Northside Radio 99.3 presents...

British Landscapes

Including 3-Night Paris Post Tour Extension

September 21 – October 3, 2025





For more information contact Collette

1300 161 647 please refer to booking#1278975



Join Bruce Potter



Breakfast Spot

Bruce Potter

Monday to Wednesday & Friday, 6am to 9am

"Start the Day the Right Way!"

FROM a lengthy and successful background in advertising, Northside's main breakfast announcer Bruce 'Spot' Potter began at FM99.3 several years ago. Always interested in radio, Spot soon settled into the breakfast timeslot.

He enjoys the fast-paced style of breakfast, using his quick wit, comedy, and great music to keep his audience entertained. Each day he connects with and acknowledges the hundreds of listeners who ring to answer his daily quiz question. He also gives reports on the surf, snow (during winter) and other local initiatives.

What keeps him interested? "The constant challenge to improve" says Bruce. There's never a dull moment with this ebullient entertainer who loves the convivial camaraderie with his audience.

Join Bruce "Spot" Potter for a Breakfast Show that will help you

No doom, gloom, bad news and crazy views, just good music, humour, satire, the daily quiz, surf and snow reports and the joke of the day.

If it's happening in Sydney you'll hear about it on the Breakfast Spot. And if you'd like to contribute jokes, poetry, or comedy material fill in the form below.

"Start the Day the Right Way!" On Bruce Potter's Breakfast Spot!

And always, "If you see someone without Smile, give them One of Yours!"

HIGHLIGHTS... Edinburgh Castle, York, Chester, Conwy Castle, Stratford-upon-Avon, Oxford, Choice on Tour: Ashmolean Museum or Oxford Walking Tour, London

ITINERARY AT A GLANCE

Days 1 – 3 Apex Grassmarket Hotel, Edinburgh
 Day 4 Holiday Inn York City Centre, York
 Days 5, 6 Grosvenor Pulford Hotel & Spa, Chester
 Day 7 Hotel Indigo Stratford Upon Avon, Stratford-Upon-Avon

Days 8, 9 Tower Suites Hotel by Blue Orchid, London

Days 10 – 12 Pullman Paris Montparnasse, Paris

On some dates alternate hotels may be used.

Day 1: Sunday, September 21, 2025 Arrive Edinburgh, Scotland Your tour begins today in Edinburgh, the historic capital of Scotland, where rocky hills tower in the distance and the shadows of history can be seen around every corner. Discover Scotland's capital and see how medieval crossroads blend seamlessly with a vibrant modern energy.

Day 2: Monday, September 22, 2025 Edinburgh Enjoy time to get to know the place where your journey begins. This evening, join your fellow travellers for a welcome dinner. (B, D)

Day 3: Tuesday, September 23, 2025 Edinburgh Start the day with a panoramic and walking tour of old and new Edinburgh, exploring Georgian architecture, writers and monuments, alleyways and hidden passages, and a thoroughly modern museum. Then, walk up the Royal Mile to enter Edinburgh Castle, home to the Scottish Crown Jewels. After a guided tour of the castle, enjoy time to explore the city as you wish this afternoon. Tonight, join us for an entertaining evening of tastes, sights and sounds that are classically Scottish. Feast on a banquet prepared from a selection of local recipes. Your taste buds will savour the true flavour and goodness of this distinctive country. Tonight will be filled with entertainment including Highland pipers and dancers who deliver the very best in Scottish music, song and dance. Be prepared for a Scottish night of food, fun and many fond memories! (B, D)

Day 4: Wednesday, September 24, 2025 Edinburgh - York, **England** Say goodbye to the rolling hills of Scotland while travelling south on a local passenger train to York. After you arrive, join a walk to get familiar with York's streets before taking some free time to enjoy lunch on your own. After an afternoon visit to the magnificent York Minster, the rest of the day is yours to explore independently. This evening, you will enjoy a tour to a family-run Yorkshire vineyard and sample a selection of English wines over a home-cooked dinner. On arrival you will be greeted with a glass of our own award-winning sparkling wine followed by a talk led by Chris, the vineyard owner, who will show you the vines, explain how they are grown, then into the winery where he shows the equipment and explains how the different wines are made. Returning to the winehouse/marquee where your evening meal will be served, there will be opportunity to taste 3 awardwinning Latimer - white, rose and red - wines during the course of the evening with Chris explaining them to you. (B, D)

