

2022

EXCEPTIONAL
TRAVEL
EXPERIENCES

AGTOURS & JOURNEYS
**AUSTRALIA &
NEW ZEALAND**



AUSTRALIA



NORTHERN TERRITORY

AGRICULTURAL HIGHLIGHTS OF AUSTRALIA'S TOP END

11 days departing 19 June

The Australian Outback holds endless fascination with vast distances and extreme landscapes. Discover for yourself the diverse and productive agriculture and scenic splendour of Australia's Top End and witness the changes that are transforming the cattle industry across the Territory. This tour provides the opportunity to follow in the footsteps of the early pioneers and visit some of Australia's famous cattle stations, many of them larger than most people can comprehend. You'll get to hear the stories and appreciate the rich history of the outback and experience Australia's ancient landscapes, including the stunning waterfalls of Litchfield National Park and the World Heritage sites of Kakadu and Katherine Gorge. Across the border in Western Australia's East Kimberley region, where the Duracks were pioneers in the cattle industry, you'll be amazed at the diversity in agricultural and horticultural enterprises made possible by the Ord River Irrigation Scheme.

NT CATTLE AND CROPPING HIGHLIGHTS

12 days departing 26 June

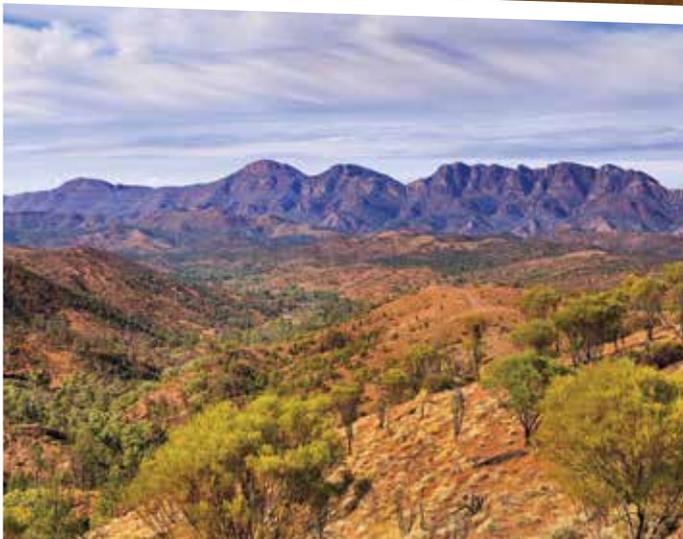
If you've ever wondered how cattle stations and cropping enterprises in the Northern Territory operate, then this tour is for you. Commencing in the tropical and colourful city of Darwin, the tour travels through the Top End and finishes in Mt Isa, providing a unique insight into the workings of these vast cattle empires - many are household names and the stuff of legends. Based predominantly around the Douglas Daly and Katherine regions, you'll be exposed to many aspects of cattle management - Territory style, including breeding, feeding, backgrounding, yarding and live cattle exports, on both family-run and large company owned stations. It's not all cattle though, there's also the opportunity to visit some innovative cropping enterprises and also to hear the stories of the old days and visit some of the NT's iconic and spectacular national parks, including Litchfield, Nitmuluk (Katherine Gorge) and Gregory, as well as the extraordinary Lost City at Cape Crawford, inland from the Gulf of Carpentaria. If you love cattle and cropping and the wide-open spaces, this is the tour for you.

RED CENTRE BEEF CATTLE TOUR

13 days departing 10 July

Join us on the Red Centre Beef Cattle Tour, first offered in 2021, and travel to the heart of the Northern Territory where you'll have the chance to meet people who call Australia's Red Centre home. Visit iconic and progressive cattle enterprises operating over vast tracts of land in low rainfall areas. Learn about innovative cattle stations utilising the latest technology to improve management. Stay on some stations to experience station life and see how people manage in these remote locations from day to day. With several nights in Alice Springs, you'll see major sights including the spectacular and informative Desert Park, the historic Telegraph Station and the Road Transport Hall of Fame. You'll also visit some of the spectacular natural wonders of the Red Centre where the bright red and ochre colours of the landscape are stunning, including Ormiston Gorge, majestic Kings Canyon, the beautiful Kata Tjuta/The Olgas and unforgettable Uluru/Ayers Rock.





