

2023 - 2024 VOYAGES

# AUSTRALIA'S SOUTH COAST



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Our Health & Safety Plan for guests & crew

- > Wild Islands of South Australia - 10 Nights - Adelaide to Adelaide
- > Across the Great Australian Bight - 13 Nights - Fremantle to Adelaide
- > Australia's Great Southern Coastline - 14 Nights - Melbourne to Fremantle



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AUSTRALIA'S PIONEERING CRUISE LINE



# AUSTRALIA'S SOUTHERN COASTLINE FOR TRUE EXPLORERS



Explore Australia's southern shores on a small ship expedition. This raw and rugged coastline is fringed by many islands and inlets, carved by the mercurial turquoise waters of the Southern Ocean. Visit islands such as Kangaroo Island, Flinders Island and the Recherche Archipelago - brimming with human and natural histories and often difficult to reach - home to wildlife such as rare wallabies, sea lions and numerous bird species.

A highlight of these itineraries are coastal walks along nature trails, often ending in ocean views or sweeping white-sand beaches. Hosted by expert guides, learn about the flora, fauna and history of these remote habitats. Along the way, enjoy the tastes of the southern coast, indulge in fresh regional seafood and hand-selected local wines.

Find freedom on Australia's southern coastline.

## Expedition Note

These are expedition itineraries covering remote regions. Your Captain and Expedition Team will make changes to the daily schedule when necessary to maximise your experience. These itineraries are indicative - some variation may occur due to weather conditions, safety or local community requirements.

We recommend that you arrive to the embarkation port on the day prior to departure and schedule your own travel arrangements for the following disembarkation due to unexpected changes that may occur in scheduling.

## Voyages

- > **Wild Islands of South Australia**  
10 Nights | Departs Nov & Dec 2023, Oct & Nov 2024
- > **Across the Great Australian Bight**  
13 Nights | Departs 21 Oct 2023
- > **Australia's Great Southern Coastline**  
14 Nights | Departs 13 Feb 2024

## Australian Hospitality at Sea

On board our Australian-flagged expedition ships, discover a personalised, relaxed style of cruising. With a maximum of 120 guests, there is no need for queues or assigned seating. Instead, an intimate, convivial atmosphere shared with like-minded travellers makes you feel at home.

Our Australian and New Zealand crew share their passion for our destinations and the explorer's life. Join our engine room tours, watch our chefs at work in the open galley, and chat with our Captain or officers on the bridge - they will be delighted to have your company.

Our chefs, inspired by destination flavours, prepare cuisine from fresh regional produce. Our wine cellars hold a curated selection of wines and unique beers from Australia and New Zealand.

Our guests love to mingle over drinks as the sun sets, enjoy daily educational presentations by our lecturers, participate in stargazing sessions after dark, or simply find a quiet corner on deck and enjoy the solitude.

## The Expedition Experience

We explore remote locations that are hard to reach or not often touched by tourists, with shore excursions providing environmental and cultural appreciation. Our small group sizes ensure your experience is personal, with minimal impact on the communities and environments we visit.

Enjoy excursions or activities each day, guided by expert Expedition Leaders and Lecturers who provide commentary on culture, history, and the region's unique geology, plants and wildlife to help you connect with these special places.



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## Our SaiSAFE Plan

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It is always our priority to keep our guests and crew safe while travelling with us. In the environment of COVID-19 we want our guests and crew to have confidence that their safety and wellbeing have been thoroughly considered.

We have put in place a range of tested and proven protocols to manage our expeditions in a world in which COVID-19 exists.

Our key focus is on preventative measures where our protocol includes mandatory vaccination and COVID-19 testing for all guests and crew prior to boarding. Once onboard we have adopted a wide range of mitigation actions and a response plan that is approved by authorities in the regions in which we operate. Our plan is supported by Standard Operating Procedures, developed for each vessel requirements specific to the cruise destination.

We have maintained a high standard of safety and guest comfort for four decades - a record we are proud of.

As one of the first cruise lines to return to operations globally in October 2020, we have been safely operating voyages under SaiSAFE and accumulated significant expertise in operating in this environment. We trust this SaiSAFE Plan offers you peace of mind as you plan your explorations of Australia's coastline, and the world, with Coral Expeditions.

Thank you for your support and we look forward to welcoming you onboard.



