



THE
WINE HOPPER

Embark on a delightful journey through Tasmania's finest regions with The Wine Hopper, a flexible hop-on, hop-off service designed to showcase the region's cool climate wines.

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COAL RIVER WINE HOPPER

TIMETABLE

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|---|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| DEPART HOBART INFORMATION CENTRE 20 Davey St Hobart | 10:45 | | | | | |
| Coal Valley Vineyard | 11:07 | 12:22 | 13:37 | 14:47 | 15:55 | |
| Craigow Vineyard | 11:15 | 12:30 | 13:45 | 14:55 | 16:03 | |
| Riversdale Estate | 11:22 | 12:37 | 13:52 | 15:02 | 16:10 | |
| Puddle-Duck Vineyard | 11:35 | 12:50 | 14:05 | 15:15 | 16:23 | 17:02 |
| Every Man & His Dog | 11:42 | 12:57 | 14:12 | 15:22 | 16:30 | 16:56 |
| Pooley Wines | 11:48 | 1:05 | 14:19 | 15:29 | 16:35 | 16:50 |
| Richmond | 11:53 | 1:10 | 14:24 | 15:33 | 16:40 | 16:45 |
| DEPART REGION 17:00 | | | | | | |
| ARRIVE CITY 17:30 | | | | | | |

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We are committed to providing a safe and enjoyable experience allowing you to sit back, relax, and indulge in all that the Coal River region has to offer.

SO WHAT IS IN IT FOR YOU?

- Explore award-winning wineries and distilleries
- Hidden gems in the Historical town of Richmond
- Enjoy local produce tastings
- Customisable itinerary
- Convenient hourly loops for pickup
- Departs Hobart at 10:45 returning at 5:30 pm.
- Carry packs for your wine purchases throughout the day.

GUIDELINES

Any guest exhibiting disruptive or inappropriate behaviour due to alcohol consumption, such as harassment, aggression, or excessive intoxication, will be asked to leave the tour immediately.

Please note that no refunds will be issued in such cases.

It is essential you are in the location you were dropped off at your last location for pickup back to the city. You will need to make your own way back if you miss the bus.

PLEASE NOTE

This service is designed to offer a refined and enjoyable experience, focusing on the appreciation of fine wines and the beauty of our surroundings. Please note that our bus is not licensed for alcohol consumption onboard, no alcohol on board will be permitted.



TERMS & CONDITIONS

All passengers are required to sign our waiver prior to boarding. Those who do not sign the waiver will not be allowed on the bus.

Beyond this, detailed Ts&Cs can be found on our website.

PLEASE NOTE

That at certain locations, bookings are either essential or highly recommended.

Detailed information about these venues is available in this brochure.

We strongly advise pre-booking any lunches or tastings (if listed) to secure your spot and avoid disappointment during the tour. For groups larger than 7, it is essential to make bookings in advance to ensure adequate space for your group.

HOW TO READ OUR TIMETABLE

Our system allows for a total of 4 stops throughout the day. With most venues allowing a little over an hour spent at each.

To maximise your experience, we recommend you visit venues in the same order as the timetable is shown.

The last column of times provides you with the last pickup time for each venue, or time in bold.

TIPS

In our opinion, it's best to start by selecting your lunch locations and then plan the rest of your itinerary accordingly.

While flexibility is a core focus of our service, booking ahead for lunches is crucial, as these venues have maximum capacities for dining. In the unlikely event that you are turned away due to not having a reservation, there are likely other suitable venues with available space.

Be sure to remember where you were dropped off, as this will be your designated pickup location. Book ahead to ensure a smooth and enjoyable experience.

