



# Melbourne to Hervey Bay

# TOTAL TRIP: 21 HOURS / 1,875KM

# LEG 1 / MELBOURNE TO NARRANDERA

### 4 HOURS & 48 MINUTES / 433KM

Explore historical Narrandera for boutique shopping, dining, plan a heritage walk, or take a tour at one of the Shire's museums. You can set out on a walk through the Flora and Fauna Reserve or Narrandera Wetlands, or relax at Lake Talbot, Lake Talbot Aquatic Park or by the side of the Murrumbidgee. It is the ideal stop over as it is at the cross-roads of the Stuart & Newell Highways. Collect your free map from the Narrandera Visitor Information Centre (Cadell St, Narrandera) to plan your day.

#### HIGHLIGHTS / LEG 1:

- ç Bundidgerry Walking Track
- ç Narrandera Rail Bridge on Augusta Street
- ç Hankinson Memorial Fountain Memorial Gardens off East Street, Narrandera
- ç Koala Reserve on the Murrumbidgee River via Oakbank Street

# LEG 2 / NARRANDERA TO DUBBO

### 4 HOURS & 13 MINUTES / 392KM

One of the most popular holiday destinations in New South Wales with more than 25 tourist attractions and activities, Dubbo offers an amazing range of activities from bird watching to cultural centres to an authentic safari experience.

#### HIGHLIGHTS / LEG 2:

- ç See the wild in the wild safari-style at Taronga Western Plains Zoo.
- ç Discover remarkably intact 19th Century Old Dubbo Gaol.
- ç Western Plains Cultural Centre Browse a selection of 5,000 items and view a Dendroglyph (carved tree), an immensely important Aboriginal artefact.
- ç Cycle the 12.5km Tracker Riley Cycleway from Dubbo's CBD to Taronga Western Plains Zoo. Hire a kayak/stand-up paddle board from Adventure Watersports and explore 10 hectares of undulating land at Dubbo Regional Botanic Gardens including a traditional Japanese garden.

# LEG 3 / DUBBO TO MOREE

### 4 HOURS & 14 MINUTES / 379KM

A great way to reward your body for road tripping will be here where it's time to get rejuvenated in the famous natural artesian mineral waters of Moree, a delightful town in the beautiful Gwydir Valley in northwest NSW. The soothing thermal springs are naturally heated at 41 degrees Celsius and are popular for their therapeutic qualities.

#### HIGHLIGHTS / LEG 3:

- ç The Moree Artesian Aquatic Centre is deep inside the Great Artesian Basin. Also check out remedial massages and beauty treatments.
- ç Take a tour of Stahmann Pecan Nut Farm's Trawalla, the largest pecan farm in the Southern Hemisphere or Cotton and Gin Farm Tours.
- ç Take the guided Heritage and Art Deco Walk around Moree's central business district area.
- ç Enjoy the latest exhibition at the Bank Art Museum Moree (BAMM) in the magnificent 1911 Edwardian-style Gallery building.
- ç Discover the Moree Show, the longest continually running event in Moree's history.

# LEG 4 / MOREE TO KUMBIA

### 4 HOURS & 34 MINUTES / 422KM

Kumbia is a small picturesque town nestled into the foothills of the Bunya Mountains, on the Bunya Highway, between the mountains and Kingaroy, Kumbia is the perfect opportunity to stock up on groceries and fuel before you head up into the mountains.

### HIGHLIGHTS / LEG 4:

- ç Known for its stone-fruit plantations and heritage signposts.
- ç Gateway to Bunya Mountains National Park the peaks reach 1,135 metres above sea level, and feature a diversity of plants and animals including over 30 rare and threatened species.

# LEG 5 / KUMBIA TO LATITUDE25 (HERVEY BAY)

### 2 HOURS & 58 MINUTES / 249KM

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# Sydney to Hervey Bay

# TOTAL TRIP: 15 HOURS & 39 MINUTES / 1,336KM

# LEG 1 / SYDNEY TO TAMWORTH

4 HOURS & 58 MINUTES / 407KM

Tamworth is Australia's music capital and home to spectacular national parks, delicious food and wine experiences and Australian country music.

#### HIGHLIGHTS / LEG 1:

- ç The Tamworth Country Music Festival in January attracts star performers to Australia's city of lights.
- ç Check out the events calendar for more festivals and shows, or a rodeo at the Australian Equine and Livestock Events Centre.
- Ç Or visit the Warrabah National Park for bushwalking, fishing and canoeing on the Namoi River, Chaffey Dam, north of Nundle, and Split Rock Dam, near Barraba (a bird-watching paradise).
- ç Get up close to joeys and other animals at the Tamworth Marsupial Park and Adventure Playground. In Gunnedah, discover koalas in their natural habitat.

