



Parachilna Gorge, Flinders Ranges National Park

Our Favourites

Explore Flinders Ranges National Park by bike

Take a scenic flight over Wilpena Pound

Hike some of the Heysen Trail in the Flinders Ranges

Visit the Wadlata Outback Centre in Port Augusta

Have a beer at the world's most isolated pub at William Creek

Tour the scenic Breakaways or Painted Desert from Coober Pedy

Noodle for Opals at Coober Pedy or visit an underground home

Join the Outback Mail Run and deliver mail to outback stations

It's a whole other world in the outback, and one that's worth a visit. Put yourself in the early explorers' shoes, walking the Flinders Ranges National Park past ancient gorges and beautiful ranges. The rocky peaks of Mount Remarkable beg to be climbed, while the Southern Flinders Flavours Trail provides the gourmet treats to keep you in peak form. Some of the best sights can be seen on foot, or you can take to the road by bicycle or 4WD.

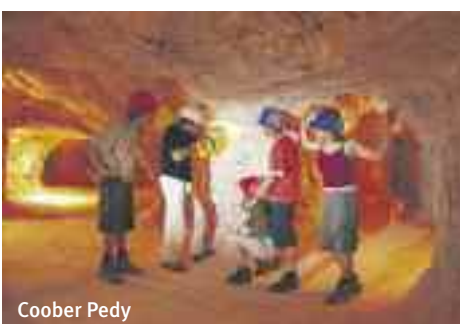
The towering rock walls, gorges and Aboriginal rock art of Wilpena Pound are the centrepiece of the Flinders' outback. Soar over the area on a scenic flight, past dramatic peaks and vibrant red earth.

The outback characters are as unique as the scenery, with a way of life unlike anywhere else. Half the population of opal mining town Coober Pedy lives underground. Other outback locals live so far away they love a visit from travellers who join the Outback Mail Run; a customary trip to Oodnadatta and William Creek.

With such a vast and varied landscape, there's plenty of opportunity for adventure. Head out to the massive salt sink that is Lake Eyre – it has only filled to capacity three times in the past 150 years. From Coober Pedy try your luck at opal digging or visit the colourful sandstone outcrops known as The Breakaways. Visit friendly Port Augusta, your gateway to the outback and Flinders Ranges. For the experienced adventurer, follow a network of springs and creeks as you travel the iconic Oodnadatta, Birdsville and Strzelecki Tracks through the heart of the outback.

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Coober Pedy

Flinders Ranges

Wilpena Pound Resort ★★★☆



AROONA STANDARD

Flinders Ranges National Park

Stay at Wilpena Pound Resort in the Flinders Ranges and discover some of the secrets of the rugged ancient Outback mountains, where the first signs of 'life on earth' have been found.

The resort an easy pleasant drive on sealed roads, 430 kilometres north of Adelaide, and located on the banks of Wilpena Creek amid stately red gums and native pines. See some of Australia's unique native wildlife in their natural environment and experience some of the best four wheel driving in Australia.

The resort's Visitor Information Centre provides planning help for all self guided walks on bush trails and self drive 4WD tracks and offers organised guided walking tours, 4WD tours and 'must do' scenic flights.

The Wilpena Pound Resort offers warm, Outback hospitality and a wide range of services and facilities for all tastes and budgets.

PROPERTY FEATURES:

- Restaurant ▪ Bistro ▪ Bar ▪ Pool ▪ Barbecue area
- Mini supermarket ▪ Shuttle to Pound entrance

ACCOMMODATION FEATURES:

- Air-conditioning ▪ Hair dryer ▪ Mini refrigerator
- Tea/coffee making facilities ▪ Satellite TV
- Limited cooking facilities with microwave (Edeowie Deluxe) ▪ Ironing facilities

ACTIVITIES AVAILABLE AT AN EXTRA CHARGE:

- Mountain Top Spectacular half day tour
- Corridors Thru Time half day tour
- 20 or 30 minute scenic flights

Room serviced daily

Town Centre 55km
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From **\$180** PER ROOM PER NIGHT*

1 APR – 30 NOV 10	ADULTS	1 NT	2 NTS	3 NTS
Brachina Standard	1 to 2	210	420	630
Aroona Standard	1 to 2	210	420	630
Heysen Deluxe	1 to 2	240	480	720
Edeowie Deluxe	1 to 2	270	540	810
1 DEC 10 – 31 MAR 11	ADULTS	1 NT	2 NTS	3 NTS
Brachina Standard	1 to 2	180	360	540
Aroona Standard	1 to 2	180	360	540
Heysen Deluxe	1 to 2	210	420	630
Edeowie Deluxe	1 to 2	240	480	720

Room and breakfast prices also available.

Children 0 to 12 years – free when sharing with an adult and using existing bedding.

