

Suggested 7 nights Itinerary

(based on daylight saving period)

MURRAY RIVER DISTANCE PLANNER

Murray Bridge	112km	5hrs
Mannum	150km	Base Marina
Younghusband	168km	2.25hrs
Bowhill	186km	4.75hrs
Purnong	192km	5.5hrs
Walkers Flat	208km	7.5hrs
Nildottie	224km	9.5hrs
Big Bend	235km	11hrs
Swan Reach	246km	12.5hrs

On average our houseboats cruise at 8kph with 4-5 hours per day giving a leisurely cruise.

ACTIVITY	
	Barossa Valley Tours and Banrock Station Tours
	Onboard Catering
	Big Bend By Night Tours
	Big Bend Sunset Dinner Tours and Champagne and Bush Tucker Breakfasts
	Hotel / Meals
	Supermarket
	General Store

An average 7 night hire period would allow you to travel from Mannum to Swan Reach and return. This is approximately a 200km round trip.

Day One

Board the houseboat at 3pm. Once settled the instructor will show you how to get the best out of the houseboat and teach you to drive it. You can then begin your journey along the river a short distance, tying up before sunset.

Day Two

Travel to Bow Hill (6 hours upstream of Mannum). Perhaps stop for lunch and continue on through the afternoon and moor up at Walker Flat (3 hours upstream of Bow Hill) for the evening, ready for your tour the next day.

Day Three

Pick up at 10am for your Barossa Valley Winery or one of our other tour options available. Enjoy the day experience other spectacular regions of South Australia before being dropped back to your houseboat at around 4.30 – 5pm, possibly with a few great South Australian wines! (Bookings essential, additional charge applies).

Day Four

Travel from Walker Flat to Big Bend (3.5 hours), stay for the night and enjoy the Big Bend by Night Tour or a Sunset Dinner Tour (Bookings essential, additional charge applies).

Day Five

Enjoy a Bush Tucker Breakfast to start the day then travel up to Swan Reach Hotel for lunch or dinner. (Bookings essential, additional charge applies for the Bush Tucker Breakfast).

Day Six Enjoy the day cruising back downstream for approximately 7.5 hours and find a mooring between Walker Flat and Bow Hill.

Day Seven Continue travelling downstream for approximately 7.5 hours to Mannum and moor overnight in the township or at a secluded location just downstream from the Unforgettable Marina. To celebrate your last night onboard you could enjoy a gourmet meal with our onboard catering chef.

Day Eight Return to marina to disembark by 10am.