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A nighttime photograph of the Sydney Opera House, illuminated with yellow and green lights. The building's iconic white sails are lit up, and a large projection of a man and a woman is visible on the central sail. The text "FESTIVALS & EVENTS" is overlaid in large white letters across the center of the image.

FESTIVALS & EVENTS

UPCOMING FESTIVALS & EVENTS

Please check event and festival websites for further information around ticketing and bookings.

APRIL	MAY	JUNE
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Melbourne International Comedy Festival - Melbourne/Narrm, Victoria (29 March – 23 April) • Macedon Ranges Autumn Festival - Macedon Ranges, Victoria (1 - 30 April) • Sydney Royal Easter Show - Sydney/Warrane, New South Wales (6 – 17 April) • Parrtjima – A Festival in Light - Alice Springs/Mparntwe, Northern Territory (7 - 16 April) • Bluesfest Melbourne - Melbourne/Narrm, Victoria (8 - 9 April) • Gold Coast Film Festival - Brisbane/Meeanjin, Queensland (19 - 30 April) • SALT Festival - Eyre Peninsula, South Australia (21 - 30 April) • Tasting Australia - Adelaide/Tarntanya, South Australia (28 April - 7 May) • Canberra International Music Festival - Canberra, Australian Capital Territory (28 April - 7 May) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bright Autumn Festival - Bright, Victoria (28 April - 7 May) • TINA: The Tina Turner Musical - Sydney/Warrane, New South Wales (4 May – January 2024) • Grampians Grape Escape - Halls Gap, Victoria (5 - 7 May) • Afterpay Australian Fashion Week - Sydney/Warrane, New South Wales (15 – 19 May) • Blues on Broadbeach Music Festival - Gold Coast, Queensland (18 - 21 May) • Port Douglas Carnivale - Cairns/Gimuy & Great Barrier Reef, Queensland (19 - 21 May) • Clare Valley SCA Gourmet Week - Clare Valley, South Australia (19 - 28 May) • Vivid Sydney - Sydney/Warrane, New South Wales - (26 May – 17 June) • State of Origin Game 1 - Adelaide/Tarntanya, South Australia (31 May) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Beauty & the Beast The Musical - Sydney/Warrane, New South Wales (June) • Scenic Rim Eat Local Month - Brisbane/Meeanjin, Queensland (June) • Cooly Rocks On - Gold Coast, Queensland (7 - 11 June) • Rising - Melbourne/Narrm, Victoria (7 - 18 June) • National Celtic Folk Festival - Portarlington, Victoria (9 - 12 June) • Dark Mofo - Hobart/nipaluna, Tasmania (8 – 22 June) • LisAmore! - Lismore, New South Wales (17 – 18 June) • Frida & Diego: Love & Revolution - Adelaide/Tarntanya, South Australia (24 June - 17 September) • Illuminate Adelaide - Adelaide/Tarntanya, South Australia (28 June - 30 July) • Festival of Voices - Hobart/nipaluna, Tasmania (30 June – 9 July)





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Freycinet, Tasmania

Opened February 2023

TASMANIAN AIR TOURS NEW EAST COAST EXPERIENCES

Soar above the dazzling landscapes of Tasmania's east coast via helicopter on Tasmanian Air Tours' newest experience.

Departing from Friendly Beaches in Freycinet, Tasmanian Air Tours take guests above the iconic turquoise waters of Wineglass Bay, past the pink-hued Hazards Mountain range, and over the waters teeming with marine life around Schouten Island.

The 25 and 50 minute tours are new to Tasmanian Air Tours experiences on the island's east coast, joining the roster of experiences run by a passionate team of pilots.

Head to the Tasmanian Air Tours website to elevate your Tasmanian adventure.





BLUE DERBY

Derby, Tasmania

Opened February 2023

NEW BEGINNERS MOUNTAIN BIKE TRAIL AT BLUE DERBY

Strap on your helmet and tuck in those socks, Blue Derby Mountain Bike Trails has launched Hazy Days, a beginners mountain bike trail in Tasmania's north east.

The free to access trail's approachable, rolling terrain is perfect for beginners, offering plenty of space for new mountain bikers to build their skills and work up to riding Blue Derby Mountain Bikes many other world-class trails.

The historic town of Derby, 90-minutes drive northeast of Launceston, is world-renowned for its biking trails and welcoming community. There are a number of accommodation and experience options available to ensure mountain bikers can make the most of the 125km network of trails throughout the nearby wilderness.

Head to the Blue Derby website to learn more.



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Euroa and Nagambie, Victoria

Opened February 2023

WAWA BIIK CULTURAL EXPERIENCES



WAWA BIIK

Taungurung Land and Waters Council (TLaWC) has launched three new cultural experiences, wawa Nagambie, wawa Euroa and wawa tabilk-tabilk on Taungurung Land, an hour north of Melbourne/Narm.