# WILD ISLANDS OF SOUTH AUSTRALIA

ADELAIDE > ADELAIDE

10 NIGHTS | NOV & DEC 2023, OCT & NOV 2024



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## Expedition Highlights

- > Visit some of South Australia's most historic lighthouses at Cape Willoughby and Troubridge Island
- > Encounter native wildlife including playful dolphins, sea lions, emus, rock wallabies, kangaroos and numerous birds at national parks and protected habitats
- > Collect and shuck your own oysters fresh from the sea at Coffin Bay, paired with local wines
- > Enjoy sunset sailing past the stunning coastal formations of Cape Jervis and Kangaroo Island
- > Meet the abalone divers of Eyrewoolf Abalone and taste pan-seared green-lip abalone on the beach at Flinders Island.
- > Be rewarded with striking views and peaceful native forest environs on South Australia's coastal walking trails at Cape Donington & Western River Cove
- > Enjoy a variety of walks including the coastal walks at Cape Willoughby, dune walk at Point Sir Isaac, beach walks at Reevesby and Forest walks of Cape Donington and Lashmar Conservation Park
- > Discover the fascinating Indigenous heritage and exploration history of Matthew Flinders
- > Enjoy refreshing dips in the turquoise waters and relax on deserted silica white beaches



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## ITINERARY: 10 NIGHTS > ADELAIDE TO ADELAIDE

### DAY 1: DEPART ADELAIDE

Board *Coral Geographer* at 4:00pm for 5:00pm departure.

### DAYS 2-10:

*Your Expedition Team may make changes to the itinerary in order to maximise your expedition experience. Below are the key destinations we visit.*

#### TROUBRIDGE ISLAND

Today we arrive at Yorke Peninsula's Troubridge Island, where we will enjoy a walk, circumnavigating the small sand cay island by Xplorer guided by our specialist Guest Lecturer and learn of the many birds which have made Troubridge their home. The island's Conservation Park is an important breeding area for birds and is home to a large colony of little penguins, black-faced cormorants, pacific gulls and crested terns - an ideal environment for bird enthusiasts.

Visit the site of an operating lighthouse from 1856 until 2002 - the second lighthouse to be built in South Australia. Despite earthquake, fire and constant erosion of this island that continually moves and reshapes itself, the Troubridge Island Lighthouse has survived this far.

#### ANTECHAMBER BAY, KANGAROO ISLAND

Antechamber Bay, located on the north coast of the Dudley Peninsula, is one of Kangaroo Island's finest coastal havens. The deserted, untouched long beach of the bay is where Chapman river meets the sea. The area is covered with Forest of gum trees and narrow-leaf mallee which makes the walk at Lashmar Conservation park truly a magnificent experience.

At the other end of the bay, Cape Willoughby juts into the 'Backstairs Passage'. Lighting this 14km wide strait is the Cape Willoughby Light Station. We will visit the Lighthouse keeper's cottage and learn of it's interesting stories and have opportunity to climb the Light house itself. In the grounds, we will do a loop walk from the Lighthouse to the beautiful smuggler's Cove and often the special KI wallaby are spotted along the way.

#### WESTERN RIVER COVE, KANGAROO ISLAND

Today, land at isolated Western River Cove to visit the beautiful historic homestead. There may be an opportunity to meet the homestead owners and hear their stories. A walk along the ridge reveals spectacular views of the valley at the back of the property, and the beach offers excellent swimming. Weather permitting, visit beautiful Snug Cove. Later, cruise past the rarely viewed norther cliffs of Kangaroo Island towards Cape Borda.

#### REEVESBY ISLAND

Head to Reevesby Island, part of the Sir Joseph Banks Group; an archipelago on the eastern coast of the Eyre Peninsula. Accessible only by boat, this island is one of the largest of the group. Women played a major role in the island's history, especially in the early days leading up to the Great Depression. Take a hike around this important seabird breeding site and visit the homestead and machinery sheds. This beautiful chain of islands offers a range of sheltered bays, golden sand beaches and reefs teeming with marine life.

#### FLINDERS ISLAND

Located around 35kms from the Eyre Peninsula Coast, Flinders Island has a long history of sealing, whaling, and farming. Owned by the Woolford family since 1979, they run an established sheep farm, abalone harvesting business and are working to establish a safe haven for vulnerable native species. Meet the Woolford family to learn about the history and conservation projects on the island.

