



# Indian Pacific – from Perth to Sydney

**Discover the beautiful Blue Mountains and Barossa Valley Wine Region**

**6 Days | Saturday 18 April to Thursday 23 April 2026**

Embark on one of the world's most legendary rail journeys as you travel from coast to coast aboard the iconic Indian Pacific. Witness the dramatic transition of Australia's landscapes, from the sunburnt goldfields of Kalgoorlie to the vast Nullarbor, the rugged Flinders Ranges and the lush Blue Mountains. Enjoy immersive off-train adventures, gourmet dining and award-winning wines as you journey in comfort and style. Conclude your extraordinary adventure with an unforgettable Showboat Dinner Cruise on Sydney Harbour, where the city's glittering skyline provides the perfect finale.

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## Highlights

- Legendary Indian Pacific rail journey from Perth to Sydney
- Explore historic Kalgoorlie and the outback outpost of Cook
- Indulge in a magical evening of fine wine and storytelling in the Barossa Valley
- Discover the rich culture and creative soul of Broken Hill, the Silver City
- Experience breathtaking views and thrilling rides in the Blue Mountains
- Celebrate your journey with a Showboat Dinner Cruise on Sydney Harbour

## Inclusions

- Pre/post tour transfers (ex Perth, WA)
- Airfares & taxes
- 14 meals – 5 breakfasts, 4 lunches, 5 dinners
- All-inclusive dining and beverages on the Indian Pacific
- 5 nights' accommodation
- All tours and attractions
- Professional Villa Tour Leader
- Onboard Experience: All-inclusive dining in the Queen Adelaide Restaurant, Australian wines, beers, base spirits, non-alcoholic beverages and Off Train Experiences.

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- Upgrades: Available on request at an additional cost – ask our travel consultants for details.

Your holiday itinerary (ex Perth, Western Australia)

### **Day 1. Perth – Board the Indian Pacific (D)**

Your grand adventure begins as you are collected from your door and transferred to the terminal to board the magnificent Indian Pacific. As the train glides out of Perth, settle into your elegant private cabin and toast the beginning of a once-in-a-lifetime transcontinental journey. Tonight's dinner is a celebration of contemporary Australian cuisine, paired with fine local wines. Relax with newfound friends as you roll into the wild landscapes of inland WA under a velvet sky.

4 Nights: Indian Pacific

### **Day 2. Kalgoorlie & Cook – Outback Encounters (BLD)**

Dawn breaks over the red earth of Kalgoorlie, a town forged by gold and steeped in history. Choose from curated Off Train Experiences that delve into the story of this frontier town—from its gold rush roots to its colossal modern-day Super Pit mine. Enjoy morning refreshments before reboarding and settling in for a luxurious day on the rails. As the Indian Pacific slices through the vast, treeless Nullarbor Plain, enjoy stunning views, delicious meals and the unique camaraderie of life aboard. Tonight, arrive at the eerie outpost of Cook, once a bustling settlement, now a near-deserted ghost town. Gather around a glowing bonfire beneath the immense outback sky for stargazing and storytelling—an unforgettable outback experience.

### **Day 3. Flinders Ranges & Barossa Valley (BLD)**

Watch the sunrise illuminate the pastoral landscapes of South Australia as the train rolls past the majestic Flinders Ranges and shimmering Spencer Gulf. Enjoy a leisurely breakfast and lunch in the dining car as the scenery shifts from arid scrub to fertile plains. Mid-afternoon, disembark at Two Wells and travel by coach into the heart of the famed Barossa Valley. Arrive at the historic Seppeltsfield Winery for an extraordinary evening of indulgence. Witness the dramatic 'Firing of the Barrel' ceremony before being seated for a sumptuous food and wine pairing experience. Executive Chef Owen Andrews presents a menu that draws on the heritage and produce of the region, matched perfectly with Seppeltsfield's finest vintages. As twilight descends over the vines, return to the Indian Pacific and continue your journey eastward.

### **Day 4. Broken Hill – Art & History in the Silver City (BLD)**

Cross into New South Wales overnight and awaken in Broken Hill, an iconic outback town brimming with heritage and heart. After breakfast, choose from a selection of enriching Off Train Experiences, including guided tours of historic buildings, galleries showcasing the works of Pro Hart and local artists or visits to cultural centres that tell the town's remarkable story. Return to the train in time for a relaxing lunch as you travel through remote farming regions and small towns that dot inland New South Wales. Tonight, enjoy your final dinner on board as the Indian Pacific winds toward the majestic Blue Mountains.

### **Day 5. Blue Mountains & Arrival in Sydney (BLD)**

After a hearty breakfast, disembark in the breathtaking Blue Mountains—where ancient cliffs, lush rainforest and dramatic valleys await. Choose your adventure: take in stunning views from above on the Scenic Skyway and Cableway, descend into the Jamison Valley on the world's steepest passenger railway or enjoy a guided walk through the bush, surrounded by native flora and birdsong. Both options conclude at Echo Point, where you will savour a light lunch overlooking the iconic Three Sisters. In the afternoon, board a chartered NSW rail service hosted by our crew, rolling into Sydney's Central Station in style. We transfer you to your hotel located on Darling Harbour. This evening, experience a magical farewell to your journey with a Showboat Dinner Cruise on Sydney Harbour. Glide past the illuminated Opera House and Harbour Bridge while enjoying a three-course dinner and live entertainment aboard an elegant paddle wheeler. Overnight: Novotel Sydney on Darling Harbour

### **Day 6. Sydney – Homeward Bound (B)**

This morning, take in the buzz of Sydney before we transfer you to the airport for your return flight to Perth. On arrival, we will ensure you are returned safely home, concluding an epic journey from ocean to ocean.

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Itinerary is subject to change. Terms and conditions apply. Call 08 9754 2026 for details.

**\*Gold Twin:** Private en-suite, upper and lower berths (bunks) convert to a three-seater lounge by day; power outlets, in-cabin music channels, and journey audio commentary included

**\*Gold Single:** Compact sleeper with seat converting to a bed, basin and mirror, shared shower/toilet at carriage end; power outlets, in-cabin music channels, and journey audio commentary included.

**Please note: Direct flights to Sydney now available from Busselton. If you want to know more, please speak to our friendly Villa staff. Additional costs may apply.**

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**Cost per person (inc GST)**

Price in Gold Twin Cabin: \$ 5,755 pptw

Price in Gold Single Cabin: \$ 5,545

**Earn 115 villabucks**



Requires some fitness. Involves longer days filled with activities, excursions requiring standing and walking for extended periods of time and nature-based activities. You will be required to walk confidently over uneven ground and surfaces at a timely pace. Additionally, you are required to independently and safely embark and disembark plane and Indian Pacific as well as get on and off Indian Pacific at each remote stop for your off-train excursions.



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