

# NORFOLK ISLAND EXPERIENCE

8 Days / 7 Nights



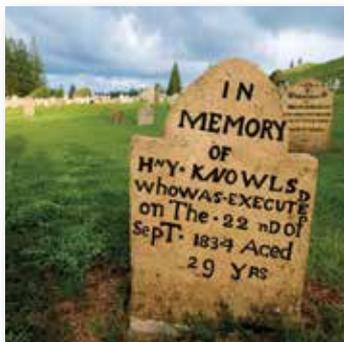
**Tour Departs Friday 09 February - Friday 16 February 2018**

**Tour cost: \$2,649.00 per person Twin/double share  
(Single Supplement: \$399.00)**

+ Airport Taxes and Fuel Surcharges approx \$115.00 - Subject to change until full payment.

**Group Price based on Minimum 20 Paying Passengers**

**Tour cost is indicative of pricing February 2018. Please note that the itinerary is subject to change without notice.**



## The Itinerary

### Day 1. Fri 09 Feb - Sydney/Norfolk Island

This morning we depart Sydney International airport aboard our Air New Zealand flight to Norfolk Island.

**Depart Sydney**                      **NZ 762**                      **0950**

**Arrive Norfolk Island**   **Air New Zealand**                      **1230**

Upon arrival we are transferred to our accommodation where we check in for the next 7 nights. Ahead of us is a wonderful week of Norfolk Island Hospitality enjoying dinner every night and full hot breakfasts every day. Morning and afternoon teas are included on most tours. This afternoon we are greeted with a Welcome Drink at our hotel as our hosts let us know everything about the resort.

#### 4.45pm - Island Fish Feast

This iconic dinner is set on a magnificent cliff top. Here we will dine on fresh local fish and other dishes inspired by the fascinating heritage and seasonal produce of Norfolk Island. As the sun sets we will be entertained by Traditional Island dancers.

**Overnight: Paradise Hotel & Resort**

### Lunch (In Flight) & Dinner

### Day 2. Sat 10 Feb - BF Bush walk/Discover our World/Pitcairn Village

### Breakfast, M/Tea, Lunch & Dinner

#### 8.00am - Breakfast Bush walk

We rise a little earlier today to discover the incredible scenic beauty of Norfolk Island's natural environment on a relaxing and informative guided one hour bush walk. Learn about the unique ecosystems and endemic flora & fauna. We arrive in time to enjoy a well deserved hearty breakfast in the park.

#### 9.00am - "Discover our World" Orientation Tour

This morning it is our chance to discover this wonderful Island. Our guide will explain all of the Island's History from Polynesian settlements many years ago to how life is today on Norfolk Island. This morning we cover most of the Island and learn how it was like in the first settlement, penal times in Norfolk Island and the arrival of the Pitcairn Islanders, descendants of the famous Mutiny on the Bounty. We visit Kingston, Cascade, Anson Bay and the wonderful Melanesian Mission church. We top off our tour at the amazing Cyclorama, a multi award winning Norfolk Island attraction. Cyclorama is an amazing 360 degree mural that covers the journey of the Bounty from England, Tahiti, Pitcairn Island and Norfolk Island. Experience not to be missed.

#### 1.30 pm - Pitcairn Settlers Village

Experience the proud history of the Pitcairn Island Settlers. Your guided tour will include: The gracious original Bailey homestead & gardens, A stroll through the barn, dairy and out-buildings, Museum filled with items of nostalgic and historic interest, The oldest working forge in the Pacific, Ex New Zealand Army hut, with war-time memorabilia, An exclusive film of Norfolk Island interest. We then enjoy a delicious lunch under the Poinciana tree.

## **Sat continued.**

### **6:30pm - The Commandants Dinner**

Imagine dining with a Commandant! This factual yet fun dinner theatre is the newest interactive show to hit Norfolk Island. The Commandant's Dinner is a "must" for your itinerary!! The cast of actors will take you on an entertaining journey to another world back in time. You will be enthralled by the Commandant's stories about the Convict Settlements on Norfolk Island and how the convicts were treated through punishment and reform. Listen to a chilling recall of one of the infamous rebellions. You will be enlightened about how the Commandant's adapted to life in a Norfolk Island penal colony through their struggles and successes. The Commandants Dinner is a night of great entertainment, delectable food and loads of fun.

