



2013 LIONS TOUR
— AUSTRALIA —



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HSBC British & Irish Lions v Qantas Wallabies

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Arrival & Departure in Australia

With the arrival of rugby fans from all over the world, the airport will be extremely busy so we suggest using public transport as the best way to travel to and from the airport. For specific information, please refer to the Brisbane and Melbourne match package airport information on page 10 and page 14.

Touring Australia

Over the past decade, We Love Rugby have taken thousands of rugby fans all around the world to see the Qantas Wallabies live in action. Now we get the chance to show you around our own rather large backyard, and we can't wait! We have combined our intimate local knowledge of every host city and stadium on tour with the best that AAT Kings have to offer, to provide the ultimate touring experiences to even the most experienced Australian traveller.

AAT Kings is Australia's No. 1 coach tour operator and has built its reputation on friendly personal service, professionalism, destination knowledge and value for money.

Internal Flight Information

All tours include domestic flights within Australia with Jetstar and Qantas Airways. Please note that e-tickets for these flights will be given to you by your Tour Leader whilst on tour. For specific flight information, please refer to your tour itinerary.

Luggage

Due to the fact that you will be travelling in full coaches and on Australian domestic flights, it is paramount that you stick to the following luggage allowances for the duration of your trip in order to avoid additional baggage charges.

Baggage allowances

- 1 x checked bag with maximum weight of 20kg and dimensions of 73 x 50 x 25cm
- 1 x carry-on bag with maximum weight of 7kgs and dimensions of 55 x 40 x 20cm

Your international flight to Australia may allow you 23kg or more of checked luggage;

however the maximum weight per checked bag on domestic flights is **STRICTLY 20kg**. You will be charged an additional fee if your bag exceeds the weight or size requirements.

Money & Currency

Currency in Australia is Australian Dollars (AUD). Money may be withdrawn from ATMs around the country or can be exchanged from currency exchange shops in major cities.

For the most up to date exchange rate, please refer to www.xe.com

In Australia, banking hours are generally Monday to Thursday 9.30am to 4.00pm and Friday 9.30am to 5.00pm. Some banks are open on Saturday mornings.

Many banks also contain Automatic Teller Machines (ATM), whereby money can be accessed through the machines with Visa or MasterCard, provided they are encoded with a Personal Identification Number (PIN). ATM facilities are widely available in the main shopping centres and suburban malls. Please note that banking facilities in remote areas can be limited, especially on weekends. Your Tour Leader will give you advance notice of days when you may not be able to access money easily and will ensure you have ample opportunity to visit a bank/banking facilities beforehand. However, be aware that in these instances you should carry enough cash to last you until you can reach banking facilities. Also, please be aware that you will generally receive a better exchange rate on your international currency in major cities than in rural areas.

International visitors

Please note that not all banks offer ATMs that are compatible with your credit cards. It is advised that you check with your bank prior to leaving in order to ascertain from which ATMs you can access money.

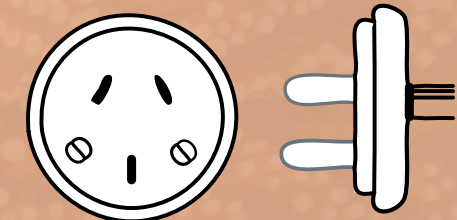
Time & Measurements

Australia is divided into three time zones:

Eastern Standard Time (Queensland, New South Wales, Victoria and Tasmania) is 9 hours ahead of Greenwich Mean Time (GMT), Central Standard Time (Northern Territory, South Australia) is 8½ hours ahead of GMT and Western Standard Time (Western Australia) is 7 hours ahead of GMT.

Electrical Current

The electrical current in Australia is 220-240V AC 50Hz. Power plugs are flat and three-pronged so you may need to bring an adaptor if you are planning to bring any electrical items.





Information about Australia

Tipping

While not compulsory in Australia, tipping is becoming an increasingly accepted practice in the service industry, but particularly in restaurants, bars and taxis.

Likewise if you feel that your coach driver has done an excellent job, then we would recommend tipping up to the equivalent of AUD3.00 per day for each day on the coach.

Shopping Hours

Generally, most shops and businesses open at 9.00am and close at 5.00pm or 5.30pm on weekdays, and midday or 1.00pm on Saturdays. In major metropolitan areas shopping hours often extend until 4.00pm or 5.00pm on Saturdays and Sunday trading applies in some areas. Most cities have late night shopping (until 9.00pm) on either Thursday or Friday nights (if not both nights). Many of the large supermarkets are open 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.

Smoking Regulations

Government regulations prohibit smoking inside tourist coaches within Australia. Please restrict smoking to the ample stops en route. Please be aware that smoking is not permitted in hotels, restaurants, bars and other public places in Australia such as shops, art galleries, museums and stadiums.

General Health Advice

Prior to Departure

It is recommended that travellers should consult their personal physician or a travel health clinic before departure about any medications required for your travel.

Prescribed Medication

When travelling internationally with prescription medication, bring adequate supplies that are clearly labelled in their original containers. Carry a signed, dated letter from your personal physician describing all medical conditions and listing all medications, including generic names. If carrying syringes or needles, be sure to carry a physician's letter documenting their medical necessity. Pack a supply of each medication in your hand luggage and carry a duplicate supply in your checked luggage.

If you wear glasses or contacts, bring an extra pair in case of loss or damage.

If you have significant allergies or chronic medical problems, wear a medical alert bracelet and advise your Tour Leader at the start of the tour.

General Precautions

Pack a personal medical kit and take appropriate measures to prevent motion sickness and jet lag. On long flights, be sure to heed airline advice and walk around the cabin, contract your leg muscles periodically, and drink plenty of fluids to prevent blood clots in the legs. For those at high risk for blood clots, consider wearing compression stockings and consult your physician prior to flying.

Climate & Clothing

Brisbane, Melbourne & Sydney

Winter begins in June in Australia with averaging minimum temperatures of 9°C and maximum temperatures of 23°C for Melbourne and Sydney, with Brisbane being slightly warmer reaching maximum temperature of 25°C and minimum temperature of 14°C.

What to Wear..