Meaning 'Hello Country' in Taungurung language, wawa biik shines a light on Taungurung culture through storytelling and cultural practices on half-day experiences through Nagambie or Euroa.

Experiences immerse visitors into the Taungurung story, spanning thousands of years to learn about cultural heritage, ceremony, the impacts of colonisation on Country and the next generation of Taungurung Culture.

For more information, head to the wawa biik website.



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FITZROY ISLAND

Fitzroy Island, Queensland

Opened March 2023

FITZROY ISLAND RESORT CITIZEN SCIENCE TOURS

Travellers to the Great Barrier Reef can now take part in a new full-day citizen science program on Fitzroy Island, a 45-minute ferry ride from Cairns/Gimuy.

The Fitzroy Island experience offers guests the chance to get involved at the Cairns Turtle Rehabilitation Centre and assist in feeding the turtles, with the chance to potentially name a new turtle if they're discovered.

Guests will be taught how to identify and remove the coral-eating Drupella Snail before snorkelling over Australia's first offshore coral nursery and surveying the corals and marine life for the Great Barrier Reef Marine Park Authority.

Multiple experiences are available, with people aged 16+ and children-specific tours on offer.

Learn more about how to save turtles and the Great Barrier Reef at the Fitzroy Island website.



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LYONS GALLERY, QT GOLD COAST

Gold Coast, Queensland

Opened March 2023

THE LYONS GALLERY AT QT GOLD COAST

The evocative Lyons Gallery is popping up at QT Gold Coast, featuring a carefully curated collection of rare prints and signed works from artists such as Helmut Newton, Banksy, and Keith Haring, along with works by emerging Australian talent.

Designed to spark conversation, QT Gold Coast's partnership with Lyons Gallery invites visitors to engage with a host of expressive and luxurious contemporary artwork throughout the hotel's public spaces.

Gallery tours and personalised events will offer guests an opportunity to experience the collection at it's best. For those that like what they see, all artworks available for purchase.

Head to the QT Hotels website to learn more.



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LUXURY

Darwin/Gulumerrdgen, Northern Territory

Opened March 2023

LITCHFIELD WATERFALLS & FINNISS RIVER LODGE

Nautilus Aviation has added a new experience to its ranks with the addition of Litchfield Waterfalls & Finnis River Lodge tour via helicopter.

The four-hour tour commences in the Northern Territory's capital Darwin/Gulumerrdgen, where guests fly 100km south to Finnis River Lodge in Litchfield National Park. Here, they will try the Finnis River Lodge's bespoke food and drink experience.

During 90-minutes of flying time over pristine waterfalls and giant canyons, participants will be treated to a guided tour that encapsulates the most iconic experiences of Australia's Top End.

Before heading back to Darwin/Gulumerrdgen, travellers stop in at a private swimming spot at Sandy Creek, where they'll enjoy an hour of the exhilarating ambience.

To book a tour, head to the Nautilus Aviation website.



ACCOR

MODERN &
INDIGENOUS CULTURE

Brisbane/Meeanjin, Queensland

Opened March 2023

E/SCAPES BY PULLMAN

Pullman Hotels Brisbane King George Square is hosting the final stop of the travelling and immersive NFT (Non-Fungible Token) art exhibition.

Titled Digital E/SCAPES by Pullman, the exhibition comprises 16 NFT artworks from four emerging and Indigenous women artists from Australia and overseas, four of which are revealed at each new location.

Part of a world-wide first initiative for Pullman hotels, the NFT works will be on auctioned during each exhibition via the Accor website, with proceeds split between the artist and their selected local charity.

The colourful life-size exhibition serves as a way to celebrate emerging artists, with each artwork inspired by the concept of 'travelling' and what that means to each artist.

For more information, head to the Accor website.



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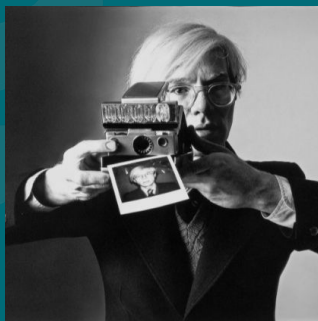


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ART GALLERY OF SOUTH AUSTRALIA (AGSA)



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Adelaide/Tarntanya, South Australia

Opened March 2023

ANDY WARHOL AND PHOTOGRAPHY: A SOCIAL MEDIA

Exclusive to the Art Gallery of South Australia (AGSA), *Andy Warhol and Photography: A Social Media* reveals an unseen side of celebrated Pop artist Andy Warhol through his career-long obsession with photography.

Housed in Adelaide/Tarntanya's city-centre gallery, the exhibition features photographs, experimental films and paintings by Warhol, including his famed Pop Art portraits of Marilyn Monroe and Elvis Presley from the 1960s.

The new exhibition also contains works by Warhol's photographic collaborators and creative contemporaries such as Christopher Makos, Gerard Malanga, Robert Mapplethorpe, David McCabe, and Duane Michals.

