

Slow-paced - Quality Lodgings - Good Food - We'll look after you - Mt. Isa to Adelaide

Comfortable Nine Grasswren Tour

4 - 20 August 2028

This is a slow-paced version of our flagship Nine Grasswren tour, one of Australia's epic birding adventures. We will look for nine of Australia's 14 Grasswren species: Striated, Short-tailed, Western, Thick-billed, Eyrean, Grey, Kalkadoon, Carpenterian and Opalton Grasswren. From Mt Isa in the north to the vast 'Mallee' scrub in the south, we travel the length of the Birdsville track, visit the stark country around Boulia-Winton, the scenic Flinders Ranges and finish in the Gawler Ranges. This trip is a real adventure (yet fully accommodated), taking it easy by adding an extra three days to the standard itinerary.

Timed to travel through the heart of the outback during the Austral winter season, we will have plenty of opportunity during these 16 days to see over 200 species, and besides the Grasswrens we have a good chance of many other sought-after birds. Accommodation will be of the best available standard; the drives have been shortened; the food will be of the best available, and where we have to take a picnic, it will be gourmet style. We have secured access to some new birding sites exclusively for this trip. The rewards are some of Australia's most sought-after outback species, wonderful scenery and great camaraderie.

ITINERARY

Day 0: 4 August 2028

Arrival in Mt. Isa

Make your own way to Mount Isa (Queensland), serviced by direct flights on Qantas, Virgin and Rex from Brisbane. You can get to the hotel by taxi (own cost) from the airport. We'll all meet this evening for dinner and introductions.

Overnight: Abacus Motel, en-suite motel room

Meals included: D

Day 1: 5 August 2028

Birding around Mt. Isa

We have a full day around Mt. Isa, where we'll be searching for two Grasswren species: Kalkadoon and Carpentarian. Another drawcard here is Painted Finch which we've seen on prior visits. We'll also spend time looking for other good species of the local area, including Spinifex Pigeon, Little Woodswallow, the 'Cloncurry' race of Australian Ringneck, Spinifexbird and Grey-headed Honeyeater, Black-tailed Treecreeper, Varied Lorikeet and many more. We'll also visit the sewage pond, with chance of Plumed Whistling Ducks and other waterfowl. Nearby at Lake Moondarra we have a good chance of Paperbark Flycatcher, Spotted Bowerbird, Plumed Whistling Duck, Painted Finch, Purple-necked Rock-wallaby and Freshwater Crocodile.

Overnight: Abacus Motel, en-suite motel rooms

Meals included: B, L, D

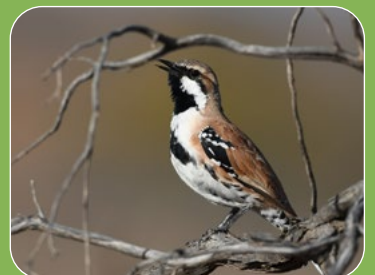
Day 2: 6 August 2028

Drive to Winton, dinosaur capital

The morning will be spent birding the local area, picking up any species we still need. We drive south, stopping for a leisurely lunch at Chinaman's Dam with waterfowl aplenty. From here we'll bird our way to the township of Winton, Australia's dinosaur capital. Species we're likely to encounter today include Australian Pratincole, Varied Lorikeet, Australian Bustard, Budgerigar, Brown and Rufous Songlark, Singing Bush Lark, Brolga, Black-tailed Nativehen, Plumed Whistling Duck and maybe even Ground Cuckooshrike. Before the day is over, we'll check a local waterhole for Plum-headed Finch, Baillon's Crake and whatever else may be around.

Overnight: Boulder Opal Motel, en-suite motel rooms

Meals included: B, L, D



Kalkadoon Grasswren, Carpentarian Grasswren, Painted Finch, Budgerigar, and Cinnamon Quail-thrush. All photos by Peter Waanders.

