

Club Old Bar Travel Club **Hosted by Tuncurry Coach Tours**



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Next meeting is on Tuesday Feb 13th 2024 – 1:30pm
@ Club Old Bar

Dates for 2024 Travel Club Day Trips

Wednesday 28th of February 2024

Tuncurry Coach Tours Bank Details

Name: Tuncurry Coach Tours
BSB: 062603 **ACC:** 10646027
(Reference your name and trip)

Note:

All overnight trips will require a **\$300 non-refundable deposit** on booking with final payment being due **2 months out from travel.**

***Money can not be transferred to other trips ***

Cheques will only be accepted at Travel Club Meetings and should be made payable to Tuncurry Coach Tours.

EFTPOS, Bank deposit and payments over the phone are our preferred payment methods. If wanting to make payment by any of these methods please call...
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What have we been up to last month.

The Devine Wallis Lake Cruise Friday 17th November 2023

24 passengers joined us on the stunning Wallis Lake as we experienced the beauty and history of what is world renowned as one of the most beautiful lake system there is. The Wallis Lake always treats us to a stunning day and Friday the 17th of November was no different. We cruised the lake as our Captain and guide pointed out the many highlights of this natural wonder. We had time for photos, morning tea and lunch and all in the comfort of the Free Spirit vessel. After the cruise we spent about another 2 hours touring around Forster Tuncurry and then Hallidays Point receiving an interesting perspective from a locals perspective of this wonderful area. We were all back at our drop off point at a pleasant time talking about the excitement of our next day trip. Please invite your friends, spread the word that we are doing great things on our day trips.

The Great Ocean Road & Kangaroo Island Escape 24th Nov – 1st Dec 2023 8 Days & 7 nights

Flying out of Newcastle after a very early start we saw us in Melbourne before lunch and ready for our journey to begin across Victoria and South Australia. This tour has been requested many, many times and we have finally been able to secure this trip. With too many highlights to mention, this trip was absolutely beautiful. Some of the places included, The Twelve Apostles, Loch Ard Gorge and London Bridge, Lorne and Apollo Bay, Mt. Gambier the home to the crater-filling Blue Lake, Naracoorte's Alexandra Cave, Fleurieu Peninsula to Victor Harbor, Admirals Arch the home to an immense colony of raucous fur seals, Adelaide Hills and the Barossa and Hahndorf. It really was a lovely way to finish off the years travel. We look forward to the next 12 months of travel with you all. 😊

Tina the Musical - Show 4

Wednesday 6th of December 2023 1pm Matinee Show Royal Theatre

Once again Tina the musical didn't disappoint with people bopping away in the isles during the show and singing their little hearts out. This is now the 3rd full show that we have taken to this trip and there hasn't been one person say they were disappointed with any part of it. We have another one coming up and 48 excited guests waiting patiently for their time to come.

As you may have seen from posts and other newsletters, more and more Tuncurry Coach Tours are being asked to host events and small group tours for people that have travelled with us before, leaving behind the idea of huge and experiencing the difference that a small group tour offers. Whilst we don't intend on making this our primary business model, it is a lovely and personal service that we are proud to offer to our loyal and caring clientele. It makes us really proud of the service we offer.

CLUB OLD BAR DAY TRIPS

All day trip bookings require a 50% non-refundable deposit at the time of booking. Withdrawing from a day trip will incur a minimum loss of deposit. *No refunds will be given withdrawing 7 days or less from all day trips. Like all trips, day trip*

The Riverboat Postman Run (3 spots left)

Wednesday 28th February 2024

Join us for a fantastic day out on the Hawkesbury River with the famous Riverboat Postman.

Sit back and enjoy the magnificent scenery as we are entertained by stories of the river.

Mail is delivered to water access settlements of Dangar Island, Kangaroo Point, Milson's Island, Bar Point, Marlow Creek, Fisherman's Point and Milson's Passage. Morning tea is served on arrival, with percolated coffee, hot tea and their famous ANZAC biscuits. Lunch, which is served around midday is a very Aussie Ploughman's style plate. **\$150 per person**

Cost Includes: Morning Tea, Lunch, 3hr Hawkesbury Cruise, Coach Transfers, Tour guide and pick up from Club Old Bar

Pick up Club Old Bar 6am

Live Shows- The Ticket Cost for shows is required as a non- refundable deposit at the time of booking