VICTORIA

FARMING AND HIGHLIGHTS OF SOUTH EAST AUSTRALIA

13 days departing 30 March

South East Australia is a small part of our vast continent but is known for its diversity of agriculture and its breathtaking scenic attractions. Join us and explore Victoria and southern New South Wales on a tour commencing in Melbourne, a cosmopolitan city built on wealth from the heady goldrush days. Travel to the Dandenong Ranges, the home of towering Mountain Ash forests and ferny gullies and marvel at the spectacular coastal scenery along the Great Ocean Road. Immerse yourself in the stories of the rush for gold at Ballarat, travel through the irrigated region of northern Victoria and stay in the paddle steamer capital of Echuca. Visit mixed farming and cropping properties in the productive Riverina region and see Bradman's Birthplace at Cootamundra. After Canberra, with its major national attractions, head to Cowra to see the amazing Japanese gardens. Travel through the Blue Mountains and finally arrive in Sydney to catch all the excitement of the Royal Easter Show.

WITH FOOD AND WINE, FARMING AND AGRICULTURE, HISTORY AND CULTURE, NOT TO MENTION SPECTACULAR SCENERY, THIS TOUR HAS IT ALL!

VICTORIAN AGRICULTURAL HIGHLIGHTS AND THE MELBOURNE CUP

12 days departing 22 October

The state of Victoria is our second smallest state but certainly packs a punch in terms of agricultural diversity, stunning scenery and natural attractions. This tour commences in Melbourne, a European style city built from the proceeds of the famous goldrushes of the 1850s. The tour will take you to the lush dairying country in Gippsland, east of Melbourne, the spectacular High Country and then through Ned Kelly country to the historic port of Echuca on the Murray River. Travelling southwards through the gold-mining towns of Bendigo and Ballarat, you'll see productive cropping country and sheep farms and further south you'll see spectacular coastal scenery along the Great Ocean Road and Shipwreck Coast. The tour concludes in Melbourne, in time for all the highlights and excitement of the legendary Melbourne Cup.

SOUTH AUSTRALIA

AGRICULTURE IN SOUTH AUSTRALIA AND KANGAROO ISLAND

13 days departing 12 October

This remarkable tour of South Australia, one of our most arid states, takes in a wide variety of agricultural visits that showcase how innovation has enabled farmers in the driest state on the driest continent to survive and prosper. Commencing in Adelaide, the tour encompasses the best of the state and will take you north to the stunning landscapes of the Flinders Ranges and back through the picturesque vineyards of the Clare and Barossa Valleys, then onto Kangaroo Island via the Murray Region and Fleurieu Peninsula. With two nights stay at Bungaree Station, one of Australia's historic and iconic Merino sheep studs, plus a visit to nearby Martindale Hall, you'll appreciate the pioneering spirit that defines the pastoral heritage of the state. Finish the tour with three nights on Kangaroo Island where boutique farming enterprises co-exist with pristine wilderness and natural beauty.

GREAT SCENERY, SUPERB FOOD AND WINE, PLUS A FASCINATING RANGE OF AGRICULTURAL VISITS, MAKE THIS A FABULOUS ESCAPE.



QUEENSLAND

THE CHANNEL COUNTRY CATTLE TOUR

14 days departing 2 May

New for 2022 is a tour to the Channel Country, where Sir Sidney Kidman, the legendary Cattle King, carved out an enormous cattle empire. This is one of the most sparsely populated areas of Outback Queensland, but what it lacks in people it makes up for in cattle. Fed by rivers, including the Georgina, Diamantina and Cooper Creek, the channel country is a region of braided channels that come to life after rain, producing rich cattle-fattening pastures. The tour commences and finishes in Longreach, home of the Stockman's Hall of Fame, and includes visits to well-known cattle stations, quaint and quirky outback towns – Winton, Boulia and Bedourie, plus two nights at the iconic Birdsville Hotel. With stunning landscapes, endless horizons and rich red sand dunes, this remote region also has amazing birdlife and once visited, will never be forgotten.

