



13 DAYS | 10 NIGHTS

WOMEN'S WORLD CUP 2023: AUCKLAND & SYDNEY

FRIENDLY MATCHES: 2 * TRAINING SESSIONS: 2 * PRO COACHING CLINICS: 1 * PRO MATCHES: 2 * STADIUM TOURS: 1

YOUR DAY-BY-DAY ADVENTURE

DAY 1

- Fly to New Zealand

DAY 2

- International date line

DAY 3

- Check in at a hotel in the greater Auckland area that will be your base for the next five nights
- Begin with a Welcome Meeting and orientation. Afterwards, enjoy free time to explore the area around the hotel
- **Training Session:** Participate in a training session led by your coaching staff at a local field
- Dinner at the hotel restaurant

DAY 4

- Breakfast at the hotel
- **Waiheke Island:** Experience native New Zealand rainforest on twin zip lines to observe the evolving landscape in a totally different way
- **Friendly match**
- Dinner at the hotel restaurant

DAY 5

- Breakfast at the hotel
- **Travel to Rotorua:** Visit Wai-O-Tapu Geothermal Park, a unique landscape with vibrant colours, natural hot springs, and the largest mud pool in New Zealand
- **Skyline Luge and Gondola:** Take the gondola up to the skyline complex for spectacular views of Lake Rotorua and steaming geo-thermal vistas. Then, board the luge (part go-cart, part toboggan) for scenic trip back down through the Redwoods Forest
- **Visit Tamaki Maori Village:** Enjoy an Indigenous dinner and experience the village during the evening

AN ALL-INCLUSIVE EXPERIENCE



ROUND-TRIP
TRANSPORTATION



HOTEL
ACCOMODATIONS



TWO MEALS A DAY
(UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED)



GROUND TRANSPORTATION
TO AND FROM ALL ACTIVITIES



ALL ADMISSIONS AND
FEES FOR SCHEDULED
ACTIVITIES



EXPERTLY TRAINED
TOUR DIRECTORS



24-HOUR
EMERGENCY SUPPORT

** Please note: Your final itinerary may be slightly different from this program. The final itinerary will be determined based on the size of the group, any adjustments that are required (such as adding additional matches), and the final schedule of the matches. (If additional matches are required, then some sightseeing content will be replaced by the additional matches as needed.)*



DAY 6

- Breakfast at the hotel
- **Travel to Sanctuary Mountain:** Visit the home to many of New Zealand's most endangered species
- **Visit Hobbiton:** A must-see for any fans of the J.R.R Tolkien classic series, Lord of the Rings—no matter whether you prefer the books or the Peter Jackson movies of the early 2000s
- Travel to Auckland
- Dinner at the hotel restaurant

DAY 7

- Breakfast at the hotel
- Global Ambassadors for Sport
- **Tamaki Hikoi Tour:** Embark on the Heaven to Earth Tour for insight into the Maori culture and stunning Auckland City views
- Free time in Auckland
- Dinner at the hotel restaurant
- **Attend a Women's World Cup Match**

DAY 8

- Breakfast at the hotel and check out
- Travel to the greater Sydney area, which will be your base for the final five nights
- **Training Session:** Participate in a training session led by your coaching staff at a local field
- Dinner at the hotel restaurant

DAY 9

- Breakfast at the hotel
- **Guided Tour of Sydney:** Enjoy a visit to Darling Harbour, the Gap, and Sydney Opera House, which includes an interior tour
- **Stadium Tour:** See Australia's national soccer arena, Allianz Stadium. This venue has hosted some of Australia's top sporting events in rugby league, rugby union, and soccer
- **Friendly match**
- Dinner at the hotel restaurant

DAY 10

- Breakfast at the hotel
- **Bondi Beach:** Walk along this sweeping, white-sand crescent and one of Australia's most iconic beaches
- **Surfing Lesson:** Learn to surf at one of the world's most famous destinations for the sport, Bondi Beach
- **Professional Coaching Clinic:** Participate in a special coaching clinic with a guest coach, player, or instructor
- Dinner at the hotel restaurant


DAY 11


- Breakfast at the hotel
 - **Blue Mountain and Wildlife Sanctuary:** Travel west of Sydney to the Blue Mountains. Known for dramatic scenery, the area encompasses steep cliffs, eucalyptus forests, waterfalls, and villages
 - **Featherdale Sydney Wildlife Park:** See some of Australia's unique species, such as koalas, kangaroos, and Tasmanian devils
 - Dinner at the hotel restaurant
 - **Attend a Women's World Cup Match**
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DAY 12

- Breakfast at the hotel
 - **Visit Manly:** Explore this relaxing holiday town just north of Sydney while spending time at the vibrant Manly Wharf and the Corso
 - Dinner at the hotel restaurant
 - **Sydney Ghost Tour:** Journey along the cobblestone lanes into the hidden areas of The Rocks while learning about rumoured sightings and strange phenomena
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DAY 13

- Breakfast at the hotel
 - **Check out and fly home:** Your rewarding and enjoyable tour comes to an end as your Tour Director accompanies your group to the airport
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