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*Discover & Explore*  
***Australia & New Zealand***  
*With Simi Valley Chamber of Commerce*



Trip preview: April 14, kindly RSVP

***Departing September 18-29, 2009***

*To RSVP for trip preview and for more information, please contact  
Michele Bennett at (805) 526-3900*

***All Inclusive \$3,589***

# Discover & Explore Australia & New Zealand

Sydney, Australia

## Highlights:

- Round trip scheduled airfare
- Round trip transfers between airports and hotels
- Hotel luggage handling
- 2 nights in the Alpine resort of Queenstown, New Zealand
- 1 night in a New Zealand home
- 1 night in Christchurch, New Zealand
- 2 nights in Melbourne, Australia
- 3 nights in Sydney, Australia
- 8 meals including 4 full breakfasts, Aussie sheep station BBQ lunch, and 3 dinners featuring a sunset Sydney Harbor cruise
- A unique opportunity to meet with business leaders
- City tour of Christchurch, Melbourne, Canberra (Australian Capital), and Sydney
- Visit an Aussie sheep station
- Tour a New Zealand farm with your overnight hosts
- Discovery Program guide

## Preferred Hotels:

- New Zealand Rydges or Copthorne hotels
- Melbourne the Radisson or Sebel
- Sydney the Sebel or Holiday Inn



Melbourne, Australia

## QUEENSTOWN, NEW ZEALAND

“Pure inspiration” awaits you in Queenstown, New Zealand. Surrounded by majestic mountains and nestled on the shores of Lake Wakatipu, Queenstown is New Zealand’s premier four season lake and alpine resort. From adventure to downtown sophistication, there is something for everyone.

## MILFORD SOUND, NEW ZEALAND

In Maori legend, the fiords were created not by rivers of ice, but by Tu Te Raki Whanoa, a godly figure who shaped the fiordland coast with his magical ax while he sings his powerful chants. Milford Sound is without doubt his finest sculpture. Go on an optional tour of the city or explore the city on your own.

## “LIVE LIKE A LOCAL”

An unprecedented experience for one and all...today, you'll travel north along the countryside, taking in magnificent views along the way...you'll make a few stops before meeting your hosts for the evening. Tonight, you'll be the guest of a local New Zealand family and experience traditional home cooking as you “live like a local.”

## CHRISTCHURCH, NEW ZEALAND

Known as the “garden city,” Christchurch boasts spectacular parks and gardens. Located in

the heart of the city is the Cathedral Square Market. While here, visit the casino, walk through Victoria Square, venture down to the banks of River Avon, or jump on board of the heritage trams and enjoy an adventure through town!

## MELBOURNE, AUSTRALIA

Known as a “style-setter,” Melbourne is home to a non-stop program of festivals, renowned dining, major art exhibitions and musical extravaganzas. It is perhaps Australia’s most cultured and politically conservative city. No visit to Melbourne would be complete without a Colonial Tramcar Restaurant experience... cruise the scenic streets of Melbourne while savoring a 5-star dinner in total comfort.

## PHILLIP ISLAND

Phillip Island, situated in the Western Port, is a place of natural beauty, sandy beaches, tranquil wetlands and unique wildlife experiences. The Penguin Parade experience is sure



..... Flight, — = Motorcoach, --- = Cruise, ④ = # of nights



# Journeys of Discovery

Milford Sound, New Zealand

to be the highlight of your visit. As the sun fades in the sky, the little Penguins waddle up the beach to the safety of their homes in the sand dunes. The choice is yours to enjoy your day at leisure or join an optional tour.

## CANBERRA, AUSTRALIA

The essence of Australia's culture, history, and way of life is reflected in the national museums, galleries and institutions in Canberra; offering intriguing insight into Australian character and democracy and the journey from an indigenous continent to a modern nation. Celebrate Australia's proud sporting achievements at the Australian Institute of Sport or delve into political history with a visit to the Parliament House.

## SHEEP SHEARING & AUSSIE BBQ AT TOBRUK SHEEP STATION

Today, you'll learn about sheep shearing, one of Australia's biggest and oldest industries. An Aussie BBQ luncheon awaits you whether you work up an appetite or not. Savor the sumptuous delights of the great outdoors before departing the "land down under."

