



PUBLIC DAY TOURS BROCHURE 2020

(To book: please call Liam & Alison on 4325 4053 or book online at connectcoaches.com.au)

- **Morpeth & Ducks in the Field - Friday 7th August, 2020** *(limited tickets for this event)*
Venue: Morpeth & Duckenfield **Cost:** \$105 Includes ^home pick-up & drop-off bus service, return transfer to venues, & high tea ***Itinerary:** 8.30am: Depart Tuggerah with comfort stop enroute to venue 9.45-11.15am: Free time to explore Morpeth 11.30am-1.30pm: High Tea at Ducks in the Field 3pm: Arrive back at Tuggerah & begin home drop off service
- **Parramatta Heritage Tour – Thursday 20th August, 2020** *(pending confirmation from Parramatta Historical Society)*
Venue: Parramatta **Cost:** \$88 Includes ^home pick-up & drop-off service, morning tea, guided tour & lunch ***Itinerary:** 7.30-8.30am: Home pick up service 9.30-10am: Morning tea 10.45am Guided tour of Hambledon Cottage 11.45am: Drive by tour of Experiment Farm, Elizabeth Farm & Female Orphan School 12.15pm Lunch at Vikings Sports Club, Dundas 1.15pm Inspection of "V by Crown" Archaeological Site (convict ruins) 2.00pm Drive by tour - Parramatta Park and CBD 5-5.30pm: Arrive at Kariong & commence home drop off service
- **Tanglin Lodge Alpaca Farm – Thursday 3rd September, 2020** - sold out
Venue: Hawkesbury Shire **Cost:** \$95 Includes ^home pick-up & drop-off bus service, morning tea (Devonshire Tea), return transfer to venue, entry into venue & 2 course lunch (BBQ lunch & dessert) ***Itinerary:** 8.15am: Depart Kariong with comfort stop enroute to venue 10.15am – 2.15pm: Tanglin Lodge Alpaca Farm 4.30pm: Arrive back on the Coast
- **Berry Country Fair - Sunday 6th September, 2020** *(pending confirmation from Berry Market Organisers)*
Venue: Berry **Cost:** \$60 Includes ^home pick-up & drop-off bus service, return transfer to Berry & morning tea (juice, bottled water & homemade goods) ***Itinerary:** 6:30-7:30am: Home pick-up service 7:30am: Depart Kariong (there will be a couple of comfort stops & morning tea will be served enroute to Berry) 11am-2:30am: Berry Country Fair 5:30pm: Arrive back at Kariong & commence home drop-off service
- **Wallis Lakes Cruise – Friday 11th September, 2020** *(limited tickets for this event)*
Venue: Forster **Cost:** \$105(Concession)/\$110(Adult) - Includes ^home pick-up & drop-off service, return coach transport, morning tea, lunch & 2.5hour cruise ***Itinerary:** 7:30am: Depart Central Coast 8.30-9am: Morning tea (cool drink & homemade goods) 11.30am – 2pm: Eco-cruise & lunch onboard the Free Spirit vessel 5.30pm: Arrive back on the Coast & commence home drop off service
- **Joadja Town - A Southern Highlands Adventure - Tuesday 15th September, 2020** *(limited tickets)*
Tours of the Joadja Historic Site (an old kerosene shale mining town) run for approx. 90 minutes and are conducted using a purpose-built people mover. After the tour of the ruins & lunch, we will also visit the Joadja Distillery.
Venue: Southern Highlands **Cost:** \$110 - Includes ^home pick-up & drop-off service, morning tea, guided tour, lunch & tastings at the distillery ***Itinerary:** 7 - 8am: Home pick up service 8am: Depart the Central Coast 11.30am – 3pm Joadja Town 6:30pm: Arrive back on the Central Coast & commence home drop off service
- **Sydney Zoo - Friday 18th September, 2020** *(limited tickets)*
Venue: Bungarribee **Cost:** \$80(Concession)/\$90(Adult) Includes home pick up & drop off service, return transfer to venue, morning tea & zoo entry ***Itinerary:** 8.30am: Depart Kariong 9.30am: Morning tea at Cumberland State Forest 10.45am-3pm: Depart venue 5pm: Arrive back at Kariong & commence home drop off service
- **Camden Country Tour – Tuesday 22nd September, 2020** *(limited tickets for this event)*
Venue: Camden **Cost:** \$75 Includes home pick up & drop off service, morning tea, guided tour of Wivenhoe historic house & 90 min. guided coach tour of Camden ***Itinerary:** 8am: Depart Kariong 9am: Comfort stop & morning tea 10.30-11.30am: Guided tour of Wivenhoe 11.45am-1pm: Lunch in town (not included) 1.15-2.45pm – Tour of Camden
- **Sydney Zoo - Thursday 24th September, 2020** - sold out
Venue: Bungarribee **Cost:** \$80(Concession)/\$90(Adult) Includes home pick up & drop off service, return transfer to venue, morning tea & zoo entry ***Itinerary:** 8.30am: Depart Kariong 9.30am: Morning tea at Cumberland State Forest 10.45am-3pm: Depart venue 5pm: Arrive back at Kariong & commence home drop off service



