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# New Tours 2021

## **01      WA Museum. Boola Bardip**

**\$30      9.30am–1.30pm**

We make our way directly to the museum. Boola Bardip means many stories in Whadjuk Nyoongar; the Country on which the Museum sits. WA Museum Boola Bardip is a place to share Western Australia's many stories. Our people, our places and our role in the world. Across its five levels, the new Museum features eight permanent galleries, each with its own distinct theme and content. WA Museum Boola Bardip also has a 1,000sqm special exhibition gallery, five revitalized heritage buildings, retail and café spaces – and of course, thousands of items from the State's collections displayed in new and innovative ways. Plenty of places to purchase some lunch

## **02      Taste Sensations**

**\$69      9.00am–3.30pm**

We travel north of Perth on the newly completed Tonkin Highway to Berry Sweet Strawberry Farm before morning tea at West Coast Honey Farm. Over to Local Goat Dairy for handcrafted goats' cheese. Our journey continues through to Gingin for lunch at the Gingin Hotel, a classic country character establishment. Our final stops for the day will be Mac nuts, Mondo Nougat and Two Birds Fromagerie in the Swan Valley.

## **03      Western Rock Lobster and Pinnacles**

**\$85      08.00am–5.00pm**

We enjoy morning tea on the banks of the Moore River in Guilderton before continuing to the Nambung National Park where you can explore the Pinnacles. We now head into Cervantes and experience the regions multimillion-dollar lobster industry firsthand at the Lobster Shack in Cervantes. Here the marine crustacean is captured, brought onto the shore, sorted, and then live packed in preparation of being dispatched worldwide. For lunch we will have some fish and chips for lunch or alternatively you may wish to indulge in Crayfish and Chips for an additional \$20. On our return journey home, we call into Lancelin for a comfort stop and optional ice cream.

## **04      Busselton Jetty, Underwater Observatory and Train Ride**

**\$105      08.00am–5.00pm**

We make our way via Australind and Bunbury with a stop along the way to enjoy our picnic morning tea. On arrival in Busselton, you will have some free time to purchase yourself some lunch. Busselton Jetty is the longest timber piled jetty in the southern hemisphere. Your train departs at 1pm. Upon reaching the end of the jetty you will then descend 8 meters below the surface to the natural wonders that lie beneath the jetty where the timber piles create Australia's greatest artificial reef and host to an awe-inspiring forest of vividly colored tropical and subtropical corals, sponges, fish and invertebrates. On returning to the shore time to maybe purchase an ice-cream before we commence the return journey back to Perth.

## **05      Romancing the Stone and Garden**

**\$69      9.00am – 3.30pm**

When Tom Hogg moved to Lillian Road, Maida Vale in 2000, the half hectare property was a 'jungle mess'. With no landscaping background, the self-taught stone mason transformed the block into a multi-award-winning garden and amphitheater called 'Romancing the Stone' and 'Little Covent Garden' respectively. Morning Tea is provided by Tom on arrival, then Tom will give a wonderful humorous and engaging tour. After our tour we make our way to Kalamunda and the historic Kalamunda Hotel for a single course multiple choice meal including Grilled Barramundi, Chicken Schnitzel, Steak all with chips and salad and Bangers and mash and Lambs Fry. This really is a fun and lighthearted day out!! Free time to have a look around before doing some wine tasting at Jadran Wines. Monday, Tuesday or Wed. Best time, Autumn and spring. **Meal selections need to be advised when you confirm final numbers.**

## **06      Wellington Dam and Collie Mural Trail**

**\$55      8.00am–5.00pm**

We enjoy our traditional Club 55 morning tea along the way as we make our way to Wellington Dam. Collie looks set to earn a place on the tourist map with a 6,500-square-metre mural being splashed across the Wellington Dam wall which is the highlight of the new Collie Mural Trail. 15 mural teams painted at 20 mural sites throughout this small town. You will be given free time to wander the town and purchase your lunch. Before making our return journey home via Harvey Cheese where you can purchase one of their famous ice-creams.

## **07      Taste of Italy in the Valley**

**\$69      9.30am–3.30pm**

We enjoy our morning tea at Whiteman Park where you will have free time to visit the craft Village or the Motor Museum. Time now for our lunch at Pasta in the Valley, it is a unique family-owned Italian restaurant nestled amongst the grapevines in the swan valley. Inside the restaurant showcases an impressive 30m long eye-catching industrial pasta making machine, capable of producing 6 tons of pasta per day. The only one of its kind in Australia to be on display inside a restaurant. You have a choice of Spaghetti Bolognese, Spaghetti, Lasagna, Chicken, Barramundi Fillet and Salad. Choice of Sweets Cannoli, Tiramisu or Lemon Cheesecake. **Meal selections need to be advised when you confirm final numbers.**

**08      Armadale Wildlife Centre and Happy Gathering Chinese      \$69      9.00am-3.30pm**  
After enjoying our morning tea at a scenic location, we make our way to the Armadale Reptile and Wildlife Centre. Over 70 species on display including snakes, lizards, fruit bats, dingoes and many more. Lunch today is at the Happy Gathering Chinese restaurant for a very tasty single course lunch. Tanya will supply you with a menu with multiple choices which need to be pre ordered or alternatively lunch can be arranged at the Olde Narrogin Inn for an additional \$10 for a 2 course with tea and coffee. After lunch we do some wine tasting at Jadran Wines and visit the Gem Shop factory in Orange Grove.

**09      Golden Ponds Aquaculture      \$65      9.00am-3.30pm**  
We travel to Kwinana Beach for morning tea followed by a scenic drive along the coast before heading inland to Baldiwin and the Golden Ponds Reception Centre. Enjoy a delightful 2 course lunch and free time to wander the beautiful grounds before boarding the coach. We will stop for strawberries when in season.

**10      Visit the Greenhill's Inn      \$69      9.00am-4.15pm**  
We head east across the escarpment, with morning tea along the way. We tour the historic town of York before arriving at Greenhills, that forgotten historic town which once had a population of 2,000 souls. We will settle in at the lovingly restored and award-winning Greenhills Inn, a perfect venue for a good, old-fashioned lunch. There's time for exploration of this charming establishment and its collection of antiques, before we head home with a stop at the York Olive Oil Company where you can enjoy their award-winning ice-creams and Olive Oil products. Wednesday to Saturday.

