



WINE GUILD VICTORIA INCORPORATED

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ONE DAY COACH TOUR MORNINGTON PENINSULA



SUNDAY 5th JUNE 2022

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Depart: 7.45am **BOX HILL**
Box Hill South Family Centre
1228A Riversdale Road, Box Hill South (Corner Station Street)
PLEASE NOTE: The coach will depart from Box Hill on time.
The coach will not wait for any late comers.

Arrive: 9.00am **MERCETTA CAFÉ – Morning Tea**
Via McLaren Place, Mornington. Vic 3931
Tea, coffee or juice and platters of cakes and muffins.



Depart: 9.45am

Arrive: 10.30am **BASS & FLINDERS DISTILLERY – Seated tutored Gin tasting**
40 Collins Road, Dromana. Vic. 3936 Est. 2009
Proudly the first distillery on the Mornington Peninsula, their original inspiration was drawn from a love of classic brandies produced in France. The location in the wine growing region of the Mornington Peninsula provided the perfect setting to pursue their dream.



Following in the footsteps of her founder father Wayne, Holly took over as Head Distiller and Managing director of the distillery in 2016, becoming one of a very select group of second-generation distillers in Australia. As a family-owned distillery, they focus on quality above all else, distilling in small batches and sourcing fresh, local ingredients wherever possible to produce unique, genuine Australian craft spirits.

Depart: 11.45am

Arrive: 12.10pm **STELLA'S DROMANA HOTEL** – *Lunch in the Atrium*
 151 Point Nepean Road, Dromana. Vic 3936
 2 course lunch, purchase own tea and coffee if required.

Depart: 1.30pm

Arrive: 2.00pm **PT LEO ESTATE** – *Tutored wine tasting*
 3649 Frankston – Flinders Road, Merricks. Vic 3916
 As you meander up the driveway, you are welcomed with the sight of an inspiring Grand Arch and a 70-year-old Queensland King bottle tree and a doorway that offers a teasing glimpse of something remarkable. Their 50-acre vineyard stretches up the crest of Pt. Leo Estate and curves down towards the expanse of Westernport Bay. The vines respond to the constant forces of nature -sunshine, rain, sweeping winds, cooling ocean breezes. The vineyard is planted with Chardonnay, Pinot Noir, Pinot Gris and Shiraz varieties. This private paradise was once part of a more considerable 450-acre property owned by the Cole family since Federation in 1901, through to the late 1960s. The farm was used primarily as a sheep station and for crop growing. Point Leo Estate is now owned by property developer **John Gandel and family**.



Depart: 3.10pm

Arrive: 3.30pm **RED HILL ESTATE** – *Seated tutored wine tasting*
 53 Shoreham Road, Red Hill South. Vic 3937 Est. 1989
 Red Hill Estate was established in 1989 by the late Australian businessman, **Sir Peter Derham** and his wife Lady Averil. As a pioneer of sparkling wine on the Mornington Peninsula, and with 23 acres under vine, Sir Peter brought a clear vision of what he wanted to achieve under the Red Hill Estate brand. Fruit for their flagship wines is now sourced from the nearby Merricks Grove Vineyard, situated just a short distance from their Cellar Door. The wines across their diverse range are exceptional, with grapes sourced from cool climate wine regions where different cool climates mix with volcanic and sedimentary soils to create wines that are wonderfully textured, complex and elegantly understated. They regard themselves as cool climate wine specialists. Now owned by Frank Fabrizio, the team is responsible for influencing, nurturing and refining the very best that their wines have to offer. Frank works closely with the viticultural and winemaking teams to create wines that we have all grown to love. Wines that have elegance, regional character, finesse & classic style.



Depart: 4.45pm

Arrive: 6.15pm **BOX HILL SOUTH FAMILY CENTRE**