Whether Warhol was behind or in front of the camera, photography formed an essential part of his artistic practice while also capturing an insider's view of his celebrity social world, and his story is all on display at AGSA until May 2023.

For more information, visit the AGSA website.

AGSA



ULTIMATE WINERY EXPERIENCES

Orange, New South Wales

Opened March 2023

FLY FISHING AT PRINTHIE WINES

Begin your journey into the art of fly fishing and embark on a five-course lunch odyssey with Printhie Wines newest winery experience in Orange, four hours drive from Sydney/Warrane.

Starting at 10am, a private instructor takes guests through fly fishing basics; rigging the rod, how to cast and then reel in your fish, followed by an hour of self-guided fly fishing session with the instructor close by to provide feedback and support.

Guests will then settle into a five course degustation lunch with flagship matching wines at Printhie Dining, where head chef Jack Brown showcases premium local produce and Australian native botanical flavours in a consciously crafted menu sure to delight the palate.

Fly on over to the Ultimate Winery Experiences website to book your next escape into serenity.



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Alice Springs/Mparntwe, Northern Territory

Opened March 2023

NATIONAL GALLERY X ALICE SPRINGS EXHIBITION TOUR

In collaboration with the National Gallery of Australia, Alice Springs' Araluen Arts Centre is hosting two major exhibitions from March, *Rauschenberg & Johns: Significant Others*, and the fourth *National Indigenous Art Triennial: Ceremony*.

Running until 14 May, *Rauschenberg & Johns: Significant Others* exhibits works from Robert Rauschenberg and Jasper Johns, two artists who fell in love when it was illegal to be in a same-sex relationship in the US. The exhibition explores how the pair expressed their private relationship through their public art, creating a new avant-garde during the zenith of the Abstract expressionist movement in the process.

Up until the 11 June, Hetti Perkin's fourth *National Indigenous Art Triennial: Ceremony* features work from 35 artists from across Australia, offering visitors a chance to learn about the importance of ceremony in First Nations cultures, coming to life through visual art, film, music and dance.

Find out more at the National Gallery of Australia website.

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NATIONAL PARKS & WILDLIFE SERVICES

South Coast, New South Wales

Opening April 2023

MURRAMARANG SOUTH COAST WALK

Explore the sweeping landscapes of New South Wales' south coast on the new 34km (21 miles) Murramarang South Coast Walk on Yuin Country.

Starting at Pretty Beach, just north of Batemans Bay and three hours drive south from Sydney/Warrane, the walk packages include transfers, a welcome tour, camping or accommodation at a choice of five beachside campgrounds, or beach-side cabins at Pretty, Pebbly, and Depot beaches, as well as local accommodation options in coastal villages along the route.

Hikers can chose their own adventure and embark on single or multi-day self-guided walks along the trail, with multiple bookable camping sites found along the way. From 30 April, guests can also pre-book evening accommodation at the newly built bush cabins (see cabins [here](#)).

Dust off those walking shoes and head to the New South Wales National park website to book your walking package.



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PORTARLINGTON MUSSEL TOURS

Portarlington, Victoria

Opening April 2023

PORTARLINGTON MUSSEL TOURS

Celebrate the deliciously plump Portarlington mussel on a curated foodie experience in Victoria's Bellarine Peninsula, less than two hours from Melbourne/Narrm. Departing from Portarlington Pier, the intimate bay tours are run by fourth generation mussel farmers Lance and Lizzie Wiffen, aboard the immaculately restored 40-year old Huon pine vessel 'Valerie'.

The three-hour tours gives guests a front row seat to the mussel farming process, following by a live cooking demonstrations in an intimate 12-guest setting.

Guests will observe how mussels are cultivated, pick magnificent fresh molluscs off the lines and come away with two delicious mussel recipes.

Head to the Portarlington Mussel Tours website to discover the magic of the mussel.



[PORTARLINGTON MUSSEL TOURS](#)



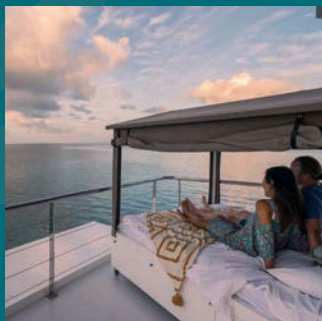
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Bundaberg, Queensland

Opening May 2023

LADY MUSGRAVE & TARIBELANG OVERNIGHT EXPERIENCE

Discover the Bundaberg region's rich Indigenous Australian culture and history on a three day all-inclusive retreat. The marine glamping experience is hosted by Taribelang Bunda guides in partnership with the Lady Musgrave crew of marine biologists, chefs, and tour guides.

The experiences include two nights aboard the zero-carbon footprint Lady Musgrave HQ pontoon, fresh daily meals, immersive cultural tours, and a host of aquatic adventures, from outer reef snorkel safaris to glass-bottom kayak and boat tours.