Visit the Kapara shipwreck at Bryant's Bay, and stroll through the shearing sheds at the farm. Taste fresh abalone at Eyrewoolf Abalone.

#### COFFIN BAY NATIONAL PARK

Bordered by sea and National Parks, Coffin Bay is a stunning destination. The pristine waters of the bays in this area are home to numerous pods of dolphins, sea lions, seals and many seabirds. Emus and kangaroos roam and the natural beauty of the turquoise sea, white sand dunes, and bright blue sky is a wonderful backdrop to our day's adventures.

Here we will walk through the Coffin Bay National Park at Point Sir Isaac to get an understanding of the forests and environment - enjoy the interpretation of the heathlands, mallee forest and she-oak woodlands. Discover the tranquil bays, protected from the might of the Southern Ocean, and snorkel or kayak with the chance to spot some of the marine life.

There is also the opportunity to enjoy an unforgettable wild cuisine experience - enjoy a small boat cruise along the oyster beds to collect and enjoy them fresh from the sea.

#### BOSTON ISLAND

Boston Island lies between Port Lincoln and Cape Donington. Roughly 6km long, Boston Island is very hilly and has four beautiful beaches. Within the island landmass there is about 2,500 acres of grassy, hilly slopes with many sheep. Given its sheltered coastal aspect there is much birdlife on the island with sea eagles, Cape Barren geese, wedge tailed eagles and some 40 or so other species that make the island their home.

Enjoy this important seabird breeding area, with walks along golden sand beaches and learn of the history of this island.

#### CAPE DONINGTON & MACLAREN POINT

A headland at the most northerly part of the Jussieu Peninsula on the east coast of Eyre Peninsula, Cape Donington is a great spot to enjoy refreshing sea views and rocky coastline. Take a dip at Cape Donington Beach before heading along the 2km trail over to September Beach. Keep an eye out for western grey kangaroos, emus or goannas near the Cape Donington lighthouse, or head out to Donington Island to view long-nosed fur seals or Australian sea lions from the Xplorer.

#### PENNESHAW - KANGAROO ISLAND

As a secondary option, we may visit historical Penneshaw. Landing at Hogs Bay where we will learn of the history of Baudin and Flinders. Walks:

##### > Kangaroo Island Sculpture Trail (1.5km, Easy)

The trail is 1.5 km in length; an easy walk but with some steps, offers original artwork in a beautiful natural setting.

##### > Fireball Bates Walking Trail (1-2 hours, 3km)

George Bates, called Fireball because of his red hair, was one of the first settlers to Kangaroo Island. He joined a sealing expedition in 1823, jumping ship 13 years before settlers arrived. The trail begins at the now closed Kangaroo Island Gateway Visitor Information Centre and loops down to near the ferry and back.

##### > Wallaby Track (3km, moderate)

It's a 3 km return hike which follows a natural spring fed creek bed with naturally occurring waterfalls into limestone features. A little more challenging, so wear good sturdy walking shoes.

### DAY 11: ARRIVE ADELAIDE

This morning, we arrive in Adelaide at 7:30am to disembark at 8:00am. A post cruise transfer is included to the CBD or airport.

# ACROSS THE GREAT AUSTRALIAN BIGHT

ADELAIDE & FREMANTLE  
13 NIGHTS | OCTOBER 2023

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## Expedition Highlights

- > Get close to the large stingrays and eagle rays that swim in the shallows of Hamelin Bay
- > Hike the spectacular coast of Cape Naturaliste & Point Ann
- > Indulge in a tour and cellar door experiences in the award-winning Margaret River wine country
- > Climb Cape Leeuwin lighthouse, the tallest on mainland Australia, to take in the view over the Southern Ocean
- > Stroll through breath-taking Jewel Cave at Augusta and learn about its formation over thousands of years
- > Enjoy sunset drinks alongside the friendly kangaroos on the sweeping white beach of Lucky Bay
- > Discover the diverse islands of the Archipelago of the Recherche and follow the snorkel trail at Shearwater Bay
- > Learn to shuck your own delicious oysters fresh from the waters of Coffin Bay

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## ITINERARY: 13 NIGHTS > BETWEEN FREMANTLE AND ADELAIDE

### DAY 1: DEPART FREMANTLE

Board in Fremantle at 4:00pm for a 5:00pm departure.

