



SPARK TRAVEL



| 5 Day

MELBOURNE CHRISTMAS

featuring

**CHRISTMAS BUFFET LUCHEON &
'MY FAIR LADY'**

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Fully Escorted From Adelaide

Return Home Transfers

Christmas Day Buffet Luncheon At Amora Hotel Riverwalk

Premium Seats To 'My Fair Lady'

HIGHLIGHTS INCLUDE:

- Chauffeured Home Pick Up Service (zoned area).
- Red Service Premium seats on board The Overland from Adelaide to Melbourne including breakfast, lunch and afternoon tea.
- Fly Melbourne/Adelaide with Virgin Australia.
- 3 nights' in Melbourne at the Best Western Plus Travel Inn.
- Delightful Christmas Day Buffet Luncheon including 3.5 hour drinks package and live music at the Amora Herencia Hotel Riverwalk, Melbourne.
- Premium seats to the Boxing Day Matinee performance of 'My Fair Lady' at the Ian Potter State Theatre in the Arts Centre Melbourne.
- Enjoy a delightful Afternoon Tea at The Hotel Windsor including a glass of 'bubbly.'
- Sights tour of Melbourne, including the beautiful Fitzroy Gardens and the Conservatory, explore the iconic Queen Victoria Markets.

'MY FAIR LADY'

In September, Lerner & Loewe's glorious musical celebrates 70 years since its Broadway debut. This lavish re-creation is based on the 2016 Australian production which was directed by Julie Andrews who was catapulted into stardom when she originated the role of Eliza Doolittle, an irrepressible Cockney flower girl who transforms into a lady of society. 'My Fair Lady' brims with wit, unforgettable characters and a stunning score including 'Wouldn't it be Lovely' 'I Could Have Danced All Night,' and 'Get Me to the Church on Time.' The dazzling cast will include Reg Livermore returning to the role of Alfred P Doolittle, Robyn Nevin reprising the role of Mrs Higgins, Tony Llewellyn-Jones returning as Colonel Hugh Pickering, the much loved Anne Wood as Mrs Pearce and Freddy Hellier in his main stage musical debut in musical theatre as Freddy Eynsford-Hill.



NOTES:

To assist us when booking, please advise your Spark Travel consultant if you have any special needs such as mobility, dietary etc.

****Health and Fitness:** A minimum level of fitness is required in order to be able to participate.

Please inform us at the time of booking of any medical conditions that may affect your ability to participate in the tour. If there are any changes to your medical condition after booking, you must notify us before the commencement of 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.**

****Dietary requests:** Must be accompanied by the appropriate dietary information in writing. It should be noted that meals are in a group situation and we will do our best to comply with any pre-advised dietary requirements.

****Coach seating:** It should be noted that to be fair to all passengers, specific coach seats cannot be reserved.

****Flight seating:** Please note that on tours where flights are involved, the seating within the confines of the group is computer allocated alphabetically by the airlines and beyond the control of Spark Travel.

****Tour extensions** subject to availability and extension booking criteria.

CHAUFFEURED TRANSFERS TO AND FROM YOUR HOME:

Chauffeured transfers apply in the zoned area. These transfers may be available at additional cost to passengers who live outside the zoned area - please ask your Spark Travel consultant. **'HOME PICK UP SERVICE'** will call you **two (2) days** before the commencement of the tour to confirm the time they will be arriving at your home. **If you have missed the call, please contact Spark Travel (08) 8876 5121 a day prior to departure** for your pickup time. **If you reside at a retirement village, please ensure Spark Travel have clear instructions from you as to means of entry and directions to find your home. If you are out of zone there will be an additional payment due, this should be made at the time of booking.** For safety reasons, suitcases should weigh no more than 20kgs. The Adelaide home pick up service only applies to scheduled tour departure and return tour dates. Those passengers wishing to extend their tours will be responsible for their own transfers.

ABOUT OUR TRAIN JOURNEY:

We travel from **Adelaide** to **Melbourne** on The Overland in comfortable **Red Service Premium seats**. You will be seated in either a 2 or 1 seat configuration with only a maximum of 36 seats in the carriage for excellent social distancing. **Your fare includes complimentary breakfast, lunch and afternoon tea.**

ITINERARY:

DAY 01 - THURSDAY, 24 DECEMBER - THE OVERLAND ADELAIDE/MELBOURNE

This morning arrive at **Adelaide Parklands Terminal**.

MEET THE SPARK TRAVEL REPRESENTATIVE IN THE DEPARTURE LOUNGE.