**11      Ravenswood Relaxation and Bush Experience      \$69      9.00am-3.30pm**  
This morning we make our way into the hills heading for Langford Park near Jarrahdale for our morning tea. This was originally a Bauxite mine back in the 50's and is now a lovely, secluded park in the forest. We will tour the township of Jarrahdale and give you some remarkably interesting commentary on the history of the area. Our journey continues through the forest and across Serpentine Dam. We join the main highway and head towards Pinjarra with some interesting commentary on the Battle of Pinjarra. Lunch today is at the historic Ravenswood Hotel nestled on the banks of the Murray River. On our return journey travel the Perth to Bunbury Hwy, stopping for strawberries when in season. Wednesday to Sunday.

**12      Return to The Blind Cameleer      \$49      9.00am-3.30pm**  
We make our way directly to Noble Falls for our traditional Club 55 morning tea. Well, he said he would do it and he has fulfilled his ambition. Max has moved to a new property and has expanded his business with a new processing plant and many more Camels to add to his existing flock. Max will give you a talk on this new industry and show you his loving Camels and their cute babies. He is truly an inspirational man. He started with a dream to run his own farm. Diagnosed with Retinitis Pigmentosa, a disease that has left Max almost totally blind, this dream seemed impossible to many, but not to Max. He had already mastered a lot of challenges in his life, competing in the Paralympics twice and completing a PhD in Agricultural Science, now he was ready for the next adventure. After our tour we make our way into Toodyay for some free time for lunch and to visit the Op Shops and the famous Christmas 360 Shop. Lunch options include bring along a picnic lunch and enjoy on the banks of the Avon River in Duidgee Park or buy something from the award winning Toodyay Bakery or enjoy a sit-down lunch in one of several pubs in town. If you prefer, a catered lunch can be arranged for your group. After lunch we visit the historic Coorinja Winery for some wine tasting before slowly making our way home.

## **OLDIES BUT GOODIES**

**13      5 Star TAFE and Mystery Tour      \$69      9.00am-3.30pm**  
Your coach captain will give you a great morning of mystery touring before arriving at your chosen TAFE Restaurant. You have a choice of Bentley Pines or Pavilion Joondalup. Club 55 will put together a great day out based on the TAFE Restaurant selected. Your lunch is prepared and served by the hospitality students, plus you will receive drinks at discounted prices. We will continue with our Mystery Tour in the afternoon before getting you safely back home. Please note Bentley Pines requires a \$10 deposit per person, to be paid immediately.

**14      Kalamunda History Village, Cultural Centre and Art Gallery      \$65      9.00am-3.30pm**  
This morning we make our way to the scenic Wungong Dam for our traditional Club 55 morning tea. After morning tea, we take a scenic drive across the hills through the Churchman's Brook area and Roleystone and visit the Raeburn Orchards where you can sample and purchase in season fruit and even sample their apple cider. Our journey continues through the forests with lots of wildflowers in season before entering the magnificent Bickley Valley and all the fruit trees in blossom. Time now for some lunch at the historic Kalamunda Hotel with a single course multiple choice meal of medallion steak, grilled or battered barramundi, lambs fry chicken schnitzel, or bangers and mash. After lunch some free time, you may wish to visit the Cultural Centre, Art Gallery or Kalamunda History Village which is located just over the road. We finish off the day with a visit to Jadran Wines or the Melville Rose and Garden Nursery. Additional extra: Patsy Durack Rose Gardens \$10  
Ideal time is September.