Max capacity Brachina Standard – 2, Aroona Standard – 3, Heysen Deluxe – 4, Edeowie Deluxe – 5.

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ESCAPE PACKAGE

INCLUDES:

- 2 nights accommodation
- Full breakfast daily
- Half day 4WD tour including morning or afternoon tea
- 20 minute scenic flight over Wilpena Pound

PRICE PER PERSON	ADULTS	2 NTS	EXTRA NTS
1 APR – 30 NOV 10			
Brachina Standard	2	529	125
Aroona Standard	2	529	125
Heysen Deluxe	2	556	140
Edeowie Deluxe	2	583	155
1 DEC 10 – 31 MAR 11			
Brachina Standard	2	500	110
Aroona Standard	2	500	110
Heysen Deluxe	2	529	125
Edeowie Deluxe	2	556	140

Child prices on application. Extra nights include full breakfast

Rawnsley Park Station, Wilpena ★★★☆



This 12,000 hectare station, on the southern face of Wilpena Pound adjoining the Flinders Ranges National Park, is a true Outback experience.

Town Centre 21km
Map page 37 Ref. 3

Wilpena Road, Wilpena, Flinders Ranges

PROPERTY FEATURES:

- Restaurant ▪ General store
- Pool ▪ Bushwalking
- Mountain bike hire, 4WD tours and scenic flights available (extra charge)

ACCOMMODATION FEATURES:

- Air-conditioning
- Verandah with barbecue
- Kitchen with microwave and dishwasher
- CD/DVD player
- Night sky viewing panel

Room serviced daily



From **\$350** PER ROOM PER NIGHT*

1 APR 10 – 31 MAR 11	ADULTS	1 NT	2 NTS	3 NTS
1 Bedroom Eco Villa	1 to 2	350	700	1050
2 Bedroom Eco Villa	1 to 2	390	780	1170

Highlights package prices also available.

Includes Light breakfast provisions daily.

Children 0 to 1 year – cot free of charge.
2 to 15 years – adult prices apply.

Max capacity 1 Bedroom Eco Villa – 2, 2 Bedroom Eco Villa – 4.

RAWSAU

Prairie Hotel, Parachilna ◆◆◆◇



Australia's hip Outback hotel where the desert meets the Flinders Ranges Outback.

Hawker 90km
Port Augusta 195km
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Corner High Street and West Terrace, Parachilna

PROPERTY FEATURES:

- Restaurant ▪ Bar
- Pool ▪ Bicycle hire
- Internet access (wireless)
- Guest laundry ▪ Non smoking

ACCOMMODATION FEATURES:

- Air-conditioning ▪ Fan
- Tea/coffee making facilities
- Hair dryer (except Heritage rooms)
- Ironing facilities (except Heritage rooms)
- Spa bath (Executive rooms)

Room serviced daily



From **\$140** PER ROOM PER NIGHT*

1 APR 10 – 9 JAN, 28 FEB – 31 MAR 11	ADULTS	1 NT	2 NTS	3 NTS
Heritage Room	1	140	280	420
Deluxe Room	1	195	390	585
Executive Room	1	225	450	675
	2	260	520	780
	2	320	640	960

Property closed 10 Jan – 27 Feb 11.

Children 0 to 2 years – cot/bed charge payable direct.
3 to 14 years – adult prices apply.

Max capacity Heritage Room – 2, Deluxe Room – 3, Executive Room – 4.

PRASAU

Majestic Oasis Apartments, Port Augusta ★★★★★



An 'Oasis in the Outback' overlooking the waters of the upper Spencer Gulf, three hours drive from Adelaide.

Town Centre 50m
Map page 37 Ref. 4

Marryatt Street, Port Augusta

PROPERTY FEATURES:

- Barbecue areas (4) ■ Pool
- Water views ■ Parking (security)

ACCOMMODATION FEATURES:

- Air-conditioning
- Water views (except Executive Apartments)
- Limited cooking facilities
- In-room movies (pay to view)
- Internet access (broadband)
- Cable TV ■ Laundry
- CD/DVD player ■ Safe

Room serviced weekly



From **\$128** PER ROOM PER NIGHT*

1 APR – 31 JUL, 1 DEC 10 – 15 FEB 11	ADULTS	1 NT	2 NTS	3 NTS
Executive Studio	1 to 2	128	256	384
Executive 1 Bedroom	1 to 2	138	276	414
Superior 1 Bedroom	1 to 2	165	330	495
Superior Spa Suite^	1 to 2	166	332	498
Superior 2 Bedroom	1 to 4	186	372	558

1 AUG – 30 NOV 10, 16 FEB – 31 MAR 11	ADULTS	1 NT	2 NTS	3 NTS
Executive Studio	1 to 2	132	264	396
Executive 1 Bedroom	1 to 2	143	286	429
Superior 1 Bedroom	1 to 2	171	342	513
Superior Spa Suite^	1 to 2	174	348	522
Superior 2 Bedroom	1 to 4	192	384	576

Children 0 to 12 years – free when sharing with an adult and using existing bedding. Cot free of charge.

