

# GETTING OUT IN ADELAIDE AND SOUTH AUSTRALIA

Festivals and food, Arts and culture, nature and outback, shopping and sports—this is Adelaide SA.

Immerse yourself in the culture of Adelaide's North Terrace, with its museums and city cafes! Indulge in retail therapy while shopping at Rundle Mall, sample the tastes on offer at the famed Adelaide Central Market, or sip award-winning wines at the National Wine Centre.

You might prefer to follow in the footsteps of sporting champions at the world-famous Adelaide Oval, see the new State Aquatic Centre at Marion, or enjoy a retreat to the cosmopolitan seaside suburbs of Glenelg, Henley Beach and Semaphore.

And it's only a short drive in any direction to some of the most famous wine regions in the world, all very accessible from Adelaide. From shiraz in the Barossa, riesling in the Clare Valley, to the big reds of the Coonawarra region, you're spoilt for choice!

South Australia's success in winemaking began in 1841 when our first vintage was recorded in the Adelaide Hills. More than 160 years on, South Australia continues to excel in Australia's wine industry. You can visit nine distinct wine regions within an hour and a half by road from the city centre: The Barossa and Eden Valley, Adelaide Plains, Adelaide Hills, McLaren Vale, Southern Fleurieu Peninsula, Currency Creek, Langhorne Creek and Clare Valley. Or you may like to take a few days to explore the Limestone Coast via The Coorong or a 30-minute flight to Kangaroo Island and you have them all! Don't forget, South Australia offers numerous wine tours.

## Holidaying in and around Adelaide

### North Terrace, Adelaide city

If you want to immerse yourself in South Australia's rich arts and culture, stroll along North Terrace—Adelaide's 'cultural boulevard.' It's home to the South Australian Museum which is famous for its Australian Aboriginal Cultures Gallery, the Adelaide Botanic Gardens, the Art Gallery and the National Wine Centre.

### Giant Pandas, Adelaide Zoo

Adelaide is home to two giant pandas, Wang Wang and Funi, housed in a specially designed enclosure at the Adelaide Zoo where they will remain for ten years before returning to China. Adelaide Zoo is also home to 1800 animals and almost 300 species of exotic and native mammals, birds, reptiles and fish exhibited in over 8 hectares of magnificent botanic surroundings.

#### Zoo Opening Times:

Monday to Sunday: 9:30am to 5:00pm

Public Holidays: 9:30am to 5:00pm

Bookings may be required during peak periods i.e. school holidays.

Please call 1300 399 849 to book, or book online at <http://www.zoossa.com.au/adelaide-zoo>

### Tandanya – National Aboriginal Cultural Institute

Tandanya is a visionary and vibrant place to experience contemporary and traditional Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander culture through the performing and visual arts. You can wonder at the diversity, resilience, wisdom and creativity of the world's oldest culture, expressed through a range of art styles, genres and techniques.

### The Adelaide Central Market

Taste the best of South Australia at the Adelaide Central Market, established in 1869 and now the largest undercover market in the southern hemisphere. You'll find a huge range of fresh food, all under one roof. Shoppers can also take a break in some of the hippest cafes in Adelaide in and around the market and Gouger Street precinct in an atmosphere, which is a melting pot of food and cultures. Tours of the market are also available.

#### Central Market Opening Times:

Tuesday 7:00am to 5:30pm

Wednesday 9:00am to 5:30pm (Limited stalls open)

Thursday 9:00am to 5:30pm

Friday 7:00am to 9:00pm

Saturday 7:00am to 3:00pm

### Jam Factory Contemporary Craft and Design

Jam Factory Contemporary Craft and Design is a unique centre for the design, production, exhibition and sale of work by leading and emerging Australian designer/makers. Jam Factory's four studios work in the areas of ceramics, furniture, metal and glass. High quality works are showcased contemporary Australian craft practice and the two award winning retail spaces offer a wide range of high quality and collectable craft and design.

### **Adelaide Oval and the Bradman Collection**

Tours of the oval are available Monday to Friday, non-match days, departing at 10am starting from just inside the Phil Ridings Gates at the southern end of Adelaide Oval. Bookings for individuals or small groups are not required. The Bradman Collection Museum is also located at the Adelaide Oval.

### **Glenelg**

Take a tram ride from the city to Glenelg—it's only 20 minutes. Glenelg is Adelaide's most popular beach destination and it's always buzzing with activity. Stroll along the jetty, browse through the shops or dine at sidewalk cafes along Jetty Road. Discover South Australia's history at the Bay Discovery Centre.

### **Port Adelaide**

Port Adelaide is the old maritime heart of South Australia and our first declared heritage area. It features some of the finest historic buildings in South Australia. You'll find the South Australian Maritime Museum there, and the Port is also home to the National Railway Museum and South Australian Aviation Museum. Enjoy looking around for bargains, including curios and brick-a-brack at the Fisherman's Wharf Markets, open every Sunday or take the Dolphin Cruise on the Port River, operating daily.

### **Cleland Wildlife Park**

Located in natural bush land setting in the Adelaide Hills, Cleland is only 20 minutes from the Adelaide CBD, and contains a large number of South Australia's captivating wildlife. Many animals are free-roaming in the 35-hectare park, creating wonderful impromptu opportunities to touch and interact with the wildlife. Personal encounters with South Australian wildlife, combined with a licensed cafe and souvenir shop, ensure that Cleland has something for everyone.

### **Hahndorf**

The old German town of Hahndorf is just 20 minutes along the freeway from the Toll Gate (cnr Portrush Road and Cross Road). There you'll find the best of German style hospitality, food and beverages and many shops and stalls selling allsorts from crafts to designer clothing, bags, leather and alpaca products, gemstones and jewellery.

### ***And if you're interested in going further, here are some other suggestions:***

Explore the Monarto Open Range Zoo, The Fleurieu, York and Eyre Peninsulas, Kangaroo Island, Mount Gambier and the South East, The Coorong, Flinders Ranges, Arkaroola and the Outback, Coober Pedy, the Riverland or cruise the mighty Murray River on a paddleboat or a houseboat. Or take a day trip around some of the beautiful coastal towns of Victor Harbour, Goolwa, Port Elliot, and Middleton.

Whatever you choose to do and wherever you venture, we wish you a brilliant time in great SA!

### **For further information check out Tourism SA: [www.southaustralia.com](http://www.southaustralia.com)**

### **Public Transport options:**

*Free City Services:* <http://www.adelaidemetro.com.au/routes/cityservices.html>

For further information about public transport in Adelaide please visit the Adelaide Metro website [www.adelaidemetro.com.au](http://www.adelaidemetro.com.au)

*Services include: Adelaide to Glenelg Tram, Adelaide to Port Adelaide Train, Adelaide to Cleland Wildlife Park and Hahndorf Bus, Adelaide to Marion Bus.*