FARMER'S TOUR OF QUEENSLAND – A GREAT WINTER ESCAPE

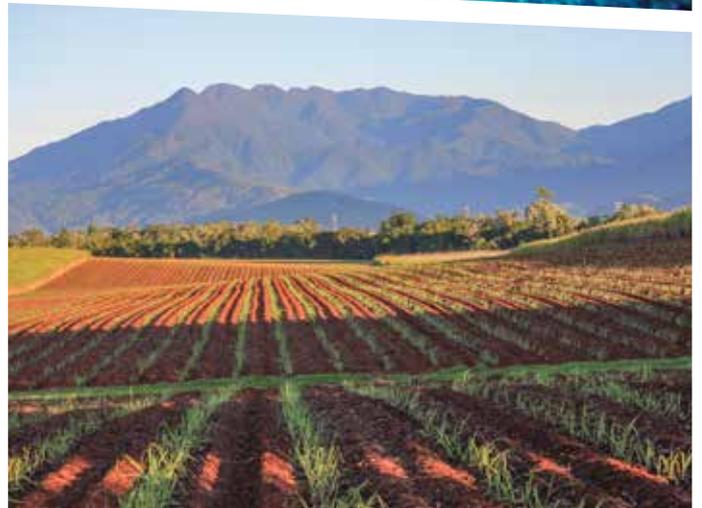
15 days departing 4 June

When the southern states are in the midst of winter, why not escape from the cold and travel north to explore Australia's 'Sunshine State'? Start in Brisbane and travel through the fertile and productive Darling Downs region then travel northwards visiting large-scale cattle properties and a diverse range of agricultural enterprises to see how Queensland's primary industries operate. Discover the stories of historic towns in western Queensland and visit renowned natural attractions along the way, including spectacular Carnarvon Gorge with its gorges and towering sandstone cliffs, hidden in the rugged ranges of Queensland's central highlands. Further north see a variety of horticultural enterprises operating on the Atherton Tablelands in Far North Queensland and lastly, relax in the tropical city of Cairns and have the option to visit either the Great Barrier Reef or the Daintree Rainforest. This is a great winter escape.

CATTLE AND FARMING IN THE QUEENSLAND GULF

14 days departing 30 August

Travel across the vast savannah plains of far north Queensland and see firsthand the untold potential that could help Australia become the food bowl of Asia during the forthcoming century. Starting in Townsville and concluding in Cairns, this dynamic fact-finding tour includes a range of visits which are some of the best cattle operations and leading irrigated cropping properties in the north of the state. Stay in Charters Towers with its charming historic buildings and rich gold-mining past and visit Richmond with its fascinating Dinosaur Museum. There's free time for relaxing or fishing at Karumba on the Gulf of Carpentaria and also at Adel's Grove near Lawn Hill Gorge, one of Queensland's outback treasures. Heading east, visit the fascinating Undara Lava Tubes and stay at Mount Surprise. Travel on to the fertile and productive Atherton Tablelands and finally relax and enjoy time in the tropical city of Cairns with easy access to the Great Barrier Reef and the World Heritage listed Daintree Rainforest.





WESTERN AUSTRALIA

THE PILBARA CATTLE TOUR

16 days departing 8 June

With some of the world's ancient natural landscapes dating back three billion years and stretching over 500,000 square kilometres, the Pilbara is the awakening giant of Western Australia's north. Be inspired by this land and its links to the world's oldest continuous living culture and join our fabulous tour to this remote region to see the contrast of old and new. Travel from Karratha to Broome via Exmouth, Tom Price, Newman and Port Hedland, through unique communities of the rugged outback. See national parks and an iron ore mine and visit a number of traditional cattle stations, as well as advanced grazing properties, that have increased production and carrying capacity through the introduction of irrigation, performance grasses and different breeds of cattle. Spend a day at Exmouth – the gateway to the Ningaloo Marine Park - and finally relax in beautiful Broome with its rich history in pearling where you can relax, reflect and unwind watching the sun set over the Indian Ocean.

PAS KIMBERLEY ADVENTURE TOUR

14 days departing 27 June

Join well-known Pasture Agronomy Service (PAS) owner, Mark Lucas, and immerse yourself in the rugged and ancient landscape of the Kimberley, traversing the region from west to east. Commencing in the romantic town of Broome, visits include a local cattle station and rural supplies store, as well as Paspaley Pearls, to learn about the history of pearling from the pioneers of the industry. Travel north to Cape Leveque to see the spectacular Horizontal Falls, described as "one of the greatest natural wonders of the world". Head eastwards and visit remote cattle stations to experience station life, spend a day exploring the Bungle Bungles and visit outback towns to discover the secrets of their origins and their survival today. In Kununurra, visit a diverse array of agricultural and horticultural enterprises that show the amazing potential of the Ord River Irrigation Scheme.

**TAKE A CRUISE ON MIGHTY LAKE ARGYLE
AND VISIT THE HOME OF THE PIONEERING
DURACK FAMILY WHO WERE ONE OF
THE FIRST FAMILIES TO LAY THE FOUNDATION
FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF THE CATTLE
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KIMBERLEY AGRICULTURAL HIGHLIGHTS