Max capacity Exec Studio/Exec 1 Brm/Sup Spa Suite – 2, Sup 1 Brm – 3, Sup 2 Brm – 5. **OASPUG**

TRAVELPOINT EXCLUSIVE

^ Receive light breakfast provisions daily.

Port Augusta BIG4 Holiday Park ★★★★★☆



Offering comfortable units, situated on the tip of Spencer Gulf at Port Augusta, the perfect base to explore the Outback.

Town Centre 3.5km
Map page 37 Ref. 4

Corner Stokes Terrace and Highway One, Port Augusta

PROPERTY FEATURES:

- Pools (2 – 1 outdoor, 1 children's)
- Barbecue area ■ Kiosk
- Children's playground
- Games room ■ Internet facilities
- Guest laundry ■ Parking
- Non smoking

ACCOMMODATION FEATURES:

- Air-conditioning ■ Fan
- Limited cooking facilities (Spa Unit)
- Kitchen (Deluxe Unit) ■ Microwave
- Cable TV ■ Balcony (Deluxe Unit)
- Ironing facilities

Apartment serviced weekly

From **\$124** PER ROOM PER NIGHT*

1 APR 10 – 31 MAR 11	ADULTS	1 NT	2 NTS	3 NTS
Spa Unit	1 to 2	124	248	372
Deluxe Unit	2	139	278	417

Children 0 to 15 years – 1 child free when sharing with 2 adults and using existing bedding.

Max capacity Spa Unit – 2, Deluxe Unit – 5. **BIGPUG**

Opal Inn Hotel Motel, Coober Pedy ★★★



Situated close to the bus depot in the centre of Coober Pedy, with comfortable family style motel rooms.

Town Centre 10m
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Hutchison Street, Coober Pedy

PROPERTY FEATURES:

- Restaurant ■ Bars (3)
- Barbecue area
- Opal and souvenir shop
- Bottle shop
- Gaming facilities
- Guest laundry
- Business facilities

ACCOMMODATION FEATURES:

- Air-conditioning
- Tea/coffee making facilities
- Ironing facilities ■ Hair dryer

Room serviced daily



From **\$125** PER ROOM PER NIGHT*

1 APR 10 – 31 MAR 11	ADULTS	1 NT	2 NTS	3 NTS
Motel	1	125	250	375
	2	135	270	405
	3	145	290	435
	4	155	310	465

Children 0 to 4 years – cot free of charge. 5 to 17 years – adult prices apply.

Max capacity 4. **OPACPD**

Desert Cave Hotel, Coober Pedy ★★★★★



Situated in the main street of Coober Pedy, experience dug-out style living in the world's most sophisticated underground hotel.

Town Centre 10m
Map page 37 Ref. 1

Hutchison Street, Coober Pedy

PROPERTY FEATURES:

- Restaurant ■ Bar ■ Café
- Room service (limited)
- Pool ■ Internet facilities
- Guest laundry
- Business facilities

ACCOMMODATION FEATURES:

- Mini bar
- Tea/coffee making facilities
- In-room movies (free)
- Internet access (wireless)
- Ironing facilities ■ Hair dryer

Room serviced daily



From **\$225** PER ROOM PER NIGHT*

1 APR 10 – 31 MAR 11	ADULTS	1 NT	2 NTS	3 NTS
Hotel	1 to 2	225	450	675
Standard	1 to 2	225	450	675

Children 0 to 11 years – free when sharing with an adult and using existing bedding.

Max capacity Hotel – 2 adults/1 child, Standard – 4. **DESCPD**

Tours from Coober Pedy

Coober Pedy Day Tours



Old Timers Mine



DESERT CAVE TOUR

Tour the famous underground town, hear about its history and precious water supplies. Visit a working opal field, The Breakaways – a range of colourful sandstone outcrops, the famous Dog Fence and a genuine underground home or 'Dugout' to see how the locals live.

DOWN AND DIRTY OPAL DIGGING TOUR

Experience the thrill of digging for a fortune; this tour offers a comprehensive hands-on opportunity. Visit a working mine and learn about the various styles of opal mining and enter the Quest Mine, where supplied with a hard hat, torch and handpick, you will be able to fossick for your own fortune.

SUNSET, GHOST AND STARS TOUR

Experience the sunset at The Breakaways. Tour the historical cemetery in Coober Pedy and learn the life stories of the area's pioneers, followed by two hours of stargazing including Aboriginal legends of the stars.

