EUROPEAN WATERWAYS TOUR
AMSTERDAM TO BERLIN

16 Day Conducted Tour for $6,375 per person twin share
This price includes airport taxes & levies

This is amazing value for a European river cruise. The price covers all of the following:

- Economy Class air fares from Sydney, Melbourne, Brisbane, Adelaide & Perth into Amsterdam and out of Prague, with Emirates.

- An 11 night river cruise from Amsterdam, Netherlands to Berlin, Germany aboard the MS Victor Hugo, a comfortable two deck ship built in 2000 and renovated in 2019. The tour includes the fishing village of Volendam, Bremen, the oldest maritime city in Germany, Hanover, the capital of Lower Saxony, Sanssouci Palace, Charlottenburg Palace, The Hague, & two nights moored in Berlin.

- A 2 night post-cruise stopover in Prague, Czech Republic.

- Good accommodation, mainly 3½ - 4 star with private facilities.

- Most meals, transfers and transport, port charges and entrance fees to many attractions.

- Prepaid gratuities for the stopovers in Amsterdam and Prague (but not on the cruise).

- Services of local tour guides and if there are 15 or more participants, an Australian tour escort.

Join us on an exploration of the northern canals by cruising the Elbe and the Havel Rivers to discover charming Dutch cities and historic German ports. The tour also includes a visit to the Meyer Werft shipyard in Papenburg, which was founded in 1795 and the birthplace of 48 cruise liners with customers from all over the world.

If you don’t have anyone to share with but wish to travel at twin share rates, we will try and assign you with another person but this is not guaranteed. For a single room there is an extra cost of $1395.

Tour departs Australia 2nd August and returns 17th August 2020

We try harder to find you the best travel deal
**Itinerary for the Amsterdam to Berlin Cruise – August 2020**

Included meals are indicated as B = Breakfast, L = Lunch, D = Dinner

**02.08.20**  
**Australia – Dubai**  
Depart Brisbane at 9.00pm on flight EK 435, arriving in Dubai at 5.10am the next morning.  
Depart Sydney at 9.10pm on Emirates flight EK 413, arriving in Dubai at 5.40am the next morning.  
Depart Melbourne at 9.15pm on flight EK 407, arriving in Dubai at 5.15am the next morning.  
Depart Adelaide at 9.50pm on flight EK 441, arriving in Dubai at 5.30am the next morning.  
Depart Perth at 10.20pm on flight EK 421, arriving in Dubai at 5.20am the next morning.

**03.08.20**  
**Dubai – Amsterdam**  
(D)  
All passengers depart Dubai at 8.05am on flight EK 147, arriving in Amsterdam at 1.15pm.  
Upon arrival in Amsterdam, we are met and transferred to the city centre, where we have a 15 minute walk to visit the Anne Frank House with a local guide (coaches are no longer allowed in the city centre).  
Anne Frank House is a biographical museum dedicated to Jewish wartime diarist Anne Frank. During World War II, Anne Frank hid from Nazi persecution with her family and four other people in hidden rooms at the rear of the 17th-century canal house, known as the Secret Annex. She did not survive the war but her wartime diary was published in 1947. The museum opened on 3 May 1960. It preserves the hiding place and has a permanent exhibition on the life and times of Anne Frank.  
Following this we are transferred to the cruise port to board the MS Victor Hugo to commence our European river cruise. Boarding commences at 6pm.  
The MS Victor Hugo was built in 2000 and renovated in 2019. The two deck vessel is 82 metres long and can carry 90 passengers. The ship’s facilities include a dining room, lounge bar with dance floor, sundeck and onboard WiFi in the lounge. The cabins are either twin bed or double bed configuration, and are equipped with television, bathroom with shower and toilet, independent air conditioning and a safe. This evening we will meet the crew and have a welcome cocktail. Later we depart from the ship on foot to reach the riverboat where we’ll start an included guided tour of Amsterdam by night. We will pass the Port of Amsterdam, made famous by the beloved Jacques Brel song. We glide further into the renowned Amsterdam canals, providing an ideal vantage point on the city's wonderful architecture. Our tour will take us through the four large canals surrounding the centre, the Prinsengracht, Keizersgracht, Herengracht and Singel canals. The Singel River was transformed into a canal in the 14th century to become part of the city's defensive belt, while the other three were conceived at the beginning of the Golden Age as a means to expand the city.  
Accommodation: Onboard
04.08.20  **Amsterdam - Excursion to Volendam, Zaanse-Schans & The Hague**
(B/L/D)  
This morning we leave by coach with our guide for Volendam, a charming village that has preserved its character for over six centuries thanks to the tough vitality of its fishermen. We'll then visit a cheese factory in the area to discover how the famous Gouda cheese is made. Enjoy tasting the different flavours and ages available of one of the most popular cheeses in the world. We then head for Zaanse Schans, an open air museum with wooden windmills, barns, and houses. Take a walk through the stunning buildings and the unique peat landscape or watch traditional clog making techniques. Take advantage of some free time on this excursion to indulge in authentic Dutch traditions. We'll return to our ship in Amsterdam by coach and have lunch onboard.