Dress is informal and relaxed on most occasions and a light waterproof jacket and a warmer jacket or coat is recommended. Smart casual dress is acceptable in all restaurants and at game day functions supporter wear is acceptable.

Cairns

Warm temperatures are expected in June with Cairns reaching maximum temperatures of 26°C and minimum of 18°C. Light breathable clothing is recommended and the nights are generally warm.

Alice Springs & Uluru

Alice Springs has a desert climate, however in the winter temperatures can drop to a minimum temperature of 5°C during the night, but reach a maximum temperature of 20°C during the day. Rainfall is low during the winter months, however we recommend for you to bring clothes to cover all bases. This would include a light rain jacket, a coat or winter jacket and light clothes should it reach a warmer temperature.

Darwin

Darwin has a tropical savannah climate with distinct wet & dry seasons and an average maximum temperature of 30°C similar all year round. The weather in June is fairly pleasant with minimum temperature of 20°C. A lightweight &/or waterproof jacket is recommended to have throughout the tour.

Kakadu

Kakadu is monsoonal with June being the dry season reaching maximum temperatures of 32°C.

We Love Rugby Functions

Included in the itinerary are casual tour functions providing an opportunity to mingle with your fellow tour members and exchange stories of your adventures so far. The dress for these functions is smart casual. For detailed information, please refer to your tour itinerary.

Also included are pre-match functions on the day of each test match in Brisbane, Melbourne and Sydney. As these functions are prior to the match, we encourage you to proudly wear your supporter colours or your We Love Rugby commemorative jersey ready for the big match!

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It is recommended to bring good walking shoes, a shady hat, sunscreen, insect repellent, a water bottle, an umbrella and a towel and bathers. Passengers that experience sea-sickness may wish to bring medication.





Communications & Contacts

Telephone & Communication

Optus, Telstra and Vodafone all offer roaming agreements. Coverage is available in most areas. Check with your service provider for more details.

WARNING: Higher call rates and charges apply for calls, texts and data when roaming internationally. Please remember you may be charged for all calls and texts made and received whilst you are overseas (if you are based outside of Australia). Check with your provider for call, SMS and data rates.

Phones Cards are also widely available from most convenience stores, newsstands and post offices and are a cheap way of making overseas calls. Follow the dialling instructions on the back of the phone card.

Safety & Emergencies

The majority of travellers enjoy safe and pleasant trips; however you still need to be wary and mindful of the following guidelines:

- Avoid walking alone on streets, particularly after dark
- Walk in well lit areas and avoid obscure alley ways
- Store valuables in a safe place. You should not leave valuables unattended in public places or lying around your hotel room; use the hotel safe in your room or at reception.



In the unlikely event you are in a threatening situation, do not try and be a hero, as your assailant may be armed. Give them what they want and try to remain calm then contact the local police.

The emergency contact number in Australia is: 000

Make copies of your photo ID and leave one with a family member or friend and carry one with you whilst travelling in case of loss or theft.

We Love Rugby Tour Staff

Your experienced We Love Rugby Tour Leaders will be as follows:

Rainforest & Reef, Test 1 & 2 Tour

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Samantha Ward
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Test 2 & 3 Tour

Hannah Pigram
Ph: +61 (0) 439 968 923

Chanelle, Samantha & Hannah will be with you for the duration of your tour and are there to ensure that you have the ultimate tour experience.

Please note: for those passengers travelling on the Top End tour, you will be escorted by Samantha throughout your rugby portion of the tour in Brisbane, Melbourne & Sydney. However on arrival in Darwin you will be met by a specialised Kakadu guide/driver provided by AAT Kings who will escort you for your time in the Northern Territory.

These numbers will only be activated for the duration of the tour. For any enquiries prior to the start of you tour should be directed to the We Love Rugby office on 1300 200 900 or +61 (2) 9331 1344.



Hotel Information

Hotel Check-in / Check-out

Throughout the hotel industry worldwide the following standard timings apply: Check-in from 3pm / Check-out by 10am

As you will be arriving into Australian hotels during peak season, hotel rooms are unlikely to be ready for occupation before 3pm. If you wish to guarantee check-in when you arrive at the start of the tour you will need to book an extra night prior to the start date of the tour. This can be done through our office or alternatively, the hotel will store your luggage in a secure area until your room is ready.

Breakfast

Breakfast is included at all hotels on tour and has been pre-paid by We Love Rugby. A personal credit card will need to be provided at each check-in to guarantee against any additional extras charged to the room such as phone calls, pay per view movies, mini bar purchases etc.

Hotel Information

Below provides essential information on your hotels for the Test Matches. For hotel information for your AAT Kings escorted tour (Sunday 30th June – Thursday 4th July), please refer to your tour itinerary for detailed information.

Please refer to the We Love Rugby notice board which will be placed in each hotel lobby for further transport information and recommended tourist attractions, restaurants and bars.

Traders Hotel, Brisbane

159 Roma Street,
Brisbane, QLD 4000

Tel: +61 (0) 7 3238 2222

Crown Promenade, Melbourne

8 Whiteman Street,
Southbank, Melbourne, VIC 3000

Tel: +61 (0) 3 9292 6688

Park Royal Darling Harbour, Sydney

150 Day Street,
Sydney, NSW 2000

Tel: +61 (0) 2 9261 1188

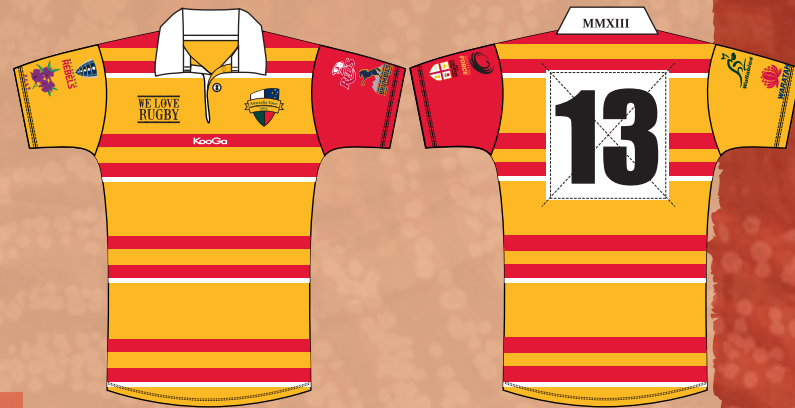




Match Information

Match Tickets & Merchandise

Your match tickets will be distributed in your travel package with your tour documentation. If you are based outside of Australia, your tickets and merchandise will be available from your tour leader during the welcome function on the evening of the first night of your tour. Please bring photo identification with you and look after your tickets carefully as they are irreplaceable. We Love Rugby provide each supporter with a lanyard to carry tickets in for each test.



