

NEPEAN BELLE PADDLEWHEELER

DAY TOUR

Wednesday 16 January 2019



The Nepean Belle is a romantic old-world style Paddlewheeler. Reflecting the grace and charm of yester-year, the "Belle's" interiors are beautifully panelled with stained timbers featuring cedar and teak. There is nothing quite like the nostalgia of the paddlewheels churning, the water lapping against the hulls, reliving the romance and excitement of the paddlewheel era. Cruising the wilderness areas of the Blue Mountains National Park and the Nepean Gorge you are guaranteed an unforgettable experience. Sunlit by day, the sandstone peaks of the Nepean Gorge towering up to 150 metres above the water are a striking backdrop to your cruise and provide great photo opportunities. In the National Park guests are treated to unique views of a largely unexplored wonderland of natural flora and native wildlife - including wombats, wallabies, lizards, eagles, cormorants and even mountain goats! Past "Rocky Island" at Glenbrook Creek the tinkling chorus of bellbirds resonates in song through the Gorge as the boat reaches its turning point at Euroka Creek. Beyond this lies secrets and stories belonging to the mountains and known only to the Aboriginal Dharug people, who settled the Nepean in the centuries before European discovery.

PICK UP TIMES

6:30 am Crawford Street, Queanbeyan

6:50 am Woden, Bay 19

7:10 am West Row Bus Stop, City

7:20 am Riggall Place, Lyneham

Today we head off to Penrith travelling along the Hume Highway before stopping for morning tea en route. We arrive at Penrith and board the 'Nepean Belle' in time for a 2-and-a-half-hour luncheon cruise through the Nepean Gorge and the Blue Mountains National Park. Enjoy the scenery as you listen to the Captain's informative and entertaining commentary. Don't forget your camera for great photo opportunities!

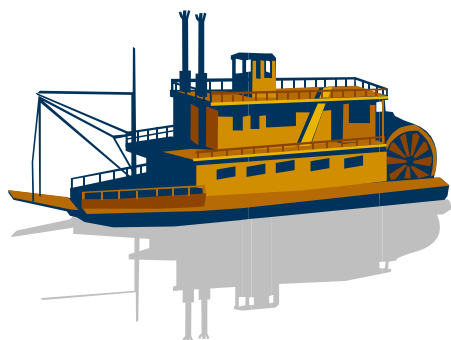
Lunch is a **buffet** including BBQ chicken with chef's seasoning, glazed leg ham platter, sautéed potato with mild cream cheese sauce, a selection of garden salads, pasta salad and French bread. Dessert is the chef's selection that is served to your table with freshly brewed tea or coffee. Drinks will also be available on board (at passengers' own expense, **cash only**).

Mid-afternoon the cruise returns to Penrith and we farewell our friendly hosts and reboard the coach to head back to Canberra and Queanbeyan. On our return journey, we will have a brief comfort stop before arriving back into Queanbeyan to commence drop offs at approximately 6.30-7:00pm.

TRAVEL CLUB MEMBERS: \$125.00pp

NON-MEMBERS: \$145.00pp

COST INCLUDES: Morning tea from the coach, luncheon cruise on Nepean Belle, luxury coach travel and GST.
Please call the office for our Direct Deposit details.



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Bookings, Terms/Conditions and General Information

DAY TOURING PROGRAM

DEPOSITS are required within **14 days** of booking confirming your reservation. If no deposit is received Potter Travel reserves the right to cancel the booking. Deposits are as follows:

Day Tours: \$45.00 per person (non-refundable if cancelled after **16 October 2018**).

Showtime Tours: Ticket cost to be advised by Potter Travel. This amount is non-refundable upon cancellation unless show ticket can be successfully resold.

FINAL PAYMENT is due 2 weeks prior to departure.

CANCELLATION CHARGES: Cancellations or changes to day tours 7 days or less prior to the departure date will now incur a cancellation fee of any pre-paid lunch or non-refundable tour component. Cancellations or changes 48 hours or less incur a 100% cancellation fee. If these conditions vary for a particular tour it will be noted on the front of the itinerary.

Tour Includes: Morning and/or afternoon tea supplied from the coach, entry fees to all attractions and guided tours mentioned in itinerary, tickets to shows (if applicable) as shown in the itinerary, GST and luxury coach travel.

Not Included: Alcoholic beverages or other drinks (except wine tasting), meals not specified or any items of a personal nature.

Potter Travel recommends that Travel Insurance be taken to protect against unforeseen circumstances. Travel Insurance is available through Potter Travel but doesn't have to be taken out with us.

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No guarantees will be given as to the exact arrival and departure times for carriers and operators used by Potter Travel. Drop offs may be in the opposite direction to the pickups depending on the touring route taken.

No reserved seating is available on tour. Passengers suffering from motion or travel sickness are advised to take the necessary precautions.

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*Subject to change, in accordance with National Australia Bank Flexipay Merchant Fees.

WAITLISTED PASSENGERS

Where tours are fully booked any future enquiries will be put onto a waitlist and as cancellations occur the person at the top of the waitlist will be contacted first and offered the seat followed by the second, the third and so on. In the instance that you are unable to be contacted on a daytime telephone number, the seat will be offered to the next person on the waitlist.

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