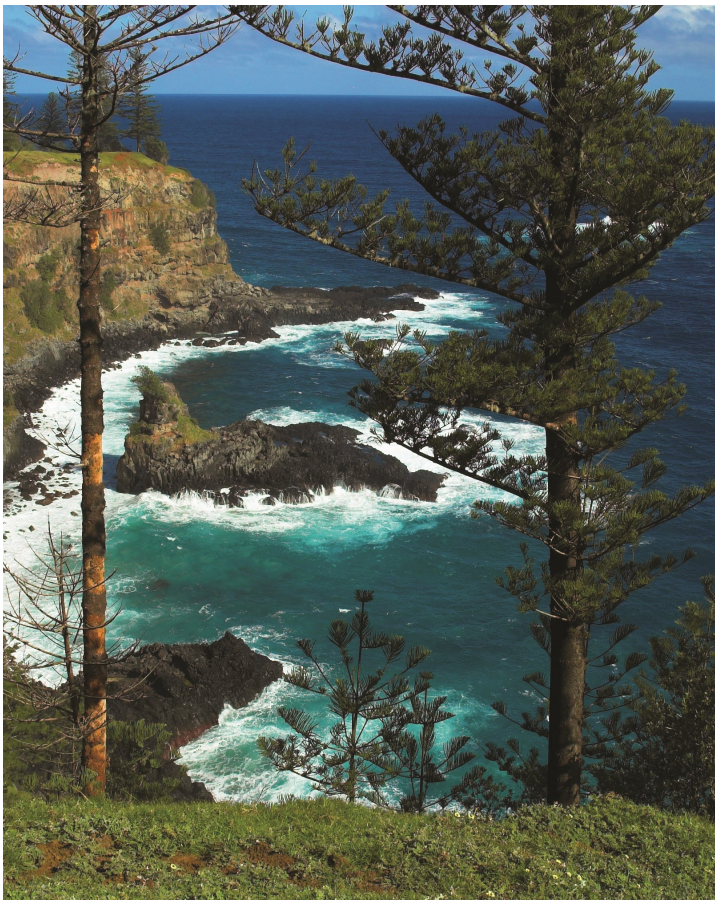
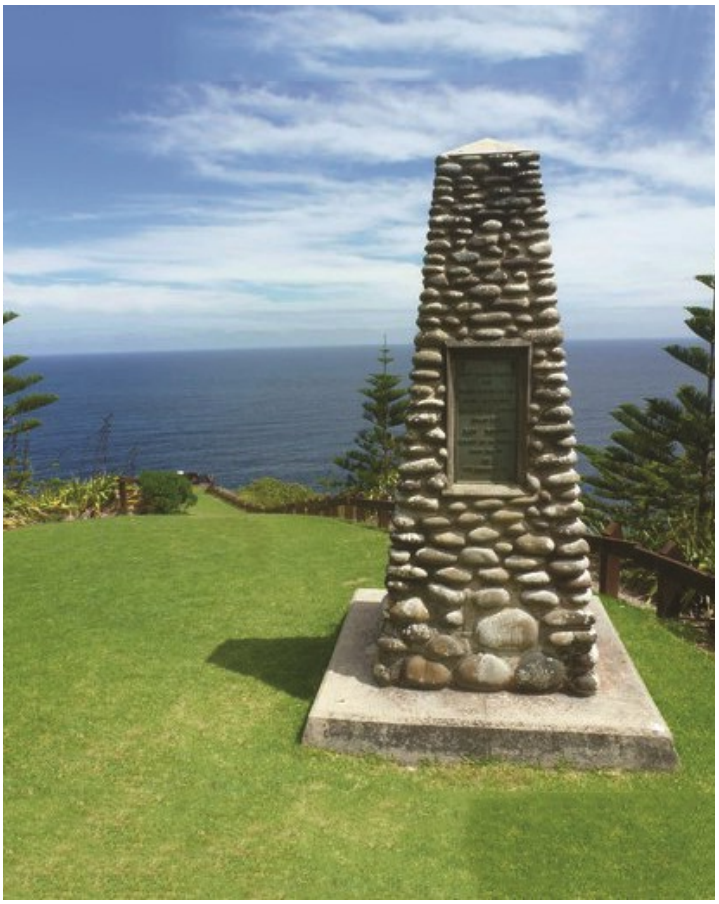




Personally escorted by Julie Williams (Feb) or Anne Sheehan (May) 8 day escorted tour

How can one small South Pacific Island contain so much diversity? Within a breathtakingly beautiful environment you can experience everything from relaxing in turquoise waters over coral reefs to soaking up history in a World Heritage listed area. Explore unique local culture from Polynesians, to convicts, to the descendants of the Bounty mutineers. There are museums and spaces to visit to simply wander and soak up the stories. Kingston has the finest collection of Georgian architecture boasting an incredible array of houses, barracks and structures left from convict era's. The Island's environment is pristine, green and abundant. Whether you are in the water, in a National park or simply just out and about, the beauty of this unspoilt Island surrounds you!

