

# Alfisti Autumn Tour 2022

## Cuore Sportivo $\delta$ Forays in the Divide



Tuesday 29th March 10th to Saturday 2nd April

### Call for Expressions of Interest to join the 2022 Alfisti Autumn Tour

The <u>2022 Alfisti Autumn Tour</u> will run from **Lilydale** on Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup> March to **Canberra** on Friday 1<sup>st</sup> April. The Tour will incorporate the annual **Cuore Sportivo**, two days driving in Victoria's High Country, and **Forays in the Divide** which continues the theme for another two days via the Snowy Mountains to Canberra. The Tour will visit iconic locations, travelling along some fabulous roads with sensational scenery while enjoying good food and typical Alfisti camaraderie. The proposed Tour itinerary follows:

### Day 1 | Tuesday 29th March: Lilydale to Merrijig

Depart **Lilydale** @ **8:30am**. The Tour heads via the Black Spur to Alexandra for morning tea, then on to Mansfield for lunch. The afternoon will involve a run up Mt Buller for afternoon tea, then back to Merrijig for dinner. Stay at Pinnacle Valley Resort or one of the motels in **Merrijig**.





### Day 2 | Wednesday 30<sup>th</sup> March: Merrijig to Albury

Travel via Mansfield and the King Valley to Milawa for morning tea. Then on to Bright for lunch. From Bright, the Tour will follow the Ovens and Kiewa valleys, then past Lake Hume and Bonegilla on the way to Albury. Dinner and overnight in **Albury**.



Gathering for a late breakfast in Noreuil Park before the Tour heads out of Albury following the Murray River Road to Jingellic then north to Tumbarumba for lunch. Following lunch, we continue to **Tumut** for the third overnight stop. After arrival in Tumut, settle back or venture out and explore the nearby historic Adelong Falls gold mill workings.



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### Day 4 | Friday 1st : Tumut to Canberra

The Tour heads via Gundagai to Cootamundra where we will visit the Old Toy Factory – a private collection of classic vehicles including a few Alfas. From there the Tour heads to Jugiong for lunch, then to Yass to follow the back roads into **Canberra** for the fourth & fifth overnight stops. The group should arrive in Canberra mid-afternoon.

Day 5 | Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> April: and you have a number of options!

1) a drive through the Brindabella Ranges and lunch at the National Arboretum (this is a favourite of the local Alfisti and they'll be there to guide you); 2) spend the day detailing the Alfa for Auto Italia the next day; 3) explore some of Canberra's excellent galleries and museums; or 4) some good old fashioned retail therapy in the Nation's Capital. And maybe even a bit of each ...? It's your call.

**Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> is Auto Italia**: but don't forget to book with <u>Auto Italia</u> to secure your entry to the event! NB: Daylight Saving ceases in the early hours of Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup>, so Auto Italia clocks will be on standard time!

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Send your **Expression of Interest** (EoI) for the Tour to Peter: <a href="mailto:Alfisti@gmail.com">Alfisti@gmail.com</a> (Include driver & navigator names, a contact number and preferred email address)
On receipt of your EoI, full details of the Tour and how to Register will be forwarded to you.

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