Grease the Musical -SHOW 2 (10 tix left) Wednesday 1st May 2024 1pm Matinee Show Capitol Theatre

The No. 1 Party Musical GREASE returns to the Australian stage in a new, multi-million-dollar live production. Starring Joseph Spanti as Danny, Annelise Hall as Sandy, Patti Newton as Miss Lynch, Jay Laga'aia as Vince Fontaine and Marcia Hines as Teen Angel. Featuring dazzling costumes and all those unforgettable songs including: Summer Nights, Sandy, Hopelessly Devoted to You, You're The One That I Want, Greased Lightnin', and Grease is the Word. Get ready to dust off your leather jackets, pull on your bobby-socks as "bad boy" Danny and "the girl next door" Sandy fall in love all over again.

Cost \$210pp Includes, Transfers, Ticket & Dinner

Pick up location and time : Nabisac 7:20am

Chicago SHOW 1 SOLD OUT Wednesday 12th June 2024 1pm Matinee Show Capitol Theatre

Murder, greed, corruption, exploitation, adultery, treachery... and All That Jazz... so begins the international multi-award-winning musical, CHICAGO. The longest-running musical on Broadway, this scorching hot masterpiece is coming to Sydney. Created by the musical theatre talents of John Kander, Fred Ebb and legendary choreographer Bob Fosse, it's no wonder CHICAGO has been honoured with 6 Tony Awards®, 2 Olivier Awards, and a Grammy®. With a glittering score that includes "All That Jazz" and "Razzle Dazzle", CHICAGO truly is "sexy, pin-sharp and flawless" Sydney Morning Herald. The original and the best, CHICAGO is back. It would be a crime to miss it!

Cost \$230pp Includes, Transfers, Ticket & Chinese banquet Dinner

Club Forster 6:50am

Tuncurry Coach Stop 7:00am

Nabisac 7:20am

Chicago SHOW 2 Wednesday 19th June 2024 1pm Matinee Show Capitol Theatre

Murder, greed, corruption, exploitation, adultery, treachery... and All That Jazz... so begins the international multi-award-winning musical, CHICAGO. The longest-running musical on Broadway, this scorching hot masterpiece is coming to Sydney. Created by the musical theatre talents of John Kander, Fred Ebb and legendary choreographer Bob Fosse, it's no wonder CHICAGO has been honoured with 6 Tony Awards®, 2 Olivier Awards, and a Grammy®. With a glittering score that includes "All That Jazz" and "Razzle Dazzle", CHICAGO truly is "sexy, pin-sharp and flawless" Sydney Morning Herald. The original and the best, CHICAGO is back. It would be a crime to miss it!

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Nabisac 7:20am

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Please read full terms and conditions prior to booking

The Mighty Murray Princess Cruise (SOLD OUT)

18th -24th February 2024

7 Days & 6 nights

NSW Silo's & Opal's Tour

14th – 21st March 2024

8 Days & 7 nights

In 2024 we will be heading back to the Ridge, famous for its Opals but in addition to the fossicking, hot artisan baths and good old country hospitality, we will be also including a NSW art trail where we will visit some of the amazing silo's, murals and painted water tanks that draw in tourist from all over the world. On this tour we will visit **Gunnedah, Barraba, Lightning Ridge, Brewarrina, The 'Back o Bourke', Cobar and Dubbo** just to name a few. This tour is rustic, remote and inspiring as we visit and support regional NSW and the artworks that put these towns back on the map.

Cost \$3180 twin / single room extra \$790

'The Novocastrian' Gourmet Traveller Tour (14 spots left)

3rd - 7th April 2024 5 Days & 4 nights

Tuncurry Coach Tours are becoming renowned for their 'Gourmet foodie' trips and why is this? Because on these trips, you will experience the difference that Tuncurry Coach Tours sets themselves apart from other coach companies. These small group tours, are something that we are very passionate about and we enjoy providing our travellers with new experiences, taste sensations, beautiful accommodation and plenty of food and wine in great company! This will be our 3rd Gourmet traveller and we are delving into the land of the 'Novocastrians'. The Hunter Region is fast becoming the newest foodie scene and we will show you some of the best places to wine and dine. Highlights of this tour include a **Hunter Belle Cheese experience, Brokenback canape and wine matching, Leogate degustation dinner with wine and accommodation, Cooking class experience with lunch, Kawal Rock distillery, Newcastle Walking food tour, Farmers Markets, Bush tucker experience at Murrook, Morning tea at Cake Boi, Twilight dinner cruise, farewell lunch Bannisters Resort Port Stephens**. Includes, All meals, Luxury Accommodation, Transfers, entries, tours/experiences as per itinerary

