

Murray River Photographic Cruise

with Pete Dobré

Departs 4th August 2014

Learn about:
Shutter speed,
Aperture, Composition
Night photography,
Bird photography,
Changing light
...plus much more!

5 Days/4 Nights



Join Pete Dobré, South Australia's premier landscape photographer on the majestic PS Murray Princess as he shares his photographic knowledge with you.

Attend Pete's onboard presentations, learn new skills, go on shoots, share feedback with others and learn more about Photoshop and management of your images.

This exciting tour has been tailor made for the avid photographer, so come along and see photography in a new light and be inspired by the man that is Pete Dobré.

Inclusions

Complimentary coach transfers from Adelaide Central Bus Station, or car parking available in Mannum

Four nights twin-share cabin aboard the P.S. Murray Princess

Exclusive photographic excursions on tender vessels with Pete

On-board photography presentations, tutorials and discussions

Use of spa, sauna and gym

All meals including Welcome Dinner, Woolshed barbecue, Captain's Dinner & Cocktail Party

Live entertainment

24-hour self-service tea and coffee bar

Guided nature walks & eco-excursions

Wildlife Shelter

Ngaut Ngaut Aboriginal Conservation Park

From \$1522* per person

*Price based on inside cabin, twin share. Upgrades to outside cabin and staterooms available at an additional cost.

Booking Terms & Conditions (Captain Cook): Final payment is due by 4 June 2014. \$200.00 Deposit to confirm reservation. Cancellation charges: Cancellations received more than 60 days prior to departure - Loss of deposit (\$200.00). Cancellations received 30-59 days prior to departure - 25% of fare. Cancellations received 15-29 days prior to departure - 50% of fare. Cancellations received 14 days or less prior to departure - 100% of fare. Passengers over the age of 75 years require a certificate of fitness to travel - please refer to Cruise booking form. Captain Cook Cruises requires all passengers to be sufficiently mobile to negotiate stairs for general movement about the ship. Minimum passenger numbers are required for this tour to run at the advertised cost. If the required number of passengers has not booked by 60 days prior to departure, it may be necessary to cancel the tour. Travel insurance is available to purchase.

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Day One: Mannum to Caurnamont

Arrive in Mannum where you will be welcomed aboard by our friendly crew on the PS Murray Princess before departing at 4.30pm. Join our crew in the Sturt Dining Room for an introduction to the vessel, safety briefing and a chance to meet your fellow photographic cruise group members.

Before dinner, join Pete Dobré for a short session including shooting from a moving boat. Pete will also talk to you about your 'first assignment'!

Enjoy our 'Welcome Dinner' in the Sturt Dining Room followed by an informal discussion with Pete about how to best photograph the Princess on the water and the many birds seen along the river from the vessel during your cruise.

Day Two: Caurnamont - Blanchetown

After breakfast, take a tender boat to the riverbanks where you will be able to photograph the magnificent cliffs and put into practise what you have heard from the first night session.

Participate in a bird feeding activity and you can once again put into practise what has been discussed on how to photograph birds. Pete is always there to assist!

Come along and join in the fun of Bingo! This afternoon travel through Lock and Weir 1 at Blanchetown before securing for our overnight mooring.

In the afternoon take the tenders to photograph the Princess from the water and try to get some nice reflection shots.

After dinner photograph the Princess at night (and maybe some stars too)!

On returning to the Princess, join in the feedback session and discussion and pick your best shots of the day.



Day Three: Blanchetown - Big Bend

After departing Blanchetown, travel through Lock and Weir 1 before joining the tenders to capture reflections of the Princess. After reboarding and having lunch, sail downstream and discuss your photography and compare shots. As sunset approaches you'll try to get some shots of the Princess. This could be the highlight of the trip as the excitement mounts with the changing light! You'll need patience for this shoot!

A delicious barbecue meal is cooked tonight for dinner and served ashore. Afterwards, engage in a feedback session and look at your pics from this evening. This is a great time to learn not only from Pete but from looking at other peoples photos too.

An optional Nocturnal Tour by tractor and cart is offered by our Wildlife Guide after dinner and then feel free to join your fellow passengers around the campfire for some 'tall tales'!

Day Four: Big Bend to Younghusband

This morning Pete will give a brief lesson on photoshop management of your images before departing and slowly cruising downstream past the magnificent cliffs.

Arrive at Ngaut Ngaut Aboriginal Conservation Park which is one of the most significant aboriginal archaeological digs in Australia. This will provide great photo opportunities.

Depart Ngaut Ngaut and cruise downriver. This afternoon, do a shoot all over the Princess and of passing cliffs and wildlife before securing at Younghusband overnight.

Join the Captain and the Ship's Officers in the Sturt dining room for pre-dinner drinks before our Chef unveils the 'Captain's buffet', followed by dinner, dancing and entertainment.

Day Five: Younghusband to Mannum

Meet Pete early this morning over breakfast for a feedback and wrap up session and a take a look at the assignments you were given on the first day of the cruise.

It's now time to farewell your fellow cruise mates before arriving in Mannum at approximately 9.00am to pick up your car from the car park or take the coach transfer back to Adelaide.

Note: All tender rides and transfers are subject to weather conditions.



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