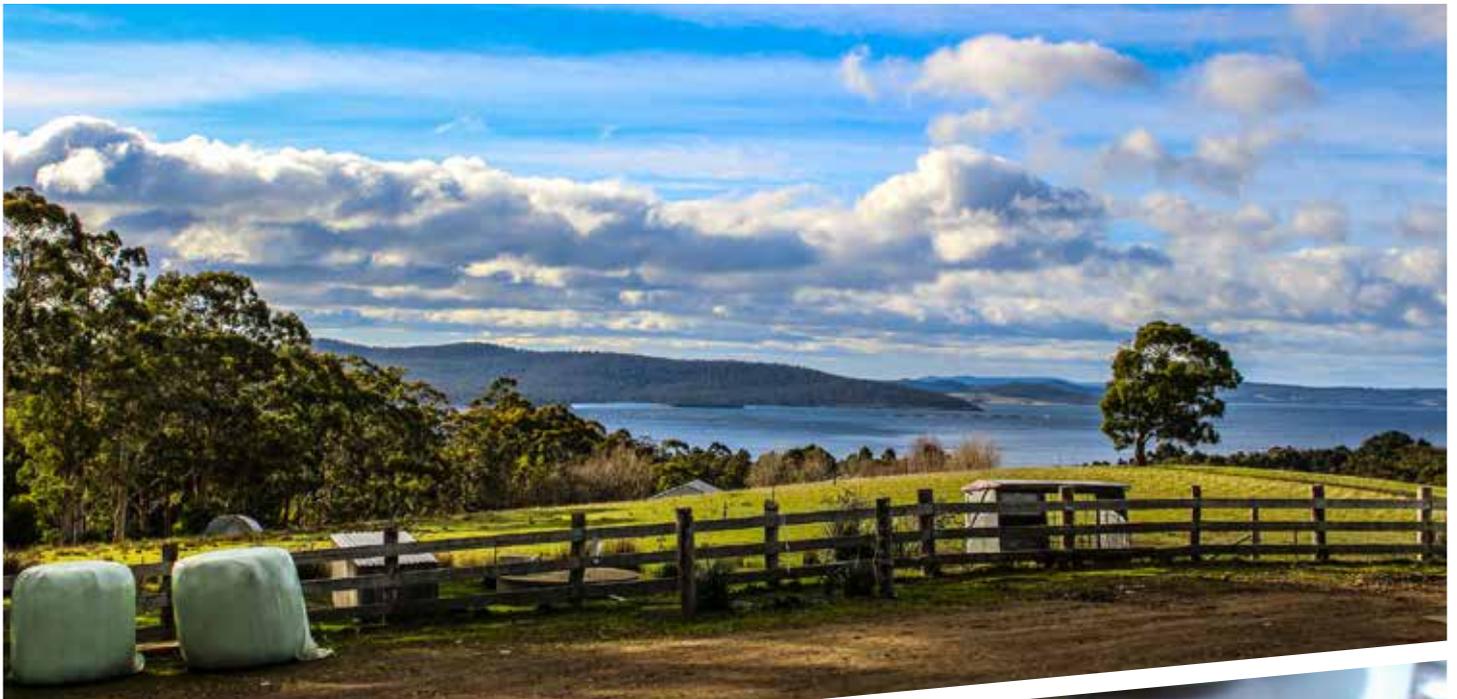
13 days departing 25 August

The rugged and ancient landscape of the Kimberley holds a mystical appeal for many Australians. It's a hidden treasure trove of spectacular waterfalls, gorges and even pockets of rainforest, but it's the agricultural and horticultural enterprises that are a great surprise to many. From the pearling industry in the romantic and colourful town of Broome to vast cattle stations, the tour also takes in some of the innovative enterprises in the Ord River Valley from sandalwood to seeds and mangoes to cotton. Spectacular natural landscapes and features are not forgotten with a tour of the stunning Bungle Bungle Range and Tunnel Creek National Park, as well as a cruise on the massive Lake Argyle. From pearls to diamonds, cattle to cotton, the Kimberley region is a great adventure and a real surprise!

WESTERN AUSTRALIA SPRING FARMING

13 days departing 27 September

Western Australia offers so much; hundreds of kilometres of spectacular coastline, amazing rock formations, long sandy beaches, great food and wine and the lion's share of native flora. Add to that, rich agricultural farmland and innovative farmers, including the Benedictine monks in Australia's only monastery town, and you have all the ingredients for a wonderful experience. If you've ever wanted to visit WA, there's no better time than in the spring when the wildflowers are at their most spectacular.



TASMANIA

AUTUMN HIGHLIGHTS OF TASMANIAN AGRICULTURE

11 days departing 19 March

New for 2022 is an autumn highlights tour of Tasmania when the weather is perfect for travelling. The days are cool, calm and dry, the nights are crisp and thanks to the early settlers who planted deciduous trees, the autumn colours are starting to show. This fabulous tour includes some of the island's spectacular natural sights, including the pristine Bay of Fires and Wineglass Bay on the east coast and also visits to historic properties, as well as a diverse range of successful family-run farming enterprises from sheep, cattle, pigs and dairy to apples, cherries, potatoes and onions. With visits to artisan producers of cheese, oysters, wine and spirits, the tour ensures you get to taste delicious regional products and understand why Tasmania is the envy of the farming world.

