



BUNDANOON IS BRIGADOON

Scottish Festival



6 DAY FULLY INCLUSIVE TOUR

16th April to 21st April, 2026

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THURSDAY 16TH APRIL TO TUESDAY 21ST APRIL, 2026

Bundanoon is Brigadoon - The Southern Highlands in New South Wales, Australia come to life with Scottish festivities and celebrations as the township of Bundanoon is transformed into the mystical Brigadoon each year!

From it's humble beginnings of a handful of pipe bands and spectators, it is now recognised worldwide and has grown in to one of the finest Highland Gatherings in Australia.

Come and join in the fun, and be sure to wear your tartan!

TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

- Benalla Murals
- Goorambat Silos
- Sophia Mural
- Devenish Silos
- St James Silos
- Tungamah Silos
- Garroorigang Historic Home, Goulburn
- Brigadoon Highland Gathering
- Illawarra Fly Tree Top Walk
- Fitzroy Falls Visitor Centre
- Seahorse Inn, Boydtown
- Nyerimilang Heritage Park, Lakes Entrance

MULTIPLE NIGHT STAY

- 2 nights in Bowral



COACH



SMALL GRP

As a thank you for travelling with O'Shannessy's Quality Tours, you will automatically receive a saving on the total tour price for your second and subsequent tours.

O'Shannessy's Quality Tours will match single travellers who wish to twin share with another single traveller of the same gender. However, if this is not possible, in most cases you shall be provided with single accommodation at the twin share fare (no additional cost).

If you are willing to twin share but are a smoker, have a CPAP machine or snore, you will need to pay a single supplement for a sole use room.



TOUR INCLUSIONS

- **Complimentary Chauffeur Driven Transfers.** Victorian passengers from Greater Melbourne, Bendigo, Torquay, Ballarat, Geelong, the Bellarine and Mornington Peninsulas, Phillip Island and selected areas of Gippsland will be picked up and returned home in a private chauffeured vehicle by one of our professional drivers. For passengers not within this pick up zone, or our interstate passengers, a quote can be provided for home pickup in extended areas.
- **Luxury Touring Coaches.** Our full size, 3 axle luxury coaches have only 32-36 passenger seats allowing you even more personal space and extra leg room. Our coaches are fitted with comfortable reclining seats with aisle arm rests, foot rests, seat belts, panoramic windows with blinds, refrigerator for passenger use, restroom, climate control air conditioning and Road Cam monitors which display the road ahead in real time. Each coach has a second door for easier entry and exit and touchless hand sanitizer dispensers at each entry to help keep everyone safe. Our coaches have full air suspension delivering a smooth and quiet ride which also allows us to lower the coach closer to the ground, making boarding and disembarking even easier.
- **Tour Directors.** Dedicated O'Shanessy's Quality Tours coach crew (tour directors) on board to ensure your travel experience is memorable.
- **Best Available Quality Accommodation.** Ensuite motel accommodation each night.
- **Attractions.** All tours and interest venues as per itinerary.
- **Meals.** All full cooked breakfasts, morning teas and lunches most days, and two course restaurant dinners daily. Two lunches at your own expense as per itinerary.
- **No Hidden Extras.** O'Shanessy's Quality Tours are fully inclusive.

TOUR COSTS

Twin Share Room First Tour:	\$3,295 per person
Twin Share Room Repeat Traveller 2 - 10 Tours:	\$3,245 per person
Twin Share Room Repeat Traveller 11 - 20 Tours:	\$3,220 per person
Twin Share Room Repeat Traveller 21+ Tours:	\$3,195 per person
Single Room Supplement:	\$ 605 per person

**DEPOSIT
\$300pp
UPON
BOOKING**



DAY 1

Thursday 16th April, 2026

MELBOURNE TO ALBURY

Welcome to our exciting tour to **Brigadoon**. With chauffeured pickup from home, we are transferred to meet our **O'Shannessy's Quality Tours** coach and crew, and make our way north, stopping along the way for our morning break and lunch in **Benalla**. Street art and silos are drawing crowds to small country towns in Victoria and after lunch, we drive around Benalla taking in some of the **Street Art** – artists from around the world were brought together to paint murals on bare walls, some over three stories high. Not far from here is our first silo - the **Goorambat Silo** – featuring the endangered Barking Owl. Whilst in Goorambat we will also see the impressive **"Sophia" mural** in the Uniting Church. In **Devenish**, we'll be amazed at Cam Scale's artwork of a First World War nurse, a modern-day combat medic and a Lighthorseman and his trusty steed. In **St James** you will notice a large mural of Sir George Coles, the founder of Coles Supermarkets and the town has a plaque showing where his first business was located. Our last stop today is in **Tungamah** to see brolgas and a kookaburra. Each silo has a different artist and a different story! We continue on to Albury for our first night's accommodation.

OVERNIGHT: Quality Resort Siesta, ALBURY ★★★★★

DAY 2

Friday 17th April, 2026

ALBURY TO BOWRAL

Departing Albury, enjoy the open road before stopping at the beautiful privately owned **Garroorigang Historic Home**. Here we'll enjoy lunch before being personally lead through 157 years of living Australian history in the unique setting of a lived-in family home. Continuing on, we arrive into **Bowral** with time to relax before dinner.