- **Nepean Belle Paddlewheeler – Wednesday 30th September, 2020** *(limited tickets for this event)*
Venue: Penrith **Cost:** \$105 Includes ^ home pick-up & drop-off bus service, morning tea, 2.5hour cruise & 2 course lunch
***Itinerary:** 8.30am: Depart the Central Coast 9.30-10am: morning tea 11.30am-2.30pm: Lunch Cruise 5pm: Arrive at Kariong & begin home drop off service
- **Cockatoo Island & Parramatta River – Thursday 1st October, 2020**
Venue: Sydney **Cost:** \$55 Includes ^home pick-up & drop-off service, coach transport & morning tea
***Itinerary:** 8:15am: Depart Central Coast 9:45am: Morning tea – Bradfield Park, Milsons Point
 10:45am: Circular Quay - Catch ferry to Cockatoo Island 11:15am – 1:15pm: time to explore the island & purchase lunch from the café (or bring your own) 1:30 – 2:10pm: 40 min. cruise along the Parramatta River aboard a Sydney RiverCat 2:15pm: Meet coach driver at Olympic Park Wharf & depart for the Central Coast (NB passengers to bring own Opal card; tour of Cockatoo Island is self-guided)
- **Berry Country Fair - Sunday 4th October, 2020**
Venue: Berry **Cost:** \$60 Includes ^home pick-up & drop-off bus service, return transfer to Berry & morning tea (juice, bottled water & homemade goods) ***Itinerary:** 6:30-7:30am: Home pick-up service 7:30am: Depart Kariong (there will be a couple of comfort stops & morning tea will be served enroute to Berry) 11am-2:30am: Berry Country Fair 5:30pm: Arrive back at Kariong & commence home drop-off service
- **Ferry from Nelson Bay to Tea Gardens – Wednesday 7th October, 2020**
Venue: Nelson Bay/Tea Gardens **Cost:** \$78 Includes ^home pick-up & drop-off service, morning tea, return transport & one way ferry fare ***Itinerary:** 7 - 8am: Home pick up service 9.15-9.45am: Morning tea at Finnan Park, Raymond Terrace 11.15am-12.15pm: Catch ferry across to the Tea Gardens 12.30-2.30pm: Purchase lunch & enjoy the Tea Gardens (lunch not included in price) 5.30pm: Arrive back on the Central Coast & commence home drop off service
- **Hunter Valley Saturday Sampler – Saturday 10th October, 2020**
Venue: Pokolbin **Cost:** \$75 Includes ^ home pick up & drop off service, return coach transport to the Hunter Valley, wine tasting at 2 vineyards + a visit to a cellar door, chocolate/fudge samples & bottled water ***Itinerary:** 8:30am: Depart the Coast after home pick ups 10am-12pm: wine tasting 12:15-1:45pm: Lunch at Harrigan’s Irish Pub (not included in price) 2-3pm: Roche Estate (wine tasting at Tempus Two; visit Smelly Cheese Shop to purchase cheese & gelato) 3:15-3:45pm: Pokolbin Chocolate & Jam Co. 5pm: Arrive back on the Coast & commence home drop-off service
- **Northern Beaches Explorer - Tuesday 13th October, 2020**
Venue: Northern Beaches **Cost:** \$55 Includes ^home pick-up & drop-off service, return coach transport, morning tea & tour of some of the sights of the northern beaches ***Itinerary:** 8.30am: Depart Central Coast 10am Morning tea at McCarrs Creek Reserve 10:30am: After morning tea, we follow the coastline, passing through some of the well-known northern beaches of Sydney then stop for lunch at Manly (passengers to purchase). After lunch, we travel to North Head, then follow some of the harbourside suburbs before arriving back at 5.30pm
- **Symbio Wildlife Park – Thursday 15th October, 2020**
Venue: Helensburgh **Cost:** \$85 (Senior/Concession)/\$90(Adult) Includes ^home pick-up & drop-off service, morning tea, return transfer to venue, entry into venue ***Itinerary:** 7 - 8am: Home pick up service 8am: Depart Kariong 9am: Comfort/Morning Tea stop (bottled water/juice & homemade goods) 10.30am – 2.30pm Symbio Wildlife Park
- **Wildwood Gardens in Spring – Monday 19th October, 2020**
Venue: Bilpin **Cost:** \$80 Includes ^ home pick-up & drop-off bus service, entry into venue, morning tea & lunch
***Itinerary:** 8am: Depart the Central Coast 9-9.30am: morning tea 11.30am-2.30pm: Wildwood Gardens 5-5.30pm: Arrive at Kariong & begin home drop off service
- **Tocal College & Homestead Wednesday 21st October, 2020**
Venue: Patterson **Cost:** \$95 Includes home pick up & drop off service, return transfer to venue, morning tea, lunch & guided tour ***Itinerary:** 8.30am: Depart Central Coast 9.30-10am: Morning tea at Morpeth 10.30am-3pm guided tour (2 hours) followed by a hot lunch with dessert, tea/coffee in the Dining Hall. Then a short tour of some of the College buildings and a tour of the farm, finishing up at the Dairy in time for the afternoon milking 5pm: Arrive back on the Coast