### DAYS 2-13: KEY DESTINATIONS OF YOUR EXPEDITION

*Your Expedition Team may make changes to the itinerary in order to maximise your expedition experience. Each direction has slight differences to allow for timing, winds and tides.*

### CAPE NATURALISTE & DUNSBOROUGH

Cape Naturaliste is known for its spectacular scenery and some of the best walking tracks in the Margaret River Region. Today explore these walking trails and visit the Cape Naturaliste Lighthouse before spending some free time in the charming town of Dunsborough. Later, visit stunning Meelup Beach for sunbathing and swimming, followed by sunset drinks on the beach.

### HAMELIN BAY & MARGARET RIVER

Hamelin Bay, a serene sandy bay, is famous for the abundance of stingrays that swim in the shallows. Snorkel or wade alongside these giant rays, before a walk to a nearby lake for birdwatching. Spend the afternoon in the beautiful Margaret River wine region and relax on a luxury coach tour to enjoy tastings and cellar-door visits at leading wineries.

### AUGUSTA

Augusta is our gateway to the naturally beautiful South West. Today, climb the historic Cape Leeuwin Lighthouse, built in 1896, and discover the exploration history of the region. Explore Jewel Cave, known for its crystal-encrusted decorations of delicate helectites and stalagmites. Later, enjoy free time to explore the township.

### BREAKSEA ISLAND & ARPENTEUR NATURE RESERVES

Named for its weather-beaten appearance and the protection it offers, Breaksea Island is home to fur seals and Australian sea lions. Spend time observing these playful and curious creatures in their natural habitat. This afternoon, explore Arpenteur Nature Reserves to spot rare birds including the red-winged fairy-wren and New Holland honey-eater, or take a swim at the beach.

### BREMER BAY & POINT ANN

This tiny coastal town is renowned for having some of the most beautiful beaches in the world. Spend the afternoon swimming, snorkelling or relaxing on the beach. The tranquility of the surroundings and the opportunity to observe the unique marine life of the area make Bremer Bay a memorable stop. In the afternoon we visit Point Ann, located in the Fitzgerald National Park. The Point Ann platform is known to be a great vista for lookouts, while the 1.5km leisurely bush walk follows the site of the original rabbit proof fence, with superb views over Point Charles Bay.

### WOODY ISLAND, RECHERCHE ARCHIPELAGO

The Recherche Archipelago is a vast group of islands and rocky outcrops scattered across the blue waters of the Southern Ocean. Explore Woody Island for hiking and birdwatching and experience the snorkel trail at Shearwater Bay.

### LUCKY BAY & CAPE LE GRAND NATIONAL PARK

Known for massive granite peaks, rolling heath-lands and sweeping beaches, Lucky Bay is popular with kangaroos who laze on its soft white sand. We will enjoy a swim or hike a section of the Le Grand Coastal Trail, where you may spot pygmy possums, western grey kangaroos and many native wildflowers. As the sun sets, enjoy beach drinks with the curious kangaroos.

### YOKINUP BAY & CAPE ARID NATIONAL PARK

The pristine and remote wilderness of Cape Arid is an important conservation area for 1,100 species of plants and more than 160 bird species. Relax on Yokinup Bay's broad white beaches washed by blue seas and birdwatch at Thomas River estuary. We may have the opportunity to explore historic whaling station ruins.

### GREAT AUSTRALIAN BIGHT

Our crossing of the Great Australian Bight is an exciting moment for those who love the sea. The Great Australian Bight Marine Park protects southern right whales and is home to 80% of the Australian sea lion population.

### STREAKY BAY

Streaky Bay and surrounding regions are known for their great variety of landscapes, from untouched native scrub land and farming land to cliffs and surf beaches. This morning, enjoy a walking tour of the town, ending at the museum.

### COFFIN BAY

We arrive in tranquil Coffin Bay this morning to swim, snorkel or kayak, looking out for marine life as we explore the water ways. This afternoon, experience a once-in-a-lifetime culinary experience at Coffin Bay Oyster Farm. Don waders and sit at the Saltwater Pavilion to taste oysters fresh out of the sea and learn how to shuck an oyster. Prepare for a seafood tasting sensation!