Day 5: Thursday, September 25, 2025 York - Chester This morning, travel to Chester, your home for the next two nights, where ancient walls enclose charming Tudor and Victorian houses. Discover the charms of the city with your local guide, before taking the rest of the afternoon to enjoy Chester at your own pace. (B, D)

Day 6: Friday, September 26, 2025 Chester - Conwy, Wales - Chester, England Today, venture to the inviting town of Conwy in Wales. Visit Conwy Castle to discover the history behind one of Edward I's most imposing castles and take a leisurely stroll







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For bookings made after Mar 22, 2025 call for rates.

Included in Price: Round Trip Air from Sydney Kingsford Smith Airport , Australia, Air Taxes and Fees/Surcharges, Hotel Transfers

* All Rates are Per Person and are subject to change, based on air inclusive package from SYD

around town, seeking out local shops, cafés, and markets. Then take a scenic drive over the Menai Straits into Anglesey to visit Halen Môn, the family-run Welsh sea salt company, famous all around the world for its salt's quality. (B)

Day 7: Saturday, September 27, 2025 Chester - Stratford-upon-Avon Step back in time on a journey through the English countryside to Stratford-upon-Avon – the Bard's birthplace. After touring the childhood home of William Shakespeare, take time to explore this historic market town on your own. Later, join your fellow travellers for a dinner theatre experience. (B, D)

Day 8: Sunday, September 28, 2025 Stratford-upon-Avon - Oxford - London Bid farewell to Stratford and travel to the charming university city of Oxford. Upon arrival, it's your choice! Visit the Ashmolean Museum, opened in 1682 as Britain's first public museum, with collections ranging from Egyptian mummies to contemporary art -OR- join an expert local guide for an hour-long walking tour, including one of the colleges used as a filming location for *Harry Potter*. Enjoy lunch on your own before continuing on to London, England's storied capital city. (B)

Day 9: Monday, September 29, 2025 London Take in London on a tour of the city's quintessential sights. Begin with a two-hour walking tour of Westminster to see the exteriors of Big Ben, the Houses of Parliament, and Westminster Abbey. Continue to Buckingham Palace, the official residence of His Majesty The King, and make your way to Trafalgar Square, one of London's most vibrant spaces in the heart of the city. This afternoon is yours to discover more of London independently and make memories to treasure. This evening, join your fellow travellers to toast the end

of your journey through Britain's scenic and storied landscapes. $(\mathcal{B},\mathcal{D})$

Day 10: Tuesday, September 30, 2025 London - Paris, France Head to the train station* and zip through the underwater tunnel that runs beneath the English Channel – known commonly as the "Chunnel." In less than three hours, you'll be in Paris, the "City of Light." Take in the most iconic sights of Paris on a panoramic city tour. With your local guide, marvel at the Arc de Triomphe, Champs-Elysees, and Notre Dame Cathedral. Later, join your guide to get to know the area surrounding your hotel and use the Métro underground system** like a local (giving you the freedom to set off later as you wish) on your way to a Seine River dinner cruise. As you cruise from the base of the Eiffel Tower and float by illuminated landmarks, let the Paris of your dreams sweep you off your feet. (B, D)

Day 11: Wednesday, October 1, 2025 Paris This morning, join your local expert to explore the hip neighbourhood of Montmartre. Blending artistic roots and quirky modernity, this 18th arrondissement neighbourhood is home to classical painters and cultural provocateurs. Venture into the Musée de Montmartre and glimpse into the roots of cabaret and the lives of Paris' most famous artists and take advantage of time at leisure to explore on your own. Perhaps you'll browse the shops of L'Opéra District, where you'll have time to peruse luxury Parisian retailers or take a stroll down the Champs-Élysées and pause at a local café for some people watching. (B)