- 15      The Hills are Alive      \$65      9.00am-3.30pm**  
 We make our way to Lake Leschenaultia for our morning tea. The hills are ablaze with colour, Blue Leschenaultia, Wattles and Kangaroo Paws. Enjoy a magnificent drive along the back roads as we pass through, Chidlow, Mount Helena, Stoneville and Parkerville. Enjoy a tasty one course multiple choice lunch at the historic Parkerville Tavern. Fish and chips, Sausage and mash, BLT with Aioli, Caesar Salad, Steak and Mash. After lunch we continue with a scenic drive through the John Forrest National Park before stopping in the Swan Valley for wine tasting or The Chocolate Factory. Please note meal selections to be advised upon confirmation of final numbers. Ideal times September and October.
- 16      Historic Fremantle Prison, Shipwrecks Museum and Art Gallery      \$65      9.00am-3.30pm**  
 This morning we will make our way along the Swan River and pause for our morning tea at Point Walter. Continuing now onto Fremantle where we will visit the Fremantle Prison for a short tour of this very historic building. After our tour we make our way to Fisherman's Harbor for some fish and chips at the iconic Cicerello's. After lunch you may wish to visit the Shipwrecks Museum for a gold coin donation or simply enjoy the surrounds of Fisherman's Harbor. Back onboard we now make our way to the Fremantle Art Gallery. Housed in a magnificent historic building that was once the Fremantle Lunatic Asylum. After our visit here we will slowly make our way home.
- 17      Airforce Museum and Royal Flying Doctors      \$69      9.00am-3.30pm**  
 We enjoy our morning tea at a scenic location before arriving at the Airforce Museum for some free time to view this fantastic collection of vintage aircraft. After we will enjoy a fish and chips lunch at the new RAAFA Estate club rooms. Time now to make our way to the Royal Flying Doctor base at Jandakot Airport. Here you will be given a tour of this valuable community service before slowly making our way home.  
 Subject to availability!
- 18      Amaze Miniature Village      \$59      9.00am-3.30pm**  
 Your morning tea today will be at the impressive Amaze Miniature Village (formally called Abingdon Miniature Village). This wonderful attraction has an extensive display of scale model miniature buildings and railways. Many of the models are replicas of well-known historic buildings from Abingdon Village, parts of the United Kingdom and Germany. Set amongst four acres of beautifully manicured gardens it is a superb must-see attraction to visit. Walking through the extensively landscaped gardens is like stepping back in time. The grounds provide you with a self-guided tour past the ornamental lake and miniature steam and diesel trains, canals, locks and barges to the town of Abingdon, the oldest continually inhabited town in England. The entry cost includes the maze's, miniature village and mini golf.  
 Alternative lunch options include Decadence'C: Chocolate factory, Brighton hotel, Cicerello's, Murphy's Irish pub and Ravenswood hotel. Prices available upon request.  
 Friday to Monday only or by request if you have over 30 passengers
- 19      Swan Valley – Your Way      From      \$45      9.30am-3.30pm**  
 Our magnificent Swan Valley has so much to offer the visitor. Club 55 gives you an opportunity to design your own Swan Valley Tour which can include unique Art Galleries, Miniature Golf, Wineries, Breweries, Distillers, Chocolate Factories, Honey, Fromagerie, Nougat, Nuts and local produce and a multitude of restaurants to choose from for a tasty lunch. Various options for morning tea. Club 55 can provide morning tea at Whiteman Park or Bells Rapids, or alternatively morning tea can be catered for at one of the many venues. Please ask Tanya for a list of options for your club to choose from.
- 20      Ferguson Valley, Gnomesville, Wild Bull Brewery      \$79      8.30am-4.30pm**  
 We travel via the Forest Highway pausing for our morning tea along the way as we make our way into the beautiful Ferguson Valley and a visit to the famous Gnomesville, bring along a Gnome to place amongst the thousands that make Gnomesville home. Our lunch today will be at the Wild Bull Brewery with a multiple-choice single course lunch of fish and chips, chicken schnitzel, calamari salad, black beef pie chips and salad, burger, chips and salad, bratwurst with mash potato. On our way home we call into Harvey cheese where you can purchase their award-winning ice creams and cheeses. Minimum number 25 passengers. **Please note meal selections to be advised upon confirmation of final numbers.**
- 21      Whiteman Park and Craft Village      \$65      9.30am-3.30pm**  
 This morning we will make our way directly to Whiteman Park where we will enjoy our picnic morning tea. After your morning tea you will be boarding one of the vintage buses and be given a guided historic tour of the park. Time now for a single course roast dinner or some fish and chips for lunch at the Village Café. Free time after lunch to check out the Craft Village or the Motor Museum. We conclude the day with a visit to the Whistlers Chocolate Factory.
- 22      Number 1 Pumping Station and Mundaring Weir      \$65      9.00am-3.30pm**  
 We make our way directly to Mundaring Weir where upon arrival we will enjoy our picnic morning tea. After our morning tea we will be given a guided tour of the Number 1 Pumping Station, one of several that deliver this valuable resource to the Goldfields and the brainchild of C Y O' Conner. After our tour we make our way to Kalamunda and the historic Kalamunda Hotel for a single course multiple choice meal including Grilled Barramundi, Chicken Schnitzel, Steak all with chips and salad and Bangers and mash and Lambs Fry. After lunch you will have free time to visit the Cultural Centre and Art gallery or the Kalamunda History Village. Our day concludes with some wine tasting at Jadran Wines. **Please note meal selections to be advised upon confirmation of final numbers.**

- 23      Historic Pinjarra and Old Blythwood and Edenvale Homestead      \$55      9.00am–3.30pm**  
 This morning we will make our way directly to Pinjarra where we will have our morning tea in the grounds of the historic Edenvale Homestead. After morning tea free time to wander the historic property and maybe visit the historic St Johns Church or the historic Pinjarra Court House. You can also visit the craft shop and even a couple of OP Shops close by. We now make our way to the historic Old Blythwood Homestead. Set on a high bank overlooking the fertile flats of the Murray River, Old Blythwood stands as a testament to the industry, ingenuity and flexibility of the pioneering McLarty family. John and Mary Anne McLarty were amongst the first Europeans to settle in the Murray District around 1842. You will be given a guided tour of this historic property. Time now to experience some tasty delights as we give you some free time to purchase some lunch from the popular Pinjarra Bakery.
- 24      Optus Stadium and the Matagarup Bridge      \$59      9.00am–3.30pm**  
 We enjoy morning tea at a scenic location before arriving at the Optus Stadium for a guided tour of the stadium. Ranked as one of the best stadiums in the world. Optus Stadium is truly becoming a major icon of Perth. Words cannot explain this place! How lucky are we to be West Australian? After a highly informative tour you now have some free time to purchase your own lunch or enjoy a meal at either the City View Restaurant in the stadium or The Camfield, Australia's largest pub located on the picturesque banks of the Swan River or simply bring along a picnic. Free time after lunch to check out the impressive Matagarup Bridge. Lunch can be arranged.
- 25      Woodman Point Quarantine Station      \$69      9.00am–3.30am**  
 We make our way directly to the Woodman Point Quarantine Station where the Friends of Woodman's Point Volunteers will treat us to a delightful morning tea and a chat on the history of this amazing facility and the important role it has played in the development and history of WA. Gain insight into a fascinating history from friendly knowledgeable guides. You will be divided into two groups to ensure the best experience. Explore the original isolation hospital, enter the oldest crematorium in Australia. After the guided tour there are a few choices for lunch including a light lunch at the Quarantine Station of gourmet sandwiches, mini quiche, pies and sausage rolls and pizza serves or alternatively we can head to Fremantle for some fish and chips for lunch. A visit to the Shipwreck Museum for a gold coin donation is worth a visit after lunch or an ice-cream or both.
- 26      Lake Navarino and Yarloop      \$69      9.00am–3.30am**  
 Travel to Pinjarra for morning tea in the grounds of the historic Edenvale Homestead. You will have some free time to look through the arts and craft shop or the local Op Shop. Our journey continues along the South West Hwy to Waroona and into Yarloop, the scene of the devastating bushfires that destroyed most of the town and the historic Yarloop Workshops. See how the town has rebuilt. Time now to head up into the Darling Range to Waroona Dam and Lake Navarino for lunch at the new restaurant, totally rebuilt after being destroyed in the 2016 bushfire, here we can sit back, relax and enjoy the lovely country style 2 course roast lunch. On our return journey we stop along the way for a comfort stop and an optional ice-cream.
- 27      Historic York and York Olive Oil Company      \$45      9.00am–4.00pm**  
 York is one of the most beautifully restored towns in Australia. It is West Australia's first inland town, steeped with history and worldly charm. This tour gives you an opportunity to spend more time exploring some of the many historic buildings and attractions that York has to offer. It also explores the important part, York played with the early settlers. You will have a chance to admire the lovely park on the banks of the Avon River where you can simply bring a picnic lunch or indulge in one of the many café's and pubs in town. The choice is yours. We call into the York Olive Farm on the way home to taste their famous ice-creams and olive oil products before slowly making our way home. Lunch can be arranged at the Settlers tearooms or Castle Hotel \$70.
- 28      Avon Valley Explorer. York, Northam and Toodyay      \$69      8.30am–4.00pm**  
 We make our way to York, pausing along the way for our picnic morning tea. On arrival in York, you will have some free time to have a look around this beautifully restored town. Our journey continues through the Avon Valley and onto the largest town in the valley "Northam ". Also host to the annual Avon Decent and whilst here we will point out some of the initial obstacles for the competitors in the grueling race. We enjoy a lovely 2 course roast with desert at the Riverside Hotel. Our journey continues via Katrine onto Toodyay where we tour the town and a brief stop and visit the Christmas 360 shop or an optional ice-cream before making our way home.
- 29      The Catalpa Memorial and A Touch of the Irish at Friar Tucks      \$69      9.00am–3.30pm**  
 The Catalpa memorial overlooks the ocean. Scene of the biggest escape of prisoners from Fremantle Prison. Club 55 will give you some remarkably interesting commentary on this amazing escape and show you the impressive Catalpa Memorial south of Rockingham. We make our way south to Wells Park, where we set our morning tea up on the foundations of the wreck of the Kwinana, a lovely spot with great views out to Garden Island. Our journey continues via Rockingham, the scenic Shoal water Bay and the rapidly developing areas around Port Kennedy. We continue south past Mandurah, towards Dawesville and our lunch venue Friar Tucks where you will enjoy a lovely 2 course lunch, before slowly making our way home. **New owners and recently renovated.**