FARMING AND INNOVATION IN TASMANIA

10 days departing 10 April

Autumn is one of the best seasons to visit the "Apple Isle"; the days are still warm and the deciduous trees are turning, providing a colourful backdrop to a fascinating look at life in Australia's most southerly state. Meet inspiring families in a diverse range of innovative agricultural and horticultural enterprises. Enjoy sampling fresh regional produce from the land and the sea and visit some of the vineyards and distilleries that define the entrepreneurial spirit of Tasmania. In the north, see Australasia's largest dairy operation and green energy wind farm. Down south, wander among the stalls of the makers, growers and producers at the popular Salamanca Market, before experiencing Tasmania's rich convict heritage at Port Arthur. With traditional livestock operations, plus whisky and wine, berries and bulbs, oysters, trout and salmon, timber and engineering works, this tour offers a glimpse into an island state really pushing the boundaries in every way.

HIGHLIGHTS OF TASMANIAN AGRICULTURE

10 days departing 29 October

Join us for a fabulous tour highlighting the clean and green farming practices that have made Tasmania the envy of the farming world. Visit a diverse range of farming enterprises and areas of outstanding natural beauty, including Cradle Mountain, the rugged west coast around Strahan, the Tasman Peninsula, historic Port Arthur and the productive Huon Valley. Of course, no tour to Tasmania would be complete without historic Hobart and its colourful Salamanca Market which celebrates Tasmania's makers, growers and producers. This is a wonderful tour that encompasses the extraordinary innovation and artistic talent for which the Island State is known and provides the perfect opportunity to sample delicious regional produce and local wines.



WHO IS QUADRANT?

Quadrant is a specialist travel company taking travellers around Australia and to more than 30 countries around the world. We specialise in AgTours and special interest journeys and we take pride in organising programs which are a unique blend of special interest and sightseeing, not only for people on the land, but also for those who share a common interest. We take you off the beaten track and immerse you in an authentic experience where you'll meet local people and get to experience the destination from a different perspective. Don't worry, you won't miss out on any of the sights when you travel, we make sure they are included too!

Our tours are hosted by experienced and knowledgeable people, with an agricultural background. With an extensive network of contacts and colleagues together with membership of industry bodies such as ATOI (Agricultural Tour Operators International) and AFTA (Australian Federation of Travel Agents), you are in safe hands.

Quadrant has flexible booking conditions and is proud to be COVID accredited. This COVID Ready accreditation identifies Quadrant as a professional business with the processes and procedures required to operate safely and work within the National COVID19 safe guidelines, in the changing environment.

QUADRANT AGTOURS & JOURNEYS

- ✓ **Quadrant Australia** is a specialist travel company offering rewarding agricultural and travel experiences throughout Australia and internationally.
- ✓ We've been in business since 1989 and are now Covid accredited and ready for business.
- ✓ **Quadrant Australia** has a team of agricultural and travel specialists with over 50 years combined experience.
- ✓ We offer technical agricultural programs to all Australian states and territories, as well as special interest journeys and general interest itineraries.
- ✓ We know about agriculture and can provide exclusive access to producers, farms and agricultural enterprises with targeted farm visits and industry meetings.
- ✓ Our tours are escorted by specialist tour managers, so you know you are always in good hands.
- ✓ We can tailor all your travel according to your needs. When the international borders are open, **Quadrant Australia** is ready to take you wherever you want to go.
- ✓ **Quadrant Australia** is a foundation member of Agricultural Tour Operators International (ATOI).
- ✓ There may be tax benefits on our programs for primary producers – so talk to your accountant.

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

WHO WILL I BE TRAVELLING WITH?

Our tours are the chance to travel with like-minded people who share similar interests. There will be opportunities to swap stories and experiences with fellow travellers from around Australia and New Zealand.

WHAT'S INCLUDED?

We like to make things easy for you and so our tours include accommodation, land travel (coach, boat, train), technical and farm visits, entrance fees, sightseeing, tipping and most meals. With Quadrant there are no hidden costs, it's all included in the quoted price which makes budgeting easy. And when you travel for business purposes, tax concessions may apply.

WHAT ACCOMMODATION CAN I EXPECT?

On tours in southern Australia, we use a mixture of country style hotels and motels which all offer clean comfortable accommodation of a 3-to-4-star standard with private en-suite facilities. In the north of the country on our outback tours, the accommodation varies depending on the remoteness of the location. Many tours operate away from tourist areas, so the accommodation might not be what you would find in more conventional areas. There may be cabin-style accommodation on cattle stations and occasionally camping in comfortable tents. Some accommodation places are larger and a little more stylish, others are simple and clean, but they will all offer comfortable accommodation of a reasonable standard.