No visit to the Lady Musgrave pontoon is complete without heading down to the iconic underwater observatory, where guests can view marine life and the corals by day, or stay overnight in the liveaboard-style bunk beds to watch the reef's abundant nocturnal ecosystem.

Hop aboard and book your ticket at the Lady Musgrave Experiences website.





NATIONAL BALLOONING CHAMPIONSHIPS

Northam, Western Australia
Opening May 2023

NATIONAL BALLOONING CHAMPIONSHIPS

Witness the vibrant aerial spectacle of Australia's National Ballooning Championships in Western Australia's Northam from 6 to 13 May.

The skies above the verdant farmland in the Avon Valley, on Ballardong Nyoongar country, will fill with hot air balloons as pilots compete to secure a place in the World Ballooning Championships.

Less than 90 minutes drive from Perth/Boorloo, Northam will also host a number of events throughout the week, including the stunning Elevate Festival on 6 May, where 15 hot air balloons with periodically ignited burners will illuminate the night sky above entertainment, markets and food truck.

Northam is a designated AstroTourism town so visitors can enjoy balloons by day and stars by night.

Elevate your Aussie experience by heading to the Northam Ballooning Events website.



[NORTHAM BALLOONING EVENTS](#)



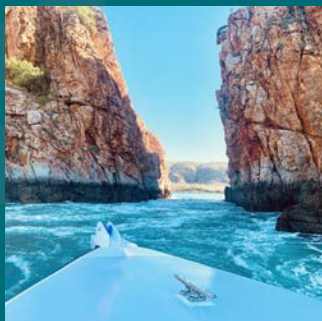
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HORIZONTAL FALLS ADVENTURE



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LUXURY

Talbot Bay, Western Australia

Opening May 2023

ULTIMATE HORIZONTAL FALLS LUXURY STAY

Discover the Horizontal Falls (Garaanngaddim), described by Sir David Attenborough as 'one of the world's greatest wonders', with the Ultimate Horizontal Falls Luxury Stay.

Departing from Talbot Bay in the Kimberley, the 24-hour voyage on the Jetwave Pearl, a floating hotel, offers 20 guests three types of rooms, including premium cabins with queen beds, en suites and balconies.

The new luxury package includes a scenic seaplane flight over the remarkable Horizontal Falls, power boat cruises through the creek system, opportunities to snorkel near marine life, guided fishing expeditions and locally sourced dinners.

Book your next phenomenal experience at the Horizontal Falls Adventure website.

HORIZONTAL FALLS

SEAPLANE ADVENTURES



SYDNEY OPERA HOUSE

Sydney/Warrane, New South Wales

Opening June 2023

ARETHA

Celebrate the life and music of the Queen of Soul, Aretha Franklin, at the Sydney Opera House Concert Hall on 17 and 18 June.

An outstanding lineup of Australian vocalists will honour Aretha's legacy through a showcase of 32 songs and spoken narration.

The vocal line up includes the legendary ARIA-nominated Emma Donovan, Montaigne, one of Australia's most unique contemporary voices, vocal powerhouse Thandi Phoenix, Australia's First Lady of Soul and R&B THNDO, and multi-award winning actor, singer, and writer Ursula Yovich, all directed and narrated by First Nations actor Jada Alberts with musical direction by Joe Accaria.

Book your tickets at the Sydney Opera House website.



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FOOD & DRINK



DOKEO

Adelaide/Tarntanya, South Australia

Opened February 2023

DOKEO

There's no shortage of wine bars in Adelaide/Tarntanya, but Dokeo, a cafe-by-day, bar-by-night, is serving up wine with a difference.

Owned by duo Vasily Sekerin and Daniel Gregg, Dokeo is focused on sourcing coffee ethically and reducing barriers for small winemakers entering the market.

The pair are passionate about supporting emerging local producers, with a wine offering that draws on mostly natural, minimal-interventional, and small-batch drops, poured by the bottle and glass.

Once the sun sets and the espresso machine is powered down, wine is served alongside an inventive food menu, with Filipino-influenced dishes like Salmon Kinalaw and Chicken Adobo.

Check out Dokeo's Instagram to stay updated on latest news and its menu.



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VIN POPULI

Fremantle, Western Australia

Opened February 2023

VIN POPULI

Dine on a new era of authentic Italian cuisine at Vin Populi. Step inside from Fremantle's High Street and be transported to a classic Italian trattoria, complete with exposed plaster walls, mosaic-tiled floors, and soft linen valance curtains.

The menu at Vin Populi features traditional and contemporary Italian dishes, including freshly-made pasta and sensational cured meats. With an extensive selection of both Italian and local wines, there's always the perfect pairing for every meal.

The 1950's Italian soundtrack playing in the background adds to the ambiance and dining experience.

Don't miss out on the chance to indulge in the best Italian cuisine in Fremantle and book now!