- 30      Club 55's Country Mystery Tour      \$45      9.00am-3.30pm**  
 Looking for something different. Why not try a Club 55 Country Mystery Tour? They are a lot of fun and an affordable way of getting out and about and exploring our magnificent countryside. North, South, East or West, who knows where we might end up. Some groups bring their own picnic lunch with them whilst others simply buy a meal at the local pub, café or bakery. Or Club 55 can normally organize a single course main meal starting from around \$15.00. The good news with a Mystery Tour is that they can be tailored to suit your group and the time of year. Includes morning tea.
- 31      Lake Leschenaultia and John Forrest National Park      \$69      9.30am-3.30pm**  
 A great day out in the hills with morning tea at Lake Leschenaultia and free time to explore this beautiful setting. Lunch today is at the John Forrest Tavern amongst the birds and kangaroos and includes roast pork with crackling, rich brown gravy, roast potatoes, pumpkin, carrots, cauliflower and garden greens, crusty bread roll, hot apple crumble with custard, finished with a cup of tea or coffee. Free time to see the kangaroos and a walk. On our way home we visit Moorish Nuts and Mondo Nougat.
- 32      Avon Valley, Northam and York      \$69      9.00am-4.00pm**  
 Join Club 55 as we explore the magnificent Avon Valley. We make our way directly to Northam where we will enjoy our morning tea on the banks of the Avon River, followed by a tour of the town. Our journey continues onto York where upon arrival we will visit the Mt Brown lookout with its panoramic views over the town. Time for a tasty 2 course lunch at the historic Settlers Tearooms, followed by some free time to have a look around this beautifully restored town before slowly making our way home.
- 33      Swan Valley Delights      \$69      9.30am-3.30pm**  
 We make our way directly to the Swan Valley Our next stop will be Whistlers Chocolate Factory and The House of Honey. Our lunch today can be at one of the various restaurants listed below. After lunch, we visit Yahava coffee where you will have the opportunity to taste their impressive range. Other options include two birds fromagerie or wine tasting at Pinelli Wines if you prefer.  
 Lunch options: The Vines Resort, Woodbridge Tavern, Carilley Estate, Swan Valley Oasis, all provide a 2-course lunch with tea and coffee.
- 34      Moondyne Joe and Historic Toodyay      \$69      9.00am-3.30pm**  
 We enjoy our traditional morning tea at the scenic Noble Falls. As our journey continues into the scenic Avon Valley. The history of this area will come alive as we provide you with in depth commentary on Moondyne Joe, WA's famous bushranger. We take the scenic drive along the Avon River into Toodyay. On arrival in Toodyay we will do a tour of the town including pointing out the historic Newcastle Jail and other points of interest. Time now for a lovely lunch at the Freemasons Hotel. Free time to wander the many shops, including two local op shops, Christmas Shop and more before making our way to Cooringa Wines, the oldest winery in the Avon Valley, full of character and good value. Now that we are all merry, we slowly make our way home with a bit of a sing along to pass the miles away.
- 35      Mystery Country Op Shop Tour      \$45      9.00am-3.30pm**  
 Join Club 55 for a day of mystery and intrigue as we head out into the countryside 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? Club 55 can arrange a meal starting from \$15 or simply BYO. Great day and a lot of fun.
- 36      Triple Valley Tour      Avon, Chittering and Swan Valley      \$69      9.00am-4.00pm**  
 If you want to cover some of the state's most impressive countryside, then this tour is for you. Enjoy morning tea at Noble Falls. We will stop for wine tasting at the Coorinja Winery. After you will be provided with an in-depth commentary on the History of Toodyay. You will have a lovely 2 course lunch at newly renovated Victoria Hotel. Enjoy a magnificent drive thru the Chittering Valley and on into the Swan Valley where we will stop at Whistlers Chocolate Factory for tastings or an ice cream. Great day out!
- 37      Wellington Dam Mural and Gnomesville      \$79      8.30am-5.30pm**  
 Enjoy our traditional Club 55 morning tea as we make our way to the impressive Wellington Dam and view the huge mural that has been recently painted on the dam wall. Our lunch today will be at the Wild Bull Brewery with a multiple-choice single course lunch of fish and chips, chicken schnitzel with chip and salad, calamari salad, black beef pie chips and salad, burger with chips and salad, bratwurst with mash potato. Our journey continues into the Ferguson Valley to visit the impressive Gnomesville, maybe bring your own Gnome to add to the thousands already dotted throughout the bush setting. We will stop at Harvey Cheese for tastings and maybe one of their famous ice-creams. Minimum number 25. **Please note meal selections to be advised upon confirmation of final numbers.**

**38      Gravity Discovery Centre and The Leaning Tower****\$75      9.00am-3.30pm**

Climb aboard as we head directly to the Gravity Discovery. Upon arrival we will enjoy our traditional Club 55 morning tea. The Centre is much more than a tourist destination; it is an inspirational and exciting science facility focusing on the big questions of life, solving the mystery of how gravity works within the universe and much more. The center will also be providing us with a very tasty 2 course lunch at the Stargazers Cafe. After lunch we continue our tour of this incredible facility before starting on our return journey home. So much to see and do.