Day 1: Arrive Norfolk Island

Travel to Norfolk Island, on arrival you will be met and transferred to your resort to unpack and settle in. The rest of the day is at leisure before your welcome roast carvery dinner at the hotel. (D)
Stay: South Pacific Resort—7 nights

Day 2: Norfolk Island

This morning after breakfast, take a half day Island tour. Visit Historic Kingston, Cascade, Longridge & much more. See and hear about the famous convict buildings, beautiful beaches & golf course, the renowned Melanesian Chapel, the Government, laws & lifestyle. Enjoy views from scenic spots on this full commentary conducted tour. Rest for a delicious morning or afternoon tea in the garden of an historic island home built by Fletcher Quintal – descendant of 'Bounty' mutineers Fletcher Christian & Matthew Quintal. After a light lunch back at the hotel the rest of the afternoon is free to explore before enjoying a feast of Island dishes, salads, homemade bread & fresh fried fish, followed by Island desserts & tea or coffee. Enjoy the beautiful scenery from Puppy's Point on Norfolk's beautiful western coastline & enjoy some local entertainment followed by a Sound and Light Show. Nightfall at Kingston brings a different mood to the Convict Settlement. The stillness and the stars are there just as they were before mankind arrived in 1788. However, with the dramatic use of real life sounds, theatrical lighting and costumed actors, the stillness is broken as Pinetree Tours takes you through the horrifying decades of Norfolk Island's convict era. (B,L,D)

Day 3: Norfolk Island

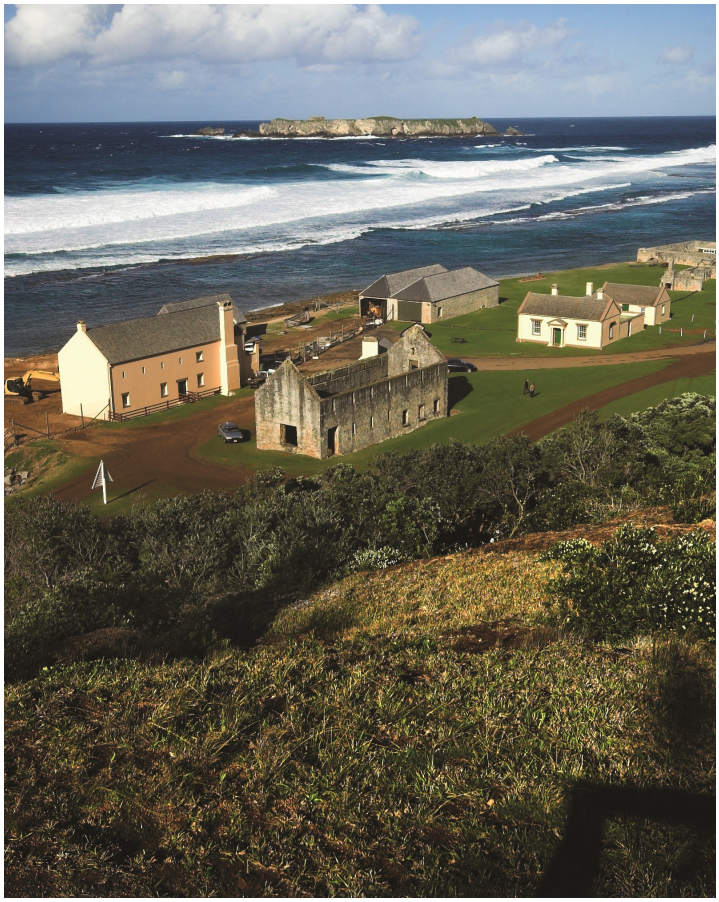
Today learn about the colourful history of Norfolk Island's most recent settlement – the Pitcairners & their descendants. Experience the history & culture of the Pitcairn Settlers. View the magnificent homestead gardens, including many of the traditional crops. Ride in Norfolk's first tour coach: a model A Ford. View a film, visit a blacksmith's forge, an original homestead, WWII Army hut & Museum of Memorabilia. Later in the day embark on a Glass Bottom Boat Tour. The Local Glass Bottom boat drivers will share their knowledge of Norfolk's unique marine life. View beautiful coral gardens and tropical fish inside the calm crystal waters of Norfolk's lagoon. In the evening, enjoy the warm hospitality of Island families on a progressive dinner. Learn about the heritage and life on Norfolk Island during a 3-course home-cooked dinner including a glass of wine or you can BYO if you wish. (B,D)

