

Exciting East Coast

- APT Freedom Concept. APT Freedom Choice Available in Launceston.
- Journey into spectacular Freycinet National Park, with its sandy white beaches and rugged mountains.

Accommodation	Superior Locations, Luxurious Style
Tour Code	RT04
Tour Duration	4
Style	Classic Coach / Motor Coach Touring
Finest Dining	Includes 6 Meals
Outstanding Places to Stay	Stay at award, winning Freycinet Lodge, Coles Bay

Itinerary

Day 1 Tue. Launceston, Freedom of Choice Touring.

Arrive in Launceston before 12.50 p.m. You will be warmly welcomed on arrival and transferred to your hotel. Visit Cataract Gorge. Later, choose between seeing the unique platypus at Platypus House, watching delightful seahorses at Seahorse World or visiting Grubb Shaft Gold and Heritage Museum at Beaconsfield. Tonight meet your fellow travellers at a Welcome Drinks and Dinner.

Stay: Launceston, Hotel Grand Chancellor. Dx1

Day 2 Wed. East Coast Natureworld, Freycinet National Park.

During lavender season (Dec.-Jan.) visit Bridestowe Lavender Farm and enjoy the revitalising aroma of the fields. Travel south along the pristine coast through St Helens and then on to the town of Bicheno. Here visit East Coast Natureworld where you'll see a Tasmanian Devil and other fascinating native animals. From Bicheno, we journey into spectacular Freycinet National Park, with its sandy white beaches, rugged mountains, secluded coves and the dramatic peaks of The Hazards. Enjoy a ranger guided walking tour of beautiful Cape Tourville.

Stay: APT HIGHLIGHT! Freycinet Lodge, located within picturesque Freycinet National Park. Bx1 Dx1

Day 3 Thur. Tasman Peninsula, Port Arthur Historic Site, Crayfeast.

Follow the coastal road to Eaglehawk Neck, visiting the natural features of the Tessellated Pavement, Tasman Arch and Devils Kitchen. Your journey continues to the fascinating Port Arthur Historic Site. Established as a prison settlement for male convicts in 1830, Port Arthur became known as 'hell on earth'. Today, you can explore the ruins and perhaps wander through the 40 hectares of colourful gardens. Learn about the area's history on a guided tour and enjoy an informative cruise on Mason Cove. Later, experience a Tasmanian speciality, a delicious crayfish feast (fresh seafood is served outside cray season).

Stay: Port Arthur, Comfort Inn, the only hotel in the historic site overlooking the ruins. Bx1 Dx1

Day 4 Fri. Richmond, Hobart, Freedom of Choice Touring.

Explore the delightful Georgian village of Richmond, classified by the National Trust. Enjoy free time to stroll along the quaint streets lined with sandstone buildings, antique shops and see the delightful Richmond Bridge. Continue into Hobart, Tasmania's capital city and choose from our Freedom of Choice options - visit Cadbury's Chocolate Factory, Cascade Brewery (seasonal closures occur) or take an historical walking tour around Hobart including Salamanca Square and Constitution Dock - either way, it's all included in your tour price. Your tour concludes at 5.00 p.m.

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What's Included

APT Guaranteed Inclusions

- Explore Freycinet National Park, and take a walk to the beautiful Cape Tourville
- Tour Port Arthur Historic Site and cruise around the Isle of the Dead on Mason Cove
- Tour the city of Launceston
- See a Tassie Devil at East Coast Nature World
- Visit Bridestowe Lavender Farm (seasonal)
- View the rugged coast of the Tasman Peninsula

Finest Dining

- 3 hot breakfasts (B) and 2 Dinners (D)

Outstanding Places to Stay

- APT HIGHLIGHT! Stay at award-winning Freycinet Lodge within Freycinet National Park
- Stay overlooking Port Arthur Historic Site
- Hotel Grand Chancellor, Launceston.

The APT Difference

- A unique Heritage Experience
- Fully trained Tour Director and Driver/Guide
- Guaranteed Mercedes-Benz coaches
- Fewer seats on coaches giving more leg room
- \$5 Million Consumer Protection Guarantee

Additional Information

- Land Content only.
- Fully inclusive of all sightseeing, entrance fees, meals as specified and accommodation.
- Tours operate on



different days of the week. Please inquire.

- At the time of making your booking, let APT's experts secure you the best airfares available.

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