**39      HMAS Stirling Naval Base and Garden Island****\$45      9.00am-3.30pm**

We will pipe you aboard then proceed to the Shoal water Bay area where we will pause for a delightful morning tea. We make our way to the security clearance area where we meet our guide who will provide us with an informative tour of Garden Island and the HMAS Stirling Naval Base, including the "Z Force" memorial, Cliff Head lookout and the port and museum at the Fleet Base Amenities. After the tour, we stop at the Rockingham foreshore for some free time where you can purchase some lunch from the many food outlets or simply enjoy a picnic in the park before making our way slowly home. A sit-down lunch can be arranged. Need to book months in advance. **Subject to availability!**

**40      Fairbridge Village and The Ravenswood Hotel****\$69      9.00am-3.30pm**

We make our way directly to Fairbridge Village where upon arrival we will have our traditional Club 55 morning tea. After morning tea, we will do a tour around the village with full commentary on the history of the village and its present-day functions. We will stop to visit the historic Chapel and learn about the vision of Kingsley Fairbridge. We now make our way to our lunch venue the Ravenswood Hotel nestled on the banks of the Murray River for a delightful lunch. After some free time to enjoy this delightful location we will slowly make our way home back to Perth, with a stop along the way for fresh fruit and strawberries in season.



## BOAT CRUISES

**41      Swan River Cruising – BYO Lunch****\$70      9.00am-3.30pm**

We travel to scenic Point Walter for our delightful morning tea, and then follow the Swan River to Fremantle where Captain Cook Cruises will be waiting to take us on a relaxing cruise along one of the world's most spectacular waterways. While cruising you will be given an informed commentary as we slowly make our way to Barrack Street jetty. There have been many changes at Barrack Street Jetty. Free time here to check it all out and purchase your own lunch from one of the many outlets. Maybe even visit the Bell Tower and check out all the new developments around Elizabeth Quays. Another option would be to catch the ferry over to South Perth. Our final stop for the day will be Kings Park to view all the recent changes. On our return journey home, we will stop for fresh in season strawberries.

**42      Moore River Magic Cruise****\$90      9.00am-4.00pm**

This morning we travel directly to Guilderton for our traditional Club 55 morning tea on the banks of the picturesque Moore River. We will embark on an hour-long cruise along the tranquil Moore River, learning about the river and its eco-system. After the cruise, we will enjoy a delicious seafood basket at Café Amore. Note: The boat has a limited capacity, so for groups over 23, half the group will travel before lunch and the remainder will do a tour of the after.

**43      Rottnest Island****\$104      8.45am-5.00pm**

We make our way directly to Fremantle where you will board your ferry to Rottnest Island. On arrival we will board the bus for an interesting one-hour tour of the island. After your tour you will have free time to visit the Rottnest Island Bakery to buy yourself something to eat for lunch. After lunch you will have some free time before you board our ferry for the return journey. Upon arrival in Fremantle your coach will be waiting to transport you back to your club.

## Where do you want to go?

You can arrange and design your own outing. Just let us know that you simply wish to charter the vehicle and do your own thing

**44      Swan River Cruising and Twin Fin****\$75      9.00am-3.30pm**

We make our way directly to the impressive Queens Gardens where we will enjoy a delightful morning tea and time to admire these magnificent gardens. We now make our way to Elizabeth Quays where you will have some free time to check out all the changes here before boarding your Captain Cook river cruise to Fremantle. Full commentary by your crew as you cruise our impressive Swan River to Fremantle. Your coach will be waiting for you at the other end and will do a tour around Fremantle before arriving at Fisherman's Harbor and Twin Fin for some tasty fish and chips for lunch. After lunch free time to maybe visit the Shipwrecks Museum or simply enjoy the location before slowly starting on our way home.

**45      Penguin Island Delight****\$75      9.00am-3.30pm**

A special tour for lovers of our "feathered friends". We travel south to Wells Park where we enjoy a picnic morning tea on the wreck of the Kwinana. We then join Rockingham Wild Encounters ferry to Penguin Island where we will see (and hear about) the delightful penguins, following which we can stroll along the board walks and view the abundance of bird life. After being ferried back to the mainland, we will return to Rockingham foreshore for some free time to buy lunch or alternatively Club 55 can arrange a sit-down meal for your group for around \$15 per person, before heading back home. Optional Extra: Glass Bottom Boat 60-minute Penguin and Seal Island Cruise \$20 per person extra (includes 30-minute tour of the island).



## **COASTAL CAPERS**

**46      Historic Yanchep Inn and Two Rocks****\$69      9.30am-3.30pm**

Following a delightful Club 55 morning tea at Neil Hawkins Park, we will travel the new Marmion Avenue extension directly to Yanchep through all the new suburbs that are popping up all over the place. Enjoy the scenic views of Two Rocks Marina and Yanchep Beach Lagoon. We retrace the fateful journey of the Guilt Dragon which sank and was left undiscovered just off the coast here for many years, before entering Yanchep National Park. You can stroll around the lake, visit the gallery and gift shop and view the delightful Koalas. Lunch will be provided in the cozy surrounds of the beautifully restored historic Yanchep Inn. After lunch and some free time to wander the park, we will slowly make our way home.