### DAY 14: ARRIVE ADELAIDE

Arrive in Adelaide 7:00am for disembarkation at 7:30am. A post cruise transfer to the CBD or airport is included.



# AUSTRALIA'S GREAT SOUTHERN COASTLINE

MELBOURNE TO FREMANTLE  
14 NIGHTS | FEBRUARY 2024

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## Expedition Highlights

- > Climb Cape Leeuwin lighthouse, the tallest on mainland Australia, to take in the view over the Southern Ocean
- > Learn to shuck your own delicious oysters fresh from the waters of Coffin Bay
- > Meet with the Woolford's at Flinders Island for a beachside abalone tasting and learn the history and current conservation projects of the island
- > Stroll through breath-taking Jewel Cave at Augusta and learn about its formation over thousands of years
- > Relax and enjoy sunset drinks alongside the friendly kangaroos at wildlife haven Lucky Bay
- > Swim with the majestic stingrays and eagle rays that swim in the shallows of Hamelin Bay
- > Indulge in tasting experiences in the award-winning Margaret River wine country

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## ITINERARY: 14 NIGHTS > MELBOURNE TO FREMANTLE

### DAY 1: DEPART MELBOURNE

Board Coral Geographer at 4:00pm for a 5:00pm departure.

### DAYS 2-13: KEY DESTINATIONS OF YOUR EXPEDITION

*No two cruises with Coral Expeditions will be the same, each expedition is crafted by our experienced Masters and Expedition Team around the tides, weather and sea conditions. Below is a selection of the key destinations we visit. This itinerary includes 5 days at sea.*

#### APOLLO BAY

Located along Victoria's Great Ocean Road, Apollo Bay is part of the Great Otway National Park. Explore the natural beauty of this location by strolling the park to spot the 3 cascades of the Triplet Falls and walk to the lookout for panoramic views of the seascape.

#### 12 APOSTLES

View the rugged splendor of the renowned 12 Apostles that lie in the Southern Ocean off Victoria's coast. The limestone cliffs are subject to constant erosion from the impact of storms and winds, which carved the caves in the cliffs. When the caves eroded into arches and collapsed, their 45m high rocky remains were left along the shore.

#### PORT FAIRY

Enjoy a walking town tour of this historic heritage settlement. Grand public buildings sit side by side with restored whalers' cottages and Georgian styled merchant homes. Continue to the infamous Shipwreck Coast. This stretch of coastline is graveyard to around 700 submerged wrecks, leaving behind their fascinating stories. Captain Matthew Flinders notably said he had never seen a 'more fearful section of coastline'.

#### ROBE

Spend time today in the historic and picturesque town of Robe. Located on the Limestone Coast, it offers incredible views and unique food, drink and shopping opportunities. One of Australia's most character-filled small towns, Robe is known for its cottage industries. Spend your day exploring through the quaint shops and craft breweries or relax on the beach and watch surfers catching a wave

#### COFFIN BAY

Here we will hike through the Coffin Bay National Park to get an understanding of the forests and environment - enjoy the interpretation of the heathlands, mallee forest and she-oak woodlands. Discover the tranquil bays and snorkel or kayak with the chance to spot some of the marine life. There is also the opportunity to enjoy an unforgettable wild cuisine experience - enjoy a small boat cruise along the oyster beds to collect your oysters and enjoy them fresh from the sea.

#### FLINDERS ISLAND

Flinders Island is located about 35km from the Eyre Peninsula Coast and has been owned by the Woolford family since 1979, where they fish for abalone and are working to establish a safe haven for vulnerable native species. Meet Tobin and Jonas Woolford on Front Beach, learn of the island's history and taste freshly pan-seared abalone. Explore the historic shearing sheds and head to Bryant's Bay to visit the Kapara shipwreck

#### BUNDA CLIFFS

For 100km along the Great Australian Bight runs these awe inspiring 120m tall white chalky Bunda Cliffs. This 300m thick limestone slab was once part of an ancient seabed, and now forms the Nullarbor Plain, extending far inland many layers containing many fossils. This is a very rarely explored area of the

Australian coastline with over 1000 islands and our visit will be an adventurous exploration of the rocky islands and sweeping beaches of the region.

