

CRUISE & TRAVEL NEWS

SUMMER
2011/12

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Welcome to the summer edition of our travel newsletter.

So what do we do in our travel office?

- All types of international & domestic travel
- All types of cruising and cruise tours
- Luggage & travel accessories
- Honeymoon / Special occasion registries
- Gift vouchers for all occasions
- Customised itineraries & group tour specialists
- Travel Insurance
- Visa & passport assistance
- Professional & friendly unbiased advice
- 25+ years of combined travel industry experience



Office hours

Monday - 10am to 3pm

Wednesday - 10am to 3pm

Friday - 10am to 3pm

other times are available by appointment

Christmas/New Year hours

The office will be closed from
Friday 23rd December 2011
for 2 weeks and will re-open on
Monday 9th January 2012.

*** IMPORTANT ADVANCE NOTICE ****

The Strathalbyn travel office will be closed from Friday 23rd December, for a 2 week break and will re-open on Monday 9th January 2012.

Emergency contact during this time by mobile on

0411233298 or via email at info@cruisingplus.com.au



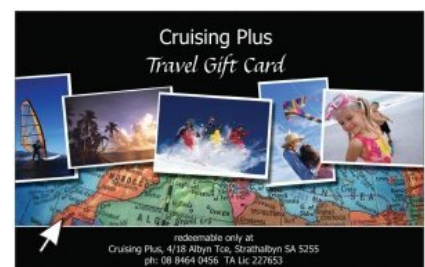
Cruising Plus have **Travel Gift Cards** available....
the ideal gift for any special occasion such as a
birthday or Christmas!!

Call in and purchase your gift card today....

they can be for any dollar value you choose
and are valid for 12 months.



*Without a Travel Agent
you are on your own....*



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Honeymoon Travel Bridal Registry

In matters of love, some choices are perfectly clear and when you put yourself in our experienced hands we will make this part of your wedding plans easy!



We can take care of everything for you, from planning and arranging your actual honeymoon to running your honeymoon bridal registry. It works just like a bridal registry in a department store only easier as there is no shopping involved – your guests simply nominate an amount they want to contribute to your registry and we do the rest. And at the end you will receive a complete list of all the guest names and their contribution amount!

Here is a list of our Bridal Registry Terms and Conditions

- A service fee of \$110 is applied for the management of your bridal travel registry however this service fee **is waived** provided the honeymoon travel booking is made through Cruising Plus.
 - Guests simply contribute over the phone with a credit card (surcharges will apply), or by posting a cheque or by direct deposit within an agreed timeline.
 - When the registry is finalised we will provide you with a full list of names and contributions of participating guests to assist you with sending "Thank you" cards
 - Contributions to your Bridal Travel Registry are held in a trust bank account until such time as redeemed for travel by clients named on the registration form only.
 - If gift contributions exceed your travel cost you can choose to leave the amount in credit for further travel or choose to have the amount refunded to you by cheque.
 - All other Cruising Plus standard Terms and Conditions apply to all travel arrangements through the registry.
- Funds must be used within 12 months of the wedding date.



LAST MINUTE TRAVEL DEALS – If you are interested in receiving last minute deals/special travel offers please make sure your register for our **E-Newsletter** which is sent out every fortnight by email. Pop into the office and see Scott to register your email address or jump on line and register via our website www.cruisingplus.com.au

Sometimes we get incredible last minute offers which we cannot advertise publicly however we are allowed to offer them to "family & friends", which includes those who are registered on our database. If the deal is super terrific Scott will send out a special email blast to everyone that is registered with us for emails. The trick with last minute specials is to be in a position to act quickly so make sure your passport is current with a minimum of 6 months validity left as at the return date.

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NEED TO USE YOUR MOBILE WHILE OVERSEAS?? GREAT NEWS.....WE NOW SELL **TRAVELSIM** CARDS



We suggest you visit www.travelsim.net.au for full details but here is a summary below to get you started.