Day 3: 7 August 2028

Bladensberg National Park

Traversing the area where Night Parrot has been recorded recently, travelling on dark red gravel roads, we notice more and more spinifex around us (with chances of Spinifexbird) until we arrive in the spinifex-covered plains around Lark Quarry. Here we search for Opalton Grasswren (former rowleyi subspecies of Striated). Other species we may come across include Grey Falcon, Rufous-crowned Emu-wren, Hall's Babbler, Chestnut-breasted Quail-thrush, Spinifexbird, White-browed, Dusky and Masked Woodswallow, Spinifex Pigeon, Grey-headed and Grey-fronted Honeyeater. We'll take lunch in the Dinosaur Trackways visitor centre, situated high up on a rugged jump-up plateau with spectacular views over the surrounding plains, while Spinifex Pigeons scurry around the surrounding undergrowth. Time permitting, there is the option for people to visit the dinosaur stampede fossils here this afternoon (own cost).

Overnight: Boulder Opal Motel, en-suite motel rooms
 Meals included: B, L, D

Day 4: 8 August 2028

Outback road to Boulia

Depending on what we've seen we'll head back into Bladensberg NP to pick up anything we've missed. We'll take a leisurely breakfast and check out the local waterhole for drinking parrots and finches, and any other key species we may have missed yesterday. We then travel on outback roads to the isolated township of Boulia, located in the heart of outback Queensland, with further chances of Chestnut-breasted Quail-thrush and along the way hopefully picking up Brolga, Australian Bustard and Inland Dotterel. Around sunset, we scout the grassy plains outside Boulia from the comfort of our vehicles for Flock Bronzewing coming in to drink.

Overnight: Boulia Sands Motel, en-suite hotel rooms
 Meals included: B, L, D

Day 5: 9 August 2028

En route to Birdsville

We bird our way to Birdsville, checking local wetlands and sand dunes for species like Budgerigar, Cockatiel, Australian Bush-lark, Brolga, Bourke's Parrot and Ground Cuckooshrike, while we still have a chance of Flock Bronzewing and the highlight of today would be seeing our first Letter-winged Kite. We also have a good chance of Grey Falcon here. We'll have a meal at the famous Birdsville Pub tonight.



Opalton Grasswren, Grey Falcon, Chestnut-breasted Quail-thrush, and Inland Dotterel. Sand dunes around Birdsville. All photos by Peter Waanders.

Overnight: Birdsville Hotel, en-suite hotel rooms
 Meals included: B, L, D

Day 6: 10 August 2028

Expedition on the Birdsville track

Today we'll set off onto the famous Birdsville track. An early morning expedition to search for Grey Grasswren should see us arrive at the site shortly after sunrise. These shy and localized birds' preferred habitat consists of dry swamps with lignum shrubs and saltbushes. We also have a good chance of Cinnamon Quail-thrush, Gibberbird, Inland Dotterel and with luck Grey Falcon and Letter-winged Kites. They don't nest each year, so fingers crossed! Next we'll bird various sites along the track heading south: species we've encountered here include Australian Pratincole and Flock Bronzewing. We'll visit a (usually dry) swamp where we have another chance of Grey Grasswren while the constant chatter of bird calls provides a background chorus. Continuing on the Birdsville track we'll bird our way south, hoping to pick up many other good outback bird species. Some time in the afternoon we'll arrive at our final destination for the day, Mungerannie, a charming, rustic outback pub surrounded by sand dunes (where Eyrean Grasswrens live) and wetlands, often rich in waterbirds.

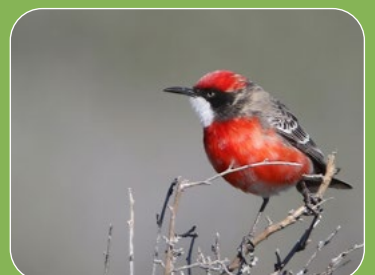
Overnight: Mungerannie Pub, a charming, rustic outback pub with basic, clean rooms, some en-suite, some with shared bathroom facilities
 Meals included: B, L, D

Day 7: 11 August 2028

Birding around Mungerannie

Today we'll have all day in the Mungerannie area in search of Grey Falcon, Black Falcon, Brown Songlark, Gibberbird, Orange and Crimson Chat, Budgerigar, Cockatiel, Inland Dotterel, Eyrean Grasswren, Thick-billed Grasswren, Chirruping Wedgebill, Pied Honeyeater, Diamond Dove and Cinnamon Quail-thrush. There will be time for a break in the afternoon before we do some final birding around sunset for Grey Falcon and Banded Whiteface.

Overnight: Mungerannie Pub, basic, clean rooms, some en-suite, some with shared bathroom facilities
 Meals included: B, L, D



Grey Grasswren, Letter-winged Kite, Gibberbird, Flock Bronzewing, and Crimson Chat. All photos by Peter Waanders.