Match Information

1st Test – Brisbane

HSBC British & Irish Lions v Qantas Wallabies
Suncorp Stadium
Saturday 22nd June, 2013
Kick off: 8.00pm

Tour Match – Melbourne

HSBC British & Irish Lions v Melbourne Rebels
AAMI Park
Tuesday 25th June 2013
Kick Off: 7.30pm

2nd Test – Melbourne

HSBC British & Irish Lions v Qantas Wallabies
Etihad Stadium
Saturday 29th June 2013
Kick Off: 8.00pm

3rd Test – Sydney

HSBC British & Irish Lions v Qantas Wallabies
ANZ Stadium
Saturday 6th July 2013
Kick Off: 8.00pm

Tour Matches

For tour matches against Super Rugby franchises, please refer to your itinerary for further information.

Test Match Seating Maps

A seating map is provided at the end of the Tour Information Booklet for each stadium – Suncorp, AAMI Park, Etihad and ANZ.



Functions

Tour Functions

To provide the ultimate tour experience, We Love Rugby have included tour functions in each Test Match city to allow you to mingle with fellow tour members, your tour leaders and to share one another's experiences throughout the tour.

Brisbane – Welcome Function

5.00pm to 7.00pm
Friday 21st June Traders Hotel
MJ's Restaurant & Bar
159 Roma St, Brisbane
Canapés & Drinks provided
Dress: Smart Casual

Melbourne – Cocktail Function

5.30pm to 7.30pm
Friday 28th June
Crown Promenade
Tonic Bar
8 Whiteman Street, Southbank, Melbourne
Canapés & Drinks provided
Dress: Smart Casual

Sydney – Farewell Function

7.00pm to 11.00pm
Friday 5th July
Sydney Harbour Dinner Cruise
Pier 26 Wharf (outside Sydney Aquarium)
Darling Harbour
Three course dinner & drinks provided
Dress: Smart Casual

Pre-Match Functions

With 12 years in the making, there's no better way to gear up for the 2013 Lions Test Matches then to attend We Love Rugby's exclusive Pre Match Function. With over 2000 passionate rugby fans, food & drinks flowing, live entertainment and ex Wallabies & Lions greats providing their insight, you will be fully prepared for the game and ready to cheer your team on.

For venues and function times, please refer to the Test Match City Guides in your tour information booklet. Please ensure you read this information thoroughly, as all functions are prior to the Test Matches and entrance is invite only (We Love Rugby lanyard).

Please note, there is no transport provided to the function in Brisbane and Melbourne, however your invites have maps and directions and your tour leader will assist you in getting there. For Sydney you will be transferred by coach to the function and from the game back to the hotel. Please refer to your daily itinerary for detailed information i.e collection times.

Optional Tours

If you have pre-booked the Australia Zoo, Yarra Valley Wine or Sydney Harbour Bridge Climb tour options with us, please refer to your Optional Extra tour documents for further information.



Brisbane Test Match -

Saturday 22nd June 2013

About Brisbane

It's no secret that Brisbane is alive with excitement. Its entertainment is fresh and youthful and it thrives with laneway markets, urban villages, fine food restaurants and open air cafes.

Spend your day in areas such as Southbank, where you can relax and wind down and take a stroll through its markets, man-made beaches and museums. The bustling nightlife of Caxton Street, Fortitude Valley and Eagle Street Pier offers an array of bars, restaurants and entertainment. If shopping is more your scene, Brisbane's famous Queen Street Mall houses over 700 speciality stores including world class retailers and heritage listed arcades.

Airport Transfer General Information

Brisbane Airport offers a range of transport options to and from the CBD. You will need to arrange transport to and from the airport to your accommodation. These options include:

Train: Located just meters from the Domestic and International Terminals, the Airtrain travelling from the Brisbane Airport provides

direct access to Brisbane CBD. Offering an average 20 minute journey to/from the Brisbane CBD and costs \$16.

For more information, visit www.airtrain.com.au

Shuttle Buses: Coachtrans/Con-X-ion offer direct transfers between Brisbane airport and CBD hotels for \$20 per person, one way.

For more information, visit www.con-x-ion.com

Taxis: Taxi ranks are conveniently located at both the International and Domestic Terminal. Brisbane CBD is approximately 25 minutes from the airport and cost is approximately \$30 each way.



Game Day Pre-Match Function

One of the highlights of the weekend is our exclusive We Love Rugby pre-match function. This event will be held at the Brisbane Convention Centre with beer, wine and soft drink available for you to enjoy, as well as finger food. You will get the chance to rub shoulders with members of past Wallabies and Lions squads and hear from our panel of guest speakers.

Function Location

Venue: Brisbane Convention & Exhibition Centre
Date: Saturday 22nd June 2013
Time: 4.00pm – 6.00pm
Location: Corner of Merivale and Glenelg Streets, South Bank, Brisbane

IMPORTANT: You will find your invitation to the function in your ticket lanyard and there is one invitation per person. This is a ticketed event and entry will only be permitted with the presentation of the invitation, so make sure you bring this with you to avoid any disappointments.

For more information, visit: www.bcec.com.au

Match Schedule

Match: British and Irish Lions v Qantas Wallabies
Gates open: 6.00pm
Kick off: 8.00pm
Venue: Suncorp Stadium
40 Castlemaine St, Milton, Brisbane

For more information, visit: www.suncorpstadium.com.au

Getting to the Match

There are a few transport options to get you from the Brisbane Convention Centre to Suncorp Stadium. Your Suncorp Stadium match ticket entitles you to travel free, to and from matches, on the Queensland Rail City Network and Brisbane Transport Bus services. Simply present your game day ticket to rail and bus staff as you board their services. This free travel offer applies from mid-day to the last scheduled service on game day.