**47      Seafood Delight at Guilderton and The Guilt Dragon****\$59      9.00am-4.00pm**

We head north towards Joondalup where we will enjoy our traditional Club 55 morning tea at Neil Hawkins Park. Our journey continues via Marmion Avenue and all the new suburbs all the way to Yanchep and the Yanchep Lagoon. We continue via Two Rocks where we retrace the fateful journey of the Guilt Dragon which sank and was left undiscovered just off the coast here for many years. On arrival in Guilderton we will check out the lookout with views over the mouth of the river and the ocean. Lunch today will be a seafood basket of fish, prawn, crabmeat, squid and chips at café A'moore. After lunch, we will tour the town and check out the Limestone Quarry where we can see how limestone is mined before slowly making our way back home.

**48      Aqua****\$85      9.30am-3.30pm**

We make our way directly to Sorrento Quays where upon arrival we will enjoy our picnic morning tea. After morning tea, we will make our way over to AQUA an awesome underwater adventure awaits you at the Aquarium of Western Australia! Discover more of WA's spectacular marine life as you go on an underwater journey along our coast, from the icy-cold waters of the Southern Ocean to the tropical wonderland of coral reefs in the Far North. AQWA is a privately run company dedicated to generating wonder and respect for the marine life of Western Australia. After we will enjoy some fish and chips at Seafood Nation followed by some free time to have a look around Sorrento Quays before slowly making our way home.

**49      Ancient Thrombolites and Cape Bouvard Winery****\$45      9.00am-3.30pm**

We travel south to discover the hidden secrets of Lake Clifton and the Peel Inlet. We enjoy our Club 55 traditional morning tea in the grounds of the Cape Bouvard Winery. You can also taste the wines whilst here. Next stop is Yalgorup National Park. Here we view the 600-million-year-old Thrombolites from the boardwalk. These are among the oldest living organisms in the world. Our journey continues with a scenic drive along the estuary and the Dawesville Channel before arriving in Mandurah. You will have some free time in Mandurah to purchase some lunch from one of the many places or simply enjoy a picnic lunch alongside the estuary.

Alternative lunch options:

**Friar Tucks Irish Restaurant** - our hosts will provide you with a lovely two course lunch      **\$69**

**Fish Shack** – you will enjoy tasty fish and chips at the Port Bouvard Marina      **\$60**





# **WILDFLOWER AND GARDEN**

## **50      Chittering Wildflower Spectacle**

**\$49      9.00am-3.30pm**

We set forth this morning to Brigadoon and Bells Rapids where we pause for a typical Club 55 morning tea and time to stroll and relax as the mighty Avon River cascades towards Perth. We continue our journey via Bullsbrook and into the Chittering Valley continuing through the scenic back roads towards Bindoon. On arrival, we stop at the Bindoon bakery renowned for its tasty delights. Here you can purchase your own lunch from their extensive selection. After lunch, we check out some lovely wildflower locations before we wind our way back home.

## **51      Blackboy Ridge and Chittering Wildflowers**

**\$49      9.00am-3.30pm**

We pause for our traditional Club 55 morning tea at Bells Rapids. Our journey continues through the magnificent Chittering Valley where we will stop at Blackboy Ridge where we will check out any wildflowers. Our next stop will be the extremely popular Bindoon Bakery where you can purchase yourself something for lunch. After lunch we travel along some of the scenic back roads in search of more wildflowers before we slowly make our way home via the new Northlink Highway. Alternative lunch venue The Stringybark Winery.

## **52      Tulips of Araluen**

**\$55      9.00am-3.30pm**

We make our way directly to Araluen Botanical park for the annual Tulips Festival. On arrival, we will have our traditional morning tea before free time to explore these magnificent gardens and the impressive displays of Tulips and many other wildflowers that make Araluen home. You may wish to hop on the train which does circuits of the park on a regular basis for a \$3 donation. No rush as you can bring your own lunch and picnic in the park amongst the tulips or there are several food stalls and cafés for those who prefer to buy something. If you prefer a sit-down lunch for your group, we can arrange meals at Kim Valley Chinese, Sizzlers Kelmscott, Old Narrogin Inn or Mason Mills Gardens. After lunch, we visit Jadran Wines for some wine tasting before slowly making our way home.

## **53      Patsy Durack Gardens.**

**\$69      9.00am-3.30pm**

We make our way to a scenic location for our traditional Club 55 morning tea. After morning tea, we visit the impressive Patsy Durack Gardens and hopefully get some gardening tips from Patsy herself. Time now for a scenic drive through the Bickley Valley. Several choices for lunch today, including Kim Valley Chinese, Sizzlers Kelmscott, Old Narrogin Inn, or Kalamunda Hotel. We finish the day with some wine tasting at Jadran Wines. Part proceeds from Patsy Durack Gardens are donated to the Cancer Foundation.

## **54      Club 55's Gardens Tour and Jadran Wines**

**\$55      9.00am-3.30pm**

This morning we will have our morning tea in the magnificent Queens Gardens in Perth. Time now to head for the hills and visit Patsy Durack's Gardens in Kalamunda and maybe get a few gardening hints. Time now for some free time to explore the quint township of Kalamunda. Enjoy a bite to eat at one of the many café's and bakeries or maybe a meal at the historic Kalamunda Hotel? After lunch we will visit the Melville Rose Nursery and finish the day off with some wine tasting at Jadran Wines. Best time September, October and November. Part proceeds from Patsy Durack Gardens are donated to the Cancer Foundation. Meals can be arranged at Mason Mill Gardens, Embers in Gooseberry Hill or, Kalamunda Hotel upon request.

## **55      Romancing the Stone and Garden**

**\$69      9.00am-3.30pm**

When Tom Hogg moved to Lillian Road, Maida Vale in 2000, the half hectare property was a 'jungle mess'. With no landscaping background, the self-taught stone mason transformed the block into a multi-award-winning garden and amphitheater called 'Romancing the Stone' and 'Little Covent Garden' respectively. Morning Tea is provided by Tom on arrival, then Tom will give a wonderful humorous and engaging tour. After our tour we make our way to Kalamunda and the historic Kalamunda Hotel for a single course multiple choice meal including Grilled Barramundi, Chicken Schnitzel, Steak all with chips and salad and Bangers and mash and Lambs Fry. This really is a fun and lighthearted day out!! Free time to have a look around before doing some wine tasting at Jadran Wines.