Day 8: 12 August 2028

Birdsville track to Marree

We'll check for Grey Falcon at first light and may see Flock Bronzewing heading for their early morning drink. Neighbouring Cowarie Station has resident Eyrean Grasswrens in the scenic sand dunes while along the Warburton River we often come across Red-browed Pardalote and Banded Whiteface. Crimson and Orange Chats are usually present too and on the gibber-strewn plains we look for Gibberbird. After lunch at Mungerannie we continue driving the Birdsville track until we reach the township of Marree at the end of the day.

Overnight: Marree Hotel, a historical outback pub with modern en-suite rooms and facilities

Meals included: B, L, D

Day 9: 13 August 2028

Searching for Thick-billed Grasswren

The focus of this morning is the search for Thick-billed Grasswren, which inhabits the vast bluebush plains criss-crossed by usually dry creeks. Other good species we may come across are Cinnamon Quail-thrush, Rufous Fieldwren, Zebra Finch, Budgerigar, Red-backed Kingfisher and a chance of Inland Dotterel. After a lunch break at Marree we head a short distance north to an artesian bore overflow which has created a nice wetland which usually has Brolga and a raft of waterbirds, including crakes – in amidst desert-like scenery. Most years, Black-breasted Buzzard and Little Eagle breed here. Returning to Marree across the seemingly endless gibber-plains, we marvel at the vastness of the landscape, the clarity of the sky while the sun sets and Inland Dotterels come out to forage (if we're lucky...!).

Overnight: Marree Hotel, en-suite hotel-rooms

Meals included: B, L, D

Day 10: 14 August 2028

Through the Flinders Ranges

Another chance of Thick-billed Grasswren this morning, and then after a leisurely breakfast we have a look at the local dam which often holds Freckled Duck, Pink-eared Duck, Black-tailed Nativehen, Australian Crake and White-backed Swallow. We'll pack up and head south, to the Flinders Ranges, an impressive range of soaring rock formations on the edge of the outback. This area of scenic beauty is home to plenty of wildlife including Red, Western Grey and Euro Kangaroos. As we travel along creek-beds and through narrow gorges cut deeply into geological layers that date back 800 million years we look for Chirruping



Eyrean Grasswren, Banded Whiteface, Thick-billed Grasswren, and Red-lored Whistler. All photos by Peter Waanders.

Wedgebill, Elegant Parrot, Grey-fronted Honeyeater and the rare Yellow-footed Rock-wallaby. We'll stay in Port Augusta, at the crossroads of outback Australia, where some of the best food of the trip awaits us.

Overnight: Port Augusta Standpipe Motel, en-suite motel rooms
Meals included: B, L, D

Day 11: 15 August 2028

On the road to Mt. Ive

A pre-breakfast stroll around the golf course adjacent to the motel often yields Purple-crowned Lorikeet. After breakfast we pack up and search for Western Grasswren — formerly the myall race of Thick-billed, split around 15 years ago — which inhabits bluebush plains around Port Augusta.

Other birds we are likely to come across are the turquoise race of Splendid Fairy-wren, Black-eared Cuckoo and Redthroat, as well as Bluebonnet, Chirruping Wedgebill and Rufous Fieldwren. Later in the day we'll head into the Gawler Ranges, a little-explored rival to the Flinders Ranges, where we may be lucky to come across Mulga Parrot and Pink Cockatoo, but our main target here is the rare and localized, elusive Short-tailed Grasswren.

Overnight: Mt. Ive Station, en-suite rooms
Meals included: B, L, D

Day 12: 16 August 2028

Mt. Ive and Arid Lands Botanical Gardens

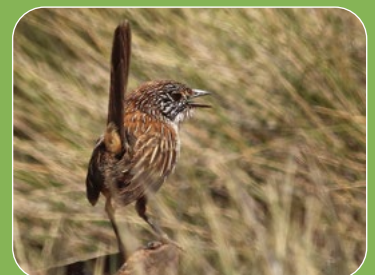
Mt. Ive Station is strategically located in a scenic valley in the Gawler Ranges, from where both Western and Short-tailed Grasswren can be observed with some perseverance. We'll visit the amazingly scenic Lake Gairdner, a vast salt lake in the outback. After lunch we head back to Port Augusta, where we will further explore the well laid-out Arid Lands Botanical Gardens where Chirruping Wedgebill, White-fronted and Elegant Parrot may be seen while Banded Stilt often occur in a nearby salt lake.