Bus: Shuttle bus, Maroon Glider and the number 385 bus will all take you near the stadium.

They depart on the corner of Melbourne and Grey Street (opposite the cultural centre).

Train: Depart from South Brisbane train stop (pink building on Grey Street).

You will need to take the train to Roma Street and either walk (1400m), or alternatively shuttle buses will be running from Roma Street Train Station directly to the stadium every 5 to 10 minutes.

Walk: Its approximately a 2.5km walk from the BCEC (Brisbane Convention and Exhibition Centre) to Suncorp Stadium. From BCEC head north-west on Merivale Street which will take you over the Go Between Bridge. Cross Coronation Drive using the pedestrian underpass and follow Boomerang Street to Suncorp Stadium.

Optional Tours

Australia Zoo

If you have pre-booked the Australia Zoo option with us, please refer to your Optional Extra tour documents for further information. These will be located in your tour document wallet (with your match tickets), which will be couriered to your address. If you are an international guest, you will receive this in an email.





Out & About in Brisbane

Recommended Things to do in Brisbane

Visit Southbank Parklands

Offers riverside cycling and walking paths, lush gardens, man-made inner city beach and a great range of dining options and vibrant shopping (originally set up for the World Expo in 1988).

River Cruises

View the sights of Brisbane from the river aboard one of the many cruises available.

For more information, visit:
www.rivercitycruises.com.au

Shopping

Brisbane offers a variety of shopping arcades, malls, local boutiques and high-end fashion options.

Queen Street Mall is just one of the premier shopping destinations in Brisbane.

Story Bridge Adventure Climb

Climb to the top of Brisbane's iconic Story Bridge and feel a connection with the glistening cityscape and the winding Brisbane River. The Story Bridge connects Fortitude Valley to Kangaroo Point and climbs range in price from \$75 to \$120.

For more information, visit:
www.storybridgeadventureclimb.com.au

XXXX Brewery

Located in Milton, the XXXX Brewery tour is a beer journey where you'll learn interesting facts about the colourful history of XXXX and its place in the Australian community. You will finish off with the opportunity to taste the local brew.

For more information, visit:
www.xxxxbrewerytour.com.au

Riverlife Adventure Centre

For the adventurous type you can head down to Riverlife Adventure Centre where you can hire a kayak or stand up paddle board down the Brisbane River, abseil or rock climb the Kangaroo Point Cliffs or hire a bike/rollerblades.

For more information, visit:
www.riverlife.com.au

Mt Cootha Lookout

If you have some extra time and a car, you might like to take a drive for a panoramic view of Brisbane City at the Mt Cootha Lookout.

For more information, visit:
www.brisbanelookout.com

Drinking and Dining

Areas to check-out in Brisbane:

Southbank

Choice of restaurants, bars, cafes and takeaway. Offering everything from quick and simple meals to decadent dining for all you food lovers out there.

For more information, visit:
www.visitsouthbank.com.au

Eagle Street Pier

Iconic waterfront precinct with world-class dining options with views of the Brisbane River and Story Bridge. You may want to try having an entree at two or three eateries, thus getting a great variety of food types and restaurant experiences. There are a few casual dining spots, as well as great waterfront bars and weekend markets.

For more information, visit:
www.eaglestreetpier.com.au

Caxton Street (Paddington)

Walking distance to Suncorp Stadium, the famous Caxton Street Precinct is lined with pubs, restaurants & clubs. A popular destination for entertainment, especially on match day!

West End

West end is an alternative, cultural, funky little area, located near Southbank. There are lots of Cafes, restaurants, bars and shops along Boundary and Vulture Street. Go for a wander and stumble across tiny art galleries, Saturday markets and discover Brisbane's quirkiest little venues.

Fortitude Valley (also simply known as "The Valley")

Where elegance and style meet grungy and offbeat. The Valley was Australia's first dedicated entertainment district and continues to be a hive of activity. The Valley is a hotspot of live music and Brisbane nightlife (Brunswick Street, Brunswick Street Mall, Chinatown).

New Farm (Brunswick street links The Valley to New Farm)

One of Brisbane's cosmopolitan suburbs, it contains many trendy bars, traditional pubs and restaurants with a great range to suit all tastes and budgets. The main retail strip is on James Street.

Useful Websites

Brisbane tourism
www.visitbrisbane.com.au

Brisbane transport
www.translink.com.au

We Love Rugby FAQs
www.weloverugby.com/lions/general-tour-information



Melbourne Test Match -

Saturday 29th June 2013

About Melbourne

Melbourne is the self-proclaimed sporting capital of Australia. This metropolitan, energetic city is the perfect setting for the second Test Match with a sea of red and gold expected. From trendy Southbank bars to boutique hidden side-street eateries, you will be hard pushed to fit it all in over the rugby weekend.

To start your Lions experience, enjoy a meal at one of the fine restaurants the city has to offer. Stroll through the CBD or head down to famous Lygon Street in Carlton, one of the great food precincts of Melbourne. Boasting one of the largest selections of Italian restaurants and cafes in Australia, grab a table outdoors and enjoy.

Airport Transfer General Information

Melbourne Airport offers a range of transport options to and from the CBD. You will need to arrange transport to and from the airport to your accommodation. These options include:

SkyBus: The easiest and quickest way to get to Melbourne CBD is via SkyBus with stops located just outside the Melbourne Airport Terminal (Tullamarine). The trip takes approximately 20 minutes and costs \$17 one way or \$28 return. SkyBus also offer a complimentary shuttle to participating properties with your purchased Skybus ticket. Once you've reached Southern Cross station just speak to a SkyBus Customer Service Officer to see whether they go via your specific property

For more information, visit www.skybus-px.rtrk.com.au/hotel-transfer-service/participating-hotels-motels

Taxis: Taxi ranks are conveniently located at both the International and Domestic Terminal. Melbourne's CBD is approximately 25 minutes from the airport and costs approximately \$50 each way.