Monday, Tuesday or Wed. Best time, Autumn and spring.

## **56      Kings Park Festival and Wireless Hill Wildflowers**

**\$55      9.00am-3.30pm**

We make our way directly to Wireless Hill for a delightful Club 55 morning tea. After your morning tea, your coach captain will take you on a guided walk to show you his favourite wildflower spots with abundant spider orchids and prolific kangaroo paws. You will also be given the full history of Wireless Hill and the part it has played in times gone by. Our journey continues via the scenic river drive and Point Walter before arriving at Fisherman's Harbour in Fremantle where we will enjoy some fish and chips for lunch at the Twin Finn. Our day continues as we make our way to Kings Park for some free time to enjoy the magnificent wildflower displays that make a visit to Kings Park so special during the month of September.



## **CHRISTMAS / CHRISTMAS IN JULY**

- 57      Christmas at Dwellingup Hotel      \$69      9.00am-3.30pm**  
We make our way directly to Pinjarra and the Edenvale Homestead where we will have our traditional Club 55 morning tea. Free time to check out the homestead and the craft shop. Our journey continues onto Dwellingup with remarkably interesting commentary on the history of the area including the old POW Camp which was the biggest in the state. Free time to check out the interesting craft shops in Dwellingup before sitting down and enjoying our Christmas lunch with all the trimmings at the newly renovated Dwellingup Hotel. Owner Ross and his team provide fantastic service. After lunch, we slowly make our way home with a bit of a sing along to keep us all merry.
- 58      Christmas at Stringy Bark Winery      \$79      9.00am-3.30pm**  
We head off for a traditional Club 55 picnic morning at Whiteman park where you will have free time to visit the Craft village or the Motor Museum. We continue our journey into the beautiful Chittering Valley stopping along the way to sample and purchase tree-fresh fruit at the Golden Grove Orchard. Next stop is the Stringy Bark Winery where we can relax, taste the latest vintage and enjoy a hearty Christmas lunch. After a delightful visit, we will slowly make our way back to home with a stop in the Swan Valley for wine or chocolate tastings.
- 59      Christmas at The Victoria Hotel      \$75      9.00am-3.45pm**  
We enjoy our traditional morning tea at the scenic Noble Falls. As our journey continues into the scenic Avon Valley. We take the scenic drive along the Avon River into Toodyay. On arrival in Toodyay we will do a tour of the town including pointing out the historic Newcastle Jail and other points of interest. Time now for our Christmas lunch at the historic Victoria Hotel. Free time to wander the many shops, including two local op shops, Coca Cola Museum, Christmas Shop, and more before we slowly make our way home.
- 60      Christmas at The Settlers Tearooms York      \$75      9.00am-4.30pm**  
We make our way towards Mundaring where we will enjoy our picnic morning tea. Our journey continues onto Historic York where upon arrival we will visit the Mt Brown lookout with panoramic views over York and surrounding areas. We make our way back into town and our lunch venue the Settlers Tearooms. Here we will enjoy our Christmas celebrations in this lovely setting. After lunch some free time to have a look around before starting on our return journey home.
- 61      Christmas at Castle Hotel York      \$69      9.00am-3.30pm**  
A great day in the Avon Valley. We enjoy our traditional Club 55 morning tea at Mundaring near the old Mundaring train station which now forms part of the heritage railway trail. As we get closer to York your coach captain will provide you with an interesting commentary on the history of WA's first inland town. On arrival, we tour the town and point out all the points of interest. Time now for a magnificent Christmas lunch at the very impressive Castle Hotel with all the trimmings. Free time to have a look around after lunch before slowly making our way home with maybe a sing a long on the way home.
- 62      Christmas at Historic Yanchep Inn      \$69      9.00am-3.30pm**  
Following a delightful Club 55 morning tea amongst the parrots at Neil Hawkins Park, we will travel the new Marmion Avenue extension directly to Yanchep through all the new suburbs that are popping up all over the place. Enjoy the scenic views of Two Rocks Marina and Yanchep Beach Lagoon. We retrace the fateful journey of the Guilt Dragon which sank and was left undiscovered just off the coast here for many years before entering Yanchep National Park. You can stroll around the lake, visit the gallery and gift shop and view the delightful koalas. Time now to enjoy your delicious Christmas lunch in the cozy surrounds of the restored historic Yanchep Inn. After lunch, we slowly making our way home. Excellent meal.
- 63      Christmas at the Dwellingup Hotel      Pick your own Berries      \$69      9.00am-3.30pm**  
We enjoy our morning tea at the scenic North Dandalup Dam before making our way to an orchard where you can pick your own Raspberries and Boysenberries. You can also purchase in season Cherries and other stone fruits. Enjoy a delightful Christmas lunch at the Dwellingup Hotel before making our way back home
- 64      Christmas Lights Tours      North or South of the river      \$49      5.30pm-10.00pm**  
Ho, Ho, Ho, Merry Christmas. Let Club 55 show you the best of the Xmas Lights. Our Xmas Lights Tours can be tailored to suit your group's requirements and include Perth City lights, Kings Park, suburban lights either north or south of the river. Fish and chips will be included at Fremantle or Sorrento Quays depending on the area selected. With Club 55 the choice is yours. Please book well in advance to secure your preferred night to avoid disappointment.

**65      Mandurah Christmas Lights Cruise****\$89      4.00pm-10.00pm**

Do you need to get into the Christmas spirit? Are you looking for an end of year outing? Look no further! We pipe you aboard with Christmas carols and travel directly to Mandurah. On arrival, we will enjoy some fish and chips at Cicerellos. Your boat cruise will take you through the magnificent Mandurah Canals. Marvel at the multimillion-dollar homes dressed up for Christmas with thousands of lights and decorations making this area a fairy wonderland. These tours book out early, so do not leave it till the last minute. Ideally book 3-5 months in advance. Another option is combining this tour with the Mandurah Christmas Pageant and Fireworks. Boat cruise to be paid in full before 1<sup>st</sup> October. Numbers are final at this stage.