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VIN POPULI



EL PRIMO SANCHEZ

Sydney/Warrane, New South Wales
Opened February 2023

EL PRIMO SANCHEZ

Oxford Street in Paddington now has a shot of Mexico, with the arrival of the bar and casual eatery, El Primo Sanchez.

Greeted by wait-staff wearing double-breasted jackets, guests step into vibrant orange-tiled venue serving up cocktails with bite alongside a unconventional Mexican food menu bursting with flavour. To keep the night going, diners and drinkers can make use of a hidden karaoke room fitted with a telling “push for tequila” button.

El Primo Sanchez is headed up by the creative director of the award winning Maybe Group, Martin Hudak, alongside co-owner Stefano Catino and bar manager Eduardo Conde.

El Primo Sanchez only accepts walk-ins, so arrive early to snag a table. Head to the El Primo Sanchez website for more information.



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SOFITEL MELBOURNE ON COLLINS

Melbourne/Narrm, Victoria

Opened February 2023

MONET & FRIENDS AT NO. 35 RESTAURANT

Indulge the senses with a three-course culinary masterpiece inspired by Claude Monet and French Impressionism at Sofitel Melbourne on Collins' No. 35 Restaurant.

Available every Thursday and Friday from 12:30pm, the menu celebrates Sofitel Melbourne on Collins' partnership with Australia's first permanent digital art gallery, The LUME, by paying homage to the gallery's multi-sensory *Monet & Friends* experience.

Guest can kick off their Monet-inspired culinary adventure with an entree of 62° egg, garlic and parsley mixed mushroom, parmesan croutons and porcini velouté followed by a main course of confit duck leg tagine, slow cooked apricot, couscous, almonds, glazed carrots and beetroot and finished off with a pistachio sponge cake, vanilla patisserie, granola, compressed strawberry and dulce de leche ice cream.

Book your next spellbinding culinary adventure at the No. 35 Restaurant website.



NO. 35



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ANY GIVEN SUNDAY

Adelaide/Tarntanya, South Australia

Opened March 2023

ANY GIVEN SUNDAY

Discover Any Given Sunday, the newest addition to Adelaide/Tarntanya's north-west hospitality scene.

Open all week, this coffee shop is located in a charmingly converted corner store and is already causing a stir among locals. Serving up delectable coffee and pastries, along with a selection of sandwiches and toasties, Any Given Sunday is the perfect spot for a morning pick-me-up or a leisurely breakfast.

Co-owners Alex and Alice Perisic spent six months renovating the space and the minimalist interior is both stylish and inviting, making it the perfect spot for a casual catch-up with friends or work meeting.

On weekends, Any Given Sunday offers a special treat - gibanica, a traditional Serbian pastry made with a secret family recipe passed down from Alex's mother, offering something a little unique that you won't find anywhere else.

Keep up to date with Any Given Sunday via their Instagram.



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**Any
Given
Sunday**



MERIVALE

Lorne, Victoria

Opened March 2023

TOTTI'S LORNE

Merivale's beloved Bondi restaurant Totti's has expanded its horizons and ventured beyond Sydney/Warrane to the coastal town of Lorne, Victoria.

Executive Chef Mike Eggert, the mastermind behind the concept, has combined his signature dishes with the local knowledge and expertise of Surf Coast local, Matt Germanchis, who is heading up the kitchen.

Totti's Lorne is the perfect spot for beachgoers to indulge in some delectable dishes with the menu showcasing the finest local seafood and produce, from succulent King George Whiting to tender Apollo Bay octopus, every dish is accompanied with local wines to show off the best of the region.

Totti's Lorne is open to guests for lunch and dinner every day.

For more information on Totti's Lorne, head to the Merivale Lorne website.



TOTTI'S LORNE



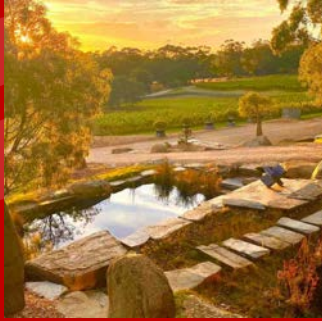
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MOUNT MONUMENT WINES

Romsey, Victoria

Opened March 2023

MOUNT MONUMENT RESTAURANT

Mount Monument Winery's long-awaited restaurant has finally opened its doors. Nestled on the southern side of Mount Monument in Victoria's stunning Macedon Ranges, the two-storey restaurant is carved into the hillside.

Designed by the renowned architect behind Hobart/nipaluna's MONA, Nonda Katsalidis, the venue includes an elevated floor offering breathtaking views of the eastern horizon and vineyard, while the cellar door faces west towards the forecourt and curated sculpture park.

The restaurant features a menu of modern European fine dining staples that perfectly complement Mount Monument's minimal-intervention, French-style wines.

Don't miss the chance to experience this culinary gem in one of Victoria's most beautiful regions. For more information, visit the Mount Monument website.



