

# PORT LINCOLN

THE SEAFOOD CAPITAL OF AUSTRALIA

## *Four Day Itinerary*







DAY ONE

# ARRIVING INTO BEAUTIFUL PORT LINCOLN

Looking for the perfect family getaway? Port Lincoln offers the ultimate mix of adventure, wildlife encounters, and stunning coastal landscapes. A short 45-minute flight from Adelaide will have you touching down in no time, while those opting for a road trip can enjoy a leisurely 650-kilometre drive, with the option to take the ferry from Wallaroo to Lucky Bay for a unique travel experience.

Start your morning in Port Lincoln with breakfast from the **Beach Bakery** located on the foreshore, there's sure to be something to please the whole family with a range of freshly baked goods, delicious coffee, acai bowls & smoothies.

Afterwards, take a stroll along the foreshore, exploring statues and monuments that showcase Port Lincoln's rich history. The kids will love the inclusive **Nature Play Space**, and you can even pick up a bit of Auslan along the way—making for a fun and educational family outing.





# DAY ONE

While the children are having fun in the play space, take a moment to pop across the road to the award-winning **Port Lincoln Visitor Information Centre**. It's your go-to spot for local insights and helpful assistance. Grab your complimentary local maps, where the friendly staff will highlight the must-see tourist drive and share a list of hidden gems around the area. It's the perfect way to plan your return adventure and make the most of your time in this stunning part of South Australia!



Upon arriving at the picturesque **Port Lincoln Tourist Park**, you'll be thrilled to check into your executive ocean-view cabin. Take some time to explore the park's outstanding family-friendly amenities, including a state-of-the-art recreation room, a heated pool, and playground. Once you're settled, fire up the BBQ for a laid-back lunch while soaking in the remarkable views of Porter Bay.



After lunch, set out on the **Parnkalla Walking Trail**, a scenic coastal path where you can follow the trail to **Shelly Beach**, a significant first nations site and a great spot for the kids to explore safe rock pools, whilst you soak up the tranquil beauty of the Port Lincoln coastline. For dinner, enjoy a relaxing evening at the **Hotel Boston**, where an unforgettable experience awaits. The spacious lawned alfresco area extends gracefully to the stunning foreshore of Boston Bay, providing the perfect setting for your night. Be sure to indulge in the highly recommended locally-caught seafood platter.







DAY TWO

# UNCOVERING INLAND WONDERS, LOCAL HERITAGE AND HISTORY

Start your day early with a trip to **Winter Hill Lookout**, where you can capture a stunning sunrise and take in breathtaking 360-degree views of Port Lincoln.

While you're there, stop by **Brinkworth Reserve** for a peaceful stroll through natural bushland. It's the perfect escape, especially for little explorers with a sense of curiosity

Now having worked up an appetite you can enjoy breakfast with a touch of French flair at **L'Anse French Café & Croissanterie**, a destination in itself where you can savour a scrumptious French breakfast with a window view of the pastry chefs hand crafting their croissants.

If you're after something for on the go, treat yourself to a freshly brewed coffee paired with their take on a classic French Viennoiserie—flaky, buttery croissants that take three days to perfect, ensuring every bite is light, crisp, and utterly indulgent.



## DAY TWO



Just 15 minutes from Port Lincoln, the **Glen Forest Tourist Park** and home to **Lincoln Estate Winery** is the ultimate family day out. Great spot for a relaxed light lunch in the heart of nature. Challenge yourself with a round of putt-putt golf, navigate the maze, ride segways through the vines, and enjoy up-close encounters with Australia's fascinating native wildlife. There truly is something for every family member at this fun tourist park.



For the afternoon spend some time diving into Port Lincoln's rich maritime heritage with a visit to the **Axel Stenross Maritime Museum**, a standout destination for families. Children will be enchanted by the life-size boats, intricate ship models, and hands-on exhibits that bring the history of the region's fishing and boating industries to life. They can even learn the skill of knot tying.



Wrap up your day with dinner at the **Fresh Fish Place**. Dining at The Fresh Fish Place isn't just about the food—it's about the experience. Kids will love learning about the seafood they're eating, especially if you combine dinner with a behind the scenes factory tour. It's a chance for the whole family to connect with the story behind their meal, sparking curiosity and a deeper appreciation for Port Lincoln's seafood heritage.

For a progressive dessert we suggest stopping at the **West Coast Distilling co** on your way home for a delicious, an Instagram worthy night cap.





DAY THREE

## DISCOVERING THE WILDSIDE COAST

Start another day of adventure with a waterside breakfast at the **Marina Hotel**, where you will enjoy a beautiful meal whilst soaking in views of the commercial and recreational fishing vessels steaming through the **Lincoln Cove Marina**.