#### WOODY ISLAND

Located just 15km off the coast of Esperance, Woody Island's stands of tall trees have given it its name. Surrounded by pristine, clear waters, you will have the opportunity to experience the snorkel trail in Shearwater Bay. The cool southern waters provide excellent visibility for your journey of discovery. There is whaling history throughout the area as well as numerous wrecks, including the second-largest diveable wreck in Australia, the Sanko Harvest, which lays between 18 to 40 metres.

#### LUCKY BAY

Along quiet Lucky Bay, kangaroos are known to laze on the whitest sand in Australia. Enjoy time on the beach meeting the friendly wildlife and the turquoise water is wonderful for a quick swim. If time permits, enjoy a walk to Thistle Cove, taking in the peaceful beauty of the national park, which is home to pygmy possums, western grey kangaroos and many colourful native wildflowers.

#### ALBANY

Albany is the oldest colonial settlement in Western Australia, predating Perth and Fremantle by over two years. For many years, it was the colony's only deep-water port, having a place of eminence on shipping services between Britain and its Australian colonies. The town has a role in the ANZAC legend, being the last port of call for troop ships departing with infantry and cavalry horses from Australia in the First World War.

#### AUGUSTA

Augusta is the most south-western town in Australia and is nearby to the towering karri timber of Boranup Forest and spectacular Jewel Cave. We will visit Jewel Cave, an awe-inspiring and extremely well decorated cave, containing many beautiful examples of delicate helictites, cave coral, pendulites, a very large stalagmite called 'The Karri Forest' and beautiful examples of flowstone such as 'The Frozen Waterfall' and 'The Organ-Pipes'. Remarkably, fossilised remains of several Tasmanian Tigers have been discovered within Jewel Cave.

#### HAMELIN BAY

Located on the southwest coast on a serene open sandy bay, Hamelin Bay is known for the abundance of stingrays which frequent the bay. Snorkel with these friendly giant rays, which can measure up to 2 meters wide, and love to swim up close to snorkellers. Enjoy a guided tour of Cape Leeuwin Lighthouse, the tallest lighthouse on mainland Australia. Climb the tower to be rewarded with a vast seascape with crashing waves and surrounding wilderness. Walk the grounds and explore the beautifully restored heritage site.

#### DAY 10: ARRIVE FREMANTLE

Arrive in Fremantle at 8:00am as we say goodbye to fellow travellers and crew before a 9:00am disembarkation. A complimentary post-cruise transfers to the airport or CBD will be available.

# 2023 - 2024 DEPARTURES & FARES

## WILD ISLANDS OF SOUTH AUSTRALIA

10 Nights - Departs Adelaide

VISIT >

Date	Departs
4 November 2023	Adelaide
14 November 2023	Adelaide
24 November 2023	Adelaide
4 December 2023	Adelaide

### 2023 Rates: Coral Geographer

	Bridge Deck Balcony Suite	Explorer Deck	Promenade Deck	Coral Deck
Twin Share	\$13,010	\$10,380	\$7,860	\$6,710
Sole Use	n/a	\$15,570	\$11,790	\$10,065

Date	Departs
31 October 2024	Adelaide
10 November 2024	Adelaide
20 November 2024	Adelaide

### 2024 Rates: Coral Adventurer

	Bridge Deck Balcony Suite	Bridge Deck Stateroom	Explorer Deck	Promenade Deck	Coral Deck
Twin Share	\$14,980	\$11,480	\$10,380	\$7,860	\$6,710
Sole Use	n/a	n/a	\$15,570	\$11,790	\$10,065

## ACROSS THE GREAT AUSTRALIAN BIGHT

13 Nights - Departs Adelaide & Fremantle

VISIT >

Date	Departs
21 October 2023	Fremantle

### 2023 Rates: Coral Geographer

	Bridge Deck Balcony Suite	Explorer Deck	Promenade Deck	Coral Deck
Twin Share	\$19,250	\$14,310	\$10,740	\$8,950
Sole Use	n/a	\$21,465	\$16,110	\$13,425

## AUSTRALIA'S GREAT SOUTHERN COASTLINE

14 Nights - Departs Melbourne

VISIT >

Date	Departs
13 February 2024	Melbourne

### 2024 Rates: Coral Geographer

	Bridge Deck Balcony Suite	Explorer Deck	Promenade Deck	Coral Deck
Twin Share	\$19,620	\$14,690	\$10,950	\$9,120
Sole Use	n/a	\$22,035	\$16,425	\$13,680

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Prices are per person, listed in Australian Dollars (AUD) and include GST.

