



WHICH **TASSIE TRIP** ARE YOU?

FAMILY FRENZY!

DAY ONE

Queen Victoria Museum and Art Gallery (QVMAG)

QVMAG is located on two sites in Launceston; the 1870s era railway workshop at Inveresk and the 1891 Royal Park Art Gallery building on Wellington Street.

The Railway Workshop at the Inveresk site is home to the preserved railway workshops. See dinosaurs and artefacts from Australia's oldest merchant shipwreck. Inveresk also features the Phenomena Factory, a free-entry interactive science centre providing hands-on education for kids of all ages.

The Launceston Planetarium is located at Inveresk where you'll see astronomical concepts demonstrated in a way that is both dramatic and scientifically accurate.

DAY TWO

Today you will pack up the kids in the car and head 20 minutes out of Launceston and up the West Tamar until you find Beaconsfield to visit the Beaconsfield Mine and Heritage Centre and then onto Beauty Point to meet some interesting neighbours...

Beaconsfield Mine and Heritage Centre

Visit Beaconsfield Mine and Heritage Centre and lose yourself in the history of treasures from the past and embark on a historical journey to a place where life is simple. At the Beaconsfield Mine and Heritage Centre Tasmanian history is alive, with gold is under your feet.

Seahorse World

At Seahorse world you will wonder at the bizarre local marine creatures and get hands-on in the touch pool. Giant cuttlefish, the Tasmanian Giant Crab (world's heaviest species), sharks, stingrays and sea dragons are among many others that can be observed in the aquarium. The new and exciting display is the Giant Freshwater Crayfish, an endangered species endemic to Northern Tasmania, and the world's largest living freshwater crustacean.

Then move just next door to the Platypus House.

DAY TWO CONT...

Platypus House

Tasmanian platypuses and echidnas are unique and cannot be seen anywhere else in the world other than here! You are guaranteed to see both these spectacular egg-laying mammals actively feeding and playing during your guided tour.

RECOMMENDATIONS:

1. Book your special deal on the Tassie Hawks Home page for the Tamar Valley Triple pass, this pass will show a discount for purchasing tickets to Seahorse World, Beaconsfield Mine and Heritage Centre and Platypus House together.
2. If you are staying in Launceston don't forget to book in advance to stay at Best Western Plus Launceston, great accommodation in the heart of the city.

EAT:

1. Blue Café and Restaurant (right next door to QVMAG).
2. Levee Food Co – family friendly and lots of menu options.
3. No matter where you eat call ahead and make a booking.