Day 12: Thursday, October 2, 2025 Paris It's your last day in Paris – how will you spend it? Perhaps you'll explore *Le Marais*. This

Experience It! Conwy, Wales

One of the loveliest towns to explore on the northern coast of Wales is Conwy (from Old Welsh cyn "chief" and gwy "water"). Originally an English military outpost built in the 13th century, it retains beautifully preserved medieval walls as well as the towering fortress known as Conwy Castle, with eight lofty towers complete with spiral staircases. This mighty monument, standing high above the small town and the riverbank, was built, amazingly, in just four years by the English King Edward I and his architect. UNESCO has designated the castle a World Heritage Site, noted as one of the finest examples of late 13th- and early 14th-century military architecture in Europe. Stretching across from the castle lie the town, the river, and the craggy mountains of Snowdonia. The town itself, notable also for its scenic harbor front, is dotted with quaint cafés, tearooms, and markets that becken visitors.

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trendy district abounds with winding streets, gorgeous old mansions, and independent boutiques. Meander through the flourishing trees and bright grassy patches of Place des Vosges, the oldest planned town square in all of Paris. Or maybe you'll stroll down to the \hat{l} le de la Cité, the island set in the heart of Paris to take in the progress of restoration efforts of the awe-inspiring Notre Dame Cathedral. No matter how you spend your day – you'll get a true taste of the Parisian lifestyle. (B)

Day 13: Friday, October 3, 2025 Paris - Extension Ends Wish Paris goodbye as you transfer to the airport for your flight. (B)

PLEASE NOTE:

Book Now rates valid until Mar 22, 2025, valid on air inclusive packages only.

A deposit of \$895 per person is due upon reservation. Reservations are made on a first come, first served basis. Reservations made after the seat reduction date of March 22, 2025 are based upon availability. Final payment due by June 23, 2025. Deposits are refundable up until March 22, 2025.

The overall activity level of this extension is a level 3. This means walking and standing for longer periods of time (2-3 hours) isn't a big deal for you. You can navigate hills and uneven ground, climb into various modes of transportation (tuk-tuk, cable car, zodiac, etc.), and could possibly anticipate changes in elevation. Walking four miles over the course of a day is very doable as is climbing 3 flights of stairs. You can handle altitudes between 6,000 and 9,000 feet. You can expect some longer days balanced with free time. This level is not a fit for travelers that require mobility assistance devices.

Travel with an average of 37 people (maximum of 44).

If you require any special assistance while on tour, please make us aware at time of reservation so the necessary request form can be sent to your attention.

Days of features are interchangeable.

Guests arriving in Edinburgh on certain dates in August will receive tickets to Edinburgh's famous Military Tattoo show.

Single accommodations are limited and are available on a first-come, first-served basis. Single rate subject to change based on availability. Triple rooms are not standard in Britain.

To complete your tour, we <u>include</u> return airport-to-hotel transfers when purchasing our airfare with your tour. If you have arranged for your <u>own air</u>, we are pleased to provide you the option of *purchasing* these transfers. Please note that all transfers will leave at pre-scheduled times.

Air passengers will arrive into Edinburgh Airport and depart from London airports.

For air-inclusive reservations, the name provided at time of booking must match your government-issued ID that will be used during travel. Name changes are subject to penalties.

Please be advised many airlines do not provide advance seat assignments until check-in at the airport. Advance seating will be subject to the airline's terms and conditions.

Due to tour scheduling, arrival flights should arrive prior to 4:00 p.m.

While in Paris the extension is hosted. A Hosted Extension is great for travelers who like to spend full days exploring places on their own by foot or public transportation. A dedicated Tour Manager will not be present during this extension.

**Using the Paris underground system requires the ability to negotiate 2 to 3 flights of stairs and agility to step on and off moving escalators. Seating is not guaranteed in the Métro as it's available on a first come, first served basis. In case seats are not available, the ability to stand in a moving



vehicle is required (handrails are available). Only 3% of the underground stations are wheelchair accessible.