HOW FIT DO I NEED TO BE?

You will need to have the energy and fitness to walk around farms and locations with uneven surfaces and up and down stairs. In addition, you need to be fit enough to carry your own luggage and board and disembark coaches (and occasionally trains and boats) several times a day. If you require a wheelchair or cannot walk unassisted, then our tours are probably not suitable for you.

WHAT IF I WANT TO STAY LONGER, OR DO SOME OTHER THINGS WHILE I'M AWAY?

Our friendly team of travel professionals are experts in their field. With more than 30 years' experience, they can easily make the travel arrangements for you and make helpful suggestions to get the best out of your time away.

WHY TRAVEL WITH QUADRANT

- There are no hidden costs
- Tours are escorted by specialist tour guides
- Personalised service and customised tours
- Possible tax benefits for primary producers

WHAT ABOUT TRAVEL INSURANCE?

Travel insurance can help you avoid costly and unexpected expenses. You should have coverage in place once you start paying out non-refundable costs. Our team can help you navigate this process.

FURTHER INFORMATION

Contact our friendly and dedicated team of agricultural travel professionals who can assist you with all your travel needs and tour questions. You can phone us, email us or visit our website.



SUITCASE ICON

Indicates non agricultural journey.

2022 CALENDAR AUSTRALIA



TOUR	NO. DAYS	DEPARTS
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MARCH

Autumn Highlights of Tasmanian Agriculture	11	19 March
Farming & Highlights of South East Australia	13	30 March

APRIL

Farming & Innovation in Tasmania	10	10 April
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MAY

The Channel Country Cattle Tour.....	14	2 May
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JUNE

Farmer's Tour of Queensland – A Great Winter Escape.....	15	4 June
The Pilbara Cattle Tour.....	16	8 June
Agricultural Highlights of Australia's Top End.....	11	19 June
NT Cattle & Cropping Highlights	12	26 June
PAS Kimberley Adventure Tour	14	27 June

JULY

Red Centre Beef Cattle Tour	13	10 July
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AUGUST

Kimberley Agricultural Highlights	13	25 August
Cattle & Farming in the Queensland Gulf.....	14	30 August

SEPTEMBER

Western Australia Spring Farming.....	13	27 September
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OCTOBER

Agriculture in South Australia & Kangaroo Island	13	12 October
Victorian Agricultural Highlights & The Melbourne Cup	12	22 October
Highlights of Tasmanian Agriculture	10	29 October

2022 CALENDAR NEW ZEALAND



TOUR **NO. DAYS** **DEPARTS**

FEBRUARY/MARCH

South Island Croquet Tour.....	11	TBC
Quilt, Fibre and Art Tour of Canterbury	5.....	1 March
King Country and Taranaki.....	7.....	10 March
Mainland Magic – South Island	13.....	20 March
Marlborough & Tasman – South Island.....	9.....	25 March

APRIL

Deep South – Fiordland, Stewart Island & Queenstown	10.....	2 April
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MAY

Far North Escape – Bay of Islands & Northland.....	8.....	7 May
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JUNE

Northland Escape.....	8.....	4 June
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SEPTEMBER

Highlights of New Zealand Agriculture	9.....	5 September
Optional South Island Extension	11	13 September

OCTOBER

Far North Escape - Bay of Islands & Northland	8.....	8 October
Central Otago Bike Trails and Around Eyre Mountain.....	10.....	19 October

NOVEMBER

Taranaki Garden Festival North Island	7.....	1 November
Deep South - Fiordland, Stewart Island & Queenstown	10.....	3 November
Mainland Magic - South Island	13.....	13 November





Quadrant is offering a unique selection of tours with our New Zealand partners. They offer the same care and attention to your needs and, like us, belong to ATOI (Agricultural Tour Operators International), so you know you'll be in good hands throughout your stay.



SOUTH ISLAND CROQUET TOUR

11 days

Early next year Quadrant will be running a tour that immerses itself in the beauty of the South Island – as well as offering people with a passion for croquet to get in a few games with the locals at four of the iconic clubs in Christchurch, Akaroa, Wanaka, and Queenstown. If you and/or your partner play croquet or have ever wondered if you'd like to learn this most enjoyable game, then this will be a wonderful opportunity to enjoy the company of others with similar interests; have a relaxing holiday in a beautiful part of the world – all at a very affordable price.



QUILT, FIBRE AND ART TOUR OF CANTERBURY

5 days departing 1 March

'You're only limited by your imagination when it comes to creating with Fibre'. This tour will be a fantastic opportunity to join well-known textile tutor Robyn Rowe and explore the hidden gems of rural Canterbury while indulging in your passion for fabric, fibre and art. Share your passions with local craftswomen, meet with artists, learn new techniques, enjoy exclusive private shopping, fun and friendship. So much on offer to inspire your creativity!