Game Day Pre-Match Function

One of the highlights of the weekend is our exclusive We Love Rugby pre-match function. This event will be held at the South Wharf Promenade with beer, wine and soft drink available for you to enjoy, as well as finger food. You will get the chance to rub shoulders with members of past Wallabies and Lions squads and hear from our panel of guest speakers.

Function Location

Venue: South Wharf Promenade
Date: Saturday 29th June 2013
Time: 4⁰⁰pm – 6⁰⁰pm

IMPORTANT: You will find your invitation to the function in your ticket lanyard and there is one invitation per person. This is a ticketed event and entry will only be permitted with the presentation of the invitation, so make sure you bring this with you to avoid any disappointments.

For more information, visit: southwharfpromenade.com.au/venueshome

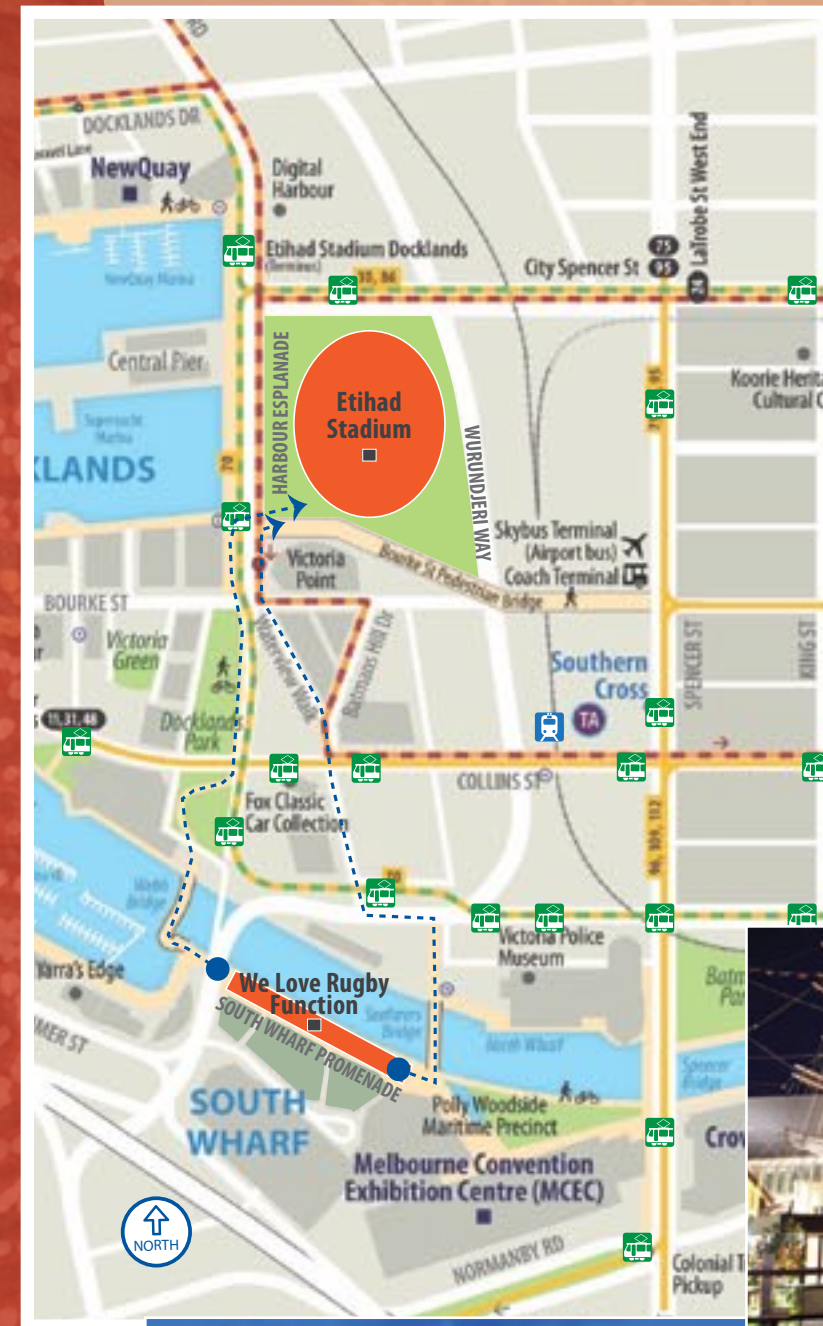
Match Schedule

Match: Lions v Qantas Wallabies
Gates open: 6⁰⁰pm
Kick off: 8⁰⁰pm
Venue: Etihad Stadium
740 Bourke Street,
Docklands

For more information, visit: www.etihadstadium.com.au

Getting to the Match

The We Love Rugby exclusive pre-match function will be held at the South Wharf Promenade, and is only a 15 minute walk to Etihad Stadium. You will need to walk over Webb Bridge via the pedestrian pathway and head north along the Harbour Esplanade to reach the Stadium.



After the Match

If you return to South Wharf Promenade after the game, on presentation of your We Love Rugby lanyard, you will receive a complimentary drink.

Alternatively, there are several options to get back to your specific accommodation:

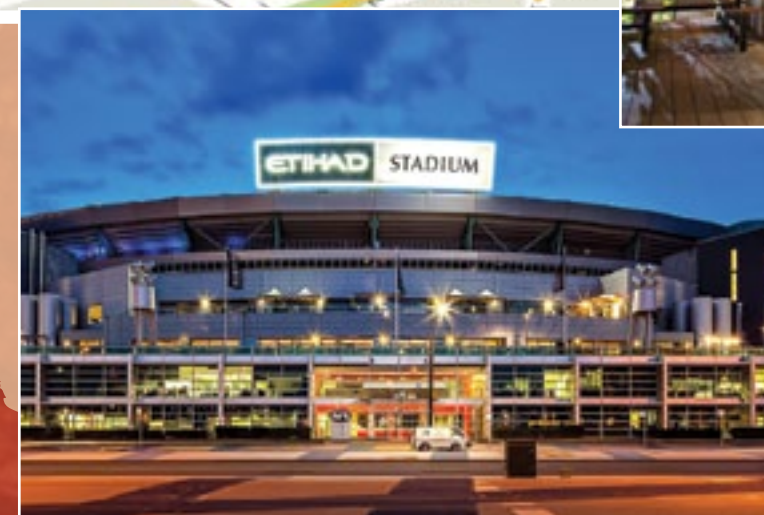
Train: Southern Cross is the nearest train station to Etihad Stadium and only a 5 minute walk across the Bourke Street pedestrian footbridge. Train timetable information is available from Metro Trains Melbourne.

