



Welcome

Hello Suncity Travellers,

Welcome to the Winter Edition of our Suncity Newsletter.

The last few months have been incredibly busy here with so many of you planning trips right into 2020 – it is fantastic to be able to plan this far in advance. If you already have your future travel destination in mind it is not too early to speak to your consultant and get the ball rolling.

Recently I was lucky enough to get away with my husband for a rare child-free holiday. We travelled to Los Angeles and spent our time exploring different parts of the city including Santa Monica, Redondo Beach, Malibu and Hollywood Hills; enjoying some incredible dining along the way such as in Curtis Stone's restaurant "Gwen" and the infamous "Chateau Marmont". If you would like to know anything about LA or travel with Virgin Australia in their award-winning Business Class cabin I would be happy to give you an update.



I have also just experienced Etihad's Boeing 787 Dreamliner which is flying from Brisbane to the Middle East and Europe. If you would like first-hand feedback on the aircraft in both Economy and Business Classes I can certainly help here.



We are excited to bring you our annual Suncity Expo next month, but with a difference for 2018 being that it is a **Travel & Cruise Expo!!** So please come along and meet some of the amazing suppliers not only from our favourite cruise lines, but also from the leading tour and travel operators around the globe. We look forward to seeing you there!

We hope you enjoy reading about some of our travel tips over the page – if you ever have feedback regarding our newsletter, emails or events we would love to hear from you.

All the best, Richelle

Expressions of Interest—Escorted Africa 2019

Rosemary is escorting a Small Group Tour to Namibia and Botswana for 16 nights travelling in September 2019. Please call Rosemary on 0754918311 or email rosemary@suncitytravel.com.au for the details, or to reserve your place.



UPCOMING EVENTS

Wednesday 8th August, 2018

Caloundra Bowls Club Information Table

Arthur Street, Caloundra

From 11.30am

Friday 24th August, 2018

Princess Cruises Information Session

Belcarra Retirement Village

From 10.00am

Saturday 22 September 2018

Sunshine Coast Travel & Cruise Expo - Caloundra

Oaks Oasis Resort

10.00am to 1.00pm

Contact Us

Call for more information about any of the amazing deals in the enclosed magazine, or to book your place at one of our exciting events

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Suncity Team Updates & Tips

Lynne:

I have just turned 60 and would like to thank all of my wonderful family, friends and clients for their well wishes. We had a fabulous weekend away with an amazing surprise from my team at Suncity Travel only last week. Now I just want to forget I am 60 and go back to being 59!



Rosemary:

Tips on Venice (thanks to my lovely client Del).

A couple of things which could be helpful for anyone visiting Venice:

- (1) A trip down the Grand Canal by Public water ferry to Saint Marco only cost Euro 7.50 and Euro 7.50 return, the ticket can be bought at local shops.
- (2) Pay a porter to take suitcases to the taxi rank - cost Euro 5 for each case.
- (3) Taxi to Marco Polo Airport is a standard fee of Euro 30 and well worth no hassle to get there on time.

Trish:

Fiji for Families

Fiji has been my go to family holiday destination for the past 10 years. There are not many places you can visit and feel totally relaxed and totally safe while your little ones run wild.

We have always hired a local Nanny recommended by the resort of course. For about \$5 per hour they will play games, sing songs and keep the kids busy for hours (you might even be able to pop out for a sneaky massage) .



Each year we would try a different resort as we just liked the idea of a short flight, and somewhere beachy that we could have time as a family. (this is a good option if you have small children and want to try the International flying route)

It is very Important to pick the correct resort as they are not all family friendly and some are exclusively for couples.

There are two seasons in Fiji – warm and even warmer with temperatures ranging between 26°C – 31°C. From April to early October the sun isn't quite as hot nor the humidity as high. The days are warm but the nights cooler so there is nowhere better for a winter escape.

You can get a special deal if you travel in the off season October /November or February /March but you may encounter some rain but if you have a large family some resorts offer children "stay and eat for free" so this may make your holiday a little more affordable.

Hannah:

My favorite destination is the city of Barcelona in Spain. The whole city is so full of life, with many little, one of a kind boutique shops, and the architecture of the buildings are beyond amazing. All the different shapes, sizes and colours stand out so much and are so beautiful. I recommend visiting Barcelona around May as it's not too cold, the temperature is nice enough to walk through the streets without a jumper. But be sure to have one on hand in case a fresh breeze comes through.

