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SINGAPORE

9 DAY TOUR

Departing: Friday 14 August 2020

Returning: Saturday 22 August 2020



TOUR COST:

\$5395.00 per person Twin/Double Share

\$6835.00 Sole Occupancy

Please call the office for Direct Deposit details.

DAY 1: (IFM) CANBERRA TO SINGAPORE: Friday 14 August 2020

Welcome to our wonderful Singapore tour! This evening we meet at Canberra Airport for our overnight flight with Singapore Airlines directly to Singapore Changi Airport.

DAY 2: (D) SINGAPORE: Saturday 15 August 2020

We arrive into Singapore early morning, where we are welcomed by our local guide and we transfer to our hotel. This will be our base during our time in Singapore, so no need to repack again until we depart for home. Early access to our rooms has been arranged and the remainder of the day is free to rest or explore the city at your leisure. Enjoy a Chinese dinner at Clarke Quay this evening as well as a Bum Boat ride on the Singapore River.

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DAY 3: (BL) SINGAPORE ZOO: Sunday 16 August 2020

This morning we visit the Singapore Zoo, the only place in the world where you can have breakfast with a number of orangutans! After breakfast we spend the morning at this fabulous attraction. Since 1973, Singapore Zoo has been known for having among the most beautiful wildlife park settings in the world, where animals roam freely in open and naturalistic habitats. The 26-hectare wildlife park is nestled within the lush Mandai rainforest that stretches into the magnificent Upper Seletar Reservoir. More than 2,800 animals representing over 300 species of mammals, birds and reptiles call Singapore Zoo home. Many of the animal habitats incorporate special viewing features such as elevated platforms to view the giraffe exhibit, underwater galleries to see the watery worlds of the otters, pygmy hippos and giant estuarine crocodiles, as well as glass observatories to see animals such as the predatory cheetahs and lions. On top of the fascinating perspective of the animals, you get to view them in environments that have been thoughtfully built and landscaped after their habitats in the wild. We enjoy lunch before returning to the hotel for a free afternoon. Dinner is by your own arrangement this evening.

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DAY 4: (BLD) BATTLEFIELDS: Monday 17 August 2020

Today we have a guided tour of the invasion sites covering Lim Chu Kang, Sarimbun beach landings and Kranji Reservoir Park. A memorable event today will be a visit to Kranji War Cemetery, where a simple remembrance ceremony will be arranged. This tour will provide invaluable insight to the Japanese invasion, British preparations and the Australian involvement. Our lunch venue is the Changi Museum's Bark Café and visit the Changi Museum. After lunch, before making our way back to the hotel for some free time, we will drive pass Selarang Barracks and Changi Prison. Dinner this evening is at Legend Hotel on Fort Channing.

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DAY 5: (B) THE SINGAPORE STORY: Tuesday 18 August 2020

This morning we learn to understand and appreciate the amazing story of the 'Little Red Dot', how Singapore overcame severe constraints and their journey to becoming a developed nation at the Chinatown Heritage Centre. We learn about urban planning, housing and water resource management, amongst other things. Our tour includes visits to Singapore City Gallery and the Marina Barrage. After our tour we return to the hotel to relax and enjoy an afternoon at leisure. Dinner is by your own arrangement this evening.

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DAY 6: (BD) SENTOSA ISLAND: Wednesday 19 August 2020

Our touring today takes us to Sentosa Island. Getting there will be an adventure itself as we take the cable car over the island giving us a birds eye view of what we have in store for the day. Our first visit upon arrival onto the island is to S.E.A. Aquarium, the world's largest aquarium and Marine Life Park. After a morning of wonderment viewing a multitude of underwater creatures, we enjoy lunch at our own arrangement and expense. After our lunch break, we return to the hotel where the afternoon is at your leisure. Tonight dinner is at the hotel.

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DAY 7: (BLD) CULTURAL EXPLORATIONS: Thursday 20 August 2020

Our coach meets us this morning for our guided tour of Peranakan Museum in the Katong district. We view popiah rolling, beading and dumpling demonstrations. We will enjoy a Peranakan Set Lunch and then return to our hotel. This evening we visit the Sky Park Observation Deck at Marina Bay Sands for spectacular views over the city and the harbour. After enjoying the magnificent views of Singapore and the harbour we enjoy dinner at a popular Singapore venue before returning to the hotel.

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DAY 8: (BD) SINGAPORE GARDEN FESTIVAL: Friday 21 August 2020

This morning we visit the Gardens by the Bay located at the edge of Marina Reservoir and the main venue for the Singapore Garden Festival. Spanning 101 hectares, this award winning horticultural attraction houses over 250 thousand rare plants with two unique conservatories—the Flower Dome and Cloud Forest. We have the whole morning here and entry includes admission into these two conservatories. Dinner is at the hotel this evening.