This afternoon we depart the ship for The Hague, the seat of the Dutch parliament and one of the most beautiful cities in the country. The Hague is also known as the ‘Royal City by the Sea,’ since the Royal Family enjoys this location for their vacations. The Hague counts no less than 155 courtyards, making it the courtyard capital of Holland. Our guide will show us some of the most splendid courtyards, including the Hof van Wouw, Hof van Nieuwkoop and the Rusthofje. We'll also stroll through the Binnenhof, where the House of Representatives meet and the Prime Minister works. It has been the seat of the Dutch government for over 400 years. Our guide will also show us royal monuments, including the Lange Voorhout Palace which houses the Escher Museum. Lastly, we'll pass by the iconic Hotel des Indes, the International Court of Justice, and the Kloosterkerk. Following this we return to the ship. This evening is at leisure in Amsterdam.

Accommodation: Onboard

05.08.20  **Amsterdam – Groningen – Delfzijl**
(B/L/D)  
Our ship will start cruising early this morning towards Groningen. We have some free time to explore the youngest city in The Netherlands, departing for Delfzijl.

Accommodation: Onboard

06.08.20  **Delfzijl – Papenburg, Germany – Oldenburg**
(B/L/D)  
We cruise towards Papenburg and commence a guided tour of the Meyer Werft Shipyard. Founded in 1795, the shipyard has been owned and managed by the Meyer family for six generations. The first ships that were built there were small wooden vessels. Less than a hundred years later, the first iron ship was launched notwithstanding the other manufacturers mocking the idea, thinking that iron could not float. Meyer Werft gained international recognition through the construction of roll on/roll off ferries, passenger ferries, gasoline tankers, container ships, livestock ferries and most recently luxury cruise ships. Due to its upstream location on the River Ems, the giant ships to be delivered have to make a 36 km voyage to the Dollart. Our guide will tell us all about the various stages in the construction of these floating sea monsters during a 1½ hour tour.

Our ship will be sailing during the excursion and we will return by coach after the Doerpen or Delfzijl locks. Please note our visit of the shipyards will be on foot and guests will only see the shipyard from behind bay windows.

Accommodation: Onboard

07.08.20  **Oldenburg - Bremen**
(B/L/D)  
Enjoy some free time for a brief stroll around Oldenburg. Our ship will then depart for Bremen. In Bremen we will visit the historic centre of this Hanseatic city with a
local guide. Bremen is one of the oldest German maritime cities. It was granted the right to hold markets as early as 965 and joined the Hanseatic League in 1358. It became a Free Imperial City in 1646 and established a direct commercial relationship with the USA in 1783. Traditionally, the city is known for its cotton and coffee trade. Our visit will start with the working-class district of Schnoor, located on the banks of the Weser River. This is the oldest district in Bremen and its narrow streets filled with small half-timbered houses and a big church form a charming ensemble. The neighbourhood owes its name to old handicrafts associated with shipping. We'll continue towards the market place where we'll get to see St Peter's Cathedral and the wonderful City Hall in Weser Renaissance style. Our visit ends after a walk down the Böttcherstrasse, a street famous for its unusual architecture belonging to a variant of the expressionist style. We'll pass the entrance gate with its impressive golden fresco depicting the Lichtbringer, Bringer of Light. Following this there is some free time before returning to the ship.