TravelSIM is an easy to use prepaid service, designed to greatly reduce the cost of using your mobile phone when travelling overseas. With **TravelSIM** you get a new number and SIM card that you place in your existing handset when you go overseas. **TravelSIM** has great international roaming rates for calls, text and data and is the perfect travel companion to take overseas.

Is **TravelSIM** right for you?.

Follow these 3 easy steps to find out:

Step 1: Check TravelSIM has coverage in the countries you are travelling to.

Step 2: Check that your mobile phone handset will work in the countries you are travelling to. If you are travelling to Japan, South Korea, USA or the Americas, you need to do this step. Otherwise if your handset works in Australia, it will work in all other parts of the world.

Step 3: Check that your handset is unlocked. Network locking can be removed by contacting your service provider.

**** SPECIAL OFFER *** TravelSIM is on sale for a limited time**

RRP is \$49-95..... NOW ONLY \$45-00.

Strathalbyn District Loyalty Card



Watch out for our exclusive special travel offer to Strath card holders when it is re-launched on the 1st February 2012 !!



Scott and Ingrid would like to thank everyone who has supported our business so far and for making us feel so welcome since opening our travel office last April.



We would like to wish you all a safe and Merry Christmas and hope that your New Year will be filled with much joy, happiness and success.



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Wendy Wu Tours
Experience a Different World™

Our Featured Product – Wendy Wu Tours

Wendy Wu Tours is an Australian company with their head office based in Sydney. They also have offices in London and New York and their own operational offices in Shanghai, Beijing, Xian and Guilin and GSAs in Auckland and Johannesburg. They are known as Australia's specialist tour operator to China and Indochina offering Fully Inclusive Group travel to China, Mongolia, Vietnam, India, Central Asia, Nepal, Sri Lanka, Bhutan, Cambodia, Japan, Myanmar and Laos, with extensive programs to each of these regions.

They have been in operation since July 1998 and since this time they have developed a wide range of product appealing to even the most varied of tastes. With the continuous and effective formula of 'fully inclusive' tours each product has been carefully constructed to provide the client with the very best each country has to offer, as well as a diversity of regions and attractions. They endeavour to not only provide their tour members with the 'must see' attractions in each country, but to constantly create innovative programs to previously unreachable areas ensuring our position at the forefront of the tourism boundaries, but more importantly servicing their clients' ongoing needs. The majority of their tour products fly with Singapore Airlines, Qantas Airways, Cathay Pacific and Vietnam Airlines, offering their tour members complete peace of mind and an unbeatable flying experience. They are most fortunate to have the support and assistance of all these Airlines and thoroughly enjoy working with them.

We have a wonderful relationship with Wendy Wu Tours and have used them extensively in the past resulting in many very satisfied clients which is why we are so confident to recommend them to you!

*** LIMITED TIME SPECIAL OFFER ***

To celebrate the release of the new Wendy Wu 2012/2013 brochures we would like to offer a **5% Wendy Wu tour discount*** on the 2nd person of a two person (twin share) booking. This exclusive discount applies only to new bookings made in the month of December 2011 and January 2012 and applies to the tour cost only and not airfares, taxes, visas, fees and any other surcharges. Make sure to mention this offer when asking for a quotation or when making your booking as it cannot be used with any other store discount offers. Call into our office for a copy of the latest brochures.

TRAVEL TIP - Have you checked your passport lately??

Make sure to sure to check your passport is up to scratch well before your next international trip or even sooner if there is a chance you may have to leave at the last minute to see overseas relatives, etc!

- Make sure you have a minimum of 6 months validity from your LAST day of travel. Most overseas countries will refuse entry if your passport falls under 6 months during your stay there.
- Make sure your passport is "machine readable"
- Make sure there are sufficient empty pages for recording entry into countries
- Make sure your passport is in good condition and not severely damaged, particularly from water.

We are now stocking **Lonely Planet** books in the office so come and take a look.

If we don't have what you want we can order them in for you.



***Want your Lonely Planet book for free? Then simply book your next holiday through**

us and we will refund you the purchase price. *Conditions apply.... ask us for more details!