OVERNIGHT: Peppers Craigieburn, BOWRAL ★★★★★

BUNDANOON IS BRIGADOON

Today we experience the excitement of the Annual Highland Gathering – “**Brigadoon**”. Thousands line the streets as the Parade begins where hundreds of pipes and drums, colourful floats and displays, marchers and vintage cars make their way to the grounds for the games. We have pre-arranged our tickets - the profits from their sale contributing to many worthwhile charities and community causes in the Bundanoon area. As the Official Opening ceremony takes place, the **Chieftain of the Day** welcomes visitors to the gathering, inspects the massed bands and clan representatives, and presides over the day. After the inspection, the bands retire and the games begin. Discover Scottish Country & Highland dancing, individual Pipe Band displays and for the dog-lovers, Highland Cavaliers and Southern Highland Kennel & Obedience Club. Enjoy the traditional and not-so-traditional games from caber toss, shot putt to hay toss haggis hurling! What fun! The day ends with the Closing Ceremony after which, we return to our accommodation in **Bowral**.

Lunch at own expense and arrangement

OVERNIGHT: Peppers Craigieburn, BOWRAL ★★★★★

“...This annual event began in 1978; its principal aim to raise funds for local charities and bring tourists to Bundanoon in particular and the Southern Highlands in general. From its humble beginnings of a handful of pipe bands, it is now recognised worldwide and has grown to into one of the finest Highland Gatherings in Australia...”

brigadoon.org.au





DAY 4

Sunday 19th April, 2026

FITZROY FALLS AND KANGAROO VALLEY

This morning we can appreciate the beauty of this area as we travel to the exciting **Illawarra Fly Tree Top Walk**. There is some walking involved but the views over the treetops and down the Illawarra coastline are magnificent. Retracing our steps slightly we come to the **Fitzroy Falls Visitors Centre**, located in the middle of the cool rainforest. Meeting our guide for **Interpretive Tour**, we stroll along the boardwalk to the top of the **Fitzroy Falls**. The scenery is stunning! You'll then have time to purchase lunch before spending the afternoon travelling through the picturesque **Kangaroo Valley**. Taking in the scenery, we'll travel over the historic Hamden Bridge, design with gothic Victorian sandstone towers that make it look like the entrance to a secret medieval castle. Heading towards to coast now we arrive at **Batemans Bay** and settle in for the evening.

Lunch at own expense and arrangement

OVERNIGHT: Sunseeker Motor Inn, BATEMANS BAY ★★☆☆★

“...Fitzroy Falls Visitor Centre is a short walk from the magnificent Fitzroy Falls, where water plunges over 80m to the valley below. We'll find loads of information about the local history, wildlife and birdwatching of this unique area...”

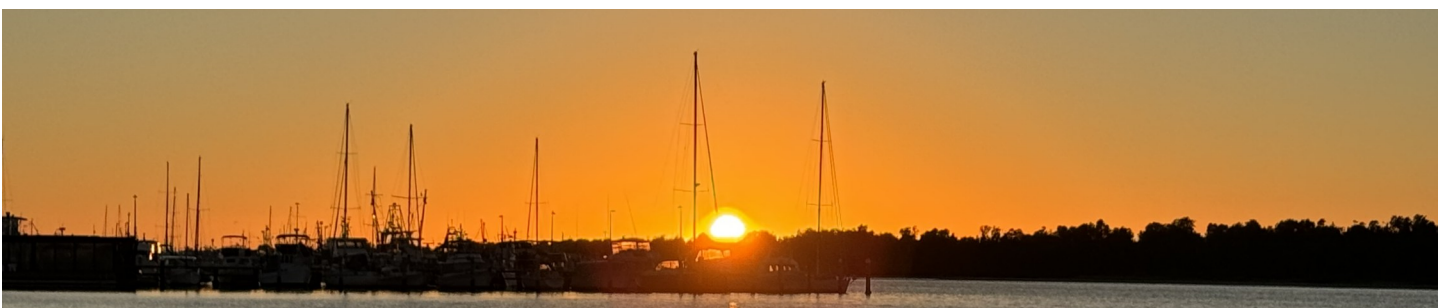
BATEMANS BAY TO LAKES ENTRANCE

Continuing our return journey, we travel to **Boydtown**. Benjamin Boyd, the son of a London Banker established Boydtown at Twofold Bay in the mid 1800's as his headquarters for his whaling and grazing exploits. Boyd had grandiose ideas of developing the town to not only to rival nearby Eden but Sydney itself. His grand plans never eventuated and the only buildings erected were the **Seahorse Inn** – where we enjoy lunch today, Boyd's Church and Lookout Tower. This afternoon we head through Cann River and Orbest and onto **Lakes Entrance** for our final night.

OVERNIGHT: Bellevue on the Lakes, LAKES ENTRANCE ★★★★★

LAKES ENTRANCE TO MELBOURNE

This morning, we visit a very special place - the **Nyerimilang Heritage Park** – a lakeside homestead that was used in the late 1800s as a base for fishing and shooting holidays. Today, the homestead is protected by the National Trust and features a display on the history of Nyerimilang and the natural resources and history of the Gippsland Lakes. The semi-formal garden and lawns, with views to the water, contain an interesting collection of exotic and native species. Heading to **Maffra** now, we stop to enjoy lunch at the **Maffra Community Sports Club**. Afterwards we make our way home where as usual, we will be dropped at our doorsteps to complete a wonderful holiday full of fantastic memories of **Bundanoon is Brigadoon and the Southern Highlands**.



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Cancellation within 30 days of tour departure date
On or after tour date departure

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No Refund

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