Accommodation: Onboard

08.08.20 Bremen – Nienburg – Stolzenau - Minden
(B/L/D)
Early this morning our ship cruises to Nienburg. Upon arrival we are transferred to this beautiful little Lower Saxony town at your own pace. Nienburg is famous for its asparagus and is known as the ‘Red Town’, nicknamed after the red brick houses that dominate the city centre. Discover some of the town's monuments such as the Town Hall from Weser Renaissance, St Martin Church with a statue of Charlemagne standing before it as a reminder of his fight against the Celts in the region, the Kleine Nienburgerin, the bronze statue of a young child from a beloved folk song, and the former Post Office which ensured communication between the Kingdoms of Hanover and England. During this time our ship will sail to Stolzenau. Once re-joining the ship we’ll proceed to Minden.
Accommodation: Onboard

09.08.20 Minden – Hanover – Anderten - Braunschweig
(B/L/D)
We cruise early this morning to Hanover and then commence a guided tour. We depart the ship by coach to discover the capital of the Land of Lower Saxony. From the 17th century onwards, Hanover played a major role in politics. In 1714, the son of Ernst-August of Hanover became King of Great Britain under the name of George I, a personal union which was a considerable source of prestige for the principality of Hanover. We pass alongside the famous Baroque Gardens of Herrenhausen before heading for the 18th century New City Hall, where our guides will explain Hanover's history with the help of four models showing the city at different times (1875, 1939, 1945 and today). We will continue with a panoramic city tour to see the main sights such as Niki de Saint Phalle's Nana statues on the banks of the Leine, the Maschsee, an artificial lake dug by unemployed workers on a job creation scheme in the 1930s - the Opera House, the Grand Theatre, the ruins of the Aegidien Church bombed during the war and where the Peace Bell now hangs, and many more. We will stop for a stroll through the Old Town, to see the Market Church and its curiosities, the 15th century Old City Hall and Leibniz's House. The visit ends at the bus station where our coach will drop us off and we bid our guide goodbye. We have some free time in the central station area to see the modern city centre. During our tour the ship will sail to Anderten, where we will board at the end of our free time and continue sailing to Braunschweig.
This evening we enjoy a gala dinner.

Accommodation: Onboard

10.08.20 Braunschweig – Bulstringen - Magdeburg
(B/L/D)

Our ship will begin to cruise early this morning to Bulstringen. We depart by coach for Magdeburg, which was once the cradle of the German nation. The first Germanic Holy Roman Emperor, Otto the Great, had an imposing cathedral built here and made the town into an Archbishopric. Magdeburg became a centre for western Christianity and the High Court of judicial power in the Middle Ages.

We'll begin our tour with the Magdeburg Cathedral, home to the tomb of Emperor Otto I the Great. Magdeburg is a Hanseatic city located midway on the Elbe River and the Roman Roads. Its sacred monuments include the Magdalenekapelle, St. Petrikirche, Wallonerkirche, Monastery of Our Lady and St. John's Church. We'll continue our panoramic tour by seeing the city's main monuments, including the citadel. Once located in East Germany, the city has retained its grey, square, Soviet-style buildings which are embellished today with moulding and decorations.

We'll visit the marketplace to see the magnificent replica of the Magdeburger Reiter, as well as the town hall and its bronze door. We'll finish up the tour with some free time to explore and then return to the ship.

Accommodation: Onboard

11.08.20 Magdeburg – Brandenburg - Potsdam
(B/L/D)

Early this morning we commence cruising to Brandenburg. We then leave by coach for a panoramic tour of Potsdam and a visit to the Sanssouci Gardens. Our local guides will help us discover the history of Prussia and its illustrious monarchs.

In Potsdam we walk through the gardens at the Sanssouci Palace. We'll walk the flower-lined pathways and staircases leading through the terraced garden to the residence of Frederick the Great, built between 1745 and 1747. The personal tastes of the king had such an influence on the design and the decoration of the palace that its style is often referred to as 'Frederician Rococo'.

