

SOLO EXPLORER TRAVEL - Early Bird Single Travellers - FREE Single Supplement\* if paid by specified time

# HISTORIC NORFOLK ISLAND WITH BILL PEACH JOURNEYS Sojourn Norfolk Island

6 Days | 7 - 12 Sep 2025 | 16 - 21 Nov 2025 | AUD\$6,995pp twin share\*\* | Single Supplement \$595\*

## **EXCLUSIVE HIGHLIGHTS**

- Explore the history of Norfolk Island including the Pitcairn Settlers Village and Fletcher's Mutiny Cyclorama
- Discover the World Heritage-listed site of Kingston
- Natural splendours are revealed during a walk in the national park and viewing stunning coastal vistas
- Cruise the world's second southernmost coral reef in a glass bottom boat
- Live like the locals as we enjoy an Island Fish Fry and experience a progressive dinner
- 5 nights accommodation at Governor's Lodge set in 12 acres of landscaped sub-tropical gardens
- Return economy class flights between Sydney & Norfolk Island included^ valued at \$1,000pp
- Experience this pictures que island with new friends while enjoying your own room with a greatly reduced single supplement\* charge
- All meals breakfast, lunch and dinner which celebrate the best of Norfolk Island's cuisine
- 🐯 Escorted throughout by a dedicated Journey Director

"All of us bad an excellent trip at a unique destination. This was our 36<sup>th</sup> journey with BPJ starting in 1993. The Journey Director was extremely efficient and had great attention to detail. The Norfolk Sojourn was one of our best."

Mr & Mrs Stephenson, Killarney Heights, NSW

I magine a lush, beautiful island with sandy beaches, jagged cliffs and tall pine trees supported by a local community with a simple, laid-back way of life. Norfolk Island is such a place. There are no busy roads; instead you will find eighty kilometres of lane ways that cross an island where cows still have the right of way.

Spend 6 days with Bill Peach Journeys exploring the visually stunning and historic Norfolk Island, where you will truly feel like you have been isolated from the rest of the world, stepping back to a simpler time. Uncover a fascinating history, from the discovery by Captain James Cook to the eventual settlement by the Pitcairn Islanders and the incredible lives of the Island's convicts. We discover how generations of descendants of Norfolk Island's original settlers showcase their personal heritage throughout the island.

Enjoy stylish accommodation, exclusively designed and comprehensive touring, superb food and wine of the region, the services of our skilled Journey Director and return flights between Sydney & Norfolk Island.

#### **ABOUT SOJOURNS**

Our Sojourn programmes are short break journeys put together in conjunction with themes, events or experiences.

These programmes range from cruising New Zealand's North Islands to world class sporting events and unique experiences throughout Australia and New Zealand.

#### FULLY INCLUSIVE

When you travel on a Sojourn

with Bill Peach Journeys everything is included and arranged before you even leave home. That includes all sundries like tips, taxes and transfers. In fact you won't even need to carry your bags.

Enjoy the finest level of accommodation, dining and service all in the one fare. From the very moment your journey begins, your seamless travel experience with Bill Peach Journeys begins.



DAY 1 | SYDNEY - NORFOLK ISLAND Fly commercially to Norfolk Island today and, upon arrival, check into the Governor's Lodge. Following lunch, visit Fletcher's Mutiny Cyclorama, an incredible 360° panoramic painting, a truly unique way to experience the history of the Bounty adventures.

Tonight, enjoy a welcome dinner at acclaimed Hilli Restaurant hosted by your Journey Director.

Overnight: Governor's Lodge

#### DAY 2 | NORFOLK ISLAND

Take an introductory tour of Norfolk Island before enjoying a glass bottom boat cruise within the breathtaking azure lagoon of Emily and Slaughter Bays, revealing beautiful coral gardens. Following lunch, we will have an immersion in Norfolk Island's rich cultural heritage and learn about the Islanders' traditional methods of fishing, whaling, weaving, cooking and their service in conflict.

A unique experience tonight as we enjoy a progressive dinner, the perfect way to get a taste of the real Norfolk lifestyle.

Overnight: Governor's Lodge

### DAY 3 | NORFOLK ISLAND

Visit to the World Heritage-Listed convict settlement of Kingston. Learn about the first Polynesian settlers who arrived on the island 900 years ago and gain further insight into the First and Second British settlements. We follow with a walk through the historic cemetery.

Enjoy lunch today at Two Chimneys Wines, Norfolk Island's first and only winery. Following some time at leisure, we conclude the day with a traditional Island Fish Fry, a dinner not to be forgotten!

Overnight: Governor's Lodge

#### DAY 4 | NORFOLK ISLAND

Explore the Pitcairn Settlers Village this morning to experience the proud history of these remarkable people. In 1856, Norfolk Island's history changed forever. Descendants from the Tahiti and the HMS Bounty Mutineers, including Fletcher Christian, resettled on Norfolk from the Pitcairn Islands.

This afternoon, discover some of the enterprises that sustain the local community from market gardening to sheep farming (*Mar Dep only*). Be delighted as you visit local home gardens viewing Norfolk's endemic trees and plants (*Sep & Nov Dep only*).

Overnight: Governor's Lodge

#### DAY 5 | NORFOLK ISLAND

A relaxed ramble through the National Park starts the day. Walking along the Bridle Track from Red Road to Captain Cook's Memorial, our guide will help us identify local grasses, ferns, shrubs and trees as well as bird species.

Next, visit world-renowned author,

Colleen McCullough's house, home to the modern day literary icon for 36 years and learn about her love for Norfolk Island and her literary triumphs.

Following lunch, explore the fascinating historic Museums and World Heritagelisted buildings at Kingston including the restored home at 10 Quality Row. Here we explore Norfolk Island's turbulent past along with today's living culture. Tonight's farewell dinner will be at the acclaimed Homestead Restaurant.

Overnight: Governor's Lodge

#### DAY 6 NORFOLK ISLAND - SYDNEY

This morning tour the Bounty Folk Museum, which showcases the four settlements on Norfolk Island. Following lunch, transfer to the airport for the flight to Sydney, where we say farewell to new friends and take away memories of an idyllic island Sojourn.



Please contact Solo Explorer Travel for assistance with airfares to meet this Sojourn.

Conditions: EB Single Supp Free offer\* is limited and cannot be used in conjunction with any other offer. Sep Dep - Book & pay by 7 May, 2025. Nov Dep - Book & pay by 16 Jul, 2025. ^Conditions: Included return airfares from Sydney to Norfolk Island are limited and are non-refundable, non-transferable and cannot be exchanged for cash. Once air allocation has been exhausted, an airfare surcharge may apply. Please be advised that all touring for the 2025 departures is included, however, may occur in a different order than that advertised. Please be advised that on Day 4, afternoon touring will include a garden tour in Spring (*Sep & Nov*) whereas in Mar, afternoon touring includes a farm and industry tour.