Overnight: Port Augusta Standpipe Motel, en-suite motel rooms
Meals included: B, L, D

Day 13: 17 August 2028

Mallee and the Murray river

The morning is a back-up for any other local species we may still need before we head south, looking for Slender-billed Thornbill and Adelaide



Chirruping Wedgebill, Western Grasswren, Bluebonnet, and Short-tailed Grasswren. All photos by Peter Waanders.

Rosella along the coast. Then we head inland until we reach Australia's largest river: the Murray. Lined with gnarly old Red Gum trees, the wetlands and floodplains along the river harbor a plethora of waterbirds such as ducks, herons, cormorants, rails, crakes and these often include sought-after species: Freckled Duck, Spotless Crake and Regent Parrot would be the highlight of the day.

In the afternoon we'll explore the southernmost parts of one of Australia's largest wilderness areas, over 1,000,000 ha of "mallee" eucalypt scrub of the Bookmark Biosphere — a conglomeration of nature reserves and pastoral properties. Here we have a chance of Gilbert's Whistler, Chestnut Quail-thrush, Striped Honeyeater and Purple-backed Fairy-wren. We'll stay at Berri on the banks of the Murray river.

Overnight: Berri Resort Hotel, en-suite hotel rooms
 Meals included: B, L, D

Day 14: 18 August 2028

Looking for Striated Grasswren around Berri

We'll be starting the day with our last Grasswren: the Striated, in the spinifex-mallee east of Berri, a beautiful and well-protected area of undisturbed mallee scrub. Other good birds possible in this area include Mallee Emu-wren, Southern Scrub Robin, Shy Heathwren, White-browed Treecreeper, and if we're lucky, Regent Parrot and Pink Cockatoo. Later in the afternoon we will check the vast bluebush plains for Redthroat, White-winged Fairy-wren and White-fronted Chat, while Little Friarbird, Blue-faced Honeyeater and Apostlebird are often found on the outskirts of town.

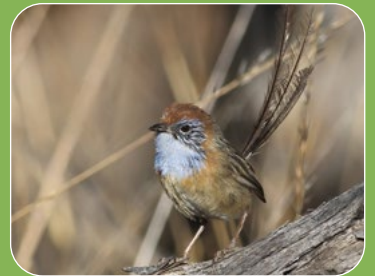
Overnight: Berri Resort Hotel, en-suite hotel rooms
 Meals included: B, L, D

Day 15: 19 August 2028

Murray river to Adelaide

We'll go for a stroll in the local area looking for Shy Heathwren, Redthroat, Striped Honeyeater, Splendid Fairy-wren, Chestnut Quail-thrush and Brown Treecreeper and then follow the Murray River south. Criss-crossing the scenic Mt Lofty Ranges we'll see plenty of Adelaide Rosellas, Crescent, Yellow-faced, Purple-gaped & Tawny-crowned Honeyeaters as well as Scarlet Robin, White-throated Treecreeper, Striated and Yellow Thornbill and we may be lucky to see the stately Yellow-tailed Black Cockatoos. Late in the afternoon we reluctantly arrive back in Adelaide for our final dinner and bird checklist.

Overnight: hotel in Adelaide, en-suite hotel rooms



Striated Grasswren, Pied Honeyeater, Mallee Emu-wren, and Orange Chat. The river always attracts scores of bird species. All photos by Peter Waanders.

Meals included: B, L, D

Day 16: 20 August 2028
Departure from Adelaide

For those who are keen, we'll do an early morning stroll in the parklands near the hotel, for Adelaide and Eastern Rosella, Long-billed Corella and any other birds that may be present.

However, today has been set aside as your departure day so please book flights out of Adelaide departing any time today. We'll arrange for you to be taken to the airport (included; morning only) at any time this morning after breakfast for your flight home (own arrangement).

Or why not join our following [Top End tour](#), commencing 21 August in Darwin.

Meals included: B



Striated Grasswren, Australian Bustard, Pink Cockatoo, and Kalkadoon Grasswren. All photos by Peter Waanders.