Day 4: Norfolk Island

Travel to Anson Bay to visit a small hobby farm for a 'behind the hedges tour'. The farm has been instrumental in improving the local livestock industry then see a demonstration at Norfolk's major pottery barn and browse the Cottage Pottery Shop. After a delicious morning tea at a scenic location visit the local chocolate shop to learn how they make chocolate on Norfolk Island. You will enjoy some free time this afternoon before heading out for a 2-course dinner at a homestead restaurant. (B,D)

Day 5: Norfolk Island

This morning after breakfast you will be collected from the hotel for a green fingers tour featuring some of the islands most lovely gardens. Through the morning we visit a nursery owned & operated by a young Norfolk Islander, and view the hydroponics. We also visit gorgeous private gardens with a spectacular view. Morning Tea at a scenic spot is included before enjoying some free time. After a light lunch back at your



hotel this evening is a fun night out for all ages! Dress as a convict & join in with the Commandant for an evening of gaiety, feasting, singing & dancing. Great food! Great fun! (outfit supplied) Norfolk's only dinner & dance night. (B,L,D)

Day 6: Norfolk Island

This morning rise and shine for a leisurely walk along the Bridle Trace to Captain Cook Monument, at the end of the walk meet on the clifftop for a delicious barbecue breakfast. Relax and enjoy the coastal ocean views as you eat your breakfast! In the afternoon a Norfolk local will lead you through his stunning property overlooking the KAVHA World Heritage site and tell you about his Norf'k culture, traditional carving, weaving, artwork and language. This is a special tour that visits locations not accessible to the general public. In the evening enjoy a 2-course dinner at one of Norfolk's favourite restaurants—Hilli Restaurant followed by 'Wonderland by Night'. The setting is 10 acres of magical Norfolk pines & bushland lit up like an enchanted forest. Meander along (or ride in the 'moon buggy') a gentle winding path with Archie, a descendant of the Bounty mutineers, as he recites his poems and lights up the dioramas. Afterwards enjoy a light supper. (B,D)

Day 7: Norfolk Island

This morning wander through the Norfolk Island Sunday markets. You will have the chance to pick up some locally made products and listen to local Island entertainment. In the afternoon join an 'In Depth' tour of the historic Georgian settlement of Kingston. Walk through the cemetery & hear the history of interesting convict & 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 enjoy a night with the Mutineers! Savour the culture, music and laughter. Enjoy a delicious 2-course feast with the Mutineers including a complimentary drink on arrival. You will be entertained with Island dancing, drumming, weaving, local language and talks on whaling. (B,D)

Day 8: Norfolk Island

This morning experience Fletcher's Mutiny Cyclorama. Walk inside a unique work of art, a continuous 360 degree panoramic painting, and feel as though you are standing on a pier or ship desk and are part of the scenes. Followed by a Devonshire tea at Hilli Restaurant then transfer to the airport for your flight home (B)

Early booking bonus:
The first 5 bookings deposited on the Discover Norfolk Island tour will receive a free room upgrade from a Garden room to a Superior room at the South Pacific Resort.

Tour inclusions:

- 7 nights accommodation at the South Pacific Resort
- Transportation in a private air-conditioned coach.
- Return home to airport transfer in Adelaide*
- Sightseeing as per itinerary with entry fees
- 16 Meals including special experiences and themed nights
- Escorted from Adelaide by a Phil Hoffmann Travel Tour Escort
- Services of a professional English speaking driver/guide
- Free bonus gift redeemable at the Bounty Centre
- Discount Norfolk Shopping card
- Pre-departure function and tour documentation

*within a 50km radius. Surcharges apply outside of this area

tour costs:

07—14 February 2022

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02—09 May 2022

Twin share	$ 2,825
Single supplement	$ 720

Prices per person twin share

Refined itineraries meticulously tailored to offer a wealth of authentic experiences with a touch of luxury and added value.

Phil Hoffmann Travel 'Point of Difference'

A combination of expertise, intuition and passion for travel underpins every tour we design. With our own people on the ground helping orchestrate our Escorted Journeys program, we encapsulate the best of every destination, affording our travellers exclusive, individual and authentic experiences that no one else can offer. Into the mix, we add unexpected gems that offer further shine to the experience.

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Group tour booking conditions

Tour Changes: We endeavor to provide an accurate itinerary however, local operators, hotels and airlines sometimes change arrangements and our itinerary would then be adjusted to suit however, the same standard will always be used.