For more information, visit: **1800 MY METRO (1800 69 63876)**
www.metrotrains.com.au

Trams: Trams run to Etihad Stadium from La Trobe Street and Harbour Esplanade.

Trams also stop in the CBD on Spencer Street, Bourke Street and Collins Street and are all a short walk to Etihad Stadium. Tram timetable information is available from the Metlink Melbourne website.

For more information, visit: www.ptv.vic.gov.au



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Out & About in Melbourne

Optional Tours

Yarra Valley Wineries Tour

If you have pre-booked this tour with us, please refer to your Optional Extra tour documents for further information. This will be located in your tour document wallet (with your match tickets), which will be couriered to your address. If you are an international guest, you will receive this from your tour leader.

Recommended Things to do in Melbourne

Eureka Skydeck

Located in the 297m Eureka Tower in Southbank, the Skydeck offers awe inspiring views of Melbourne. It is the Southern Hemisphere's highest viewing platform and costs \$18.50 for a visit.

For more information, visit:
www.eurekaskydeck.com.au

Federation Square

Home to major cultural attractions, world-class events, tourism experiences and an exceptional array of restaurants, bars and specialty stores, this modern piazza has become the city's meeting place and will be buzzing with red and gold.

For more information, visit:
www.fedsquare.com

St. Kilda Pier

Located 6km from the city centre, St Kilda is Melbourne's seaside playground and is much-loved by residents and visitors alike. It is renowned for its expansive view of Port Phillip, safe sandy beach, palm-lined boardwalk, big skies, gorgeous sunsets, park and gardens, great restaurants, bars and cafés and fabulous old buildings.

For more information, visit:
www.stkildamelbourne.com.au

MCG & National Sports Museum

The National Sports Museum, located at the Melbourne Cricket Ground, is home to Australia's finest collection of sporting heritage. Exhibitions include Australian football, cricket, the MCG, Olympics and much more.

For more information, visit:
www.nsm.org.au

Shopping

Melbourne's cosmopolitan vibe is reflected by the wide range of fashion and retail precincts. Popular places include Chapel Street, Brunswick Street, Queen Victoria Markets, Bourke Street Mall and Bridge Road.

Drinking and Dining

Areas to check-out in Melbourne:

Lygon Street, Carlton

Melbourne's little Italy, offering a wide range of Italian dining. There's pizza, pasta, gelato, good coffee and restaurants spilling out onto the pavement.

Little Bourke Street – Chinatown

Little Bourke street is in the heart of Chinatown and has a wide range of Asian restaurants.

Docklands, NewQuay

With lively atmosphere and spectacular views, NewQuay is one of Melbourne's most vibrant and dynamic inner-city waterfront precincts.

For more information, visit:
www.newquay.com.au/dining

Southgate and Southbank

Southgate, the Casino and Southbank promenade are some of the most popular eating precincts in Melbourne, with beautiful city views over the river.

For more information, visit:
www.celebratesouthgate.com.au

Brunswick Street, Fitzroy

Brunswick is a lively street with cafes, casual restaurants and outrageous pubs and bars.

For more information, visit:
www.brunswickstreet.com.au

Fitzroy

The hub of Melbourne's alternative and student scene, Fitzroy is alive with funky cafes, cool bars and casual restaurants. Brunswick Street, Smith Street and Johnston Street are where all the action is at.

South Yarra

The Toorak Road and Chapel Street areas of South Yarra feature numerous restaurants and cafes and a wide range of cuisines.

Useful Websites

We Love Rugby FAQs
www.weloverugby.com/lions/general-tour-information

Melbourne Tourism
www.visitvictoria.com
www.thatsmelbourne.com.au

Etihad Stadium
www.etihadstadium.com.au

Melbourne Airport
www.melbourneairport.com.au

Melbourne Skybus
www.skybus.com.au

Melbourne Transport
www.victrip.com.au
www.metrotrains.com.au
www.ptv.vic.gov.au/timetables/metropolitan-trams





2013 LIONS TOUR
AUSTRALIA

Sydney Test Match -

Saturday 6th July 2013

About Sydney

Australia's oldest, largest and most diverse city has something for everyone. From awesome beaches such as the famous Bondi Beach (Bondi Rescue), Manly Beach and Palm Beach (Home & Away), to its myriad of restaurants, bars and cafes in Darling Harbour, Circular Quay and The Rocks.

If you love to shop Sydney has it all, from luxe labels and home-grown fashion to markets and outlet stores. The icing on the cake, in the heart of Sydney, is the spectacular Sydney Harbour with the cities most recognised icons – the Sydney Harbour Bridge and Sydney Opera House. We hope you love our harbour city as much as we do!

Airport Transfer General Information

Sydney Airport offers a range of transport options to get you from the airport to your accommodation. These options include:

Airport Train: Train stations are located at both the International and Domestic Terminals which operate as part of the Airport Link train network. This will take you from the airport to the city center at Central Station or Town Hall. Cost: \$15.90 one way (from Domestic) \$16.70 one way (from International). Trains run approximately every 10 minutes and the journey to the city takes only 13 minutes.

For more information, visit:
www.airportlink.com.au

Taxis: Taxi ranks are located outside each terminal and a fare will cost you approximately \$50 from the airport to the city center.

Airport Shuttle: There are a range of shuttle bus companies that offer door to door transfers which range in price from \$13 to \$20 per person, one way. You can sometimes get a better deal if you book this online.

For more information, visit
www.airportconnect.com.au
www.airbussydney.com.au
www.easyshuttle.com.au
www.sydneyairportshuttle.com



Game Day Pre-Match Function

One of the highlights of the weekend is our exclusive We Love Rugby pre-match function. This event will be held in the Sports Halls, at Sydney Olympic Park. Beer, wine and soft drink will be provided, as well as finger food. You will get the chance to rub shoulders with members of past Wallabies and Lions squads and hear from our panel of guest speakers.