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DAY 9: (BIFM) SINGAPORE TO CANBERRA: Saturday 22 August

After breakfast we farewell the staff at our accommodation as our coach transfers us back to Changi Airport in time to board our flight home, departing mid-morning and arriving into Canberra late evening to complete a great trip away.



TERMS AND CONDITIONS

DEPOSIT is required within 14 days of booking confirming your reservation. If no deposit is received, Potter Travel reserves the right to cancel the booking. Deposit is **\$500.00 per person**.

FINAL PAYMENT: MONDAY 04 MAY 2020

CANCELLATION TERMS & CONDITIONS:

Reservations that are cancelled prior to **Mon 04 May 2020**: Loss of \$50.00 administration fee and a \$200 airline deposit
Reservations that are cancelled on or after **Mon 04 May 2020** and prior to **Fri 19 June 2020** loss of 50% of total tour cost.
Reservations that are cancelled on or after **Fri 19 June 2020** loss of 100% of total tour cost.

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Additional fees and surcharges: Changes to your booking and or name changes will incur a \$200 fee. If your cancellation **affects our minimum group numbers**, Potter Travel reserves the right to impose further cancellation fees in addition to those noted above. Potter travel reserves the right to pass on any additional fees or surcharges imposed by the airlines or wholesaler with or without notice. If the tour is cancelled due to natural disasters or other circumstances beyond our control, a cancellation fee may be payable by passengers depending on charges we have already incurred on your behalf.

The prices shown on this itinerary are in Australian dollars and are based on rates of exchange as at **29 September 2019**. Prices may be subject to change during the validity of this brochure due to international currency fluctuations and other factors beyond our control. Prices are per person based on a twin share or double share room. A single supplement is payable if a guaranteed single room is required. The information presented in this itinerary was correct to the best of our knowledge at the time of printing. **Travel arrangements are by World Express Singapore in conjunction with Potter Travel.** The company reserves the right to vary the itinerary in any way at any time it deems necessary; to cancel the tour due to insufficient numbers or as the result of circumstances outside the company's control that would adversely affect the tour; and accepts no responsibility or liability for delays, accidents, injury, irregularity or damage caused by other operators used for the operation of the tour.

INCLUSIONS: This tour is fully escorted from Australia and by a local guide in Singapore. The group is subject to **minimum numbers of 20 passengers**. Economy class airfares from Canberra, Australia to Singapore and return and all taxes* (***taxes are subject to change by the airlines, with or without notice, until the airline tickets are paid in full and the tickets are issued**). Flights to and from Singapore are operated by Singapore Airlines. This trip also includes breakfast, lunch and dinner as stated on the itinerary. Meals included are identified by the symbols, B = Breakfast, L = Lunch, D = Dinner. Hotel accommodation is based on quality hotels with private facilities. Transport by coach as specified in the itinerary. Airport arrival & departures in Singapore include group hotel transfers. World Express English speaking tour guide throughout. All transfers and admissions for sightseeing as specified in the itinerary. **EXCLUSIONS: Fares do not include: 1) Meals other than those included in the itinerary. 2) Room Service. 3) Items of a personal nature, drinks, telephone calls, laundry etc. 4) Travel Insurance 5) Passports & Visas 6) Porterage at airports 7) Gratuities and 8) Optional tours.**

PASSPORT & VISA INFO: A valid passport with a minimum validity of six months is required for this tour. Please provide us with a photocopy of your passport for our records. Australian passport holders do not require visas for Singapore for a stay under 90 days. If you are not travelling on an Australian passport you may require a visa or a re-entry permit for Australia. Please check with your consulate.

AIRLINE TICKETS: The name on your airline ticket **MUST** be **EXACTLY** the same as your **PASSPORT** (which must have a minimum validity of six months). Potter Travel is not responsible if you are denied boarding the aircraft because you have not advised us of your correct name. Our airfare is based on a minimum group size of 10 passengers travelling on the same flights. If group size falls below 10, an additional airfare cost will be payable by all passengers travelling. The airfare & taxes are subject to change with or without notice and can only be guaranteed once full payment has been made and tickets are issued. Travel is valid on Singapore Airlines flights as per the itinerary. Airline tickets are non-refundable & non-transferable and penalties may apply for changes or amendments (i.e. if names given to Potter Travel when booking are incorrect and amendments or corrections requires a ticket re-issue). Cost for amendments to airline tickets are from \$200 per action. In these events we will bill you for any airline costs incurred by you for actions such as cancellation fees and/or charges requested by you in addition to our own administration fee.

BAGGAGE ALLOWANCE: The baggage allowance is for 1 x 30kg suitcase (checked in luggage) on tour person plus 1 piece of carry on luggage (maximum 7kg). Please label baggage. Any excess baggage charges are the responsibility of the passenger and paid for at the point of departure by the passenger.

TRAVEL INSURANCE: We strongly recommend that you are adequately insured for the duration of your tour with full comprehensive travel insurance. Potter Travel can provide you with details on SureSave Travel Insurance. Please contact us for further information.

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