MAINLAND MAGIC – SOUTH ISLAND

13 days departing 20 March and 13 November

Join us as we take you on a thrilling adventure in the South Island of New Zealand where stunning landscapes have been sculpted by glaciers many thousands of years ago. Enjoy it all from South Island high country stations and alpine passes to stunning coastlines, glaciers, crystal-clear lakes and rivers and from majestic mountains and open plains to charming rural towns and iconic Kiwi experiences. Meet passionate food, wine and fibre producers doing what they do best as we visit some of New Zealand's most scenic farms and regions. Enjoy diverse and spectacular scenery, sample tasty regional food specialties and enjoy a special overnight stay on a remote High-Country Station.

MARLBOROUGH AND TASMAN – SOUTH ISLAND

9 days departing 25 March

This is a great opportunity to experience parts of New Zealand that we do not often visit! Join us on this journey across the top of the South Island, from beautiful Marlborough to the top of Cape Farewell Spit, the most northerly point on the South Island and a wetland and bird sanctuary of international significance. Enjoy a cruise on the Marlborough Sounds to visit a wildlife sanctuary. Experience some major industries including mussel farming, hops, pipfruit (NZ for apples and pears), dairy, merino sheep, pine nuts and wine. Enjoy warm southern hospitality and have engaging conversations with the farmers about matters close to the heart of farming.

FIORDLAND, STEWART ISLAND AND QUEENSTOWN – DEEP SOUTH

10 days departing 2 April and 3 November

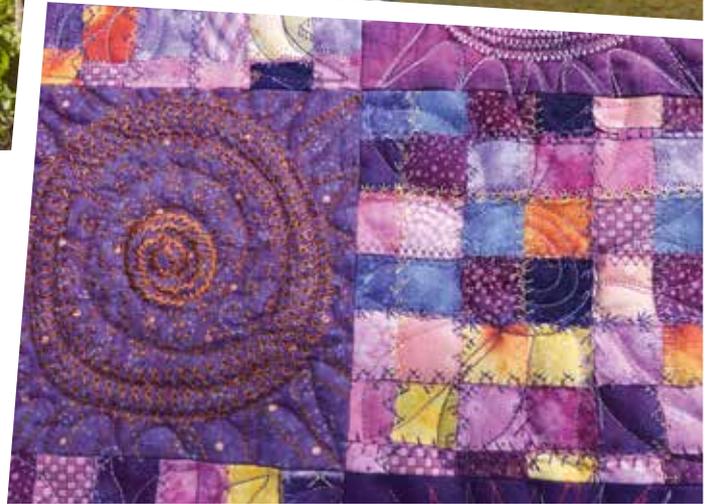
Experience one of the most pristine and magical places on earth on New Zealand's South Island. Begin your journey in vibrant Queenstown then travel on to tranquil Te Anau. Embark on an overnight cruise on awe-inspiring Doubtful Sound with its breath-taking vistas, glacial fiords and incredible marine and birdlife! Continue via Invercargill (and Bill Richardson's world-renowned Transport World) to Stewart Island, known for its rare native New Zealand birdlife and incredible fishing and walking trails. The tour includes a night in the rugged Catlins, the spectacular coastal stretch between Balclutha and Invercargill in the deep south, as well as the city of Dunedin with its Māori and Scottish heritage. A small group tour you'll never forget!



CENTRAL OTAGO BIKE TRAILS AND AROUND EYRE MOUNTAIN

10 days departing 19 October

Experience the best of Central Otago's cycle trails beside the rivers and lakes of stunning Arrowtown, Cromwell, Wanaka, Clyde and Roxburgh. Starting and finishing in Queenstown, enjoy a visual feast of mountains and pristine lakes, slightly challenging cycle trails and gourmet food and wine before the summer crowds arrive. Ride 187km of purpose-built cycle trails along the Gibbston River Trail, Lake Hawea Trail, Lake Dunstan Trail, Roxburgh Gorge and Clutha Gold Trails. After a rest day in Queenstown, ride the 186km cycle trail through beautiful rural Southland farmland surrounded by towering peaks, magical beech forests and glacial lakes. Finish your journey with a cruise onboard the historic TSS Earnslaw across Lake Wakatipu back to Queenstown. E-bike and helmet hire is included and a support vehicle is available throughout the tour.