Function Location

Venue: Sports Halls
Sydney Olympic Park
Date: Saturday 6th July 2013
Time: 4.30pm – 6.30pm
Location: Olympic Boulevard
Sydney Olympic Park

IMPORTANT: You will find your invitation to the function in your ticket lanyard and there is one invitation per person. This is a ticketed event and entry will only be permitted with the presentation of the invitation, so make sure you bring this with you to avoid any disappointments.

For more information, visit:
www.sportshalls.com.au

Match Schedule

Match: Lions v Qantas Wallabies
Gates open: 6.00pm
Kick off: 8.00pm
Venue: ANZ Stadium
Edwin Flack Avenue
Sydney Olympic Park

For more information, visit:
www.anzstadium.com.au

Transport to Olympic Park

ANZ stadium is located 17km West of Sydney's CBD. Your ANZ Stadium match ticket entitles you to travel free, to and from matches, on CityRail trains and regular buses on game day (this is not valid on premium or private services). Simply present your match ticket to rail and bus staff as you board their services.

Train: You can catch a train from Central Station to Olympic Park Station. This journey takes between 30 to 40 minutes. Additional, direct services will operate to Olympic Park from Central Station on game day. Many buses operate in the city centre to take you to Central Station.

For more information, visit:
www.131500.com.au

Ferry: You can catch a ferry (Parramatta River Ferry) from Circular Quay (No. 5 Wharf) or Darling Harbour (King Street Ferry Wharf No. 3) to Sydney Olympic Park Ferry Wharf. This trip takes approximately 1 hour. Ferry tickets can be purchased from PREPAY ticket outlets, ticket offices at Circular Quay or ticket machines at Circular Quay or Darling Harbour. You would then need to take the connecting bus service - Bus 526 from Ferry Wharf to Sydney Olympic Park (bus journey is approx 15 minutes).

For more information, visit:
www.131500.com.au

Optional Tours

Sydney Harbour Bridge Climb
If you have pre-booked the Sydney Harbour Bridge Climb with us please refer to your Optional Extra tour documents for further information. This will be located in your tour document wallet (with your match tickets), which will be couriered to your address. If you are an international guest, you will receive from your tour leader.





Out & About in Sydney

Recommended Things to do in Sydney

Inner City Walks

Sydney has some impressive inner city walks. The Opera House to Botanical Gardens walk provides a sweeping view of the Opera House and Sydney Harbour Bridge when you round Mrs Macquarie Point. You could take a stroll around Darling Harbour or Circular Quay and in the city centre take a walk along George or Pitt street.

Bondi to Coogee Walk

The Bondi to Coogee walk is a combination of beaches, parks and spectacular views. This walk has been around since the 1930's and is still one of the hidden gems of Sydney's Eastern Suburbs. It includes Bondi, Tamarama, Bronte, Clovelly and Coogee beaches. The total length is 6km and you should allow about 2 hours from start to finish, in one direction. However, you can do small sections of it depending on your level of fitness.

Sydney's Beaches

Sydney is home to 39 ocean beaches. Carve up the surf, take a scenic walk or simply admire the view from one of the many cafes or bars along Bondi, Coogee, Manly or one of the Northern Beaches. You can take a bus to Bondi Beach (from Circular Quay or Central Station), jump on a ferry to Manly or travel by car to Palm Beach.

Sydney Tower

Measuring 309 metres at its highest point, the Sydney Tower is one of the tallest structures in the southern hemisphere and by far the tallest building in Sydney. Located in the city centre, it costs \$26 per person to go to the top, which offers some incredible views over Sydney.

For more information, visit:
www.sydneytowereye.com.au

Taronga Zoo

Located on the shores of Sydney Harbour, Taronga is the city zoo of Sydney. There are over 340 species and over 2,600 individual animals. The Taronga Zoo ferry service offers a 12 minute ride from Circular Quay to the zoo and admission is \$44 for adults and \$22 for children.

For more information, visit:
www.taronga.org.au

Sydney Opera House

A multi-venue performing arts centre, which was designed and built by Danish architect Jørn Utzon, the Opera House is one of Sydney's famous icons. You can take a walk around the perimeter, stop for a drink at the Opera Bar or dine in one of many cafes or restaurants. Guided tours are available and can be booked directly on the website.

For more information, visit:
www.sydneyoperahouse.com

Sydney Harbour Bridge

Nicknamed "The Coathanger" by locals because of its arch-based design, the Sydney Harbour Bridge is both functional and beautiful. The more daring can climb to the top (one of the three licensed Bridge Climb experiences in the world). If the bridge climb is not your thing, take a lovely walk along the bridge or enjoy magnificent views from the Pylon Lookout.

Hop-on, Hop-off Bus Tours

The Sydney and Bondi Beach hop-on, hop-off tour allows you to see the very best of this remarkable city. Tickets are valid for either 24 or 48 hours, during which time you can hop on and off as often as you wish, with frequent departures every 15-20 minutes. All the main attractions of Sydney are covered by the route. Buses run from 9.00am til 5.30pm.

For more information, visit:
www.hop-on-hop-off-bus.com

Sydney Harbour Hop-on, Hop-off ferry

Hop-On, Hop-Off ferries depart the main tourist precincts of Circular Quay and Darling Harbour every 45 minutes. There are 8 stopovers along the way, including Fort Denison, Taronga Zoo, Shark Island, Watsons Bay, Manly and Luna Park.

For more information, visit:
www.captaincook.com.au/sydney-harbour-cruises/hop-on-hop-off

Shopping

The historic Queen Victoria Building, Strand Arcade and Westfield Sydney are popular fashion boutiques with local and international brands. Castlereagh, Elizabeth and King Street are home to the upmarket designer brands, while Australia's two largest department stores, Myer and David Jones have all the top labels. Paddington's Oxford Street has 2 kilometres of funky boutiques and high street fashions.

Drinking and Dining

Areas to check-out in Sydney:

Darling Harbour

One of Sydney's favourite destinations for leisure and entertainment, with more than 40 restaurants, 30 bars, cafes, IMAX theatre, Sydney Aquarium (one of the largest aquariums in the world), Maritime Museum, Chinese Garden of Friendship, Harbourside Shopping Centre - the list goes on!

