## **SIX GREAT DAYS.** EXPLORE OUR HISTORIC **GOLDEN OUTBACK**

Kevin Pearce Tours

# RAIL & COACH TOUR

With special host Curtin FM Radio presenter - Greg Pearce

**T**OIN me as we explore Western Australia's most famous goldmining region. Visit historic mining museums, enjoy billy tea and damper and discover the breathtaking Esperance region. - Greg Pearce

Pensioner "free" pass*	\$1628
Senior	\$1722
Adult	\$1816
Single room supplement	\$360



RETURN TRAVEL ABOARD THE PROSPECTOR TRAIN

6 DAYS, 5 NIGHTS Departs Perth 18 May, 2020

Return travel to Kalgoorlie on the Prospector train. Three nights accommodation

Curtin

Kalgoorlie and two nights in Esperance all with private facilities.

ALL meals including one feature farewell dinner with drinks included.

Kalgoorlie-Gwalia-Leonora Sights

Bay of Islands cruise at Esperance with lunch on Woody Island.

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### **EXPLORE THE HISTORY.** INCLUDES GWALIA, LEONORA, COOLGARDIE AND ESPERANCE

#### Itinerary

#### Day 1 - MONDAY 18 MAY **PERTH-KALGOORLIE**

All aboard the fabulous 'Prospector' as we prepare to depart for the 655km journey to Kalgoorlie.

Morning tea is served at your seat as we travel through the scenic Avon Valley, and later a light luncheon. On arrival in to Kalgoorlie-Boulder we transfer to our hotel which is situated right opposite the station.

RAILWAY HOTEL (LD)

#### Day 2 - TUESDAY 19 MAY **KALGOORLIE-LEONORA-KALGOORLIE**

After breakfast we join our road coach for a full day touring the historic Northerns Goldfields regions. Our first stop is **Menzies** for morning tea then to Leonora for a brief tour of the town and a visit to Gwalia to see the Sons of Gwalia super pit. We enjoy lunch at the original Mine Managers residence and visit the old miner's cottages built of corrugated iron and hessian. On our return to Kalgoorlie we stop at the historic Grand Hotel Kookynie and also the Niagara Dam.

RAILWAY HOTEL (BLD)

#### Day 3 - WEDNESDAY 20 MAY **KALGOORLIE - ESPERANCE**

After breakfast we check out from our hotel to board our road coach for the journey to Esperance. We visit the historic town of **Coolgardi**e, once a busy railway town for the junction of the Esperance rail line. Heading south we stop at the Norseman Historical Museum where locals have prepared a home style lunch including billy tea and damper in the grounds of the museum. Late afternoon we arrive in to Esperance and check in to our motel for dinner and accommodation for the next two nights.

BAY OF ISLES MOTEL (BLD)



#### Day 4 - THURSDAY 21 MAY **ESPERANCE SIGHTS**

This morning we transfer to the Taylor Street Jetty to board the Woody Island ferry. Over 100 islands form the Archipelago of the Recherche and we cruise close enough to some of them to view the seals, wild goats and multitude of bird life. We later disembark for a guided nature walk on Woody Island and enjoy a barbecue lunch in the café overlooking the Bay of Islands. After lunch we return to the mainland for a brief tour of the township before dinner at our motel. BAY OF ISLES MOTEL (BLD)

#### Day 5 - FRIDAY 22 MAY **ESPERANCE-KALGOORLIE**

After breakfast, there is some free time to visit the shopping centre before we head north again to Kalgoorlie. We stop for morning tea at Grass Patch and again at Norseman for lunch. On arrival at our hotel in Kalgoorlie there is time to freshen up before we board our coach to take us to one of Kalgoorlie's historic pubs to enjoy balcony dining overlooking Hannan St, with farewell drinks included. After dinner we enjoy a brief tour of the lights of the Golden Mile.

RAILWAY HOTEL (BLD)



#### Day 6 - SATURDAY 23 MAY **KALGOORLIE - PERTH**

An early breakfast this morning and then it's time to board the 'Prospector' for our return journey home. Morning tea and a light lunch are served at your seat before our early afternoon arrival in to the Fast Perth Terminal.

PROSPECTOR (BL)

#### **Booking Information**

#### PAYMENTS

A completed booking form is required together with your payment for the full tour cost to confirm your reservation.

#### CONCESSIONS

Pensioners travelling on free travel entitlement must provide their valid free trip vouchers (two per person) at time of payment. Bookings can-not be confirmed until the vouchers are provided.

If travelling on Senior concession, you must provide your nine-digit Smartrider number on the booking form.

#### TRAIN TRAVEL

The Prospector departs from the East Perth Terminal at 07.10am or Midland at 07.25am on the Monday and arrives back at 1.30pm Midland and 1.45pm East Perth on the Saturday.

#### **Tour Conditions**

21 Days or more prior to departure a fee of \$200 per person will apply. For

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CANCELLATION CHARGES cancellation less than 21 days, total

LEONORA Gwalia 🔍 KOOKYNIE **MENZIES** Broad Arrow **KALGOORLIE** BOULDER To / From Perth Coolgardie 🔵 NORSEMAN Salmo Gums

**ESPERANCE** 

#### **Fully Escorted**



Kevin Pearce Rory Oktaviono

Tour manager Kevin Pearce is a long-time train buff with many years of train tour experience. He will be pleased to welcome you aboard this special Curtin FM rail tour and with assistant tour manager Rory Oktaviono, you can be assured of the very best of care throughout.

loss of tour cost. Travel insurance for cancellation charges is recommended. Please discuss this with your travel consultant.

#### REFUNDS

No refunds can be given to any passenger who joins the tour after its commencement, or for early departure from the tour. Additionally, refunds cannot be given for any accommodation, meals or excur-sions not partaken during the tour

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