



CLUB 55 TRAVEL CLUB SPRING NEWSLETTER

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at Club 55,
just friends you are yet to meet”**



Chris Hadland

What a magical wildflower season it has been. Our 3 Day Midwest Wildflower Tour certainly picked the right time to marvel at this spectacular event. Looking at something a little bit different next year, possibly staying in Dongara next year. We still have a few day tours that will take in wildflowers, however any tours at this time of the year will see at countryside at its glorious best.

The Club 55 Travel Club has a great selection of tours planned for individuals, couples and small groups. Great way to meet and make new friends and to explore our wonderful state at the same time. There are a few ways in which to book your tours. You can book online at our web page www.club55.com.au or you can of course simply book by phoning my daughter Tanya on **1300 653696 between 9am - 2pm Monday to Friday, “sorry 2 young children at school and helping Dad run the business, bless her “** or alternatively you can book your tours whilst you are out on tour with your coach captain.

The Club 55 Travel Club caters for individuals, couples, small groups and visitors to WA. It is an excellent way to meet and make new friends and best of all there are no membership or joining fee's.

For larger groups of 15 or more from social clubs and retirement villages please refer to our Club 55 Group Brochure with over **80 day tours**. Ask your Coach Captain for a copy or it can be downloaded from our web site at www.club55.com.au. Or follow us on Facebook, do a search for Club 55 Travel and we will keep you informed of all the new tours and special offers as they happen.

Look forward to seeing you on tour soon.

Chris & Tanya



2018 DAY TOURS PROGRAMME

Sept	Wellington Dam and Gnomesville	\$85.00
Sept	5 Star TAFE and Mystery Wildflower	\$79.00
Sept	Historic York and Medieval Fayre	\$69.00
Oct	Brunswick Show	\$69.00
Oct	Historic New Norcia and Wildflowers	\$89.00
Nov	Mystery Country Op Shop Tour	\$50.00
Nov	Melbourne Cup Luncheon	\$89.00
Nov	Leeuwin Tallship Adventure	\$110.00
Dec	Manjimup Cherry Festival	\$89.00
Dec	Mandurah Christmas Lights & Pageant	\$89.00
Dec	Perth's Suburban Christmas Lights Tour	\$65.00

Club 55 Travel Club Departure Locations.

Zone 1	Bassendean Train Station, Railway Pde
Zone 1	Belmont Reading Cinemas, Fulham Road
Zone 1	RAFFA Estate, Bullcreek Drive, Bullcreek
Zone 1	Booragoon, Len Shearer Reserve, Marcus Av
Zone 2	Perth, Wellington Train Station TRANS WA stop
Zone 2	Whitfords Library, Whitfords Shopping Ctr
Zone 2	Morris Place, Innaloo

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46 SEAT COACH



45 SEAT COACH



21 SEATER



24 SEATER

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September. Wellington Dam and Gnomesville. Special Event \$85.00

Departs: Saturday 8th September 7.45am Whitfords, 8.05am Innaloo 8.20am Perth, Booragoon 8.45am

Enjoy our traditional Club 55 morning tea along the way as we make our way to the impressive Wellington Dam. It is a very impressive sight and quite often overflows and hence the reason for doing this tour at this time of year. We call into the Wellington Forest Retreat for a delightful lunch and optional wine tasting. Lovely location set amongst the forest with lots of wildlife. Our journey continues into the Ferguson Valley to visit the impressive Gnomesville, maybe bring your own Gnome to add the thousands already dotted throughout the bush setting. We will stop for an ice cream break on the way home.

September. 5 Star TAFE and Mystery Wildflower Tour \$79.00

Zone 1 Tuesday 11th Sept 8.00am Bassendean, 8.20am Belmont, 8.40am Bullcreek, 9.00am Booragoon
Zone 2 Wednesday 12th Sept 8.00am Whitfords, 8.30am Innaloo, 9.00am Perth

Come and join Club 55 on this Mystery Tour. We will have a delightful morning tea at a mystery location amongst the wildflowers. After exploring and checking them all out we make our way to one of the TAFE colleges where you will be looked after by the students and served a delightful 3 course 5 star meal for lunch.

October. Historic New Norcia and Wildflowers \$89.00

Zone 1 Wednesday 3rd October 8.00am Booragoon, 8.10am Bullcreek, 8.35am Belmont, 9.00am Bassendean
Zone 2 Thursday 4th October 8.10am Perth, 8.35am Innaloo, 9.00am Whitfords

We travel via scenic Bindoon, pausing for morning tea on route to New Norcia. Here your coach captain will give you full commentary on the fascinating history of this Spanish-style monastic enclave, located in the wheat-belt of Western Australia. We visit the historic church and enjoy a drive around and delight in the magnificent architecture of the town, before a hearty roast lunch at the historic New Norcia Hotel. There will be time to visit the gift shop and museum before we slowly make our way home. Entry fees apply to the museum and gallery.

