

International Soccer Tour 2023 Itinerary Australia–Sydney – FIFA Women’s World Cup Colorado Academy

Travel dates:

July 20-July 30, 2023

Suggested day by day itinerary:

Thursday July 20, 2023

Departure from Denver.

Saturday July 22, 2023

Arrive Sydney, transfer to your accommodation depending on room availability. You will either, check into the Hotel, freshen up, before we visit Captain Cooks landing place. (He discovered Australia) There are many local cafes in Cronulla, where lunch can be purchased. In the afternoon, walk the Esplanade to Bass and Flinders Point. If the weather is inclement, we will take the local train to Miranda (1approx. 5 minutes away from Cronulla) for some shopping.



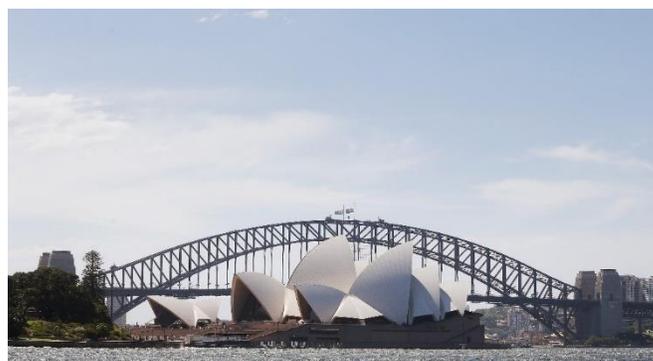
Captain Hook Landing Place



Cronulla Beach walk

Sunday July 23, 2023

In the morning, take the bus to 5 Sports, a Soccer training facility for your own training session. This venue is 5 minutes by bus from the accommodation. On completion of training, return to the Hotel to freshen up. In the afternoon, visit the City Center, visit the Rocks markets. Walk over the Harbor Bridge, visit the Pylon (additional cost US\$ 15.00 per person over the age of 12) for magnificent views of the Opera House. From the city, transfer to the WWC game at Sydney Football Stadium.



Monday July 24, 2023

After breakfast, we will take a 10 walk to the local Ferry Station and catch the Ferry to Bundeena, a small village in the Royal National Park. On arrival, you will be met by one of the Park's Aboriginal Rangers. You will take a coastal walk lead by the National Park Ranger who will tell you about the Aboriginal history of the area, Dreamtime and show you aboriginal carvings which are thousands of years old. In the late afternoon, transfer back to Cronulla, to prepare for your first game of the Tour. Evening game vs. a local team.



National Park Ranger



Cronulla Ferry

Tuesday July 25, 2023

In the morning, take the bus to 5 Sports, a Soccer training facility for your own training session. On completion, back to the accommodation to freshen up. From there we will transfer to Coogee Beach, where you will disembark for a Coastal Walk to the world-famous Bondi Beach. It's 2 miles walk and there are restrooms, water, and food options along the way. When you reach Bondi, you'll see the famous Icebergs Ocean Pool. From Bondi, transfer to the WWC game at Sydney Football Stadium.



Bondi Beach

Wednesday July 26, 2023

This morning, visit Darling Harbor, a harbor adjacent to the City Center. There is an option to visit, Sydney Aquarium, (***) where there are over 13,000 marine creatures. You could come face to face with gigantic sharks and stingrays, meet adorable Gentoo and King Penguins. Late afternoon, transfer to soccer fields for your 2nd game vs. a local team.



Darling Harbor

Thursday July 27, 2023

A full day at leisure, in the City of Sydney. Visit Taronga Zoo for the whole day, one of the best zoos in the World (additional cost of approx. \$ 35.00). As an alternative, return to Darling Harbor and visit China Town, Paddy's Markets (for cheap souvenirs) and visit the Chinese Garden of Friendship (additional costs \$ 5.00 per person) Or visit Sydney Wildlife Park (**).

