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### **Previous Clients**

"The whole tour was amazing and one that the girls and staff will treasure forever. I would recommend Sweet Chariot to other schools"

Jon Shorrocks RGS Worcester Australia Tour













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#### **Itinerary:**

#### **Day 1**

Meet up at **London Heathrow Airport** in the late afternoon, where a representative from Sweet Chariot will assist you with your group check in for your **Emirates** flight to Dubai....

#### **Day 2**

On arrival in **Dubai**, connect on to your flight to **Brisbane** (via Singapore) – overnight in flight......

#### <u>Day 3</u>

On arrival in **Brisbane** in the State of Queensland, Australia, you will be met by a local Sweet Chariot representative as well as your coach and driver and from here you will be transferred to your **Surfer's Paradise Hotel** where you will be accommodated for the first 3 nights of the tour on a bed and breakfast basis.

#### **Day 4**

Breakfast at leisure, after which enjoy your 2 hour surf lesson with professional instructors from the **Cheyne Horan Surf School**. This afternoon you will transfer to your:

#### Match 1 Hockey -v- Local Side

After the game, there will be some post-match hospitality and at a time to suit, you will return to your accommodation.



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#### **Day 5**

After breakfast enjoy a morning of sightseeing – perhaps a visit to the local waterpark? This afternoon you will then transfer on to your:

#### Match 2 Hockey -v- Local Side

After the game, there will be some post-match hospitality and at a time to suit, you will be transferred back to your accommodation.

#### Day 6

After breakfast and checking out of your accommodation, you will be transferred to **Brisbane Airport** for your flight to **Cairns**. On landing in Cairns, you will be transferred to the **Cairns Colonial Club** where you will be spending the next 3 nights of your tour on a B&B basis.

#### Day 7

Morning free to enjoy the facilities at the CCC. This afternoon you will transfer to your:

#### Match 3 Hockey -v- Local Side

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#### **Day 8**

Today, after breakfast, you will be collected from the CCC at **07.00** for a transfer to the Cairns Marina and the sailing up to Port Douglas - from here the day will go as follows:

**10.00** Depart from Port Douglas for the Outer Barrier Reef. A marine biologist presentation and a snorkelling demonstration take up the next hour or so.

**11.30** Arrive at the Outer Barrier Reef where the reef activities commence.

**12.00** A sumptuous buffet lunch is served between 12.00 and 13.30 depending on what you choose to do for your reef activities.

**13.30** Lunch finishes and you can spend the next hour or so enjoying more reef activities or simply relaxing on deck.

**15.00** Depart from the reef for the sailing back to Port Douglas.

**16.30** Arrive back in Port Douglas and transfer back to the CCC by coach or boat.

#### Day 9

After breakfast, check out of your accommodation and transfer back to Cairns Airport for your flight to Sydney. On landing in **Sydney** and clearing customs, you will be transferred by coach to your hotel, where you will be based for the night on a B&B basis. (Teachers will be checked in for the final 5 nights)





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#### **Day 10**

After breakfast, enjoy some free time in Sydney. This afternoon you will transfer to your:

#### Match 4 Hockey -v- Local Side

After the game, there will be some post-match hospitality after which the students will meet their first hosts of the tour and make their way home with them for the next 2 nights.

#### **Day 11**

Breakfast with your hosts before you meet at the school in time for your tour of Sydney including a **Sydney Harbour Luncheon Cruise**. After the boat docks, make your way to the world famous **Sydney Harbour Bridge** and join your climbing guide for your journey to the top of the bridge and the best views of Sydney. After your decent, return to the school in time for your:

#### Match 5 Hockey -v- Host Side

After the game, there will be some post-match hospitality after which you will go home with your hosts.

#### **Day 12**

After breakfast say good bye to your first hosts and you will then be free for further sightseeing with your coach and driver. Whatever you decide, you will transfer in the afternoon to meet up with your second hosts of the tour, for the final 2 nights of the tour. Students go home with hosts and staff return to the hotel.



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#### **Day 15**

.....and eventual arrival into **London Heathrow** where you will need to collect your luggage, clear customs and disperse home with many happy memories of your tour.



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#### **Inclusions**

- > All scheduled flights as indicated in the suggested programme, including ticketing fees and airport taxes. The price shown in this quotation includes current taxes along with security and fuel charges.
- > a coach and driver to be with you throughout your time in Australia
- > 7 nights of B&B accommodation, in 3\* hotels (3 nights in Surfers Paradise, 3 nights in Cairns and 1 nights in Sydney) in triple/guad bedded rooms twins and singles for the staff/management.
- ➤ The arrangement and co-ordination of 4 nights of billeted accommodation with host schools for the students (staff to be accommodated in 3\* hotels for these 4 nights on a B&B basis)
- > The organisation and co-ordination of 6 matches hockey matches
- > Cheyne Horan Surf School lesson (2 hour beginner lesson)
- > Great Barrier reef visit including lunch and snorkeling equipment
- > Sydney Harbour cruise with lunch
- Sydney Harbour Bridge climb
- > A meet and greet on arrival
- > 24 hour on call support from our Head Office in Epsom during the tour

#### **Kit Included**

- Waterproof Jackets for all staff
- > Team wheelie kit bag
- > Backpacks for all passengers