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GLORY DAYS

CAFÉS, BAKERIES
& DESSERT

Sydney/Warrane, New South Wales

Opened March 2023

GLORY DAYS

Glory Days Bondi is now open for dine-in in the newly refurbished Bondi Pavilion.

Situated at the northern end of the colonnade, diners can bask in uninterrupted views of Bondi Beach while indulging in beachside California dining and Australian cafe fare for all-day dining or takeaway.

Brought to 'the Pav' by Aaron Crinis of The Good Atelier (the mastermind behind Glorietta and Glory Days Coffee in North Sydney, and The Woolpack in Redfern) this new cafe is inspired by the rose-tinted memories of holidays by the sea. Whether it's breakfast, lunch, or anything in between, Glory Days Bondi has got you covered.

Experience the ultimate beachside dining at Glory Days Bondi with their sit-in and takeaway options available now.



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Sydney/Warrane, New South Wales

Opened March 2023

PROMENADE BONDI BEACH

The rejuvenation of the Australia's most iconic beach continues with the arrival of Promenade Bondi Beach, located in the Bondi Pavillion.

Nestled under the historic arches and Spanish-inspired roof of the Bondi Pavilion, this 900sqm venue offers a restaurant, intimate private spaces, and a sprawling beachside terrace bar.

Recapturing the convivial spirit that made the Pavilion a community cornerstone in the 70s, Promenade Bondi Beach is the perfect spot to soak up the sun and surf while indulging in delicious food and drinks.

Larger groups of up to 20 guests can relish the semi-private space 'The Dunes', while those seeking complete intimacy can book 'The Grotto' which boasts views of Bondi Beach through the Pavilion archways, as well as a semi-private terrace for pre or post-dining drinks.

Head to the Promenade Bondi Beach website for more information.

**PROMENADE
BONDI BEACH**

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BIRD IN HAND

Adelaide Hills, South Australia

Opened March 2023

NEW BIRD IN HAND CELLAR DOOR

Iconic winery Bird in Hand has officially reopened its doors after a three-year, multi-million dollar redevelopment.

Visitors are now invited to experience the newly revamped cellar door, which has been updated to provide an enhanced tasting experience. Bird in Hand has worked diligently to upgrade both its cellar door experience and its winery operations, with a plan to offer a full restaurant service in the near future.

Bird in Hand has also unveiled a new private tasting space in the cellar. This exclusive area offers access to rare and back-vintage wines that are only available on-site.

Bookings are now available on the Bird in Hand website.



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Newcastle, New South Wales

Opening April 2023

LARRIE'S AT THE MEREWETHER

The Merewether Beach Hotel in Newcastle has unveiled the first phase of new hotelier Glenn Piper's redevelopment of the historic venue. The venue rejuvenation will commence with the opening of Larrie's, a hole-in-the-wall beachside kiosk serving up cheeky, modern twists on Aussie beach staples.

The second phase of The Beach Hotel redevelopment, in late 2023, will introduce a new coastal dining experience, and revitalise the ground floor of the precinct, all in homage to timeless Australian surf culture and laid-back coastal ease.

A love letter to the community and characters of Merewether, the new Beach Hotel is a true community hub, being redesigned to offer locals and travellers alike a place to come together and connect with family and friends, old and new.

Head to the Beach Hotel website to stay updated on the developments.

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LONGSHORE

Sydney/Warrane, New South Wales

Opening April 2023

LONGSHORE

Longshore, a seafood-focused restaurant and bar, is bringing an approachable and sustainable dining experience to Chippendale.

Combining coastal Australian ingredients with Asian techniques and flavours in what head chefs Jarrod Walsh and Dorothy Lee dub 'freestyle cuisine', the five-course tasting menu highlights signature dishes from their à la carte menu alongside an experimental 10-course snack flight.

The 100-seat venue is Chippendale's first wine bar and restaurant, with spaces tailored for a quick snack and glass of wine, and a warm ground floor dining room with prime view.

Sustainability is front of mind in all of Longshores decisions; the curated cocktail menu uses the kitchen's leftover ingredients, and minimal waste practices extend throughout the restaurant.

Make your booking at Chippendale's new coastal home away from home at the Longshore website.



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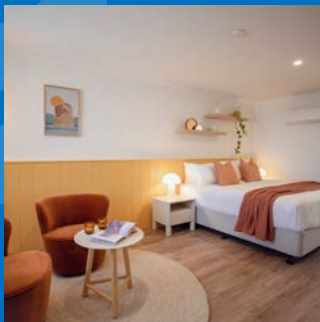


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ACCOMMODATION



The Maria Island Walk, Maria Island
Tasmania



SUNNYMEAD HOTEL

Aireys Inlet, Victoria
Opened February 2023

SUNNYMEAD HOTEL

The Sunnymead Hotel is the newest boutique hotel to open in the heart of Aireys Inlet on the iconic Great Ocean Road.