We'll get back on the coach and take a trip around the Sanssouci Park to admire its fabulous structures before heading to Cecilienhof Palace. The palace was built from 1914 to 1917 for Crown Prince William and his wife, Ceclie von Mecklenburg-Schwerin, as a gift from Emperor Wilhelm II. After the end of the war in Europe, the Potsdam Conference, attended by Stalin, Churchill and Truman, was held in the palace from 17th July – 2nd August, 1945. Here, Churchill and Truman also defined the terms of surrender for Japan.

After our visit we'll head back to downtown Potsdam for some free time in the Dutch district before returning to the ship by coach.

Accommodation: Onboard

12.08.20 Potsdam - Berlin
(B/L/D)

Our ship will leave for Spandau, Berlin. From here we will leave by coach from with a local guide who will help us discover the history, monuments and fascinating facets of this particularly historic city. We'll travel up the 17th of June Street to see the famous Victory Column, the Bismarck Memorial, the Brandenburg Gate and the Reichstag building with its steel and glass cupola. We proceed to the renowned Unter den Linden and head to Museum Island, a complex of five internationally significant museums that occupy the northern section of the island, including the Pergamon Museum and also the Alte Nationalgalerie. Beyond
Museum Island are the modern Alexanderplatz and its famous Fernsehturm (Berlin TV Tower). We'll be able to go through Checkpoint Charlie, the symbol of the Cold War and passage between the American and Soviet zones during this time. Discover the monuments that make Berlin one of the most cultural cities in Europe. Afterwards we return to the ship.

This evening after dinner we have a Berlin by night tour. We will leave by coach to explore contemporary Berlin. A guided walk will enable us to discover the architectural prowess of Renzo Piano and Richard Rogers. A true no mans' land after the fall of the wall, this square now houses the headquarters of the DB, the Sony Centre and a cinema complex. At night, it comes to life and is illuminated, a futurist vision of the German capital.

Accommodation: Onboard

13.08.20 Berlin (B/L/D)
This morning we depart by coach from Spandau Berlin in the company of our guides to visit Charlottenburg Palace. We begin with a stroll in the gardens before touring the Palace with headsets. A walk through the wonders enclosed in its various rooms will take us back to the era of the Prussian Kings. Discover the white room, which used to be the throne room and the sovereign's dining room, as well as the Golden Gallery in flamboyant Rococo style. We'll continue on to the Winter Chambers and bedroom of Queen Luise, where we'll catch a glimpse of the furniture partly designed by Schinkel. We also see the library, with a collection of snuffboxes belonging to Frederick the Great and other surprising features.

Following this we return to the ship by coach.

The remainder of the afternoon is at leisure.

Accommodation: Onboard

14.08.20 Berlin – Prague, Czech Republic (B/L)
After breakfast this morning we disembark the ship and travel south on a 4½ hour drive to Prague in the Czech Republic. On arrival in Prague we drop off our luggage at the hotel and then have an included lunch at a local restaurant. After lunch we have a guided walking tour of the city. During the tour we will view Prague’s main sites including the Astronomical Clock Tower. We walk over the famous Charles Bridge and have an included visit of Prague Castle. Following this we are transferred to our hotel for a two night stay.

Accommodation: Hotel Majestic Plaza or similar

15.08.20 Prague (B/D)
Today is at leisure to relax or explore this wonderful city.

This evening we have an included farewell dinner to commemorate our time on tour.

Accommodation: Hotel Majestic Plaza or similar

16.08.20 Prague – Dubai (B)
This morning is at leisure in Prague. We check out of the hotel at the usual check out time. After this we can store our luggage at the hotel reception until our transfer to the airport around midday.

