



2 Night Discover Murray River & Retreat Package

TALO RETREAT

Stay 1 night at Talo Retreat before your overnight cruise adventure aboard PS Emmylou. Experience the wonders of the Murray river from the banks nestled amongst the natural bushland of Talo Retreat. Relax in the tranquility of this natural bush setting staying in your own private Yurt. Glamping – 'glamorous camping' offers guest an opportunity to experience nature without compromise on the creature comforts of a hotel room. Each Yurt offers pillow top mattress on queen beds, kitchenette, evaporative cooling and electric log fire heaters, BBQ, hammock, private outdoor spa bath and en-suite bathroom off the balcony. Enjoy the magical star gazing from your outdoor spa bath or under the glass dome in the ceiling of each Yurt. Situated only 100m from the bank of the Murray River guests can enjoy relaxing around a camp fire or explore the area by canoe or bike. Talo Retreat offers a magical and unique opportunity to experience the natural beauty of this amazing region.

1 NIGHT PS EMMYLOU EXPERIENCE

Cruise departs Port of Echuca, Riverboat Dock, Echuca on Saturday at 6.30pm and returns to Echuca on Sunday at 9.00am.

Experience the magic and majesty of the spectacular scenery of the Murray River and follow the wake of early history when Echuca was Australia's largest inland port. Along the way, you'll see a great variety of Australian wildlife, including kangaroos and many of the hundreds of bird species that inhabit the river.

Your overnight cruise aboard PS Emmylou includes a 5-course dinner prepared by your onboard Chef as the sun begins to set over the Murray River. In the morning, you can enjoy a bush walk before tucking into a fully cooked or continental breakfast with fresh juices and barista made coffee, the choice is yours.

SATURDAY

After departing from the Port of Echuca you have time for a relaxing drink from the bar or a visit to the wheelhouse to see the Skipper as the sun starts to set over the river. Listen to the river birds evening chorus, watch for kangaroos, wombats, egrets and many other species of birds as the stars begin to appear while you enjoy your chef prepared 5 course dinner. PS Emmylou powerful floodlights then light the banks of the river as nocturnal wildlife begin to appear.

After turning we continue downstream back under the Echuca/Moama Bridge where we pass the imposing Echuca Wharf lit up for the evening and other Paddlesteamers moored after their day on the river. After our dinner guests disembark we continue to cruise along the river passing Morrisons Winery & Restaurant, a great lunch spot before pulling into our mooring for the evening at Layfield Lane.

Here we set up a campfire (subject to weather) under the stars where you can enjoy a good yarn with your fellow passengers. Relax with a beverage from the bar or roast marshmallows before retiring for the evening at your leisure.

SUNDAY

Wake to an early morning bush walk or relax over breakfast as we cruise back to Echuca where we reluctantly say farewell.

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