


Highlights

- Phillip Island
- Wilsons Promontory
- Lakes Entrance
- Buchan Caves
- Old Parliament House, Canberra
- Australian War Memorial, Canberra
- Bradman Museum, Bowral

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Drive Distance Guide

	Drive Distance (Kms)	Travel Time
Melbourne to Phillip Island (Day 1)	135 kms	2 hrs
Phillip Island to Lakes Ent (Day 2)	300 kms	4 hrs 30m
Lakes Entrance to Bega (Day 3)	300 kms	4 hrs
Bega to Batemans Bay (Day 4)	147 kms	2 hrs
Batemans Bay to Canberra (Day 5)	148 kms	2 hrs 15m
Canberra to Sydney (Day 7)	285 kms	3 hrs 45m
TOTAL	1315 kms	18hrs 30m

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Touring Itinerary

BRITZ COASTAL EXPLORER

Start: Melbourne
Finish: Sydney
Duration: 7 days
Total Distance: 1315 kms



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Your itinerary:

Day 1: Melbourne to Phillip Island

Don't miss Victoria's most popular natural attraction – the nightly parade of hundreds of little penguins at Phillip Island. The island is also home to Australia's largest colony of fur seals. At the island's Koala Conservation Centre treetop boardwalks will get you close to these tree hugging, furry, gum leaf eaters.

Day 2: Phillip Island to Lakes Entrance

On the southern most tip of the state is the Wilsons Promontory National Park, famous for its abundance of flora and fauna, wild ocean beaches and mountain views. From the accommodation centre at Tidal River to the white sands of Squeaky Beach, Wilson's Prom, as it's known by the locals, offers spectacular views.

Nearby Ninety Mile Beach stretches from north of Yarram to Lakes Entrance, and is great for swimming and fishing. To the north-east lies the Buchan Caves and at the state's east tip stands the beautiful wilderness coastline and spectacular scenery of the Croajingolong National Park. In between is the rugged high plains made famous in the movie 'The Man from Snowy River'.

Day 3: Lakes Entrance to Bega

On the way to Bega, visit the Killer Whale Museum at Eden, home to an extensive history of the magnificent creature that forms so much of Eden's history. Taste the cheese that made Bega famous, and see the history of cheesemaking in the Bega Valley at the Bega Cheese Heritage Centre. (Entry is free. The centre is open everyday except Christmas and Good Friday.)

Day 4: Bega to Batemans Bay

On the way to Batemans Bay, take a quick detour to Umbarra Aboriginal Cultural Centre (Wallaga Lake via Narroma) which offers hands on activities such as boomerang and spear throwing, ochre painting, shelter building, and the opportunity to purchase

locally made artifacts and didgeridoos (open weekdays and most weekends).

Nearby, the Moruya township dates back to 1850. The granite used in the Pylons of the Sydney Harbour Bridge was quarried in Moruya and a number of the historic buildings have been made of the local stone.

On the Clyde River's broad estuary, Batemans Bay is the launching point for houseboat adventures along the river's 38 navigable kilometres. There are numerous beautiful beaches nearby and surfing, boating, snorkelling and fishing experiences for all. Batemans Bay offers local seafood restaurants, casual cafes, art galleries and studios.

Day 5: Batemans Bay to Canberra

As the National Capital, Canberra has a huge choice of things to do including Parliament House, the National Gallery of Australia, Questacon – the National Science and Technology Centre and much more. There are numerous fine restaurants and boutique wineries. So you can easily spend a couple of days in the national capital. Take a walk on the shores of Lake Burley Griffin, a central recreational feature of the Capital.

Day 6: Canberra

Start your day with a trip to the internationally recognised Australian War Memorial, which commemorates the sacrifice of Australian men and women who served in armed conflict and during peacekeeping activities.

With an art collection of more than 100,000 works, magnificent sculpture garden and its clever design, the National Gallery of Australia should also be on the 'must see' list. If you have kids, take them to the National Museum of Australia where state-of-the-art technology and hands-on interactive exhibitions will keep them entertained for hours.

Day 7: Canberra to Sydney

Take the Federal Highway to Sydney and drop into Bowral, a town that is now closely associated with Australia's greatest sportsman: 'The Don'. Visit the Bradman Museum and learn about the life of Sir Donald Bradman, and why Australian's have such a love affair for the game of cricket.

Best photo spots:

- Big Bit Lookout - north of Batemans Bay for amazing vistas up and down the coast
- Green Cape Lighthouse, the first cast concrete lighthouse tower in Australia, near Eden
- Snap a 'Pollie' around Parliament House (Members of Parliament are very elusive creatures but they love to have their photo taken with babies around election time)
- Cute Fairy Penguin photos at Phillip Island Nature Park



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