FAR NORTH ESCAPE – BAY OF ISLANDS AND NORTHLAND

8 days departing 7 May and 8 October

Experience the very best of New Zealand’s sub-tropical far north with its rich Māori heritage and formative New Zealand history. See stunning beaches and native forests, diverse farming and horticulture, delicious local fare and other Northland gems. You’ll meet farming families running a range of enterprises such as sheep, dairy, avocado, kiwifruit and more. Enjoy beautiful bush walks and wildlife encounters, cruising in the Bay of Islands and visiting New Zealand’s northernmost point, Cape Reinga, where the Tasman Sea meets the Pacific in a spectacular swirl of currents.

NORTHLAND ESCAPE

8 days departing 4 June

The climate in the north of the North Island offers a competitive advantage in agricultural and horticultural terms. Why not join us as we explore Northland and visit many of the industries that benefit from the climate including dairy, beef, fruit, Manuka honey and more. Learn the story of the kauri and gum diggers and see remnants of the pioneering days. This journey will be one of dramatic contrasts. From the untamed wild West Coast to the ancient living kauri forests, long white sandy beaches, and Waitangi, a story in itself; experience the culture, northern hospitality, hear the stories from the people on the land and come home more enriched by a unique Northland experience.

HIGHLIGHTS OF NEW ZEALAND AGRICULTURE

(19 days full tour includes North and South Island)

North Island – 9 days departing 5 September

South Island – 11 days departing 13 September

New Zealand is a small country but is amazing in its landscapes and scenery. Join us on an exceptional tour visiting the North Island, with an option to extend and visit the South Island. Experience some of the country’s iconic attractions, along with a diverse range of farming enterprises, some that most people never get to see! Visit high country stations, wineries, avocado and kiwifruit orchards, cattle, dairy and sheep farming enterprises and cropping properties. Spend a day on Waiheke Island off the coast of Auckland and a day in Doubtful Sound in the deep south. This is the ultimate New Zealand experience!

KING COUNTRY AND TARANAKI – NORTH ISLAND

7 days departing 10 March

An amazing adventure awaits you on this tour via the remote and mysterious Forgotten World Highway through the King Country and Taranaki. Well known dairy farmer Paul Bourke will guide the tour and local residents and entrepreneurs will join you along the way to provide insights to living and working in the region. Highlights include a jet boat ride on the Whanganui River, driving rail carts on the old Taumarunui to Stratford railway and drifting in boats through the Traders and Whalers exhibition at the Tawhiti Museum. You’ll also learn about quinoa and energy production, visit a remote hill country farm in the back blocks of Taranaki, inspect high producing farms and see the internationally acclaimed Pukeiti Rhododendron Gardens, as well as stay at the historic Whangamomona Hotel.

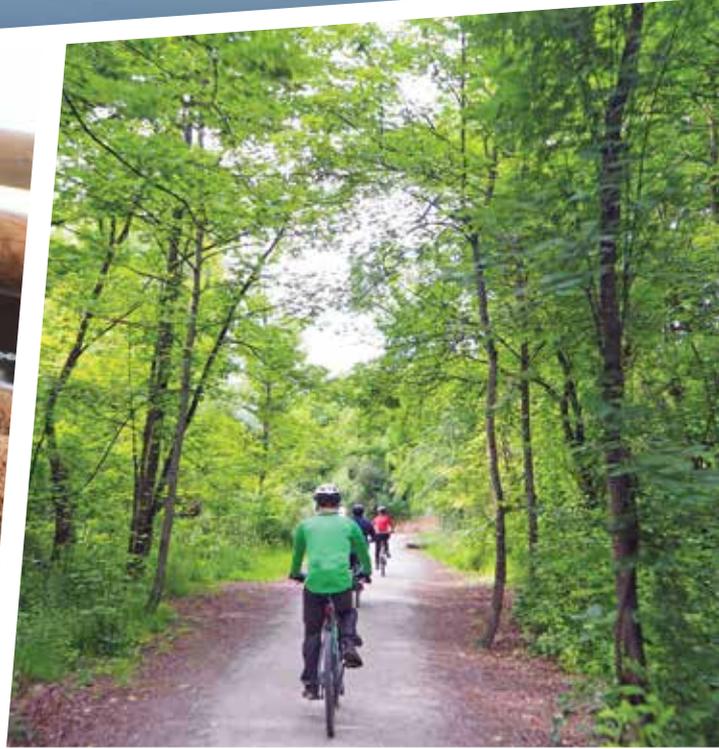


TARANAKI GARDEN FESTIVAL – NORTH ISLAND

7 days departing 1 November

Join us on a seven day trip from Wellington to Taranaki and back to Palmerston North and be wowed by the visual feast of garden extravaganza along the way. The Taranaki Garden Festival is a wonderful showcase of the best on offer – gardens, arts and events. All around Taranaki Maunga, visit generous garden owners who enjoy sharing their incredible gardens with visitors. With a huge variety of gardens and some astonishing artists, there is something for everyone on this tour.

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