## **EVENTS 2021**

Dowerin Field Day	25 <sup>th</sup> & 26 <sup>th</sup> August	\$55	Brunswick Show	23 <sup>rd</sup> October	\$55
Nannup Garden Festival	Aug and Sept	\$60	Country Music Festival Boyanup	20 <sup>th</sup> & 21 <sup>st</sup> Feb	\$55
Fairbridge Festival	10 <sup>th</sup> April	\$50	Truffle Kerfuffle Manjimup	17 <sup>th</sup> July	\$65
Spring in the Valley	TBA	\$45	Harvey Show	24 <sup>th</sup> April	\$55
Balingup Medieval Festival	28 <sup>th</sup> & 29 <sup>th</sup> August	\$60	Northam Show	10 <sup>th</sup> & 11 <sup>th</sup> Sept	\$45
Manjimup Cherry Festival	TBA	\$65	Donnybrook Apple Festival	3 <sup>rd</sup> & 4 <sup>th</sup> April	\$55
Moondyne Joe Festival	2 <sup>nd</sup> May	\$50	Blues at Bridgetown	TBA	\$60

Whilst every effort has been made to make sure the dates are correct, please double check before bookings as the dates may change. Prices are for transport and morning tea only. You will need to pay for your own entry and lunches.

## **EXTENDED TOURS**

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Get a group together for an extended tour

**2 DAY PACKAGES FROM ONLY \$270 INCLUDING ACCOMODATION, DINNER AND BREAKFAST**

<b>66</b>	<b>5 Day Mid-West Wildflowers and Shipwrecks Tour</b>	\$1150 twin share	Single /supp \$290
<b>67</b>	<b>7 Day Kalgoorlie, Esperance and Wave Rock</b>	\$1550 twin share	Single /supp \$390
<b>68</b>	<b>2 Day Busselton and Abbey Beach Resort</b>	\$270 twin share	Single /supp \$85
<b>69</b>	<b>2 Day Collie and Bridgetown</b>	\$270 twin share	Single /supp \$85
<b>70</b>	<b>2 Day Pinnacles and Crayfish</b>	\$270 twin share	Single /supp \$65
<b>71</b>	<b>3 Day Margaret River Augusta and Busselton</b>	\$650 twin share	Single /supp \$150

**SAMPLE:**

<b>72</b>	<b>2 Day Avon Valley and Ghost Tour</b>	\$270 twin share	Single /supp \$50
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**Day 1.** Your day starts with morning tea at the picturesque Noble Falls followed by wine tasting at Jadran Wines. We will continue onto Toodyay where your coach captain will give you a tour around the town followed by free time to purchase lunch from one of the many outlets. Our tour continues with a scenic drive via Katrine then onto Northam, with free time to visit the visitors center and the suspended bridge. Our journey continues onto York where we will visit the Mount Brown Lookout and do a tour of this very historic town. Our accommodation tonight is at the Settlers Inn York. We will enjoy our evening meal before heading out to the History and Ghosts of the Past walking tour. Our local guide Mike will entertain you with a remarkably interesting tour of some of York's old building and scary tales of ghosts and past events. A great night to finish of a great day. You should sleep well tonight, just do not think about the ghosts.

**Day 2.** You will enjoy a delicious breakfast followed by free time to explore the many shops and attractions. We depart York at 11.30am and will travel via Spencer's Brook Road towards Clackline and then onto Bakers Hill where we will stop at the famous Bakers Hill Pie Shop where you can purchase yourself some lunch and maybe take some home. Our journey continues towards Perth via Sawyers Valley and Mundaring, with a quick stop at Mondo Nougat and Morish Nuts.

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As our thanks to you, when numbers exceed 35 passengers a free seat will be given to the social organizer for all their efforts in arranging the tour.

## COVID SAFETY

In order to ensure the safety of our customers we ask that if you are unwell, please stay home.

To make entry into venues smoother, please provide our office with a full list of names and contact phone numbers of each person who is on the coach, alternatively each person will be required to sign in at each location.

## PAYMENT

Full payment is required on the day. Based on the numbers advised 7 days previously or under special circumstances 24 hours prior. No refunds for passengers who fail to show up on the day. There will be a 5% surcharge for non payment on the day.

## NUMBER REQUIREMENTS

The tours listed in our group brochure are based on a minimum of 20 paying passengers or as listed. When you book your tour, you will be asked how many people you anticipate having on the day and based on that we will allocate the appropriate vehicle. If you find that your anticipated numbers change, you simply give us a call and either increase or decrease the size of the vehicle **subject to availability**. Please note some meal venues do require a minimum of 25 passengers.

## WE DO ALL THE HARD WORK FOR YOU

All Club 55 tours are designed to specifically cater for the needs of the over 55's with all tours being conducted at an enjoyable leisurely pace. Sit back and relax and leave everything to us. When you book your tour with Club 55, we will supply you with all the promotional information that you need for your club's notice boards, newsletters as well as supply written confirmation and passenger lists for you. We strongly recommend that where possible you book your outing at least **3 to 6 months in advance**. This will ensure that you secure the dates that you require and that venues are available and will also assist in giving you plenty of time to promote the tour to your members.

## MORNING TEA

Our standard morning tea, which is included on all day tours, provides fruit cake, lamingtons, assorted biscuits and tea or coffee.

## CONFIRMATION OF BOOKING

It is your responsibility to notify us of your passenger numbers a minimum of seven days prior to departure. Venues, morning tea, lunch and vehicles will be based on this number. In the event of minor changes, we need a minimum of **24 hours' notice**. No changes will be accepted after this period and the numbers you have advised us will be the numbers charged for on the day. **Refunds will not be given for passengers that fail to turn up on the day.**

## MEALS AND VENUES

Whilst all care is taken when selecting venues for our tours, Club 55 accepts no liability for service failure or price increases by venues. We act only as an agent on your behalf. We will always endeavor to provide venues to a standard that you expect. Your feedback is always most appreciated to enable us to always strive for the best possible tour packages for your group.



On a final note: we would like to say **THANK YOU** to all our valued customer for supporting Club 55 Travel, you are helping us to do what we love! Tanya loves chatting on the phone and making the arrangements for your tours. Chris loves getting out and about enjoying your company. By supporting us you are helping a West Australian family business to succeed. **THANK YOU!**



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