Friday July 28, 2023

Today embark on one of the most beautiful coastal walks, the Spit Bridge to Manly. The coach will pick you up from the Hotel and drop you at Spit Bridge and pick up in Manly later in the day. You will be guided on this 6 miles walk. The route takes you through the Sydney Harbor National Park with incredible lookouts, Aboriginal artwork at Castle Rock Beach. Keep your eyes open for whales on the walk! The walk will take about 3.5 hours and is a mixture of boardwalks, track and walking across beaches. It is an easy gentle walk. On arrival and with time permitting, try out some water sports. You can go kayaking or stand-up paddle boarding or take a surf lesson (additional cost to be confirmed August 2022). In the late afternoon transfer to the Sydney Football Stadium to watch another WWC game.



Spit Bridge

Saturday July 29, 2023

The morning will be at leisure in Cronulla, as you prepare for your third and final game v suitable local opposition. In the evening, enjoy a spectacular Sydney Harbor Boat Cruise/Farewell dinner (Group price will be confirmed August 2022).



Sydney Harbor Cruise

Sunday July 30, 2023

Transfer to the airport for the flight back to the US. Arrival back in the USA.

*** We offer a so called 3-attractions pass for approx. \$ 60.00 to include admissions to Sydney Aquarium, Sydney Wildlife Park and Sydney Eye.

Price per person:

Number of people	20-29	30-39	40-49
Participant prices traveling	\$5,437	\$4,889	\$4,695

This price is based on contracted airline fares for 2022. We will know more about fares for 2023 approx. 11 months prior to departure date, when airlines publish flights and fares for 2023, and can confirm pricing then.

Price inclusions:

- Round trip airfare, including airport taxes and fuel surcharges. Prices are always subject to availability of flights and fares at time of booking.
- Accommodations and meals as specified in this proposal – see below.
- Ground transportation – see below.
- Costs for arranging the sport program – see below.
- Services of a local tour assistant – see below.

Sport program included:

We will arrange 3 friendly games per team.

Accommodation and meals included:

- Daily breakfast and dinner included.
- A 3-minute walk from North Cronulla Beach along Tasman Sea, this modern apartment hotel is 8 minutes on foot from Cronulla train station and 20 miles from Sydney's Central Business District.
- Bright and airy, contemporary studios come with free Wi-Fi, flat-screen TVs and washer/dryers, as well as balconies and kitchenettes. The 1- to 2-bedroom apartments add separate living areas and/or sea views.
- Amenities include an outdoor pool, a hot tub and a sauna. A fitness room is available.

Ground transportation included:

During your entire stay a private bus will be available exclusively for your group – 10 hours a day.

Local guide services included:

A local tour assistant will be assigned to be exclusively with your group full time each day during your stay in each destination to provide you with any assistance when necessary, and help plan or amend your daily schedule as needed.

Options available (not included in prices)

Excursion and WWC game admission fees options:

- Please notice that admission fees for excursion are not included and are extra as per above include day by day itinerary.
- The Women's World Cup game tickets will go on sales at a later date. We will share all information with you how to obtain tickets for any or all of the above-mentioned games. Based on the previous WWC (France) we can inform you that group game tickets are most of the time available (except Australia home games) and tickets for semi finals or the final can be available as well. Games tickets will be available through US Soccer, FIFA and possibly the Australian Federation.

Excursion admission fees:

1. *** We offer a so called 3-attractions pass for approx. \$ 60.00 to include admissions to Sydney Aquarium, Sydney Wildlife Park and Sydney Eye.
2. Sydney Harbor Boat Cruise/dinner à la carte dining, 3 courses menu. Between \$ 75.00 and \$ 125.00 per person. To be confirmed at a later date.
3. Sydney Bridge/Pylon lookout and take your own photos – approx. \$ 15.00 per person.
4. Taronga Zoo – approx. \$ 35.00 per person.
5. Luna Park - was built in the 1930s and you'll be transported back in time with by the rides that are there. Ticket prices vary from \$ 35.00 per person for unlimited rides.

Travel insurance option:

Your participants have the option to purchase accident, illness and trip cancellation/interruption insurance, including a Cancel for Any Reason Coverage (CFAR) – more information about this insurance is included on your team website page.

Not included in prices:

- Beverages (soda) with meals.
- Gratuities for representatives and bus drivers.
- Admission fees to attractions.
- Single rooms. Single rooms are available at a supplement. Please contact us for more information.