**Overnight: Paradise Hotel & Resort**

### **Day 3. Sun 11 Feb - Sunday markets /Artists Trail**

**Breakfast, MTea & Dinner**

**7.30am** – Full Buffet Breakfast - Enjoy a wonderful hot breakfast at the resort.

#### **Artist Trail**

For a tiny island with such a small population, Norfolk Island abounds in artistic talent that extends across a broad range of media. Baunti Escapes' Art Trail allows you to sample some of the most outstanding examples in one exclusive tour. The Art Trail takes you to Anson Bay Pottery to meet award winning photographer Zac Sanders, Pineridge Crafts and Aatuti Art. You will see demonstrations, hear from the artists and admire ceramics, jewellery, print-making, painting, philately, woodwork and more.

After returning back to the hotel, the afternoon is free to relax. Maybe take a swim, or snorkel, in Emily bay,

#### **Musical Dining.**

Tonight we enjoy dinner at the hotel with local entertainer "Lully" singing all the old time favourites.

**Overnight: Paradise Hotel & Resort**

### **Day 4. Mon 12 Feb. Norfolk Today/Jolly Roger dinner & entertainment**

**Breakfast & Dinner**

**7.30am** - Full Buffet Breakfast - Enjoy a wonderful hot breakfast at the resort.

#### **9.00 am - Norfolk Today Tour**

Where do fishermen launch their boats? How does bulk fuel come into Norfolk Island? How is power generated? What happens to waste? Where is the Meteorological bureau? Where is the Norfolk radio station? This Norfolk Today Tour will not only answer our questions, our guide will take us to visit all these places. We will wind up at The Local RSL Club for a complimentary wine, beer or juice. The RSL club is a shrine to fallen local heroes. Refreshments will be provided

**Free Afternoon:** This afternoon is free for us to sample some of the local shops, indulge in some of the optional tours or just relax around the resort.

#### **6.30 pm: The Jolly Roger**

Tonight we are treated to great food, great entertainment and great fun as we transfer to the Jolly Roger Bar & Restaurant for dinner and entertainment.

**Overnight: Paradise Hotel & Resort**

### **Day 5. Tues 13 Feb 2018- Historic Convict tour/Contemporary Islander Tour**

**Breakfast, MTea, ATea & Dinner**

**7.30am** - Full Buffet Breakfast - Enjoy a wonderful hot breakfast at the resort.

#### **9.00am - Historic Convict tour**

This afternoon we learn all about Norfolk Island's convict past. We are taken through the ruins of Gaol Hospital and other areas in historic Kingston. We are also taken through the homes on Quality Row that have so many stories to tell. One of the weeks highlights is when our guide takes us through the Norfolk Island Cemetery. We learn so much about the people who once inhabited Norfolk Island and now rest there forever.

#### **1.00 am - The Contemporary Islander Tour**

Enjoy a relaxing afternoon with a 21st Century Island family home. Sitting on convict stone footings and using timber flooring from the convict buildings at Kingston, this 100 year old house has a fascinating history. During our visit, we learn about the history of this 0.75 acre property and discover how it's working for the future. The creatively planted gardens range from functional and include a 'random' vegetable garden, to a good assortment of subtropical plants collected for more than two decades. Shudder at the story of 'Uncle Tom's well', meet and make friends with the property's animals (cats and chickens), spend a minute feeding 'Lucky' the pet cow before enjoying a cuppa on the verandah whilst taking in the surroundings.

Tonight's dinner is a **Gourmet BBQ** at your Hotel

**Overnight: Paradise Hotel & Resort**

**Day 6. Wed 14 Feb 2018 - Valentines Day.****Breakfast, canapés & Dinner****7.30am - Full Buffet Breakfast - Enjoy a wonderful hot breakfast at the resort.**

It's Valentine's Day on Norfolk and we have something special planned-

This morning after Breakfast we are transferred to historic St Barnabas Chapel where we experience **Dean Vegas performing an Elvis Presley Gospel set in the Chapel.**

Later that afternoon you have the opportunity to have your **marriage vows renewed by Dean Vegas**, the only Elvis marriage celebrant in Australia - after your vows are renewed you are transferred to puppies point on the cliff top for canapés and champagne as you watch the sunset. (Extra costs apply for marriage vow renewals)

This evening we are treated to a wonderful **Valentines Day Dinner at Paradise Hotel.**

