



Australian Country Tours

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4 nights 5 days TOUR ITINERARY (MIN 20)

	TIMING	TIME	DIST.	INCLUSIONS
DAY ONE – travel to Dalby (½ day)				JONDARYAN WOOLSHED
Arrive JONDARYAN WOOLSHED	4 hrs	12.00		Admission to Historical village, lunch, tour, shearing demo, afternoon tea
Board bus for Dalby	½ hr	4.00	43km	
Arrive Country Pathfinder Motor Inn		4.30		
Refresh, revive, explore	2 hrs			
BBQ DINNER al fresco at P/Finder		6.30		Incl. glass of wine
DAY TWO – North West - plains and foothills				MACLANDS GARDEN, JIMBOUR HOUSE, BELL
Optional creek walk	½ hour	6.30		
BREAKFAST bbq al fresco/smorgasbord at Pathfinder	1 hr	7.30		Eggs, bacon, toast, coffee, juice, cereal, fruit
Board bus for Maclands farm & garden	15 min	9.00	10km	McVeigh farm with lovely garden, hostess Sonya McVeigh
MACLANDS GARDEN – morning tea				
Board bus for Jimbour House	20 min	10.30	18km	
JIMBOUR HOUSE –	1 ½ hrs	11.00		leisurely exploration of gardens & information displays
• Optional tour inside the house	¾ hr			(advance notice req'd)
PICNIC LUNCH in Jimbour garden		12.15		
Board bus for the town of BELL	½ hour	1.30	33km	
Visit Bell/Bunya Community Centre		2.00		Art gallery (closes at 3.00)
Board bus or walk to Catholic Church & biblical gardens, Bell	5/10 m	2.45		Bell Catholic church & garden, tour with Megg Cullen artist - explore lovely sub-tropical town of Bell with its bottle trees.
AFTERNOON TEA Pips n Cherries café		3.30		old fashioned high tea
Board bus for return to Dalby	30 min	4.30	39km	
AT DALBY, freshen up, relax		5.00		
DINNER – Mary's Bistro		6.30		Meal and 1 drink
DAY THREE - DALBY and west				KOGAN, BRONZE STATUES, POWER STATION, GAS WELLS
Optional creek walk	½ hour	6.30		
BREAKFAST bbq al fresco/smorgasbord at Pathfinder	1 hr	7.30		Eggs, bacon, toast, coffee, juice, cereal, fruit
Board bus for DALBY PIONEER PARK	5 min	9.00	5km	History, aboriginal artifacts, fossils, gems
MORNING TEA at Pioneer Park		10.00		
Board Bus for Kogan	45 min	10.30	53km	
• Stop at Kumbarilla Lane to look at gas wells – ½ way to Kogan		10.45		Notice change from rich farming to totally different countryside; sandy, pine-tree country, heartbreak blocks
KOGAN – bronze tableau Hugh Sawrey & Darky Dwyer (once home of bush artist		11.10		Wonderful life-sized art work by sculptor Bodo Muche + Hugh Sawrey art works in hall.



Country Pathfinder Motor Inn

Dalby

Hugh Sawrey)				
Be entertained by local characters with stories of life in the bush				Lyn Taylor &
LUNCH & a beer or cuppa KOGAN PUB	1 hr	12.15		Timber Etchings, ambiance, a true-blue Aussie bush town
Board bus for Kogan Creek Power Station	10 min	1.30	11km	
Guided tour of power station	20 min	1.45		
Board bus for return trip to Dalby via Brigalow and Warrego Hwy	50 min	2.15	74km	Completes the circuit to Brigalow & Warrego Hwy and back into rich farmlands as you approach Dalby from the west
Arrive motel, afternoon tea, freshen up		3.15		
Board Bus for YATHONG (farm tour and dinner)	20 min	4.15 – 5.45	17km	Walking tour of farming enterprise of Steve & Chris Williams – see cattle, dogs, tractors, working farm & hear about how farming is done
EVENING MEAL - Yathong		6.30		Home cooked meal in country farmhouse
DAY FOUR – north to the BUNYAS				BUNYA MTS, KAIMKILLENBUN
Optional creek walk	½ hour	6.30		
BREAKFAST bbq al fresco/smorgasbord at Pathfinder	1 hr	7.30		Eggs, bacon, toast, coffee, juice, cereal, fruit
Board bus for Bunya Mtn National Park	1 hr	9.00	62km	
Arrive at Bunya Mountain village		10.00		World's oldest trees, 220million years, once fed dinosaurs; ancient Aboriginal meeting place
MORNING TEA – Poppies on the Hill		10.15		Huge slice of scrummy Bunya nut/carrot cake & coffee, or Devonshire tea
Walk, wander, enjoy, visit galleries, *wagon rides	2 ¼ hrs			Walks, feeding birds, enjoy wallabies, visit galleries, enjoy view
LUNCH – Elz Bistro (plus gallery, gift shop & bird feeding)	1 ¼ hr	12.15		Lunch, tea & coffee (chicken bunya nut salad, schnitzel, fish & chips, lasagne)
Board Bus for return journey		2.00		
PHOTO OPPORTUNITY - Call in at Fisher's Lookout opposite TV towers	15 min	2.15		magnificent view of the foothills & plains all the way to Dalby
Head for McClellands' farm & art gallery		2.45		
AFTERNOON TEA	20 min			Healthy snacks incl. fresh Anzacs, dried fruits, chocolate, nuts, fruit & water
Board bus and head for Kaimkillenbun	20 min			
EVENING MEAL – The Bun pub for a roast dinner (Kaimkillenbun)		6.00		Kaimkillenbun is a 'blink & you miss it' town in the foothills with a rich history of farming & logging
Board bus for return to Dalby	20 min	7.15	24km	
DAY FIVE				
Optional creek walk	½ hour	6.30		EXPLORE DALBY
BREAKFAST bbq al fresco/smorgasbord at Pathfinder	1 hr	7.30		Eggs, bacon, toast, coffee, juice, cereal, fruit
Explore Dalby haunts with booklet – self-guided walking tour	2 hr			
Morning Tea at a local café (voucher provided)				
DEPART for home				
EXTRA OPTIONS				
Dine in a paddock /beside a lake under the stars Game of bowls/golf/attend races/attend country dance Visit a Farm / see kangaroos / birdwatching				

