

Toowoomba Carnival of Flowers Festival

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6 Days with Brian and Mary Tour Date Thursday 15 - Tuesday 20 September 2022

Tour Inclusions:

- •Pick from your home, transport to Toowoomba and return to your door step
- •(Sydney Metropolitan area only)
- •Luxury Coach Travel, Seatbelts and Restroom
- •All fully cooked breakfasts
- •Five three course Dinners with choices at the motel
- •Lunch days 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5
- •Five nights minimum three-star quality accommodation, twin share
- •All entry fees and guides as per itinerary
- Escorted tour

Tour Highlights:

Singleton Diggers Club, Tenterfield Railway Station Museum, Glengallan Homestead, Reserved Seating to view the Grand Central Floral Parade, Driving guided tour of Toowoomba including visiting prize winning gardens with a Local Guide, Queens Park, Farmers Arms Hotel, Crows Nest Soft Drinks, Spring Bluff Railway Station, Cobb & Co Museum, St Stephens Uniting Church and Craft Display Mare, Jamworks, Stannum House, Mare and Foal Park, and more.

Tour Fee including GST: Members \$2,070.00 per person twin share

Non Members \$2,101.00 per person twin share

Single Supplement \$395.00

Book now and pay by Thursday 14 July 2022

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Please note that the itinerary is subject to change without notice

The Itinerary

Day 1 Thursday 15 September 2022 Home to Tamworth

Lunch & Dinner

We pick you up from home this morning and travel north along the M1 and New England Highway to Tamworth. On the way we will be stopping for lunch at **Singleton Diggers Club.** After lunch we continue our journey north through Scone passing by the many horse studs and farms in the district

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Day 2 Friday 16 September 2022 Tamworth - Toowoomba

Breakfast Lunch & Dinner

This morning after breakfast we travel through Armidale and Glen Innes to Tenterfield, enjoying morning tea on the way. Lunch today is at **The Tenterfield Railway Station Museum.** Entering Queensland, we make our way through the **Granite Belt** and stop at **Glengallan Homestead** for a brief tour and afternoon tea. From here it is a short trip to Toowoomba and on arrival we head straight to our hotel for our next four nights' accommodation.

Day 3 Saturday 17 September 2022 Carnival of Flowers

Breakfast Lunch & Dinner

After breakfast today it is a short drive to **Queens Park**, spread across 25 hectares, the park is something to behold, with bright flower beds, large canopies of stately trees and acres of expansive green lawns. Then we make our way to our reserved seats for Australia's most unique **Street Parade** – the **Grand Central Floral Parade**. Spectacular floats decorated with live flowers fitting the chosen theme of the year, plus, banks, marching groups, stilt walkers and carnival characters. The Parade winds through the city and past our reserved seating. Lunch today is a short drive to the **Farmers Arms Hotel** Then we head to the small town of **Crows Nest** for a visit to **Crows Nest Soft Drinks**. Established in 1903 the soft drink is one of the oldest surviving "small town" manufacturers of soft drinks and syrup flavourings. Here we will be taken on the cordial journey from production to bottling. Heading back to Toowoomba we visit the heritage listed **Spring Bluff Railway Station**. The spring exhibit has a display of poppies, ranunculus, stock, snapdragons, petunias and many other annuals.

Day 4 Sunday 18 September 2022 Toowoomba Surrounds

Breakfast Lunch & Dinner

We spend today exploring Toowoomba, after breakfast we visit several of the beautiful **private gardens** that are finalists as part of the Carnival of Flowers **Open Garden Competition**. Lunch today is at Toowoomba's most notable tourist attraction, the **Cobb & Co Museum** which is part of the Queensland Museum. It traces the history of the horse drawn transportation in Australia. This afternoon we visit the **St Stephens Craft Display** at St Stephens Uniting Church and whilst here we can purchase afternoon tea and visit the cathedral which is 140 years old. Here they have themed displays.

Day 5 Monday 19 September 2022 Toowoomba - Tamworth

Breakfast Lunch & Dinner

Leaving Toowoomba, we make our way south via Warwick and arrive at **Jamworks** for morning tea and a change to look through the local goods on offer. Next, we head to **Tenterfield** and arrive at the historic **Stannum House** where we follow in the footsteps of great Australians like Dame Nellie Melba and Banjo Paterson, who both visited here. The beautifully resorted home opened to the public in 2003 and today we will enjoy a **tour** and lunch. This afternoon we have a stop along the way before arriving in Tamworth for our final nights' accommodation.

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Day 6 Monday 20 September 2022

Breakfast

This morning after breakfast we continue our journey towards home stopping along the way for morning tea and Lunch. Today's lunch is at your own expense. We arrive back in Sydney in the afternoon to say goodbye at your door after a fantastic holiday with Brian and Mary and our new friends from Ezi Drive Coaches and Holiday Coach Tours.com.au.

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