# LEG 2 / TAMWORTH TO INGLEWOOD

4 HOURS & 15 MINUTES / 373KM

Conveniently located along the Cunningham Highway is the RV-friendly town of Inglewood.

### HIGHLIGHTS / LEG 2:

- ç Enjoy the sealed walkways along the river bank and the rejuvenated CBD with a range of local shops.
- ç The area is renowned for its natural beauty and one of the best ways to explore is on a local tourist drive. Drop into the Information Centre on Albert Street for maps of the local attractions.
- ç In proximity to Inglewood enjoy strolling, fishing, boating, water skiing and sailing on beautiful Lake Coolmunda; or visit the award-winning lavender farm and shop.

# LEG 3 / INGLEWOOD TO NANANGO

3 HOURS / 264KM

Not only is Nanango another one of Queensland's RV-Friendly towns, it is also the state's fourth oldest town.

### HIGHLIGHTS / LEG 3:

- ç Butter Factory Park is the perfect place for a picnic, or visit Nanango Mural Walk, which details Europeans settlers of 1847.
- ç The CBD features chainsaw sculptures and murals reminiscent of the town's historical timber-felling, farming and mining.
- ç Visit Ringsfield House, a restored circa 1908 Queenslander by architect Robin Dods.
- ç Explore the 13 well-maintained parklands, which are home to 250 different bird species.
- ç Nanango has several museums, craft outlets and live entertainment venues.

# LEG 4 / NANANGO TO LATITUDE25 (HERVEY BAY)

2 HOURS & 30 MINUTES / 214KM

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# Brisbane to Hervey Bay

# TOTAL TRIP: 3 HOURS & 32 MINUTES / 285KM

### BRISBANE

Time to explore the capital of Queensland and soak up the subtropical climate, explore the river, parks and outdoor spaces, or delve into a calendar of internationally acclaimed arts, cultural and sporting events. Discover some of the best restaurants in the country as well as a vibrant live music, contemporary art and gallery scene. Mix with the locals at weekend markets, shop for international brands and cutting-edge local designer fashion, or scour antique shops for just the right memento of your stay.

# LEG 1 / BRISBANE TO NOOSA

1 HOUR & 30 MINUTES / 140KM

Surrounded by beach, river, hinterland and national parks, the Noosa region offers an amazing range of activities, adventures, tours or programs in beautiful natural settings – or find somewhere to relax and soak in the surrounds.

#### HIGHLIGHTS / LEG 1:

- ç Enjoy award-winning restaurants and cafés, from riverfront restaurants to Hastings Street and along the beachfront, throughout the hinterland and in beachside villages.
- ç Discover Noosa artists and artisans including glass blowers, printers, painters, sculptors and ceramicists in local businesses or enjoy a master class/workshop run by a local artist.
- ç Visit the Noosa Regional Gallery, which presents Australian contemporary art and local and touring exhibitions. Discover the Noosa Museum in picturesque Pomona, just 25 minutes from Noosa Heads.
- ç If you want to unwind place yourself in the capable hands of a masseuse, beauty therapist or yoga instructor at one of Noosa's day spas .
- ç Get teed up for golf with the Noosa region delivering beautiful golfing greens ranging from an 18-hole championship course to a par 3 and local clubs.
- ç Shopping fanatics will love Hastings Street and behind the beachfront is Noosa's fashion strip.
- ç Addicted to retail? Within a 15-minute drive of Noosa's Main Beach are several shopping precincts: Noosa Junction, Peregian Village Square, Sunshine Beach, Coolum Beach, Noosa Civic, Noosaville and Tewantin. And further to discover the hinterland Cooroy, Pomona and Eumundi.

# LEG 2 / NOOSA TO GYMPIE

1 HOUR / 64KM

Be surprised by the diversity of the Gympie Region with so many sub regions there is a perfect getaway for day trippers or the serious holiday maker.

#### HIGHLIGHTS / LEG 2:

- ç Grab your camera at the picturesque Mary Valley with its rolling hills and national parks.
- ç Go back in time to the Gold Rush! History lovers will enjoy the Township of Gympie with its many heritage listed buildings, coffee shops and friendly community.
- ç Venture west to the agricultural townships of Kilkivan featuring the great Kilkivan Horse Ride annual event.
- ç Tin Can Bay is famous for its dolphin feeding, sailing and fishing haven. Cosmopolitan town Rainbow Beach is known for its unique coloured sand beach and world-class scuba diving, sky diving and para-gliding.

# LEG 3 / GYMPIE TO LATITUDE25 (HERVEY BAY)

1 HOURS & 39 MINUTES / 120KM

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