QUICK OVERVIEW

SCHEDULED DATES

Comfortable Nine Grasswren Tour: 4 - 20 August 2028

Post-tour option: [Top End](#), 21 - 29 August 2028

STARTING IN

Mount Isa, Queensland

FINISHING IN

Adelaide, South Australia

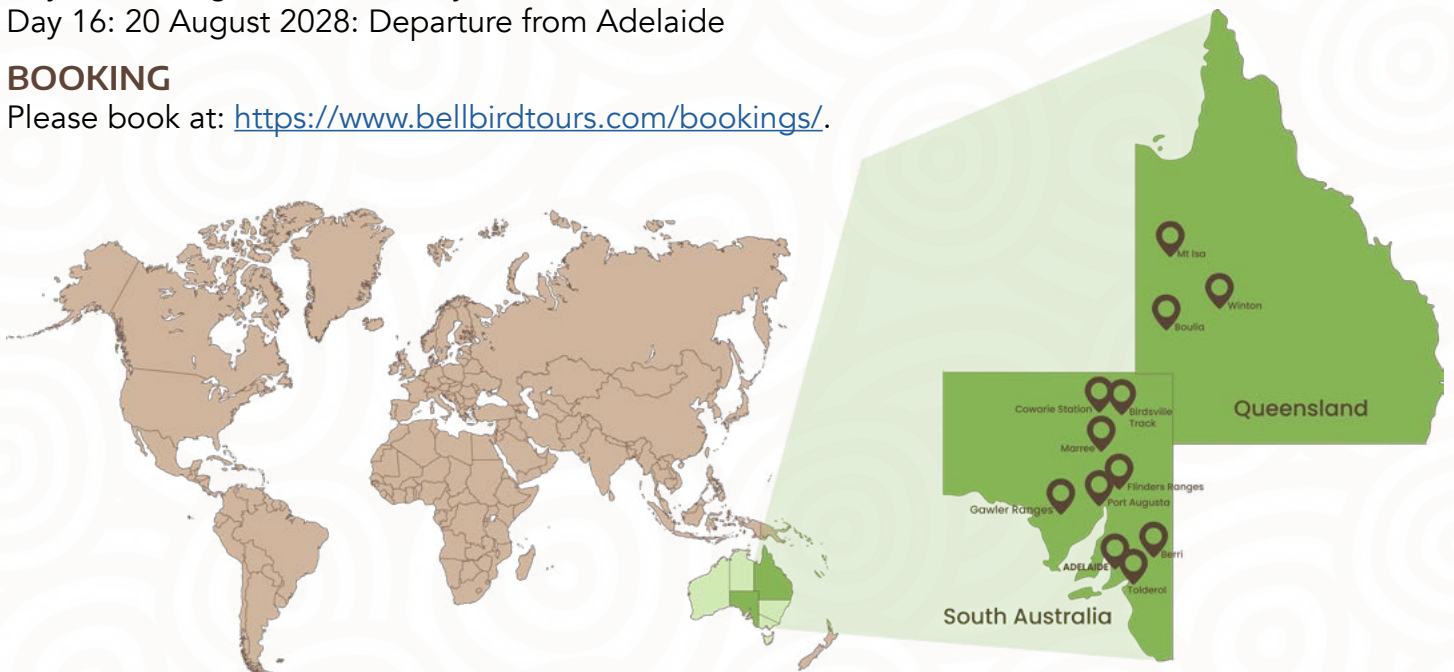
GROUP SIZE Minimum 4, maximum 8 participants.

BRIEF ITINERARY

Day 0: 4 August 2028: Arrival in Mt. Isa
Day 1: 5 August 2028: Birding around Mt. Isa
Day 2: 6 August 2028: Drive to Winton, dinosaur capital
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BOOKING

Please book at: <https://www.bellbirdtours.com/bookings/>.



COST

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AU\$10,799 per person including accommodation and all meals, based on double or twin-share occupancy. Single occupancy surcharge of AU\$1,650.

Earlybird discount of AU\$99 for bookings received up to 12 months before departure date. Return client discount may apply.

INCLUDED

All meals commencing with Dinner on Day 0 and finishing with Breakfast on Day 16, morning tea/coffee, some snacks, some fruit, some drinks, unlimited drinking water refills. Accommodation in private en-suite rooms, although on some nights only basic rooms with shared facilities are available. Transport using comfortable and reliable 4WD vehicle, expert guiding, any entry fees, taxes.