The representative will assist with check in and accompany us to The Overland which departs **Adelaide at 06.55am**. Newly refurbished, **The Overland** is about letting you enjoy the journey. Sit back and relax in a comfortable **Red Service Premium seat with ample leg room** and watch the ever changing scenery pass by as we travel from South Australia into Victoria. A **complimentary breakfast, lunch and afternoon tea** will be served to your seat today. We arrive at **Melbourne Southern Cross Station at 6.50pm**, then transfer to our hotel for the next 3 nights.

(Note: A suitcase with wheels is essential as everyone is responsible for their own baggage.)
Dinner will be provided tonight.

OVERNIGHT: BEST WESTERN PLUS TRAVEL INN. (B,L,A,D)

DAY 02 - FRIDAY, 25 DECEMBER - IN MELBOURNE - CHRISTMAS LUNCHEON

After a morning of relaxation we head off on board our charter coach to our **Christmas Buffet Luncheon** including **3.5 hour drinks package** and **live music** at the **Amora Herencia Hotel Riverwalk Melbourne**, delightfully located on the scenic banks of the Yarra River at Richmond. Enjoy Chef's Carving Station including Roast Turkey Breast, Chicken, roasted Beef Sirloin, a selection of seafoods and vegetables and delicious desserts including traditional Christmas Pudding and mince tarts!

A **light supper** will be provided in the hotel tonight

OVERNIGHT: BEST WESTERN PLUS TRAVEL INN, MELBOURNE. (B,L,S)

DAY 03 - SATURDAY, 26 DECEMBER - IN MELBOURNE - MORNING FREE TIME, PM - 'MY FAIR LADY' AT THE IAN POTTER STATE THEATRE IN THE ARTS CENTRE MELBOURNE

After breakfast at the hotel, enjoy some **free time** this morning - you may wish to explore the nearby Carlton Gardens and Melbourne Museum, enjoy a morning coffee on Lygon Street, or enjoy a relaxing swim in the hotel pool, or even shop the famous Melbourne Boxing Day Sales, the choice is yours.

At **1.00pm** our coach will depart the Travel Inn, this time to the **Ian Potter State Theatre in the Arts Centre Melbourne** for the **2.00pm Matinee Performance** of 'My Fair Lady.' Our coach will later transfer us back to the hotel after the show.

Dinner in the hotel tonight.

OVERNIGHT: BEST WESTERN PLUS TRAVEL INN, MELBOURNE. (B,D)

DAY 04 - SUNDAY, 27 DECEMBER - FLY MELBOURNE/ADELAIDE - MORNING SIGHTS TOUR, AFTERNOON TEA AT THE HOTEL WINDSOR

This morning we check out from our hotel then enjoy a **sights tour** of **Melbourne**. Enjoy the hustle and bustle of a large cosmopolitan city with its tall buildings, clanging trams and outdoor cafes, visit the **Fitzroy Gardens** with superb avenues of huge English elms planted along gently contoured lawns and visit the spectacular **Conservatory**, explore the iconic **Queen Victoria Markets** to maybe snap up a bargain or two!

Enjoy a delightful **Afternoon Tea** at **The Hotel Windsor** including a **glass of 'bubbly'**, after which we re-board our coach and transfer to **Melbourne Airport Terminal 3** for the return **Virgin Australia flight** home. Please have your ID ready for inspection and receive your boarding pass. **5.20pm** Depart Melbourne on VA237, arriving **Adelaide Airport** at **6.10pm. (B,A)**

AT THE END OF YOUR TOUR A HUGHES CAR WILL DRIVE YOU HOME

TOUR COST: Double/twin share: \$3095.00 per person
Single supplement: \$330.00 per person

MEALS: (B) – Breakfast (L) – Lunch (A) – Afternoon Tea
(D) – Dinner (S) – Supper

TOUR INCLUDES:

- Chauffeured transfers from/to your home (zoned area only).
- Escorted from Adelaide by an experienced Spark Travel Tour Manager.
- Travel Adelaide/Melbourne on board The Overland Train in Red Premium seats including breakfast, lunch and afternoon tea.
- Fly Melbourne/Adelaide with Virgin Australia.
- 5 star touring coach.
- 3 nights' accommodation in Melbourne with private facilities.
- 4 breakfasts, 2 lunches, (including Christmas Buffet Luncheon), 2 Afternoon Teas (train & The Hotel Windsor), 2 dinners, 1 supper.
- Christmas Buffet Luncheon at the Amora Herencia Riverwalk Melbourne including 3.5 hour drinks package and live music.
- Premium stalls seats to the Matinee Performance of 'My Fair Lady' at the Ian Potter State Theatre in the Arts Centre Melbourne.
- Delightful Afternoon Tea at The Hotel Windsor.
- Sightseeing as per itinerary.
- Goods and Services Tax.

