

Burnie, Tasmania, Australia

Tasmania's northwest gateway balances working-port grit with rolling farmland, native wildlife, and a surprisingly vibrant arts scene — all within easy reach of the pier.

 Docked (deep-water berth)  Typical call: 7-9 hrs  Australian Dollar (AUD)  English

🚢 MY DAY IN PORT

Ship/Date: _____	Arrive: _____	All aboard: _____
Excursion: _____	Notes: _____	

GETTING ASHORE

Docking: Ships berth at Port of Burnie — Tasmania's largest deep-water cargo port, ~2 km from city center

Best For: Wildlife encounters, Tasmanian whisky tastings, day trips to Cradle Mountain

Walk to center: Free shuttle bus to Burnie Discovery Hub; ~25-min walk along foreshore alternatively

Don't Miss: Wings Wildlife Park for Tasmanian devils, Hellyers Road Distillery, Makers' Workshop

 Getting around:  **Taxi**  AUD 18–25 (city center) ·  **Rideshare**  Uber ·  **Hop-on hop-off**  Burnie Attractions Bus (eGuide)

TOP THINGS TO DO

- **Wings Wildlife Park** — Tasmania's largest native wildlife collection sits on rolling farmland at Gunns Plains, about 45 minutes' drive from...
- **Cradle Mountain Day Trip** — Drive south to Cradle Mountain-Lake St Clair National Park for Dove Lake and ancient rainforest walks.
- **Hellyers Road Distillery** — Australia's largest boutique single malt whisky distillery offers guided tours of the production floor plus generous...
- **Makers' Workshop & Burnie Regional Museum** — The Makers' Workshop celebrates Burnie's transition from paper-mill town to creative hub — watch artisans make paper by...
- **Stanley & The Nut** — The historic fishing village of Stanley anchors around a dramatic volcanic plug called The Nut.

BEST WALKS

- **Foreshore to Discovery Hub & West Beach** 2.5 km one-way · Flat & paved · 30 min — From the shuttle drop at the Burnie Discovery Hub, walk west along the foreshore promenade past the beach to West Beach and the Little...
- **City Center Wander** 1-2 km loop · Easy · 45 min — From the shuttle drop, explore Burnie's compact CBD — Makers' Workshop, Burnie Regional Museum, the main shopping street, and the...

WEATHER · DAYLIGHT · MONEY

 CLIMATE (AVG °F · RAINY DAYS)	 DAYLIGHT &  MONEY																												
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KNOW BEFORE YOU GO

- Take the free shuttle. The port gate restricts pedestrian access — the TasPorts shuttle is the simplest way in and out. Note the last return time and add a buffer

Burnie, Tasmania, Australia — Port Map

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Red = walkable sights · Amber = excursions farther out · P = cruise terminal. Numbers match the order you'd typically visit.



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| 1 Little Penguin Observation Centre | See wild penguins return to shore at dusk. | 2 Emu Valley Rhododendron Garden | Stunning garden showcasing a vast collection of rhododendrons. |
| 3 Burnie Regional Museum | Explore Burnie's history, industry, and cultural heritage. | 4 Upper Burnie Lookout | Panoramic views of Burnie city, coast, and hinterland. |
| 5 Burnie Park | Relaxing park with playgrounds, gardens, and wildlife enclosures. | 6 Oldaker Falls | Picturesque waterfall nestled within a tranquil bushland setting. |
| P Cruise port / terminal | | | |