EXCLUDED

Travel to and from departure and finish points, pre- & post trip accommodation, any meals before Dinner on Day 0, any meals after breakfast on Day 16, drinks except where provided, any additional activities such as visiting the dinosaur centre etc, any minibar expenses, any other personal expenses, tips, insurance, anything else not specifically included.

PRE & POST TOUR OPTIONS

If you wish to stay in Adelaide for one or more days after the tour ends, or in Mt Isa for one or more days before the tour starts, in the same hotel that we've been using there, please tick the relevant box on the booking form. We can book this for you and add the cost to your tour price – this way you can stay in the same room.

This tour links with the [Top End tour](#) starting 21 August. Instant discount available. See our website, or contact us for details.

DISCLAIMERS

(1) itinerary may be modified slightly due to factors such as availability of accommodation, updated information on the state of accommodation, roads, or birding sites, the discretion of the guides and other factors; (2) until we've received your final payment, tour price may be subject to adjustment in the event of significant cost increases in ground arrangements. See our Terms and Conditions: <https://bellbirdtours.com/terms-and-conditions/>.

BOOKING

Please book at: <https://www.bellbirdtours.com/bookings/>.

PRACTICAL DETAILS

LEADERS

Bellbird tour leader

DIFFICULTY

Medium level of fitness required. This trip is slower paced than our regular Grasswren tours. Walking in uneven terrain will still be required to find the birds, but we have secured access to some new and exclusive (and easier) sites. There will be some early departures or late finishes. You can opt out of any challenging activities if you like. While we will drive up to 4000 km (including approx. 1,000 km on unsealed roads of varying standard) this is spread out over 16 rather than 12 days. We can't control the weather but usually this time of year is fine, sunny and mild in the south to warmish in the north. We may encounter a frosty morning or an unseasonal rain downpour.

ACCOMMODATION

Private en-suite rooms in hotels, motels and cabins. Standards of lodgings are good to very comfortable. The two nights at Mungerannie there are some en-suite rooms, some with shared facilities. Most lodgings offer wi-fi access. Mobile (cell) phone reception is limited (Telstra is best) to often non-existent.

CLOTHING

Lightweight long pants, t-shirt and long-sleeved shirt, over the top of which you can wear layers that can be taken off as necessary, including a warm jumper and a rain-proof jacket. Neat casual attire for dinners. Be prepared for the occasional cold morning but often gloriously sunny days.

WHAT TO BRING

Please travel light; Binoculars, camera, mobile phone, chargers, power adaptors if you're an international guest, insect repellent, sunscreen, personal medications, sun hat, water bottle, hand sanitizer. Scopes, tripods, huge tele-photo lenses, and hard-cased heavy suitcases are discouraged.

RECOMMENDED READING

The comprehensive (but large and heavy) [Australian Bird Guide](#) by Danny Rogers, Peter Menkhorst, and Rohan Clarke, or the (smaller and lighter) [Compact Australian Bird Guide](#) (2022) by the same authors.

GETTING THERE & AWAY

Tour commences with dinner in Mt. Isa, Queensland (served by direct flights from Brisbane) on 4 August 2028. Please arrive on or before 4 August and make your own way to our hotel for dinner and introductions that evening. Tour finishes after breakfast in Adelaide on 21 August 2028. We'll arrange for you to be taken to the airport for your flight home that day. Itinerary contains further details.

HOW TO BOOK THIS TOUR?

Step 1: Essential reading

- Download, save and read the itinerary (this document);
- Read our terms and conditions and the release of liability waiver (both can be found on <https://www.bellbirdtours.com/terms-and-conditions>);
- Read our health & safety information page (<https://bellbirdtours.com/health-and-safety/>).

Step 2: Online booking

Head over to our secure online booking page: <https://www.bellbirdtours.com/bookings> (should you prefer a paper booking form, this can be downloaded from there).

Step 3: Pay the deposit

To secure your seat, a deposit of 20% of the tour price is required at the time of booking. Full payment is due 90 days prior to the departure date. Until full payment has been received, Bellbird Tours reserves the right to change the tour price (e.g. due to changing fuel prices).