October. Brunswick Show. Special Event \$69.00

Departs: Saturday 27th October 7.45am Whitfords, 8.05am Innaloo, 8.20am Perth, 8.45am Booragoon

We stop along the way for our traditional Club 55 morning tea. Our journey continues onto Brunswick for one of the largest one day shows in Australia. Something for everyone here. The 87th *Brunswick Show* will be held at the Brunswick Oval. The entertaining day will include plenty of family fun like market and food stalls, animal nurseries, fashion parades, home craft and machinery displays as well as wine tastings and much more. Plenty of places to get something for lunch. We call into Harvey Cheese on the way home. Also famous for their ice-creams. Entry fee's apply.

November. Melbourne Cup Luncheon Special Event \$89.00

Zone 1 Tuesday 6th November 8.15am Bassendean, 8.40am Belmont, 9.05am Bullcreek, 9.15am Booragoon
Zone 2 Tuesday 6th November 8.50am Perth, 9.10am Innaloo 9.30am Whitfords

Join Club 55 for the race that stops a nation. We will enjoy our Melbourne Cup celebrations this year at the historic Yanchep Inn. Complete with on site TAB so you can place your bets. We will also be doing a sweepstakes as well as prizes for the best dressed and the best hat competitions. After the race we will indulge in a delightful buffet lunch consisting of *platters of prawns, smoked salmon, mussels, sliced roasted beef, roasted potatoes and pumpkin, mixed steamed vegetables chicken curry & rice, steamed fish fillets with lemon, garden salad, rice salad and more.*

NOVEMBER Leeuwin Tallship Adventure \$110.00

Zone 1 Sunday 18th November 8.40am Bassendean, 9.00am Belmont, 9.20am Bullcreek, 9.30am Booragoon
Zone 2 Sunday 18th November 8.35am Whitfords, 8.55am Innaloo, 9.15am Perth

Looking for some real adventure? Ahoy Matey. Join Club 55 for 3 hour adventure aboard the iconic tall ship Leeuwin. We make our way directly to Fremantle where we will board this magnificent ship. Passengers can be as active as they want and join in to help the crew haul lines, take the helm or try climbing aloft. You may prefer to sit back, relax and just enjoy the WA coastline. Light snacks and refreshments are included in the price (Coffee, tea, chilled water, mini pizza's, mini pies, mini sausages, flat bread and dips. Unfortunately the ship is not accessible for wheelchairs and / or walkers. The minimum requirement for safety reasons is to be able to walk across the gangway by yourself. They will have crew members who will be there to assist you on and off the ship. We will finish of the day with a visit to the WA Ship Wreck Museum. Great tour.

November Mystery Country Op Shop Tour \$50.00

Zone 1 Wednesday 14th Nov 8.00am Bassendean, 8.20am Belmont, 8.40am Bullcreek, 9.00am Booragoon
Zone 2 Thursday 15th Nov 8.00am Whitfords, 8.30am Innaloo, 9.00am Perth

Join Club 55 for a day of mystery and intrigue as we head out into the country side to visit a selection of charity Op Shops. We will stop along the way to enjoy our traditional morning tea. If you enjoy looking for a bargain, then this tour is for you. Unlike the city op shops, these country Op Shops have a lot less people visiting them and who knows what bargains await you?

December. Manjimup Cherry Festival Special Event \$89.00

Departs: Saturday 8th December 7.45am Whitfords, 8.05am Innaloo, 8.20am Perth, 8.45am Booragoon

Join Club 55 for the annual Manjimup Harmony Cherry Festival. We will stop along the way for our traditional Club 55 morning tea. Lots to see and do at the festival, including fashion parades, log chopping, lots of market stalls, street entertainment, exhibitions and lots more. Plenty of places to get something to eat for lunch. Entry fee's apply.

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December. Mandurah Christmas Pageant, Cruise and Fireworks **\$89.00**

Zone 1 Tue 11th December 2.30pm Bassendean, 2.50pm Belmont, 3.10pm Bullcreek, 3.20pm Booragoon

Zone 2 Tue 11th December 2.30pm Whitfords, 2.50pm Innaloo, 3.10pm Perth

We make our way directly to Mandurah where you can watch the annual Mandurah Christmas Pageant. After you will have some free time to purchase yourself some tea from one of the many food outlets. At 7.30pm we will depart on the Mandurah Christmas Lights Cruise on the Mandurah canals. Marvel at the multimillion dollar homes dressed up for Christmas with thousands of lights and decorations making this area a fairy wonderland. On your return the sky will explode with the very impressive fireworks display to finish off the night.

December. Perth's Suburban Christmas Lights Tour **\$65.00**

Zone 1 Thur 20th December 4.30pm Bassendean, 4.55pm Belmont, 5.15pm Bullcreek, 5.30pm Booragoon

Zone 2 Fri 21st December 4.30pm Whitfords, 4.55pm Innaloo, 5.15pm Perth

Merry Christmas. Let Club 55 show you the best of the Xmas Lights. We make our way to the coast where we will enjoy some fish & chips for tea. Free time to watch the sunset before we head off in search of some of the best Christmas lights around. If this does not get you into the Christmas spirit, nothing will. Please note that this tour is limited to 21 passengers as we will use the small mini bus to enable us to get into the often small and dead end streets to see the best of the lights.

Do you belong to a Seniors Club ??? Club 55 has an extensive collection of over 80 great day tours that have been specifically designed for Seniors Clubs, Bowling Clubs, Retirement Villages, Probus Clubs.
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