Depart Prague at 3.55pm on flight EK 140, arriving in Dubai at 11.50pm.
17.08.20  **Dubai - Australia**
Adelaide passengers depart Dubai at 2.05am on EK 440, arriving in Adelaide at 8.05pm.
Sydney passengers depart Dubai at 2.15am on EK 414, arriving in Sydney at 10.05pm.
Brisbane passengers depart Dubai at 2.30am on EK 430, arriving in Brisbane at 10.20pm.
Melbourne passengers depart Dubai at 2.40am on EK 408, arriving in Melbourne at 9.50pm.
Perth passengers depart Dubai at 2.45am on EK 420, arriving in Perth at 5.35pm.

**Note:** The itinerary is to be used as a guide only, and is subject to change pending operational and weather conditions.
All meals are included whilst on board the ship. If you are participating in one of the included day tours, you may miss the included lunch onboard.
INFORMATION ABOUT THE CRUISE

Breakfast is a self-serve buffet in the onboard restaurant, which may include pastries, coffee, tea, juice, breads, jams, a variety of sausages and cold cuts, eggs, fresh fruit and yoghurt. Lunch and dinner will be 3 course sit down meals prepared by the onboard chefs and served at set times and in a single seating for all passengers. The meals often include local specialities, made from fresh ingredients. Both lunch and dinner meals are paired with excellent complimentary wines. Free beverages are provided with every meal, including mineral water, fruit juice, tea, coffee, house wine and beer. Champagne, premium wines and spirits are available at an additional charge.

The cabins on the cruise have individual controls for air conditioning and heat, so you can adjust your room to meet your needs. Each cabin is equipped with television and a safe. For your personal comfort all cabins are equipped with a shower, toilet and sink, and are provided with towels, but not washcloths. There are no laundry or ironing facilities onboard.

Entertainment on board consists of various pre-dinner games, dinner-dances and other lively evenings in the lounge.

The primary language onboard the ship is French, however the majority of the staff and tour guides are fluent in English. Notices and announcements are in French and English.

The primary currency onboard is the Euro. Visa, MasterCard and American Express are also accepted. There are no currency exchange facilities onboard.

Electricity onboard is 220V. You will need to bring a standard two-pin ‘European’ adaptor for your electrical items.

The dress code is typically smart casual attire. Bring a variety of clothing for the environments expected on the cruise, including a rain coat and/or small umbrella.

Tipping – It is ship policy that any tips received will be shared equally among all crew members. An acceptable tipping guideline is 5 – 10 Euros per person, per day, with the understanding that tipping is entirely at your discretion. To leave a tip, please use the envelope found in your cabin on your last evening onboard.

Free Wi-Fi internet is available in the lounge area of the ship. One Samsung Galaxy Tablet per ship is also available for guest use.

There is no doctor or nurse available on the ship.
This tour rating typically involves a good level of physical activity, such as ascending stairs, getting into a bathtub shower, being responsible for your own luggage at airports and hotels, boarding trains quickly with your luggage, walking distances of up to 500 metres at a time over possible uneven ground and/or cobblestone streets. Walking tours of considerable distances should be expected on tours with this rating as well as some early departures.

Your accommodation on the ship is based on Main Deck cabins. If you wish you can upgrade to an Upper Deck cabin for an extra charge of $360 per person twin share. All cabins are basically the same size on each deck. In the Main Deck cabin the windows cannot be opened. In the Upper Deck cabins you can slide open the upper part of the window.

**Example of a Main or Upper Deck Cabin**

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**Decks & Technical Details**

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 Conditions for Macleay Valley Travel's European Waterways Tour

Deposits and Payments: A non-refundable deposit of $400 per person is payable within 7 days of booking. This deposit is not refundable should you later cancel. The balance is payable 14 weeks prior to departure. Macleay Valley Travel often has to adhere to strict payment deadlines and your booking on the tour may be cancelled if final payment is not received by the due date, with no refund applicable.

Refunds and Cancellations: Cancellations after final payment will result in a refund limited to whatever we can recoup from the airline.

Airline Tickets - Please note that any changes made to airline tickets once they have been issued will likely incur high cancellation and/or reissue fees. These fees are typically set by the airline and are outside of our control.

Insurance: Adequate travel insurance is essential. We can arrange this for you if desired. Macleay Valley Travel offers Suresave Travel Insurance. Please note that we can only process claims if the tour you were booked for is cancelled.