Payment options:

Domestic electronic funds transfer: please send funds to the following bank account:

- bank: Australia & New Zealand Bank (ANZ), 112 Rundle Mall, Adelaide SA 5000
- account name: Bellbird Tours Pty Ltd
- branch no. (BSB) 015-140 and account no. 206136528
 - Please use your surname as the booking reference.

Visa, Mastercard & Google/Apple Pay: please contact us to use this option, and we'll email you a secure payment link.

International electronic funds transfer: please send funds in Australian Dollars (+ bank charges) to the following bank account:

- international swift code: anzbau3m (no IBAN codes are used in Australia)
- bank: Australia & New Zealand Bank (ANZ), 112 Rundle Mall, Adelaide SA 5000
- account name: Bellbird Tours Pty Ltd
- branch no. (BSB) 015-140 and account no. 206136528
 - If possible, please use your surname as the booking reference.
 - If you are asked to provide our physical address, this is: 30 Roberts Avenue, Balaklava, SA 5461, South Australia, Australia.
 - Please specify AU\$ as the recipient's currency, and the correct amount. Select the option for you to incur any charges at both ends.

Any discrepancy between the amount payable and amount received will be added to the final balance, or payable in cash at the start of the tour. Prices and fees are not negotiable.

Step 4: You're done!

Sit back and wait for your booking confirmation to arrive (24-48 hrs). Meanwhile, should you have any questions, please contact us via: <https://www.bellbirdtours.com/about-us/>.

POSSIBLE SPECIES LIST (NOT EXHAUSTIVE)

Emu	Little Egret	Common Sandpiper
Malleefowl	Nankeen Night-Heron	Wood Sandpiper
Brown Quail	Glossy Ibis	Common Greenshank
Stubble Quail	Australian White Ibis	Marsh Sandpiper
Plumed Whistling Duck	Straw-necked Ibis	Ruddy Turnstone
Wandering Whist. Duck	Royal Spoonbill	Red-necked Stint
Green Pygmy Goose	Yellow-billed Spoonbill	Sharp-tailed Sandpiper
Magpie Goose	Black-shouldered Kite	Little Button-quail
Freckled Duck	Letter-winged Kite	Australian Pratincole
Musk Duck	Whistling Kite	Crested Tern
Black Swan	Black Kite	Aust. Gull-billed Tern
Australian Shelduck	Black-breasted Buzzard	Caspian Tern
Australian Wood Duck	Brown Goshawk	Whiskered Tern
Pink-eared Duck	Collared Sparrowhawk	Silver Gull
Australasian Shoveler	Spotted Harrier	Galah
Grey Teal	Swamp Harrier	Major Mitchell's Cockatoo
Chestnut Teal	Wedge-tailed Eagle	Long-billed Corella
Pacific Black Duck	White-bellied Sea-eagle	Little Corella
Hardhead	Little Eagle	Sulphur-crested Cockatoo
Australasian Grebe	Nankeen Kestrel	Cockatiel
Hoary-headed Grebe	Brown Falcon	Rainbow Lorikeet
Great Crested Grebe	Australian Hobby	Varied Lorikeet
Rock Dove	Grey Falcon	Musk Lorikeet
Spotted Dove	Black Falcon	Purple-crowned Lorikeet
Common Bronzewing	Peregrine Falcon	Regent Parrot
Flock Bronzewing	Brolga	Eastern Rosella
Spinifex Pigeon	Purple Swamphen	Crimson Rosella (Adelaide, Yellow)
Crested Pigeon	Comb-crested Jacana	Aust. Ringneck (Pt Lincoln, Mallee, Cloncurry)
Diamond Dove	Baillon's Crake	Bluebonnet (yellow-vented, pale)
Peaceful Dove	Australian Crake	Red-rumped Parrot
Tawny Frogmouth	Spotless Crake	Mulga Parrot
Spotted Nightjar	Buff-banded Rail	Budgerigar
Australian Owlet-nightjar	Black-tailed Nativehen	Bourke's Parrot
Australasian Darter	Dusky Moorhen	Blue-winged Parrot
Little Pied Cormorant	Eurasian Coot	Elegant Parrot
Great Cormorant	Australian Bustard	Scarlet-chested Parrot
Little Black Cormorant	Pied Stilt	Horsfield's Bronze-Cuckoo
Pied Cormorant	Red-necked Avocet	Black-eared Cuckoo
Black-faced Cormorant	Banded Stilt	Pallid Cuckoo
Australian Pelican	Red-capped Plover	Fan-tailed Cuckoo
Great Egret	Inland Dotterel	Southern Boobook
Plumed Egret	Black-fronted Dotterel	Eastern Barn Owl
Eastern Cattle Egret	Red-kneed Dotterel	
White-necked Heron	Banded Lapwing	
White-faced Heron	Masked Lapwing	