NOT INCLUDED:

- Meals, morning and afternoon teas, drinks other than indicated in the itinerary.
- Porterage. A suitcase with wheels is recommended - max weight 20kgs plus a small cabin bag maximum weight 7kgs.
- Items of a personal nature.

COVID-19:

No responsibility is taken by Spark Travel or the Event Organisers in regard to Covid-19. It is highly recommended that visitors wear a mask on board flights and whilst in enclosed spaces and we also recommend full vaccination against Covid-19.

IMPORTANT:

Due to OSH requirements, baggage weighing more than 20kgs will **not** be carried by chauffeured driver, Virgin Australia, Journey Beyond or our coach company.

****Conditions Apply****

DOMESTIC TOUR BOOKING CONDITIONS

TRAVEL INSURANCE:

Travel insurance is strongly recommended. Please ask your consultant for details.

EVENTS BEYOND THE CONTROL OF SPARK TRAVEL:

Should an event occur which is beyond the control of Spark Travel, ie: delays to ship, aircraft, train, coach thereby incurring extra expenses, these additional costs are borne by the passenger at the time of the event. A travel insurance claim for reimbursement should be submitted to the insurance company upon return home. Please keep any receipts. It should be understood that neither Spark Travel nor any subsidiary company or representative shall be liable for any loss, injury or damage arising from our services.

ITINERARIES:

Itineraries are subject to change and no responsibility can be accepted. Coach operator and size of coach may be changed at the discretion of Spark Travel without notice. Where a tour does not meet minimum numbers travelling together on the outward journey a cost surcharge will apply. If group numbers fall below 15 adult paying passengers no tour leader will be provided. No itemisation of tour arrangements can be given and no refund for any portion of a tour not taken. Flora and fauna as described in an itinerary is nature and as such cannot be guaranteed.

ACCOMMODATION:

Spark Travel reserves the right to alter hotel/motel accommodation and to substitute a suitable alternative.

HEALTH AND FITNESS:

A minimum level of fitness is required in order to be able to participate. As a minimum 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. Dietary requests must be accompanied by the appropriate dietary information. It is recommended masks be worn on flights and in crowded or inside spaces. To protect yourself and fellow travellers, vaccination against Covid-19 is recommended.

FUEL SURCHARGES AND TAXES:

All bookings may attract additional fuel surcharges and taxes which can be levied up to and including the date of departure even if final payment has been made. Booking is subject to final audit.

SECURITY DEPOSIT:

A non-refundable security deposit of **\$700.00 per person (inc GST)** is required within five (5) days of booking.

FINAL PAYMENTS:

The security deposit forms part of the total price, the balance of which is due 60 days prior to departure, or in the case of bookings made within that 60 day period, the final payment is due as soon as the booking is confirmed.

LATE BOOKINGS AND AMENDMENTS:

Bookings made within 7 days inclusive of departure will incur a **late booking fee of \$90.00 per person**. Late bookings subject to availability. Once a booking has been made a **\$90.00 per person amendment fee** will apply for any alterations on selected departures only, and if applicable, one (1) change only to that booking. Transfers to other tours not permitted.

CREDIT CARDS:

If paying by credit card, a surcharge applies of 2% for Visa and Mastercard.

CANCELLATION CONDITIONS:

- i) We act as an Agent; and
- ii) That our Terms and Conditions are in addition to the Terms and Conditions of each Travel supplier listed on the quote itinerary; and
- iii) That it is the Terms and Conditions of the Travel supplier that determine the terms of cancellation and refunds, if any.

BOOKINGS CANCELLED AFTER THE FINAL PAYMENT HAS BEEN MADE:

- (a) Bookings cancelled 61 days or earlier, full refund less deposit and booking fee and any other non-refundable services or products.
- (b) Bookings cancelled 60 days or less prior to departure will incur a cancellation fee of 100% of the tour cost.
- (c) No refund can be given for any portion of the tour not taken and no refund after the tour has commenced.

Travel Insurance

Travel insurance is strongly recommended for all travel including domestic.

Travel insurance is available to cover you for cancellation including COVID-19.

Please ask your consultant for a quote.

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