Please note that we are only able to process claims if the tour you were booked for is cancelled. Additionally you must ensure you book your travel insurance well in advance as they are usually non-refundable. Macleay Valley Travel will not be responsible for any consequences that may occur as a result of an incomplete insurance application.

Passports: All travellers require a current passport with at least 6 months left on it at the end of the tour. Non-Australian passport holders require a re-entry visa for Australia. No visas are required for Australian passport holders.

Basic Tour Price and Taxes: Air taxes and fuel levies are included in the basic tour price if the tour is paid in full on or before the due date on the final invoice. Macleay Valley Travel reserves the right to charge for any increase in air taxes and fuel levies if the tour is not paid in full by the due date.

Not Included in the Cost: All items of a personal nature such as telephone calls, drinks, excess baggage, tips, meals, (except those specified in the itinerary), etc. Also travel insurance. Similarly, credit card payments (Visa/MasterCard) can only be accepted if 1% is added to the price to help defray the heavy merchant fees charged to us by the credit card companies.

There is a 2.75% surcharge for American Express.

Accreditation - Macleay Valley Travel is a fully accredited travel agency under the AFTA (Australian Federation of Travel Agents) ATAS - AFTA Travel Accreditation Scheme. As such, you are assured of a consumer focused and quality assured business, ensuring professional conduct and ethical business practices. We are happy for any prospective traveller with us to check us out with your local Consumer Affairs (Fair Trading) department.

Twin Share Bookings – If you do not have a travel partner, but wish to travel at twin share rates, we will try and assign you with another traveller but this is not guaranteed. We assign passengers by their gender, on a first come, first served basis and do not assign twin share passengers according to their age, profession, interests etc. There are risks with sharing a room with a person you do not know, and Macleay Valley Travel accepts no responsibility if you are incompatible with your assigned roommate. Additionally, if you are assigned a travelling companion to share with and they cancel off the tour prior to making the final payment, then you will either be required to pay the single room supplement or we will try our best to assign you with another twin share passenger, if one is available.

Breakaway Fee - All fully inclusive prices are based on group travel and any deviation from the set itinerary will incur a breakaway fee. The breakaway fee for most deviations on this tour is $145 per person, plus any additional increase in fare or taxes from the airline. Please inquire with our office for specific prices on any extensions.

Health and Fitness - Macleay Valley Travel recommends that the passenger is reasonably healthy and/or fit to participate in this tour. Persons with a disability requiring special assistance must be accompanied by a companion. Macleay Valley Travel and their representatives cannot provide this service. The Health & Fitness Questionnaire located on the last page of this itinerary needs to be completed in full by each passenger and accompany your booking form. Macleay Valley Travel reserves the right to accept/decline or terminate a passenger's participation in the tour under certain circumstances. Macleay Valley Travel is not permitted to provide medical advice as to vaccinations/injections which you may require for this tour and advise you to consult your local medical practitioner for specific medical advice. There are no compulsory injections required for this tour.

Limitation of Liability - As Macleay Valley Travel acts only as agent for the Airlines, Hotels, Cruises, Coach Companies etc., providing accommodation, transportation and other services, Macleay Valley Travel shall not be liable or responsible for death or injury to any passenger or loss or damage to any property including baggage arising out of or in connection with any transportation, accommodation or other services, or resulting directly or indirectly from acts of God, fire, breakdown in machinery or equipment, acts of Government or other authorities, de jure or defacto wars, whether declared or not, hostilities, civil disturbances, strikes, riots, thefts, epidemics, quarantines, medical or customs regulations, delays or cancellations caused by changes in schedules or itinerary, or over bookings or defaults or for any causes beyond Macleay Valley Travel's control or any loss or damage resulting from improper or insufficient passports, visas or other documents and neither Macleay Valley Travel, and its servants or employees shall be or become liable or responsible for any additional expenses or liability sustained or incurred by the tour member as a result of the foregoing causes. Additionally you must meet the entry requirements for each country you visit. Macleay Valley Travel will not be liable if you are denied entry to a country for any reason, including a past criminal history. If the cruise provider decides to cancel this cruise departure due to exceptional circumstances or insufficient numbers, Macleay Valley Travel will refund the basic tour price. Any extra amounts incurred by the passenger or paid to Macleay Valley Travel for extensions or flight upgrades will not be refunded. Macleay Valley Travel reserves the right to decline bookings made for any group tour. Any tour booking confirmation is conditional, contingent on our view of the ability of a person to be able to participate in a tour without the likelihood of conflict between members of a tour whether perceived or actual.