- A Taste of the Middle East – Friday 23rd October, 2020 - selling quickly**
Venue: Sydney (Auburn/Granville) **Cost:** \$95 Includes home pick up & drop off service, morning tea, guided tour of the Auburn Gallipoli Mosque & lunch at a local eatery in Granville ***Itinerary:** 8.30am: Depart Kariong 9.30am: M/tea 11am - 12pm – Guided tour of mosque 12.30 – 2pm – Lunch at Hawa Lebanese Cuisine, Granville 2.30pm – Visit ‘El Sweetie’, Granville (Lebanese pastries) 4.30-5pm: Arrive back on the Coast
- Tin City 4WD Adventure - Monday 26th October, 2020 - selling quickly**
Venue: Port Stephens **Cost:** \$98 Includes home pick up & drop off service, return transfer to venue, morning tea & 90 minute 4WD tour from Anna Bay to Tin City ***Itinerary:** 8am: Depart Tuggerah 9am: Quick comfort stop & morning tea (bottled water, juice & homemade goods) 10-11.30am 4WD tour 12.15-2.15pm: Lunch (not included) at Nelson Bay 4.30pm: Arrive back at Tuggerah & begin home drop off service
- SOUTH COAST 2 DAY ADVENTURE** **Dates:** Sat. 31st Oct - Sun. 1st Nov, 2020
Venue: South Coast **Cost:** \$337 (double/twin share) / \$417 (single) **Day 1:** C/Coast to Shoalhaven Heads via Kiama
Day 2: Shoalhaven Heads to C/Coast via Kangaroo Valley & Berry *Please look online or ask us for a brochure*
- Bingo Afloat on Newcastle Harbour – Wednesday 4th November 2020**
Venue: Newcastle **Cost:** \$100 Includes ^ home pick up & drop off service, return coach transport to Newcastle, a 3 hour cruise, Devonshire morning tea, plated lunch & dessert, games of bingo, trivia, name that tune, prize giveaways & Captain's commentary ***Itinerary:** 9-9:30am: Depart the Coast 11am - 2pm: Bingo Afloat Cruise
- Sculpture By The Sea – Thursday 5th & Friday 6th November, 2020**
Venue: Bondi Beach **Cost:** \$75 Includes ^home pick-up & drop-off service in selected suburbs over the two days (ask Liam or Alison for more information), return transport, morning tea & lunch (a choice of wraps & a cool drink) OR \$65 if meeting at Kariong pick-up point OR \$70 if meeting at Tuggerah or West Gosford pick-up points
Itinerary: 8:30am: depart Kariong 9:30-10am: morning tea 11am-2pm: Bondi Beach 4pm: Arrive back at Kariong
- Nan Tien Buddhist Temple – Tuesday 10th November, 2020**
Venue: Wollongong **Cost:** \$80 Includes ^home pick-up & drop-off service, return transfer to venue, morning tea, tour of venue & lunch ***Itinerary:** 8.15am: Depart Kariong after home pick ups 9.15am: Comfort/morning tea stop 11.30am-2.30pm Guided tour, lunch & cultural activity (Tai Chi) at venue 5.30pm Arrive back at Kariong
- Watsons Bay & Vacluse House – Thursday 12th November, 2020**
Venue: Eastern Suburbs, Sydney **Cost:** \$70 Includes ^home pick-up & drop-off bus service, morning tea & guided tour of Vacluse House (ferry fare not included) ***Itinerary:**8:30am: Depart the Central Coast 9:15am: Morning tea at Wahroonga Park 10:45am: Catch ferry from Circular Quay to Watsons Bay 11:15am-1:15pm: Lunch at Watsons Bay (not included in price) & a quick stop at The Gap 1:30pm: guided tour of Vacluse House 3pm - depart Eastern Suburbs for the Central Coast
- Lunch on the Lake – Friday 13th November, 2020**
Venue: Lake Macquarie **Cost:** \$110 Includes ^home pick-up & drop-off service, return transfer to venue, morning tea, 2.5hour cruise, BBQ buffet lunch with dessert, tea/coffee ***Itinerary:** 9.30am: Depart Tuggerah after home pick ups 10.30-11am: Morning tea 12-2.30pm: Cruise & lunch onboard the Lady Mac 3:30-4pm: Arrival time back at Tuggerah
- Hunter Valley Gardens & High Tea – Wednesday 18th November, 2020**
Venue: Pokolbin **Cost:** \$100 Includes ^ home pick up & drop off service, return coach transport to the Hunter Valley, garden entry, 35 minute train ride & high tea including tea/coffee (other drinks can be purchased by passengers on the day) OR \$90 if meeting at our Kariong or Tuggerah meeting point ***Itinerary:** 8:30am: Depart the Coast after home pick ups 10-10:30am: morning tea 10:30am-2:30pm: Hunter Valley Gardens 4pm: Arrive back at Tuggerah
- Newcastle Explorer – Friday 20th November, 2020**
Venue: Morpeth, Nelson Bay, Newcastle **Cost:** \$60 Includes ^home pick-up & drop-off bus service & morning tea
***Itinerary:**8:30am: Depart the Central Coast 10am: Morning tea at Morpeth 12:30pm: Lunch at Nelson Bay (passengers to purchase) 2:30pm: Depart Nelson Bay & drive through Newcastle, stopping at Stockton Beach then via the coast road back to the Central Coast 5:30pm: Arrive back on C/Coast



