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3 Cities - 3 Trains 2017

Monday 13th November

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Depart Bute 8.00am follow the *Railway Line* to *Snowtown, Crystal Brook & Peterborough* where we visit *Steamtown* & relive nostalgia of Train Travel. Time to purchase lunch in the main street. We then see the statue of Bob the Railway Dog before continuing onto *Broken Hill* where we stay overnight.

Comfort Inn Crystal Motel, Broken Hill – 08 8088 2344

Tues 14th Nov

Board our *First Class Carriage* on the *Outback Explorer* which Departs at 7:45am for our Day Time Service to *Sydney*. After boarding you will be able to purchase breakfast and other Meals at your Own Expense. Train has a well stocked Cafeteria. After arriving *Sydney* Central a short walk takes us to our accommodation approx. 1 block.

2 Nights: Great Southern Hotel, 717 George Street, Sydney – 02 9289 4411

Wed 15th Nov

D,B

We start the morning with a hot cooked breakfast before taking in a City Sights Tour & harbor Cruise with free time. Tonight after a big day an early Dinner for our early start the next day.

Thu 16th Nov

Board the *Train for First Class Travel*, Departing at 7:32am to *Melbourne, Southern Cross Station*, where we stop overnight our motel is right by the station. Approx Arrival time of 6:30pm. Walking distance to the Casino. Meals are at Own Expense.

2 Nights: Travelodge Docklands, 66 Aurora Lane, Melbourne – 03 8615 1000

Fri 17th Nov

D,B

This morning after a hot cooked breakfast we take in a City Sights Tour which includes Vic Markets. Tonight somewhere Special for an Early Dinner.

Sat 18th Nov

We board the *Overlander* in *Premium Red First Class Carriage*, Departing at 8:05am for our Journey to *Adelaide*. Meals Own Expense. Arriving Adelaide 6.00pm, Bute approx. 8.00pm. (which is still daylight).

NOTE: In the Highly Unlikely Event that for any reason the Train Services above are suspended the Tour will continue by coach in the affected area.

Price: Please contact our office for details

We need your booking ASAP as we can only hold First Class Train Travel where we can be all in the same carriage for a short time. Late bookings will have to go Second Class.

When booking we need to know the Type of Concession Card & the Card Number to get the Discount & This Card must be Carried during the Train Trips.

Single Travellers

If you wish to have a Room on your own a **Single Supplement fee will apply available on request**. If you wish to share and we cannot find a suitable person for you to share with, a Single Supplement fee or part of, will apply. This will also occur if your Room Mate cancels.

Tour Includes

Motel Accommodation, Dinners, Lunches, Breakfasts, and Entries as per Itinerary. First Class Train Travel on all 3 Sections (if booked early).

Not Included

Meals other than indicated in the Tour Itinerary

Items of personal nature

Extra costs incurred due to boat delays or strikes or anything out of our control.

Meal Codes: **B** - Cooked Breakfast **Con't B** - Continental Breakfast **L** - Lunch **D** - Dinner

Deposit - A Deposit of **\$200.00 per person** is required when booking.

Bookings are only confirmed once a Deposit has been paid.

Payment: Can be made by Cash, Cheque, Money Order or paid via Bank Electronic Funds Transfer (EFT).

If paying via EFT please post back our payment form & advise us the date of your payment, the amount & the tour it relates to. Our Bank Details are:

Account Name - Bute Buses Pty Ltd, Bank - NAB, BSB - 085 656, Acc No – 52 944 1957

Final Payment - The Final Payment is due 60 days prior to departure, or in the case of bookings made within that 60 day period, the final payment is due within 7 days of the booking being made.

Therefore Final Payment is due on: **Wednesday 13th September 2017**

Pick up's: All Tours Depart From Bute. If convenient we pick up along the way. We do not detour unless numbers make it worth while. We do not do home pickup's in the City as this would be unfair to our Country Clients who often have to make a big effort to meet our Tours however we do offer free undercover car parking at Bute.

Health and Fitness: A minimum level of fitness is required in order to be able to participate. You will need to be able to walk up a flight of stairs and manage coach steps unaided. You must inform us before the commencement of the tour of any medical condition which may affect your ability to participate in the tour. If you are unable to manage on your own, it will be necessary to be accompanied by another person who is fit and able to assist you in day to day tasks and capable of providing the assistance required.

Sharing: If you are sharing with somebody you don't know you are only sharing a room and are not to depend on them to care for you in any way.

Domestic Travel Insurance: We advise you to take out Travel Insurance **it Does Not Cover Medical within Australia**, it covers **additional costs beyond our control** Airline & Boat Delays, Strikes, Floods & lost luggage, return fares if separated from group etc. It covers deposit if taken out at same time, **covers any money that you have paid over & above our terms & conditions**. Premiums will vary depending on Age & Pre Existing Medical Conditions. Please contact us for further details.

Seat Rotation: We operate a seat rotation so no seats can be reserved

Please note that on tours where flights are involved, the seating within the confines of the group is computer allocated alphabetically by the airline concerned.

Mobility Aids (walkers): Generally we do not have enough space on Tours of 7 or more days. If you wish to bring a walker on shorter tours you must request this on booking & if there are more than 3 or 4 requests we may have to refuse everybody because we cannot determine who is most eligible.

Cancellation Conditions

Bookings Cancelled after Deposit has been paid. The Deposit per person will be forfeited.

Bookings Cancelled after the Final Payment has been made.

Bookings cancelled 60 - 7 days prior to departure will incur a cancellation fee of 50%. Less than 7 days 100% of Tour Cost..

We reserve the right to alter this Itinerary.

FINAL PAYMENT RETURN

Date:

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Due: Wednesday 13th September 2017

Name/s.....

Travel Insurance Information has been provided, if requested ?.....

Details of Payment:

Tour Cost \$.....

Plus Optional Extras \$..... Details of Optional Extras.....

Sub Total \$.....

Less Deposit Paid \$.....

Total Amount Enclosed \$.....

I/We would like to meet the Coach at

THIS SECTION TO BE SENT WITH FINAL PAYMENT

DEPOSIT RETURN DETACH AND SEND BACK WITH DEPOSIT

Date.....

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Departs: Monday 13th November, 2017

1. Name (as you prefer on name tag).....

Address.....Town.....Postcode.....

Phone..... Mobile Phone.....

Email.....

Pension / Senior Card Number:

In case of an Emergency Who would you like us to contact? Name.....Phone.....

2. Name (as you prefer on name tag).....

Address.....Town.....Postcode.....

Phone..... Mobile Phone.....

Email.....

Pension / Senior Card Number:.....

In case of an Emergency Who would you like us to contact? Name.....Phone.....

Please state if you require Double or Twin Beds (There may not always be a choice) Double/Twin

Is it necessary to have Downstairs Accommodation ? Yes / No

If yes, it is not always possible, at every Motel, to have Downstairs Accommodation.

Are you able to go upstairs if necessary ? Yes / No

Special Requests: eg Dietary Needs, Disabilities.....

Please indicate if you are interested in Travel Insurance Yes / No

Date of Birth 1.....Date of Birth 2.....