

# Inclusions & Costs

## THE TOUR INCLUDES:

Luxury Coach Travel  
6 nights Quality Accommodation  
6 Breakfasts  
4 Morning Teas  
4 Lunches  
5 Dinners

## TOUR HIGHLIGHTS:

- Meet retired Racehorse Champions at Living Legends
  - Eureka Skydeck
  - Yarra River Cruise
  - Melbourne Cup Parade
  - **Melbourne Cup at Flemington**
  - Rippon Lea Estate Surprise Exhibition \*\*
  - Melbourne Star Observation Wheel\*\*
  - Holbrook Submarine Museum
- \*\* Day 5 Optional

## TOUR COST:

\$1791 per person twin/double share  
\$2261 per person sole use  
\$109 per person optional day 5

## MODERATE LEVELS OF FITNESS

Passengers must be able to:

- Walk 10 minutes without having to stop or sit down and rest
- Walk up an incline equal to a flight of stairs, without stopping
- Stand for 30 minutes, without needing to sit down
- Walk over uneven ground with no paving
- Get in and out of transportation unassisted
- Manage your own luggage

## Terms & Conditions

**Deposits:** A non-refundable deposit of \$200 per person is required within seven days to confirm your booking. No bookings can be confirmed without a deposit. **Balance:** The final balance is due 60 days prior to the tour departure. We will send you a reminder letter two weeks in advance to remind you. We accept cash, cheque, EFTPOS, direct credit or credit cards (MasterCard or Visa). **Cancellation Policy:** Cancellation fees will be applied if you have to cancel your booking..

## Notice Fee:

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| 60 + days      | Non-refundable deposit.                              |
| 30-59 days     | 50% of tour price + \$10 per person cancellation fee |
| Within 30 days | 100% of tour price                                   |

In the event we are able to transfer your booking to another passenger, the cancellation fee will be \$200 tour deposit.

**Fares Include:** Air Conditioned Luxury 5 Star Coach travel, motel accommodation, entrance fees and meals as stated in the itinerary. **Alteration of Itinerary:** We reserve the right to alter itineraries without notice due to availability, weather, road conditions or any other reasons we perceive to be in the best interests of our passengers. **Seating and Seat Rotation:** Seating is rotated in a random order at the direction of the Coach Driver/Tour Guide to ensure all passengers enjoy a variety of seating. **Single Supplement:** Limited single supplement is available. Single supplement gives the passenger exclusive use of a motel room and is indicated by the single supplement price on the itinerary. It does not guarantee sole seating on the coach. **Smoking:** Government regulations prohibit smoking on all modes of transport. **Travel Insurance:** We recommend you take out travel insurance to protect your investment in your holiday. **Baggage:** All baggage is entirely at owner's risk.

This tour is organised by Port Stephens Buses Travel Pty Ltd and conducted by Port Stephens Coaches (Nelson Bay) Pty Ltd, a Transport for NSW accredited bus operator, Accreditation number 20052

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# Melbourne Cup

7 DAYS & 6 NIGHTS

SATURDAY 2ND – FRIDAY 8TH NOVEMBER 2019

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# Itinerary

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## Have you dreamed of attending Melbourne Cup at Flemington?

This is your opportunity to experience The Melbourne Cup, Australia's most prestigious annual thoroughbred horse race. Australia's best-known raceday explodes with colour, action, excitement and celebration. Melbourne Cup Day is known as 'the race that stops the nation' and with good reason.

### **DAY 1: Saturday 2 November 2019 (MT, L, D)**

An early start today as we pick up our passengers, farewell Port Stephens and Newcastle and start travelling south. We'll have a morning tea stop enroute and lunch at Goulburn before continuing to Albury for our night's stay.

**Accommodation – Best Western Plus Hovell Tree Inn, Albury**

### **DAY 2: Sunday 3 November 2019 (B, MT, L, D)**

Today we head towards Melbourne, after a stop for morning tea we visit 'Living Legends' to meet and mingle with retired champion racehorses such as Apache Cat, Zipping, Silent Witness and Melbourne Cup winners Might and Power, Brew, Efficient and Rogan Josh. After a delicious lunch in the venue's Woodlands Historic Homestead we continue on to enjoy some downtime in our hotel where we will be staying for the next three nights.

**Accommodation – Hotel 115, Kew**

### **DAY 3: Monday 4 November 2019 (B, D)**

We start our day visiting the Eureka Skydeck. At 297 metres

high, this skyscraper has the highest public vantage point in the Southern Hemisphere. Experience spectacular floor to ceiling 360-degree views of Melbourne and surrounds. Next we will join the city of Melbourne in the festivities of the Melbourne Cup Parade! See the horses, jockeys and trainers march through the CBD. Enjoy the musical entertainment, street eats and activities while cheering on your favourite horse. This afternoon we will escape the crowds and enjoy a scenic cruise on the Yarra River before heading back to our hotel

**Accommodation – Hotel 115, Kew**

### **DAY 4: Tuesday 5 November 2019 (B, D)**

Melbourne Cup Day! This morning we'll 'frock up' and travel to Flemington for Australia's best known race 'the race that stops a nation'. Your admission includes reserved seating within an indoor, air-conditioned viewing area set behind glass where your reserved seat offers great viewing of the racecourse. As the horses cross the finish line the crowd erupts and you can hear the cheers for miles.

**Accommodation – Hotel 115, Kew**

### **DAY 5 (OPTIONAL): Wednesday 6 November 2019 (B, L, D) – DAY 5 OPTIONAL**

Today is an optional day. You can either enjoy the day at your leisure to explore Melbourne or you can join the coach which will start the day with a visit to Rippon Lea Estate.

Inside the heritage listed nineteenth century mansion a surprise exhibition awaits. After we enjoy lunch in the grounds we will return to our motel with time to refresh before a night out in Docklands.

Tonight you will soar 120 metres above the city streets aboard Melbourne's iconic seven pointed star wheel, enjoy a sip of sparkling wine or beer as you take a flight of discovery through the Melbourne skies and see the city from a different perspective. For dinner we will be waterside at the premier Berth Restaurant in Docklands known for its exquisite selection of modern Australian food and spectacular city and waterfront views.

**Accommodation – Hotel 115, Kew**



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### **DAY 6: Thursday 7 November 2019 (B, MT, L, D)**

We farewell Melbourne today and start making our way north on our return journey. With morning tea on the way, we'll stop at Albury for a lovely lunch on the banks of the Murray River at Riverdeck Café located within the picturesque Noreuil Park.

Our stop this afternoon is at Holbrook Visitor Information Centre to see the Submarine Museum. Look through the periscope, fire a torpedo, see the amazing hologram or captain a submarine. Ever wondered why there is a life sized submarine in the middle of rural NSW? Take a stroll through the Museum and find out how the HMAS Otway's final resting spot came to be in Holbrook.

**Accommodation – Poet's Recall, Gundagai**

### **DAY 7: Friday 8 November 2019 (B, MT, L)**

Our final day finds us travelling further up the Hume Highway to our final destination home after a great time away. Today we will have morning tea and lunch on the way home, before arriving back into Newcastle and Port Stephens in the afternoon.

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TO SECURE YOUR SPOT**



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