Dinner is followed by an exclusive Legends of Rock Valentines Concert by tribute artists -Dennis Knight as JOK - Johnny O'Keefe, Kris Knight as Buddy Holly and Dean Vegas and the King, Elvis Presley

**Overnight: Paradise Hotel & Resort****Day 7. Thur 15 Feb 2018 - Colleen McCullough home/ High Tea / Ghost tour Breakfast, MTea, ATea & Dinner****7.30am - Full Buffet Breakfast - Enjoy a wonderful hot breakfast at the resort.****8.30am - Colleen McCullough Home**

Colleen McCullough, world renowned author of 24 books called Norfolk Island home for almost 36 years. Sadly, Colleen passed away in 2015 after a long battle with illness. Nevertheless, she stoically continued writing for as long as she possibly could and fulfilled her great wish to remain on Norfolk Island. Her beloved property "Out Yenna" is now open exclusively to Baunti Escapes customers. You are escorted through her magnificent home and are able to view Ric and Colleen's priceless collection of artefacts gathered on their travels all over the world. After the tour we enjoy morning tea cooked straight from Colleen's own recipe book.

**12.30pm - Norfolk Island High Tea**

This afternoon we are in for a truly memorable experience. We are transferred to one of the Island's most prestigious homes where we enjoy high tea for the afternoon. We start with a glass of bubbles on arrival and then leisurely make our way through the menu. We are then treated to a wide selection of Teas as we enjoy the exclusive ambience of this magnificent property. It is such a special way to spend our last afternoon on Norfolk Island. Late afternoon we are transferred back to our resort.

**6.00pm - Light dinner poolside**

Tonight we enjoy a light dinner at the hotel.

**7.30 pm - Lantern Lit Ghost Tour**

Something is out there. As the night sets in and the long shadows fall, come and take a lantern lit ride to the other side. Step through the veil into the worst of all possible worlds, explore the crooked, cobbled nether world of Norfolk's dark and troubled past as we visit real haunted sites and hear real ghost stories which have for generations lain forgotten and abandoned until now. Double dare you to follow me .....

**Overnight: Paradise Hotel & Resort****Day 8. Fri 16 Feb 2018 - Norfolk Island/Sydney****Breakfast & Lunch (In Flight)****7.30am - Full Buffet Breakfast - Enjoy a wonderful hot breakfast at the resort.****Free Morning**

Well sadly this is our last day in Norfolk Island. This morning we have time for any last minute shopping or a trip to the liquor bond to take advantage of the great duty free deals on offer.

Just before Lunch we are transferred to the airport where we check in for our flight home taking countless memories of a great week in Norfolk Island with us!

<b>Depart Norfolk Island</b>	<b>NZ 763</b>	<b>1340</b>
<b>Arrive Sydney</b>	<b>Air New Zealand</b>	<b>1625</b>

### Price Inclusions:

- Return Economy International Airfares with Air New Zealand - Sydney / Norfolk Island / Sydney
- 7 Night's Quality Accommodation on Norfolk Island
- 7 Dinners - Including the following specialty dinners – Island Cliff Top Fish Feast; Commandants Dinner, The Jolly Roger, Valentines Day Dinner & Rock & Roll show.
- 7 Hot Breakfasts - includes a Bush Walk Breakfast
- 4 Morning Tea & 1 High Tea
- All Bus Touring, Transfers, Attractions & Tours as per Itinerary on Norfolk Island
- Entry Pass to Fletcher Christian's Cyclorama

### Not Included:

- Airport Taxes & Fuel Surcharges of approx \$115.00 per person
- Airport Transfers in Australia
- Meals not specified on the Itinerary
- Optional Touring
- Travel Insurance
- Items of a personal Nature

### Tour Highlights:

Island cliff top fish feast; Discover our world; Pitcairn Settlers Village; Commandants dinner; Artist Trail; Norfolk today Tour; Jolly Rodger; Kingston Convict Tour; Contemporary Islander Tour; Breakfast bush walk; Valentines Day special; Colleen McCullough Home tour; High Tea; Lantern Lit Ghost Tour; Fletcher Christian's Cyclorama and much more.



To secure your place on this tour,  
Please complete a booking form and send with initial holding  
Deposit of \$100.00 pp **on or before 10 May 2017**

2nd deposit of \$400.00 pp due no later than 03 July 2017

**Final Payment:** Due no later than 9 October 2017

(Payments are fully refundable up until 09 October 2017)

Please send all payments to:

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