Coal River Valley Food & Wine Options

| VENUE | DESCRIPTION | WINE/DRINKS | FOOD |
|---|--|---|--|
| Coal Valley Vineyard Ph: (03) 62485367 | Established in 1991, the vineyard produces premium cool-climate wines, with all grapes being handpicked and vines meticulously pruned by hand. | Reds, whites and sparklings | Charcuterie boards and platters |
| Craigow Ph: 0418126027 | Established in 1989 by Dr. Barry Edwards and his family, the vineyard quickly gained a reputation for producing exceptional cool-climate wines, particularly Pinot Noir, Riesling, and Chardonnay. | Reds, whites and sparklings | N/A |
| Riversdale Estate Ph: (03) 62485555 | Visitors can enjoy wine tastings at the cellar door, dine at the elegant French Bistro, or indulge in the estate's renowned picturesque Coal River Valley. A family-owned vineyard known for its stunning landscape. | Reds, whites and sparklings | Cellar door lunch menu, French Bistro, High tea |
| Puddle-duck Vineyard Ph: (03) 62602301 | Puddleduck has become a beloved destination for wine lovers, offering a range of premium wines crafted entirely on-site. Visitors can enjoy wine tastings, vineyard tours, and a variety of food options. | Reds, whites and sparklings, and coffee | Grazing boards, platters, toasties, dessert, oysters |
| Every Man & His Dog Ph: (03) 62503435 | As one of the region's most charming boutique wineries, Every Man and His Dog Vineyard offers a cozy and intimate experience for wine enthusiasts. | Boutique reds, whites and sparklings | Grazing platters and wood-fired pizzas |
| Pooley Wines Ph: (03) 62602895 | Pooles Wines (Bookings Essential) has been recognised as one of Australia's most renowned cool-climate producers, with The Halliday Wine Companion awarding Pooley Wines 2023 Winery of the Year. | Premium reds, whites and sparklings | Wood-fire Pizzas and seasonal menu |
| Richmond | Established in the early 19th century, it's known for its well-preserved Georgian architecture, including the iconic Richmond Bridge, Australia's oldest stone bridge, built in 1823. | Not specified | Cafés, pubs, restaurants |
| Larder & Vin Ph: 0416960179 | Larder and Vin is a charming establishment that combines a gourmet food store with a cosy dining space. | Variety of reds, whites and sparklings | Providore / local produce platters / share plates / |
| Richmond Arms Ph: (03) 62602109 | This iconic venue offers colonial-style accommodations and a welcoming bistro, making it a beloved spot for both locals and visitors. | Local brews, wines and spirits | Casual dining, Devonshire tea, house-made cake |
| Amaze Ph: (03) 61242293 | Located at the entrance to the historic town of Richmond, you will be struck by the contemporary architecture that sits unobtrusively in the shadow of the sandstone buildings. | Tasmanian wines, beer and spirits | Casual dining including breakfast |

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Restaurant & Winery Availability/Tasting fees

| Venue | Opening Hours | Tasting Fees / Discounts |
|----------------------|---|--|
| Coal Valley Vineyard | 10am-5pm Thursday to Monday from November to May | \$10 (waived with bottle purchase) / \$15 Extended Guided Wine Tasting for Wine Hopper guests. |
| Craigow | 11am-4pm Thursday to Monday from June to October. Weekends 11am-4pm. Weekdays by appointment. | \$15 for 8 wines |
| Riversdale Estate | 11:30am to 2:30pm | N/A |
| Puddle-Duck Vineyard | 10am-5pm | \$5pp Single Glass Bar Taste, \$15pp Self-Guided Wine Paddles, \$20pp Guided Tasting Experience / \$5 off any seated tasting for Wine Hopper guests. |
| Every Man & His Dog | 12pm-5pm | \$4 per single taste, \$7 for four wines |
| Pooley Wines | Lunch timings: Feb-Nov: Fri-Sun, 12pm-3pm; Dec-Jan: Thu-Sun, 12pm-3pm. | Starting at \$15 (bookings essential) / Individual tasting fee waived on purchase of 6 bottles |
| Richmond | N/A | N/A |
| Larder & VIn | 12pm close, <12pm reduced menu available | Wine hopper exclusive 10% on BTG/dine in or T/A bottle sales |
| Richmond Arms | 7 days a week, bar opens at 11am / Lunch 11:30am-2pm Mon-Fri 11:30am-2:30pm Sat & Sun | N/A |
| Amaze | Summer café and maze hours: 9am-5pm 7 days | N/A - Discount: 10% off entry fees |

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