- **Hunter Valley Gardens Christmas Lights Spectacular**

Date: Thursday 3rd December, 2020 (back-up date: 8/12/2020) **Venue:** Pokolbin **Cost:** \$110
Includes ^home pick-up & drop-off service, return transport to venue, entry into the Gardens for the Lights Display & dinner (meal only) at Harrigans Irish Pub ***Itinerary:** 4:15pm: Depart the Central Coast 5.45-7:15pm: Dinner at Harrigans 7:30-9:30pm: View lights display at the HV Gardens 11:00pm: Approximate arrival time back on the Coast

- **Berry Country Fair - Sunday 6th December, 2020**

Venue: Berry **Cost:** \$60 Includes ^home pick-up & drop-off bus service, return transfer to Berry & morning tea (juice, bottled water & homemade goods) ***Itinerary:** 6:30-7:30am: Home pick-up service 7:30am: Depart Kariong (there will be a couple of comfort stops & morning tea will be served enroute to Berry) 11am-2:30am: Berry Country Fair 5:30pm: Arrive back at Kariong & commence home drop-off service

- **Christmas at The Carrington – Thursday 10th-Friday 11th December, 2020**

Venue: Blue Mountains **Cost:** \$361 (double/twin share) / \$456 (single) **Day 1:** C/Coast-Springwood-Wentworth Falls-Leura-Katoomba **Day 2:** Katoomba-Hartley-Blackheath-Bilpin-C/Coast
Please look online or ask us for a brochure for more information.

- **Christmas at The Waterview – Wednesday 16th December, 2020**

Venue: Berowra Waters **Cost:** \$100 Includes ^home pick-up & drop-off service, return transfer to venue, a sherry on arrival & three course lunch with drinks (wine, orange juice, tea/coffee) ***Itinerary:** 9-10am: home pick-up service 10am: depart Kariong (there will be a comfort stop enroute to venue) 11.45am-2.30pm: Lunch & performance by Lonnie Lee 4pm: Arrive back at Kariong

++ **FOR THOSE WHO ENJOY THE THEATRE & LIVE PERFORMANCES:**
(pending confirmation from venues & ticketing agency)

- **The Wharf Revue - Date:** Wed. 9th September, 2020 **Venue:** Glen St Theatre, Belrose
Cost: \$115 - Includes ^home pick-up & drop-off bus service, return coach transport, morning tea & one ticket to the 11am show (Rows I & J)

Day Tour Bookings, Payment & Further Information:

Payment must be received by the due date which is printed on the invoice. If payment has not been received by the due date & alternate arrangements have not been made by contacting Liam or Alison, Connect Coaches reserves the right to consider this booking cancelled & to reissue this ticket to another person. Book online at www.connectcoaches.com.au or contact us on **4325 4053** for further information. Cheques made payable to 'Connect Coaches'. *NB: *Times indicated are approximations only. ++Refunds cannot be issued for shows unless we can resell your ticket. ^ Home pick up/drop off service applies to those passengers who live within our pick up area on the Central Coast. See our website for map or call us to find out if you are within this area on 4325 4053. We will contact you a few days before the tour to confirm your pick-up time & location. Day tours will usually only go ahead if 10 people have booked & paid. Refunds or credits for day tours(Connect Coaches' component only) will usually only be issued if at least 72 hours notice is provided.*