Cost \$2,650pp twin single room extra \$410

Old's Scenic Rim & Hinterland Getaway

6th -10th May 2024

5 Days & 4 nights

Queensland's Scenic Rim region is known as a thriving rural paradise set in the foothills of the Great Dividing Range and surrounded by World Heritage-listed national parks. Home to a population of more than 40,000 the region covers 4254sq km and is an hour inland from the Gold Coast. The Scenic Rim is an exciting destination for tourism, art, food, outdoor adventure, walking, water sports and rural enterprise. On our 5 day tour, we will explore nature and feast on award-winning food and wine, visit **Summerland Camel farm, Kooroomba Vineyard and Lavender Farm, Towri Sheep Cheeses, Moogerah Dam, Mount Tamborine, Overflow Estate, Woolgoolga Sikh Museum & let's not leave out VIP seats to Outback Spectacular!**

Cost \$2070 twin / single room

The Red Centre Experience (Only 7 rooms available)

17th – 22nd May 2024

6 Days & 5 nights

If you missed out on our 2023 tour to Australia's Red Centre, now is your chance to tick off that bucket list destination! With return flights included, we will arrive in Uluru ready to take in the beautiful landscape and rich Aboriginal culture. Over the 6 days, we will travel to the base of Uluru, hear Aboriginal Tjukurpa stories & visit the Mutitjulu Waterhole. We will enjoy nibbles and sparkling wine with the famous Uluru sunset before enjoying a BBQ set amongst the red sand dunes. We will learn the connection between art and culture with a hands on painting session and travel to Kata Tjuta (the Olgas) for a spectacular sunrise viewing. This year we are also heading to Alice Springs for 2 nights so we can participate in a full day tour of the West MacDonalld Ranges including Simpsons Gap, Standley Chasm, Ormiston Gorge & Glen Helen. A beautiful farewell dinner under the stars with entertainment will also be included at the award winning Earths Sanctuary on our last night. There are just too many highlights to mention!

Includes return flights ex Sydney

Cost \$4850 twin single room extra \$1080

Holly in the Hills at Dorrigo (4 spots left)

26th - 27th June 2024

2 days & 1 night

Christmas in July will be done in style in 2024, when we spend the night at **Lookout Mountain Retreat in Dorrigo**.

The fire will be toasty warm, our tummies will be full from our **3 course Christmas dinner** and we will be feeling very festive as we **enjoy entertaining music, pre-dinner drinks and a visit from Santa and his reindeer**. On our journey to Dorrigo we will stop in at the **Slim Dusty Centre**, Kempsey and **Mary Boulton's Cottage**, Macksville. The following day we will do some sightseeing around Dorrigo and end the day at **Raleigh Estate Winery** with beautiful lunch platters by an award-winning chef & wine tasting (optional) overlooking their stunning property.

Cost \$660 twin / single room extra \$80pp

Pick up available from Club Old Bar (times to be advised)

The Best of Broome featuring Horizontal Falls and Cape Leveque 29th July – 6th August 2024 9 days & 8 nights

It is finally here.... We are heading to W.A! Part 1 of our Western Australia 2024 touring, will see us visiting the best parts of Broome, showcasing its beautiful western coastline, history and culture. With flights included, we will spend 6 nights visiting and touring in and around Broome. Some highlights of this tour include a **Broome Town tour**, a visit to **Cygnnet Bay Pearl Farm** with a **pearl luggers tour**, beautiful **Cable Beach** with optional camel ride. **Beagle Bay Church Alter**, **Malcolm Douglass Crocodile farm**, a **full day seaplane ride** over the **Horizontal falls** with a **cruise and lunch**, **sight-seeing in Cape Leveque** and a **full free day** to spend in Broome and their night markets.

Includes return flights ex Sydney, pre & post accom in Sydney

Cost \$7130 twin / single room extra \$1220pp

Cape York Expedition (SOLD OUT)

28th Sept- 7th Oct 2024

10 days & 9 nights

Includes, Accommodation, Return airfares, Transfers, entries, tours and most meals as per itinerary. Please read full itinerary before booking