THE OUTBACK MAIL RUN TOUR

Join the famous Outback Mail Run as it travels a triangle between Coober Pedy, Oodnadatta and William Creek, visiting points of interest and delivering mailbags to all cattle stations on the way.

The route covers over 600 kilometres of colourful terrain, passing historic ruins, monuments and part of the Overland Telegraph Line.

AMAZING KUPA PITI TOUR

Walk where the dinosaurs lived, enjoy billy tea under a tree and see ruins and an endless landscape. Visit the Moon Plain, which was the shore of an ancient sea littered with smooth rocks and imagine that during the last 120 million years, these rocks have been polished by giant glaciers.

Departs: From Coober Pedy
Desert Cave Tour, Down and Dirty Opal Digging Tour, Amazing Kupa Piti Tour: Daily
Sunset, Ghosts and Stars Tour: Mon, Wed, Fri, Sun
The Outback Mail Run Tour: Mon, Thu

PRICE:	ADULT	CHILD 0-12 YEARS
	Desert Cave Tour	\$90
Down and Dirty Opal Digging	\$105	\$53
Sunset, Ghosts and Stars	\$135	\$68
The Outback Mail Run	\$185	\$185 [^]
Amazing Kupa Piti Tour	\$210	\$210

[^] Not suitable for children under 6 years.

DESERT CAVE HOTEL

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Old Timers Mine is Coober Pedy's premier tourist attraction.

Visit underground homes and a hand dug opal mine dating back to 1916 and take a self guided tour through this historical mine and experience the working life of the pioneer opal miners. See the historic museum with mining and opal displays, galleries, memorabilia, authentic fossils and rare opal pieces.

After your mine tour, enjoy the experience of underground shopping. The Old Timers Mine has an extensive range of opal, opal jewellery and locally made souvenirs available for purchase. Watch opal mining machine demonstrations or noodle for your own opal.

INCLUDES:

- Entry into the Old Timers Mine, underground homes, museum and retail shop

Open: 9am – 6pm daily except Christmas Day, Boxing Day and New Year's Day

PRICE:

Adult	\$10
Concession	\$9
Child 5-16 years	\$4.50

OLD TIMERS MINE

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3 Day Taste of Opal



HIGHLIGHTS:

- Visit the famous opal mining town of Coober Pedy and an underground home
- See spectacular Outback scenery
- Noodle for your own piece of opal

Experience the best of Coober Pedy. On your first day take the Desert Cave Tour, a comprehensive tour of the underground township of Coober Pedy. Tour this fascinating town, hear about its history, about the precious water supplies and power generation. On your second day have a hearty breakfast and go on the Down and Dirty Opal Digging Tour to experience the thrill of digging for a fortune and try noodling for your own beautiful gem. Good luck!

INCLUDES:

- 2 nights accommodation
- Desert Cave Tour
- Down and Dirty Opal Digging Tour
- Transfer to the 'Jeweller's Shop' mullock heap to noodle for opals
- Light breakfast daily
- Dinner on first evening
- Return transfers from Coober Pedy Airport or coach terminal

Departs: Daily from Coober Pedy

PRICE PER PERSON:	OPAL INN HOTEL MOTEL	DESERT CAVE HOTEL
Adult twin share	\$276	\$488
Adult sole use	\$386	\$715

Child prices and triple share prices also available.

DESERT CAVE HOTEL

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4 Day Outback Colour



HIGHLIGHTS:

- Visit the famous mining town of Coober Pedy and a mine
- Fossick for opals
- See breathtaking scenery of the Outback
- Travel on the Outback Mail Run

See the opal capital of the world. Travel the Outback with the mailman who will share his knowledge and local contacts as he travels the famous Oodnadatta Track and crosses the Moon Plain to deliver mail to vast Outback cattle stations. Visit a former opal mine, an underground home, an underground church and see the 'lunar' landscapes of the Moon Plain and The Breakaways – the location for scenes from movies such as 'The Adventures of Priscilla Queen of the Desert' and 'Mad Max III'.

INCLUDES:

- 3 nights accommodation
- Outback Mail Run Tour
- Down and Dirty Opal Digging Tour
- Desert Cave Tour
- Transfer to the 'Jeweller's Shop' mullock heap to noodle for opals
- Light breakfast daily
- Dinner on first evening
- Return transfers from Coober Pedy Airport or coach terminal

Departs: Tue, Wed, Sat and Sun from Coober Pedy

PRICE PER PERSON:	OPAL INN HOTEL MOTEL	DESERT CAVE HOTEL
Adult twin share	\$544	\$835
Adult sole use	\$709	\$1170

Not suitable for children under 13 years. Triple share prices also available.

DESERT CAVE HOTEL

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