The lovingly designed 20-suite hotel presents modern comfort and style while celebrating the best of mid-century decor with vibrant colour schemes and vintage furniture.

Facilities include a sparkling outdoor pool and bar, fire pit, Indian inspired fusion restaurant, Santara Restaurant and a luxurious bath house.

Sunnymead Hotel complements and builds on the the vibrant local culture enjoyed by foodies, art lovers, and nature seekers that makes this small Victorian community a unique one.

Head to the Sunnymead Hotel website for more information.



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KYNETON SPRINGS MOTEL

Kyneton, Victoria

Opened February 2023

KYNETON SPRINGS MOTEL

The newly refurbished Kyneton Springs Motel has reopened, combining the feel of a classic Australian road trip with the cool glamour of California's Palm Springs.

Created by former restaurateur Catherine Foote and the creative team at Good / Hands, the aesthetic new look is filled with nostalgic vibes.

Just over an hours drive from Melbourne/Narrm, Kynetons newest motel is the perfect stop for countryside road trips with no two spaces the same; all 20 kitschy-cool rooms have been individually designed and come with Wi-Fi, access to streaming services, high-quality bedding and deluxe bathroom products.

Kyneton Springs Motel is now taking bookings, head to their website for more information.



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202 ELIZABETH

Sydney/Warrane, New South Wales

Opened February 2023

202 ELIZABETH

Hidden behind discrete doors on Elizabeth Street in Surry Hills, 202 Elizabeth is the new designer boutique hotel in the heart of Sydney/Warrane.

Spanning six completely dog-friendly levels, all 38 rooms are individually designed, striking a perfect balance between sophistication and playfulness, many with expansive balconies overlooking the bustling streets below, and a gorgeous rooftop space overlooks sweeping views of Surry Hills and the Grand Central rail tracks below.

Located among the neighbourhood's best restaurants, bars and theatres, the hotel's design mixes Sydney/Warrane's signature style with creative flair.

Bookings available online now.



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INDEPENDENT COLLECTION

Adelaide/Tarntanya, South Australia

Opened March 2023

HOTEL ALBA

Hotel Alba is the latest boutique hotel to grace the streets of South Australia's capital, Adelaide/Tarntanya.

Located in the South Terrace, Hotel Alba is located minutes from the CBD and features an onsite pool, restaurant, stylish new design and lux amenities. Each of the 99 rooms has a private balcony offering parklands or cityside views.

Offering a resort-like lifestyle right in the heart of Adelaide/Tarntanya, guests are in for a lively scene with a touch of serenity with all rooms boasting a private balcony offering parklands or cityside views.

Guests are never far from the main events and cultural marvels, such as the Adelaide Showgrounds, Adelaide Oval, and the CBD.

Book your stay at the Hotel Alba website.



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TFE HOTELS

Adelaide/Tarntanya, South Australia

Opened March 2023

VIBE HOTEL ADELAIDE

A new Vibe hotel has opened in Adelaide/Tarntanya's East End, featuring a pool, spa, sauna, and a restaurant and bar, showcasing the local produce of the South Australian region.

Celebrating local talent of Adelaide/Tarntanya, all rooms feature photography from local artist, Alex Frayne, and display contemporary inspired furnishings that further encapsulate the South Australian spirit.

Located moments from the city's dining and cultural hub, the hotel is in walking distance to the iconic Rundle Mall, Central Market, Botanic Gardens, Hutt Street and Vardon Avenue, so guests are only a step away from everything Adelaide/Tarntanya has to offer.

Start your vibe quest at the Vibe Hotel website.



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OVOLO HOTELS

Melbourne/Narrm, Victoria

Opened March 2023

LANEWAYS BY OVOLO

Get lost amongst Melbourne/Narrm's iconic laneways with a stay at Laneways by Ovolo, the perfect starting spot for any Melbourne adventure.

Inspired by the colourful 80s Memphis Group design, the reimaged public spaces and rooms, as well as an all-new drinking and dining venue, Amphlett House, promise to elevate Melbourne/Narrm's hotel experience with a colourful nod (and cheeky wink) to the city's vibrant laneways and eclectic offerings.

The hotel's 48 rooms are complemented by breakfast every morning, personalised experiences, and a hotel lobby featuring an Honesty Bar, where guests take note of what they take, which is then charged back their rooms.

Head to the Laneways by Ovolo website to learn more.



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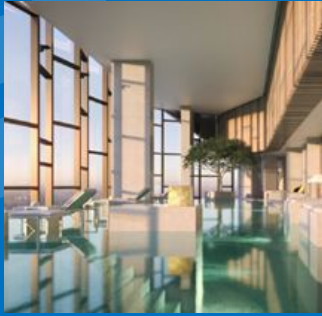
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RITZ-CARLTON

Melbourne/Narrm, Victoria

Opened March 2023

THE RITZ-CARLTON, MELBOURNE

Soaring 80 stories above the city The Ritz-Carlton, Melbourne has opened on Melbourne/Narrm's Lonsdale Street.