*Porterage is not available at train stations in London or Paris, and you will be responsible for your own luggage for the duration of this train journey. You must be prepared to handle your own luggage from the motorcoach to the platform and lift it aboard the train. Luggage space is limited, so you may have to store your bags in the overhead racks as there is no checked luggage service available on French trains. You will be responsible for carrying your bags from the train to the motorcoach upon arrival in Paris.

Effective for travel in May 2025, all visitors who do not need a visa to enter Europe will be expected to apply for an ETIAS visa waiver, for a fee, when visiting a Schengen Area Country. To identify Schengen Area Countries and to complete the ETIAS application, please visit https://www.etiasvisa.com/

PASSPORT REQUIREMENTS

Passports are required at your own expense for travel outside of Australia. Certain countries require a minimum of 6 months passport validity beyond the return date from the destination. Some countries require a visa in addition to a valid passport for entry into the country. You are strongly urged to contact the appropriate embassy or consulate for specific information and entry requirements.

IMPORTANT: We recommend that our guests take a photocopy of their passport and applicable visa. It should be packed separately from your actual passport and visa. We also recommend leaving a copy at home with your emergency contact.

Australian Business Number 32 600 161 671

For important reservation information visit https://gateway.gocollette.com/link/1278975.

You can also find this information on your tour documents.



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BOOKING NUMBER: 1278975 TOUR: British Landscapes featuring England, Scotland

and Wales

DEPARTURE DATE: September 21, 2025 GROUP NAME: Northside Radio 99.3

Available Options

Personalise your tour by adding an optional activity below. Our recommended options have been carefully chosen to help enhance your individual experience. Complete the provided Prepaid Options Form to reserve your options.

Availability is limited and reservations are on a first come, first serve basis. Payment must be received no later than 15 days prior to departure. Prices are subject to change.

Children under the age of 18 MUST be accompanied by an adult.

British Landscapes Tour Gratuities

\$194 AUD

You can now include pre-paid tipping into your guided tour purchase. You pay for your tipping up front, we handle the rest, and you can cross one more thing off your "To Do" list. No more running to an ATM at the last minute on tour, or carrying around cash you won't spend. Prepaid gratuities are only available to guests departing from Australia & New Zealand. This covers tips for the Tour Manager, driver(s), and local guides including optional tours. Airport transfer and extension gratuities are not included in this amount *Duration: Approximately 1 hour*. Transport is not included.



TRAVEL DATE: 9/21/2025 TERRITORY: L1 RES#: 1278975

British Landscapes featuring England, Scotland and Wales

For Reservations Contact: Collette 1300 161 647 please refer to booking#1278975 Collette, 162 Middle Street, Pawtucket, RI 02860

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Clearly print your full name (first/middle/last) as it appears on your government issued travel documentation.

IMPORTANT: In order to avoid any unnecessary change fees, it is imperative that all guest names are entered correctly from the start. The information below must be the legal name and be 100% identical to the ID being used to travel passport/driver's license> including middle names or suffixes <Jr, Sr>.

First:	Middle:	Last:		Suffix:
Nickname:	Gender: () Male () Female	e Date of Birth: month	day	year
Address:	City:		State:	Postcode:
Phone: ()	Mobile: ()		Email Address:	
Passport Number:	Expiration Date: (dd/mm/yy)		Date of Issuance: (dd/mm/yy)	
City, State, Country of Issuance:			_ Citizenship:	
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Total amount enclosed: \$				

Your price is guaranteed once deposit is received and booking confirmed by Collette. Your price is not subject to increase after the deposit is received and booking confirmed, except for charges resulting from increases in government-imposed taxes or fees.



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Scotland and Wales

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PASSENGERS NAME: (Please submit a separate form for each passenger)					
Salutation: First:	Middle:	Last:			
Suffix: Nickname: (Mr., Mrs., Rev.) (Jr., Sr.)	(Please print EXACTLY as it appears or	n Passport)			

Option Price Per Person (AUD)

British Landscapes Tour Gratuities

194.00

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