Refer to website pricing at time of booking as pricing may be subject to change.

\*Limited sole use occupancy available.



## CUISINE & WINE

On board you will discover a personal and relaxed atmosphere befitting our Australian heritage. We do not have formal nights, organised entertainment or designated seating. Instead, you will enjoy a convivial atmosphere shared with like-minded explorers, with our experienced and friendly crew always at hand.

Enjoy freshly prepared meals from the open galley featuring local ingredients from the regions we visit. Relax in the spacious and open atmosphere of our indoor and outdoor bars and dining areas. Enjoy craft beers, artisanal spirits and wines sourced from the Australia and New Zealand's finest terroirs at the end of a long day ashore.

## WINE SELECTIONS

We offer two wine packages, which guests may purchase in addition to our house selection, which feature hand-selected Australian wines and French Champagne.

- > **A Taste of Australia Selection:** Six bottles featuring Australian wines - three reds, two whites and a rosé.
- > **Connoisseur Selection:** Six bottles featuring two whites, three reds and French Champagne.

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## INCLUSIONS

- > All excursions with our Expedition Team
- > Use of Xplorers and Zodiacs
- > Daily lectures and briefings with Guest Lecturers
- > All meals, chef-prepared on board
- > Captain's welcome and farewell events, and open bridge access
- > Selected wines, selected beers and house spirits, juices, and soft drinks served with lunch and dinner
- > 24-hour barista-style coffee and selection of teas
- > All entrance fees to National Parks, ports, traditional owner fees and charges imposed by governing authorities
- > Tips and gratuities
- > Use of all onboard facilities, incl. a reference library
- > Your expedition photos captured during the voyage
- > Post-cruise transfers

IMAGES 1 Chefs at work, credit David Kirkland | 2 Dinner is served | 3 Sunset drinks on the Vista Deck



# CORAL GEOGRAPHER

*Coral Geographer* is the sister ship of *Coral Adventurer*. Launched in March 2021 and purpose-built to take you closer to unspoilt vistas in comfort, style and safety, *Coral Geographer* accommodates 120 guests in 60 spacious staterooms, and all Explorer Deck and Bridge Deck staterooms and suites offer private balconies.

With over 1000 sq m of open deck space including a wrap-around promenade deck with panoramic views, *Coral Geographer* features spacious and vibrant living spaces inspired by the company's Australian ethos and the wide-open spaces the ship visits. Multiple indoor and outdoor bars, including our Xplorer bar on the sundeck, a well-equipped gym, and a passenger elevator creates an environment designed for guest comfort.

*Coral Geographer* is purpose-built for comfortable ocean voyages and for exploring remote areas inaccessible to larger cruise ships. The ship's lightweight dual Xplorer expedition tenders extend the capabilities of the ship by allowing deeper exploration on shore excursions and an easy, step-on embarkation from the ship's main deck. *Coral Geographer* also features advanced technologies and environmentally-responsible design, including anchor-free technology and efficient water and waste recycling systems.

As an Australian flagged and crewed vessel, you can expect the highest standard of service, environmental responsibility and the intimate and personal experience of small-ship cruising on *Coral Geographer*.

## Features

- 2 Xplorer tenders, 6 Zodiacs
- Navigator Lounge in Bridge
- Single seat dining with wine table
- Three cocktail bars
- Well-equipped gym
- Passenger elevator
- Anchor-free technology

## Stateroom Categories

Bridge Deck Balcony Suites	• 37.5sqm • Private Balcony
Explorer Deck Balcony Staterooms	• 21.4sqm • Private Balcony
Promenade Deck Staterooms	• 17sqm • Picture Window
Coral Deck Staterooms	• 17sqm • Porthole Window

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**IMAGES** 1 Explorer Deck Stateroom | 2 Bridge Deck Suite Bathroom  
3 Bridge Deck lounge | 4 Gym | 5 Suite balcony, *Coral Geographer* | 6 Peaceful relaxation on the deck.





IMAGES 1 Rock Wallabies, credit Quentin Chester | 2 h Island Lighthouse, credit Isaac Forman | 3 Western River, credit Quentin Chester | 4 Crested Terns

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