Reimagining luxury in the CBD, guests arrive at the sleek lobby on level 80, before being directed to one of the hotel's 257 elegantly appointed rooms or suites for their stay. During their visit, guests are encouraged to bathe in the hotel's breathtaking views of the city, the signature level 80 dining experience at Atria, multiple holistic wellness spaces, and an instantly iconic infinity pool. The Ritz-Carlton, Melbourne also houses world-class meeting and event facilities and services, including a palatial ballroom.

Offering a true Melburnian experience, the hotel celebrates all things local through its décor, art, culinary and spa experiences, encouraging guests to connect with the vibrant city.

For more information, head to the Ritz-Carlton Melbourne website.



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LE MÉRIDIEN MELBOURNE

Melbourne/Narrm, Victoria*Opened March 2023*

LE MÉRIDIEN MELBOURNE

Le Méridien Melbourne marks the opening of the first Le Méridien outpost in Australia.

Located in Melbourne/Narrm's theatre district on Bourke Street, the hotel's design pays homage to its century-long history as an entertainment playground.

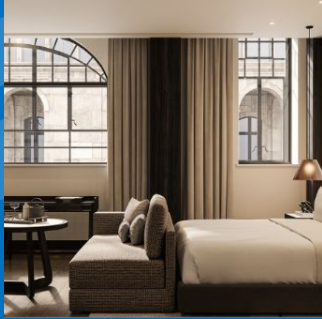
Spread across 12 luxurious levels, the hotel has 235 guest rooms and suites, a café, bar, restaurant, meetings and events floor, and a show-stopping rooftop pool deck with expansive views overlooking Bourke St, Parliament House and Fitzroy Gardens.

For more information, head to the Le Meridien Melbourne website.

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CAPELLA SYDNEY

Sydney/Warrane, New South Wales

Opened March 2023

CAPELLA SYDNEY

Capella Sydney brings a different stroke of luxury to Sydney/Warrane, occupying the heritage-listed Department of Education square in the heart of the CBD. Capella Sydney's 192 beautifully appointed guestrooms and suites span eight levels, complemented by immaculately designed fine dining experiences, a wellness centre, and personalised tour guides.

Welcoming guests into the hotel is the stunningly designed restaurant Aperture, while Brasserie 1930 elevates Sydney's fine dining scene to grandiose new levels, and McRae Bar immerses visitors in elegant Victorian-era glamour.

Capella Sydney's show stopping wellness centre is guaranteed to elevate any stay into the heights of serenity. This grand wellness experience includes a heated indoor swimming with adjacent vitality pools, as well as a fitness centre, yoga platform, and immersive spa room offering treatments for couples and individuals.

Book your stay at the pinnacle of inner-city luxury at the Capella Sydney website.



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Perth/Boorloo, Western Australia

Opened March 2023

WONIL HOTEL PERTH

Wonil Hotel is the new 66 room hotel in the heart of Perth/Boorloo, the first Accor Handwritten Collection hotel to open in Australia.

As with all hotels in the Handwritten Collection, Wonil is a one-of-a-kind concept that has been tailored to its surroundings. Wonil Hotel Perth offers breathtaking views of Swan River from most suites as well as premium dining experiences, making it perfect for both business and pleasure stays.

Further differentiating it from other hotels, profits from Wonil go directly to supporting the Forrest Research Foundation (FRF) providing young scholars the opportunity to conduct research at one of Western Australia's five universities.

For more information and to book visit the Wonil Hotel website.

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FUTURE ACCOMMODATION



VERIU

Melbourne/Narrm, Victoria

Opening May 2023

VERIU COLLINGWOOD

Developed in partnership with luxury property developer GURNER™, Veriu Collingwood will bring New York's Soho inspired architecture to one of Melbourne/Narrm's hottest locales, Collingwood, a suburb bustling with eateries and charm.

The 95-room hotel will include luxuries such as a rooftop bar, heated swimming pool, gym, conference and working space in the lobby, and cooking and laundry facilities.

Keep an eye on the Veriu Collingwood website for more details.



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SEA SEA HOTEL

Crescent Head, New South Wales

Opening May 2023

SEA SEA HOTEL

Sea Sea is the 70s-inspired, 24-room boutique hotel, coming to the New South Wales coastal town of Crescent Head in May.

A beach town by heart, Crescent Head's culture shines through Sea Sea's texture and amenities, with bespoke furniture, bold art and an in-house radio.

Food and drink will be curated by Sydney's respected P&V Wine & Liquor Merchants; Antonello Arzedi (who has worked with the famous Icebergs Dining Room and Bar in Bondi); and Daniel Medcalf of Cabarita's No. 35 Kitchen and Bar.

A laid back, relaxing experience in one of Australia's top holiday destinations, Sea Sea is the perfect compliment to this sunny coastal town.

For more information, head to the Sea Sea Hotel website.



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