## SYDNEY, AUSTRALIA

Australia's oldest and biggest city, Sydney, is the "gateway" to Australia. Sydney's stunning harbour plays a dominant role in what the city has to offer...cultural life, dynamic food, vibrant cityscape, contemporary architecture, iconic beaches and five major national

parks. Enjoy panoramic views of the coastline, indulge in a coffee or beer at the cocktail bar or glass atrium, soak up the ambiance as you explore the leafy streets of Woollahra and Paddington, and fall in love with the endless entertainment and shopping opportunities of Chinatown and Darling Harbour.

## KOALA PARK

Koala Park is a world of its own. Escape the city and explore the 10 acres sanctuary. Home to hundreds of Koala's, Red and Grey Kangaroos, Dingoes, Wombats, Ehidnas, Emus, Wallabies and Australian native birds, this wildlife reserve is filled with lush rainforests, eucalypt groves and native gardens. Don't miss feeding time...an opportunity for you to participate in hand feeding the animals.

## SUNSET DINNER CRUISE

Spectacular sunsets are sure to amaze you as you cruise Sydney Harbour and enjoy the sights and sounds as you dine this evening. Enjoy a spectacular evening with your new friends...one last hoorah before returning home.

## CAIRNS EXTENSION - \$575

- Includes:
  - Airfare to and from Cairns
  - 2 nights in Cairns
  - Great Barrier Reef visiting Green Island
  - Transfers between hotel and airport

## Day by Day:

**Day 1 & 2:** Fly to New Zealand, cross the Date Line

**Day 3:** Arrive the Alpine town of Queenstown, New Zealand for two nights

- Transfer to your hotel
- Welcome dinner

**Day 4:** Free day to enjoy this Alpine town or option to Milford Sound

**Day 5:** Scenic drive through wine country

- See bungee jumping
- Overnight New Zealand home - a trip highlight
- Dine with your hosts in their home

**Day 6:** Breakfast at your host's home

- Continue to Christchurch for one night and an included city tour

**Day 7:** Fly to Melbourne for two nights

- City tour of Melbourne, the cultural capital of Australia, including the Shrine of Remembrance, Botanic Gardens, the Yarra River and South Bank
- Opal presentation

**Day 8:** Free day to explore Melbourne

- Optional afternoon excursion to Phillip Island & the Koala Conservation Center

**Day 9:** Fly to Canberra

- Tour Canberra, the Australian Capital
- Sheep-shearing demonstration
- Authentic "Aussie" BBQ lunch
- Continue to Sydney for three nights

**Day 10:** Breakfast at your hotel

- Tour of Sydney including viewing the Historic Rocks District & Opera House
- Afternoon free

**Day 11:** Breakfast at your hotel

- Free day to explore Sydney
- Optional excursion to Wildlife Park
- Sunset dinner cruise on Sydney Harbor

**Day 12:** After breakfast, board your flight for home, arriving USA later today

## ----- Reservation Form -----

**Return to:**

**Simi Valley  
Chamber of Commerce  
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Simi Valley, CA 93065**

**(805) 526-3900**

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**Payments:** A \$450 per person deposit check will be needed now in order to hold your space on the trip. Your payment schedule will be mailed to you with your final payment due June 10, 2009, 100 days before departure.

**Rate:** \$3,589 per person double occupancy. Additional taxes, fuel surcharges and other fees are presently \$390 and are included. Single supplement, add \$900.

**\*Book&Save:** Simply make the deposit by April 30, 2009 and make your balance of payment by check, and you will receive a \$100 per person discount.

**Complimentary Pickup:** Transportation from Simi Valley Chamber of Commerce.

**Refunds:** Cancel more than 120 days for any reason, you will be issued a *refund* less \$150 each. Cancel 120 days to 100 days and receive a refund less \$450 per person. Cancel 99 to 60 days and receive a refund of 50% of the total trip cost, after 59 days a 100% charge of total trip cost. Refund protection is not included, but strongly suggested and available from us. Written cancellation required and is effective when received by Chamber Discoveries during normal business hours.

**Note:** Valid U.S. passport required. Singles are limited. Passport, tips to guides, airline bag fees, airport/departure taxes paid locally, visa (currently \$35) and other items of a personal nature are not included. Order of events, flights, hotels, taxes, charges, fees and fuel charges are subject to change.



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