For more information, visit:
www.darlingharbour.com

Circular Quay

The hub of Sydney Harbour and the founding site for Sydney and Australia. The Quay is a vibrant, bustling place with ferries leaving every few minutes to different parts, of the harbour (the Manly Ferry is a locals favourite). A short walk from Circular Quay will take you to the Sydney Opera House, Royal Botanical Gardens and the Rocks. Circular Quay is at the foot of the CBD and the old, historic end of the city. Its restaurants offer delicious, multicultural cuisines from fine dining to simple and affordable meals.

For more information, visit:
www.circularquay.net/restaurants

China Town

Yum cha, dumplings, crispy duck or just a simple chicken stir-fry? From Thai to Vietnamese, Cantonese to Malaysian, dumpling houses and neon-lit food in Chinatown and Haymarket are plentiful.

For more information, visit:
www.sydney-chinatown.info

The Rocks

Just around the corner from Circular Quay, The Rocks is an historical area of Sydney's city centre. It features a variety of souvenir and craft shops, themed pubs and restaurants. The Rocks Markets operate each weekend from 10am til 5pm Saturday and Sunday.

For more information, visit:
www.therocks.com

Useful Websites

Sydney Tourism
www.sydney.com.au

Sydney Airport
www.sydneyairport.com.au

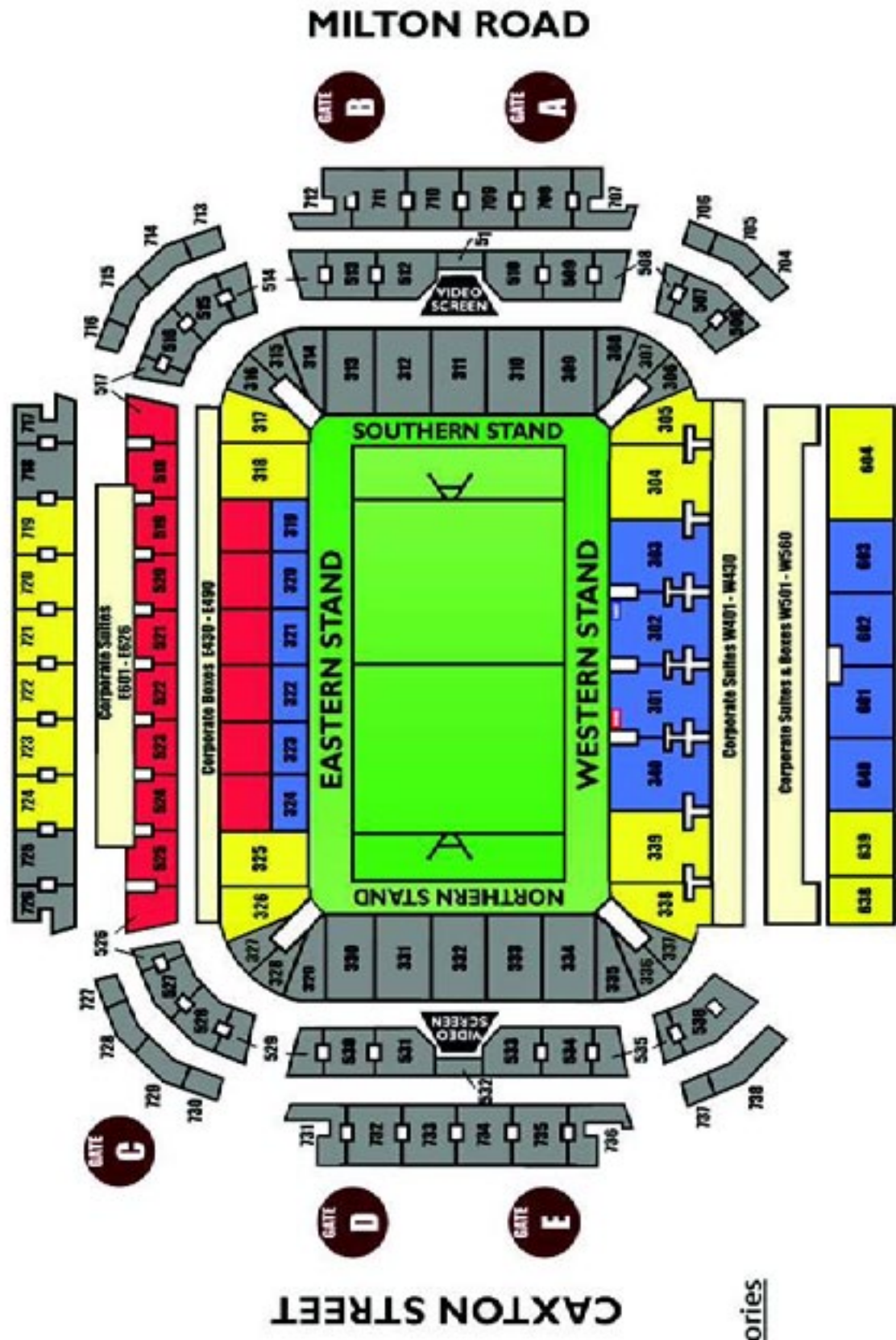
NSW Transport Information
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HALE STREET



ST. GEORGE QUEENSLAND REDS v BRITISH & IRISH LIONS
Saturday 8 June 2013
SUNCORP STADIUM - BRISBANE

Note: Due to contractual and operational requirements not all seats identified on this map will be available for purchase.



RaboDirect Rebels v British & Irish Lions
Tuesday 25 June 2013
AAMI PARK, MELBOURNE

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Seating/Ticketing Categories

- Platinum
- Gold
- Silver
- Bronze
- Bronze Alcohol Free
- Medallion Club

Qantas Wallabies v British & Irish Lions
 Saturday 29th June, 2013
 ETIHAD STADIUM - MELBOURNE

Harbour Esplanade

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QANTAS WALLABIES v BRITISH & IRISH LIONS
 Saturday 6 July 2013
 ANZ STADIUM - SYDNEY

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