

3 NIGHT NEW YEAR'S EVE CRUISE ITINERARY

DEPARTURE/ARRIVAL

Cruise departs Mary Ann Reserve, Mannum on Friday 29 December 2023 at 4:30 pm and returns to Mannum the following Monday 1 January 2024 at 9:00 am.

Your Travel Document will include your coach transfer, private transfer or car parking details if arrangements have been made.

FRIDAY 29 DECEMBER 2023

Mid-afternoon the Murray Princess departs historic Mannum, birthplace of the Murray River trade and communication, and heads downriver while you enjoy a Welcome Dinner.

As we cruise under floodlight to our overnight mooring at Mundurra you may see nocturnal wildlife on the riverbank. Watch for kangaroos, hairy-nosed wombats, tortoises, egrets, and many other species. Our on-board entertainer provides music for the night owls.

SATURDAY 30 DECEMBER 2023

In 1879 the first bridge to span the Murray River was built at Edwards Crossing, which quickly became the bustling township of Murray Bridge. After a hearty breakfast, choose to explore the town's historic landmarks and local attractions, such as the Roundhouse, or go on a wildlife tour at Monarto Safari Park*.

Those who choose to experience Monarto Safari Park will arrive back on board the Murray Princess in time for lunch then join us in the Sturt Dining Room for a special presentation on the bounty of food and wine produced in the Riverland.

This afternoon, we continue our journey upriver and tonight we moor at Salt Bush Flat. After a delicious dinner in the Sturt Dining Room, sing along to your favourite music with your fellow guests.

***Optional tour: Monarto Safari Park Wildlife Tour.**

Pre-bookings are essential, additional cost. For details, see 'Optional Onshore Tours & Activities' in your Cruising Guide.

SUNDAY 31 DECEMBER 2023 (NEW YEAR'S EVE)

This morning join a guided nature walk where your guide will share the secrets of the local flora and fauna. It's a great way to get in a little exercise before the Murray Princess departs and cruises downriver.

Near Fromm's Landing, we turn and head downriver to River View Lodge (near Piggy Flat / Coolcha) where your discovery vessel awaits for a wildlife tour. Travelling in small, personalised groups, we explore the maze of the river and the birdlife is amazing. Watch for darters, herons and egrets feeding along the river's muddy edges.

Tonight, we celebrate the year of 2023 and welcome in 2024 with a spectacular New Year's Eve Dinner and celebrations.

MONDAY 1 JANUARY 2024 (NEW YEAR'S DAY)

We leave River View Lodge and head back to Mannum. After breakfast we reluctantly say farewell as we arrive at the Mannum Wharf.

This is a sample special event itinerary and is subject to change due to weather, water levels and other operational requirements. Murray Princess reserves the right to amend itineraries and tours without notice.





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