Macleay Valley Travel reserves the right to modify the itinerary or the accommodation if circumstances make this necessary, provided that the amended itinerary is of equal value or greater value than that of the original program.
MACLEAY VALLEY TRAVEL - BOOKING FORM

PLEASE PRINT DETAILS CLEARLY IN BLOCK LETTERS AND ALSO

A PHOTOCOPY OF YOUR PASSPORT MUST BE SENT WITH BOOKING FORM

Name of Tour: ___________________________ Departure Date: ___________________________

Passenger 1 (as written in passport) ______________________________________________________

Title: Mr. Mrs. Ms. Miss. Dr. _______ Age: ______________ Date of Birth: _______________________

Passenger 2 (as written in passport) ______________________________________________________

Title: Mr. Mrs. Ms. Miss. Dr. _______ Age: ______________ Date of Birth: _______________________

Postal Address: ________________________________ ________________________________________ ____________

PostCode ___________ Email __________________________________________

Telephone / Fax Number: __________________________ Mobile ____________________________

Passport Number: __________________________ Expiry Date: ________________________________

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Passport Nationality: ______________________ Preferred Name: ________________________________

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(Passport must have 6 months validity from the time of tour completion)

Single room / Twin beds / Double bed: (Room type is subject to availability)

Type of cabin: MAIN DECK / UPPER DECK

Circle which airport you wish to depart from: SYDNEY / MELBOURNE / BRISbane / ADELAIDE / PERTH

Special Dietary Requests – Passenger 1: _______________________ Passenger 2: ________________________

Optional Extensions: _______________________________________________________________________

Would you like to receive details of our travel insurance?: YES / NO (Please Circle)

Any existing medical conditions – Passenger 1: _______________________ Passenger 2: _______________________

In case of emergency, please notify:

Name: __________________________________________ Relationship: ____________________________

Address: __________________________________________ ________________________________________

Phone Number: __________________________________________ ________________________________________

Please return this sheet with your non-refundable deposit of $400 per person and the health & fitness form.

DECLARATION. I have read and understand fully the booking conditions and I accept them.

Signature: __________________________________________ Date: ____________________________

A copy of passport is required to verify spelling of name; If this is not provided and the information we have for the airline is incorrect and ticket is issued, then the airline will charge a reissue fee.
HEALTH & FITNESS QUESTIONNAIRE

Macleay Valley Travel strives to make our tours enjoyable experiences for all passengers, however some countries and tour services lack the standards that you can typically expect in Australia.

To help ensure your personal safety and enjoyment on tour, please answer the following questions. The information you provide will be treated confidentially and will be used to check that the transportation, accommodation and facilities on tour are suitable for you:

1. Do you have any allergies?  Yes / No
   If yes, please provide details and severity:_______________________________________

2. Can you walk 500 metres to 1km in distance comfortably and unaided?  Yes / No

3. Can you negotiate uneven, undulating and sometimes challenging terrain?  Yes / No
   If no, please provide details about these limitations:______________________________

4. Do you use a mobility aid?  Yes / No
   If yes, please provide details:____________________________________________________

5. Are you travelling with a companion or carer who is able to provide all the assistance you need to enter buildings, disembark and embark ships, aircraft, coaches, small boats and assist you on excursions?  Yes / No
   If yes, please provide the name of your carer/companion and your relationship to them:____________________

6. Are you taking any medical equipment to assist you?  Yes / No
   If yes, please provide details:____________________________________________________

7. Do you suffer from any condition which may cause you to experience memory loss or become disoriented?  Yes / No
   If yes, please provide details:____________________________________________________

8. Are you asthmatic or do you have other breathing difficulties?  Yes / No
   If yes, please provide details (travelling to high altitudes is not recommended):____________

9. Do you require supplementary oxygen?  Yes / No

10. Are you currently taking medication?  Yes / No
    If yes, are you able to administer your own medication?  Yes / No

11. If you have any other medical information that is not covered in the previous questions, please provide a description here:______________________________________________________________

The information you supply us will be passed onto relevant travel suppliers who will do their best accommodate you. However, it is very important to remember that meeting your needs cannot be guaranteed, especially when travelling to third world countries.