Not Included on tour: Flights and taxes, Travel insurance; tips & gratuities for formal group tour arrangements (unless stated as included); tips during non-group arrangements; items of a personal nature eg drinks, laundry, phone calls, meals other than those indicated, additional sightseeing or optional tours; extensions/stopovers/amendments; [1]additional flight cost from other cities, if applicable [2]arrival & departure transfers at destination/s when not arriving/departing on group flights/dates; [*]departure transfer transfer if outside Adelaide metro area and greater than a value of $50 per person each way- not all areas covered.

Reservations: A deposit of $400 per person is required within 7 days of confirmation of your booking. The balance is due no later than 09 Nov 2021 (07 Feb departure) or 01 Feb 2022 (02 May Departure) . If a booking is made after this date, the full tour price is due at the time of confirmation. Prices are subject to change at anytime until full payment has been received for entire group and tickets have been issued.

Booking Forms & Booking Conditions: You are required to complete some forms when booking which provide essential information we require to process your booking. Your consultant will provide you with all relevant forms. For full terms and conditions please refer to the Phil Hoffmann Travel 'Schedule of Professionalism' and the corona virus statement on our website or speak to your consultant about detailed booking conditions.

Passport & Visas: It is necessary for all passengers to be in possession of a valid passport which has at least 6 months validity beyond your return into Australia.

Minimum Numbers: Group fares quoted for this tour are subject to a minimum 16 paying and maximum 30 passengers travelling together. Phil Hoffmann Travel reserve the right to increase the tour price or cancel the this tour should the numbers travelling not meet the required minimum.

Tour Escort: Escort travels when minimum numbers of 16 are reached.

Price Alterations: Tour prices specified are based on airfares, taxes and land arrangement tariffs applicable at the time of printing, therefore they may be subject to alteration with or without prior notice until final payment date, as per brochure final payment date (09 Nov 21 or 01 Feb 22)

Extensions/stopovers: An amendment fee of $100 per person will apply for any changes to group flight arrangements. You may also need to pay any applicable additional taxes.

Amendments/changes: A fee of $100 per amendment will be charged for any reservation changes after your booking is confirmed, unless change increases the value of your booking. This fee is in addition to any charges from airlines, land operators or cruise lines.

Twin share Room Match Policy: In the event of a cancellation for a twin share room match, the travelling passenger may be required to pay for a single room supplement cost, which will not be covered under their travel insurance policy. Similarly, if a traveller decides whilst travelling that they do not want to share any longer, they will be required to pay the full costs for a single room.

Refunds/Credits: No refund is available in respect of any sightseeing tours, accommodation, meals or any other services not utilised or required during this tour. No refund is available for cancellations after the tour has commenced. Credit offers cannot be refunded or taken as cash.

Cancellations: Cancellations of firm bookings will be subject to $400 per person service fee plus any charges imposed by principals involved in operating the tour.Therefore, the cancellation fee may be up to the total cost for land and/or airfares. Cancelled bookings are non-transferable.

Baggage: Please refer to individual airline tickets for the baggage allowance for your flights. Airlines may charge you for baggage in excess of these allowances, which will be at passenger's expense. Whilst on tour one main bag and 1 piece of hand luggage per person is allowed.

Medical Advice: It is wise to seek medical advice before travelling. We recommend seeking advice from a travel specialist doctor, or from your own GP. Travellers must meet Phil Hoffmann Travel 'Statement of Fitness' standards to participate.

Insurance: Insurance is compulsory for cover against loss of deposit and loss of airfares, personal accident, medical cover etc. If you have an ongoing medical condition you may be required to complete a pre-existing medical form. If you are over 70 years of age, you are required to complete a seniors medical form. Your consultant will provide all details.

Children: participants must be over the age of 15.

Responsibility: Phil Hoffmann Travel reserves the right to alter or omit any part of the itinerary or change of reservation, features and/or means of conveyance without any notice and for any reason whatsoever. Phil Hoffmann Travel does not accept liability for failure on the part of transportation companies, hotel contractors and other principals whose responsibility is confined to their own operations. Phil Hoffmann Travel reserves the right to alter hotels used should the necessity arise. The transportation companies or firms shall be exempt from all liabilities in respect of any detention, delay, loss, damage, sickness or injury and by whom so ever caused and whatever kind occurring of or to the passenger at any time when the passenger is not on board a conveyance used or operated by the transportation companies or firms.

We reserve the right to take any reasonable action should your health, actions or behaviour impinge on the rights, welfare or enjoyment of other passengers. Phil Hoffmann Travel reserve the right to cancel or withdraw any person as a member of the tour at any time.

All ticket coupons and orders are furnished and issued subject in all respects to those terms and conditions under which the means of transportation or other services provided thereby are offered or supplied by the owners, operators, public carriers, management agents or agents.

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