Blue-winged Kookaburra
 Laughing Kookaburra
 Red-backed Kingfisher
 Sacred Kingfisher
 Rainbow Bee-eater
 Spotted Bowerbird
 Great Bowerbird
 White-browed Treecreeper
 Black-tailed Treecreeper
 Brown Treecreeper
 Superb Fairy-wren
 Splendid Fairy-wren
 White-winged Fairy-wren
 Purple-backed Fairy-wren
 Red-backed Fairy-wren
 Rufous-crowned Emu-wren
 Mallee Emu-wren
 Striated Grasswren
 Short-tailed Grasswren
 Carpenterian Grasswren
 Thick-billed Grasswren
 Western Grasswren
 Opalton Grasswren
 Kalkadoon Grasswren
 Eyrean Grasswren
 Grey Grasswren
 White-browed Scrubwren
 Shy Heathwren
 Rufous Fieldwren
 Redthroat
 Weebill
 Western Gerygone
 Yellow-rumped Thornbill
 Chestnut-rumped Thornbill
 Slender-billed Thornbill
 Buff-rumped Thornbill
 Inland Thornbill
 Southern Whiteface
 Banded Whiteface
 Spotted Pardalote
 Red-browed Pardalote
 Striated Pardalote
 Pied Honeyeater
 Singing Honeyeater
 Grey-headed Honeyeater
 Grey-fronted Honeyeater

White-eared Honeyeater
 Yellow-plumed Honeyeater
 White-plumed Honeyeater
 White-fronted Honeyeater
 Blue-faced Honeyeater
 Little Friarbird
 Noisy Friarbird
 Noisy Miner
 Yellow-throated Miner
 Black-eared Miner
 Spiny-cheeked H'eater
 Red Wattlebird
 Little Wattlebird
 Striped Honeyeater
 Crimson Chat
 Orange Chat
 White-fronted Chat
 Gibberbird
 Black Honeyeater
 Brown Honeyeater
 Rufous-throated H'eater
 Black-chinned H'eater
 New Holland Honeyeater
 Brown-headed Honeyeater
 White-browed Babbler
 Chestnut-crowned Babbler
 Grey-crowned Babbler
 Hall's Babbler
 Cinnamon Quail-thrush
 Chestnut-breasted Q-thr
 Chestnut Quail-thrush
 Chirruping Wedgebill
 Varied Sittella
 Ground Cuckooshrike
 Black-faced Cuckooshrike
 White-winged Triller
 Crested Shrike-tit
 Gilbert's Whistler
 Red-lored Whistler
 Rufous Whistler
 Golden Whistler
 Grey Shrike-thrush
 Crested Bellbird
 White-breasted Woodsw.
 Masked Woodswallow
 White-browed Woodswallow

Black-faced Woodswallow
 Little Woodswallow
 Dusky Woodswallow
 Grey Butcherbird
 Pied Butcherbird
 Australian Magpie
 Grey Currawong
 Grey Fantail
 Willie Wagtail
 Australian Raven
 Little Raven
 Little Crow
 Torresian Crow
 Restless Flycatcher
 Paperbark Flycatcher
 Magpie-lark
 White-winged Chough
 Apostlebird
 Jacky Winter
 Red-capped Robin
 Hooded Robin
 Southern Scrub-robin
 Singing Bush Lark
 Eurasian Skylark
 Australian Reed-Warbler
 Little Grassbird
 Rufous Songlark
 Brown Songlark
 Spinifexbird
 Silveryeye
 White-backed Swallow
 Welcome Swallow
 Fairy Martin
 Tree Martin
 Common Blackbird
 Common Starling
 Mistletoebird
 Zebra Finch
 Painted Finch
 Red-browed Finch
 Pictorella Mannikin
 Chestnut-breasted Munia
 House Sparrow
 Australasian Pipit
 European Goldfinch