DISCLAIMER

I confirm that the information provided on this questionnaire is both true and correct and understand that there is no guarantee that all these needs will or can be met. I agree that Macleay Valley Travel may offer a recommendation with regard to fitness to travel, based on the information I have provided. I also understand that this information may be passed onto those responsible for supplying the land arrangements for my travel, and that my information will not be communicated to any party which is not directly responsible or otherwise associated with my travel arrangements. I further confirm and agree that should I choose not to disclose information which subsequently requires me to return or be returned home from a tour or cruise, Macleay Valley Travel is not responsible for any costs associated with cancellation penalties, airfares, land transportation or any other related hardship. Please note that a refund for lost touring cannot be claimed. I acknowledge that it is my responsibility to update the information I provided to Macleay Valley Travel immediately should my circumstances change.

Name:________________________________
Signature:________________________________
Date:____________________________________

HEALTH & FITNESS QUESTIONNAIRE

Macleay Valley Travel strives to make our tours enjoyable experiences for all passengers, however some countries and tour services lack the standards that you can typically expect in Australia.

To help ensure your personal safety and enjoyment on tour, please answer the following questions. The information you provide will be treated confidentially and will be used to check that the transportation, accommodation and facilities on tour are suitable for you:

1. Do you have any allergies?  Yes / No
   If yes, please provide details and severity:_______________________________________

2. Can you walk 500 metres to 1km in distance comfortably and unaided?  Yes / No

3. Can you negotiate uneven, undulating and sometimes challenging terrain?  Yes / No
   If no, please provide details about these limitations:______________________________

4. Do you use a mobility aid?  Yes / No
   If yes, please provide details:____________________________________________________

5. Are you travelling with a companion or carer who is able to provide all the assistance you need to enter buildings, disembark and embark ships, aircraft, coaches, small boats and assist you on excursions?  Yes / No
   If yes, please provide the name of your carer/companion and your relationship to them:____________________

6. Are you taking any medical equipment to assist you?  Yes / No
   If yes, please provide details:____________________________________________________

7. Do you suffer from any condition which may cause you to experience memory loss or become disoriented?  Yes / No
   If yes, please provide details:____________________________________________________

8. Are you asthmatic or do you have other breathing difficulties?  Yes / No
   If yes, please provide details (travelling to high altitudes is not recommended):____________

9. Do you require supplementary oxygen?  Yes / No

10. Are you currently taking medication?  Yes / No
    If yes, are you able to administer your own medication?  Yes / No

11. If you have any other medical information that is not covered in the previous questions, please provide a description here:______________________________________________________________

The information you supply us will be passed onto relevant travel suppliers who will do their best accommodate you. However, it is very important to remember that meeting your needs cannot be guaranteed, especially when travelling to third world countries.

DISCLAIMER

I confirm that the information provided on this questionnaire is both true and correct and understand that there is no guarantee that all these needs will or can be met. I agree that Macleay Valley Travel may offer a recommendation with regard to fitness to travel, based on the information I have provided. I also understand that this information may be passed onto those responsible for supplying the land arrangements for my travel, and that my information will not be communicated to any party which is not directly responsible or otherwise associated with my travel arrangements. I further confirm and agree that should I choose not to disclose information which subsequently requires me to return or be returned home from a tour or cruise, Macleay Valley Travel is not responsible for any costs associated with cancellation penalties, airfares, land transportation or any other related hardship. Please note that a refund for lost touring cannot be claimed. I acknowledge that it is my responsibility to update the information I provided to Macleay Valley Travel immediately should my circumstances change.

Name:________________________________
Signature:________________________________
Date:____________________________________