Mount Lofty overlooking Adelaide, the Adelaide Cruise Terminal and downtown Adelaide.

The Cruise Port Of Adelaide Australia

The City of Adelaide in South Australia was founded in 1836, and was named after King William's wife. After the trouble England had with Australia's first penal colony settlement, a group including Edward Wakefield, a British politician, advocated for establishing a town populated by English settlers, rather than criminals. Designed as a colony for religious and civil liberty, in 1834, Wakefield convinced the British parliament to pass the South Australian Colonization Act, which established Adelaide along with additional future settlements in Australia.

Where You Ship Docks - Cruise ships now dock at the Outer Harbor Wharf. From the cruise terminal it is a short walk to the Outer Harbor Train Station where you can catch a train to the town of Port Adelaide and its historic district (15 minutes) or

metropolitan Adelaide city center (30 minutes farther).

Transportation - The focus of Adelaide's public transport system is a fleet of diesel and natural gas buses. The majority of bus routes terminate at the city-centre with Route 150P going from the port to downtown Adelaide and back. You can purchase a special Cruise Ship metroCARD at the Outer Harbor railway station and get around Adelaide all day for just $10.

The metroCARD entitles holders to unlimited travel on

Adelaide Metro bus, train and tram services all day, and you can keep your card at the end of your travels as a souvenir of Adelaide.

Taxis from the port into central

THIS PORT AT A GLANCE

X **Tender Port** √ **Docks At Pier** √ **With Terminal**
√ **Restrooms Near Pier** √ **Port Allows Walk Outs**
X **Near Town** √ **Shuttle Service Usually Provided**
√ **Near Public Transportation** √ **Taxis Available**
Relative Values with 5 Good and 1 Expensive or Difficult
_NA_ **Shuttle Service** _3_ **Taxis** _4_ **Public Transport**
_4_ **Port Wheelchair Accessibility**
Distance Into Town In Miles __9 to 23__
Average Taxi To Airport _$35_ **To CBD** __$30__ (US$)

Adelaide will normally cost about A$35.

Often ships will provide shuttle service from the Outer Harbor Wharf to downtown Rundle Mall Adelaide. The mall is a large pedestrian walking avenue

through the central shopping district.

Currency – The Australian Dollar. You will need to change some money as U.S., Canadian and Euros are not often accepted. The Australian Dollar equals US$0.67.Credit cards are usually welcome and the are easy to find ATM machines.
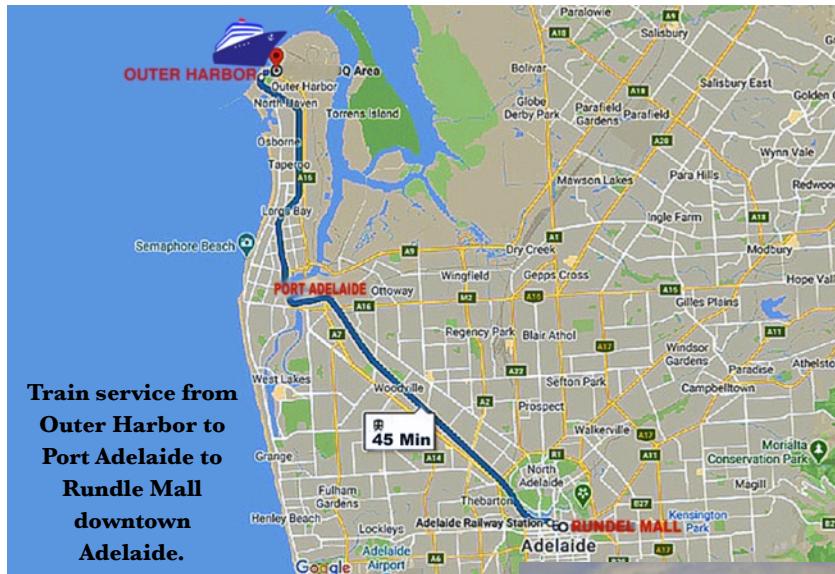
Attractions- Rundle Mall is a good place to start as it is the social center of Adelaide as well as the main shopping thoroughfare.

Halfway from the port to downtown Adelaide is the **Historic Port Adelaide**. Spend some time strolling around the historic areas of Port Adelaide and feel the history of   South Australia's early years. Grand, buildings line the streets, with most of them erected
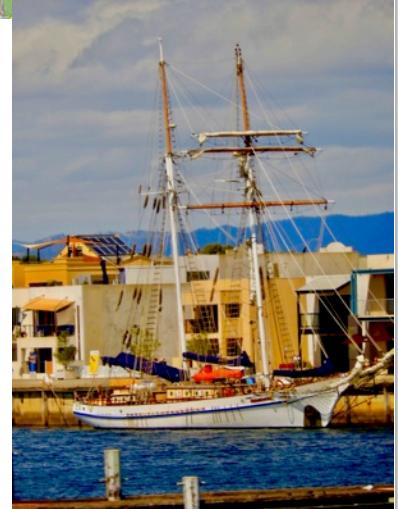
Train service from Outer Harbor to Port Adelaide to Rundle Mall downtown Adelaide.

during Port Adelaide's early years in the mid and late 1800s. Visit the **Maritime Museum** and stop off at the **Visitor Information Center** and grab a Heritage Self-Guided Walking Tour brochure.

Mount Lofty Summit - For spectacular panoramic views of Adelaide and surrounds visit Mount Lofty Summit. Take bus 821 from downtown – fare is A$3 and it takes about 35 minutes.

If experiencing Australian wildlife is one of your goals the **Cleland Wildlife Park** outside Adelaide is highly recommended. Spend some time getting up close with kangaroos, emus, and kohala bears.

Historic Port Adelaide

Cleland Wildlife Park

Located just 30 minutes from central Adelaide, Cleland Wildlife Park has been a major tourist attraction in South Australia since 1967.

Committed to creating a sustainable environment that can be enjoyed by everyone both now and into the future Cleland embraces this important role by helping

visitors connect with animals in their natural environment. Cleland provids an immersive nature experience, with a limited number of enclosures and the chance to get closer to some of our Australias's most iconic animals, visitors will learn more about the importance of conservation.

Rundel Mall