After breakfast, take a leisurely stroll around the marina, stopping first for a photo at the **Fishermen's Memorial Statue**. Keep an eye on the water—you might spot a playful seal or dolphin frolicking nearby.

For a unique experience, hop aboard **Fred's Marina Canal Cruise** on the MV Tesla, an eco-friendly electric boat. Departing most mornings, this relaxing cruise offers fascinating insights into the largest commercial fishing fleet in the Southern Hemisphere and showcases why Port Lincoln is celebrated as the Seafood Capital of Australia.

After your scenic marina cruise, the family can be collected by one of our friendly, local tour guides from **Australian Coastal Safaris** in a luxury 4x4 for an unforgettable afternoon adventure into the WILD side.



# DAY THREE

Your first stop will be the vibrant new café, **TnT**, where you can grab a delicious, freshly prepared picnic lunch to go. From there, it's a short drive to the stunning **Lincoln National Park**, where you'll spend the afternoon immersed in the park's breathtaking natural beauty.

Your guided hike up **Stamford Hill** will reward you with panoramic views of the coastline, offering perfect photo opportunities. Then, enjoy a peaceful visit to the secluded paradise of Memory Cove, a tranquil spot, ideal for some quiet family time by the water. For those with a sense of adventure, the sand dunes are a must-see. Kids of all ages will have a blast running, climbing, and sandboarding on the soft, white sands. It's an afternoon packed with adventure, incredible nature, and unforgettable family memories!

At the end of the day, unwind back at your accommodation, surrounded by the soothing sounds of the ocean. Take the opportunity to relax and drop a line from the caravan park pier, where you can try your luck catching local King George whiting and squid.

After a bit of peaceful fishing, freshen up and head out for a delightful dinner at the chef's hatted Line and Label restaurant, located at **Teakle Winery**. Trust the chef's renowned 5-course experience is sure to impress the whole family, offering a memorable dining experience with exquisite flavours that showcase the best of the region. It's the perfect way to end a day of adventure.







DAY FOUR

# A DAY OF SERENITY ON THE CRYSTAL-CLEAR PORT LINCOLN WATERS

Start your morning with a delicious breakfast at the Port Lincoln Hotel's **Sarin Restaurant**, the perfect way to fuel up before a water-based adventure tailored for your family's sense of fun. With a variety of guided activities to choose from, there's something for everyone.

For a truly magical experience, set off on **Calypso Star's** 'Swim with the Sea Lions' charter. Dive into crystal-clear waters and share an unforgettable encounter with these playful marine creatures—an adventure you'll be reminiscing about for years to come.

Prefer to stay dry? Set sail on a **Seafood Bay Cruise**, where you'll soak in scenic coastal views whilst gaining fascinating insights into Port Lincoln's world-renowned seafood industry.

Fishing enthusiasts can embark on a **Port Lincoln fishing charter**, where the excitement of reeling in your own catch will captivate both kids and adults alike—leaving everyone with unforgettable memories and stories to share.



## DAY FOUR

After your morning adventure, it's time to bid farewell to the tourist park and the new friends you've made. Once you've checked out of your accommodation, head to **Fumo 28 Oyster & Seafood Bar** for a leisurely lunch. With a menu bursting with fresh local flavours and stunning beachfront views, it's the perfect spot for a relaxed family meal.

Alternatively, your family can enjoy a laid-back, family-friendly lunch at either **Jump Ship Brewery** or the **Beer Garden Brewing**. Enjoy the delicious food, locally crafted beers for the adults and spacious play area for the little ones — making an ideal stop before your next adventure.

Cap off your day with a kayak or paddleboard session along the Port Lincoln foreshore, with equipment hired from **Xtreme Kites & Paddle**. Glide at your own pace through calm, crystal-clear waters, soaking in the stunning coastal scenery—a perfect way to spend quality time together and wrap up your day of aquatic fun.

Before heading off, make one last stop at the **Old Mill Lookout**, the oldest standing structure in Port Lincoln. Capture a lasting memory with a family selfie, with the breathtaking backdrop of Boston Bay behind you





# DAY FOUR

Now as you begin your 650km journey home to Adelaide along the iconic Lincoln Highway, why not take some time to explore the fantastic community pitstops that make this route special?

Along the way, you'll find Tumby Bay's state-of-the-art pump bike track and street art trail, perfect for stretching your legs and soaking in the local culture.

Then, make your way to Cowell, where you can unwind at the beautiful foreshore water park, complete with thrilling slides and scenic views.

Next, make a stop at Whyalla, where you can witness the famous wild dolphins that regularly visit the local boat ramp—an unforgettable experience for animal lovers and nature enthusiasts.

These stops not only break up your drive but offer unique experiences that showcase the charm and creativity of Eyre Peninsula – South Australia's coastal communities.

Enjoy the journey and take in all the sights while planning your return extended vacation to the beautifully wild Eyre Peninsula.

