

SATURDAY 25TH JUNE

MALDON EXPERIENCE

TRAVEL BY STEAM TO THE GOLDFIELDS
VISIT THE HISTORIC TOWNSHIP OF MALDON
OR THE GRAND CITY OF BENDIGO

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Our staff can accept credit card bookings by phone.

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GOING TO MALDON – ECONOMY		QTY.	AMOUNT
\$99.00	Adult		
\$89.00	Seniors		
\$75.00	Under 17		
GOING TO MALDON – FIRST CLASS			
\$149.00	Adult		
\$139.00	Seniors		
\$99.00	Under 17		
GOING TO BENDIGO – ECONOMY			
\$99.00	Adult		
\$89.00	Seniors		
\$75.00	Under 17		
OTHER OPTIONS			
\$30.00	Evening Meal at Castlemaine (Adults)		
\$15.00	Evening Meal at Castlemaine (Under 17)		
\$5.00	Air-conditioned seating		
TOTAL ENCLOSED:			

NAME:

ADDRESS:

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Seniors Card No.....(if applicable)

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Please debit my: MASTERCARD / VISA (Strike out those not applicable)

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SATURDAY 25TH JUNE • DAY TRIP TO MALDON OR BENDIGO



Join Steamrail as we head for the historic goldfields town of Maldon. This steam train will take you back to the time when it was possible to “change trains” at Castlemaine for a branch line trip to Maldon.

The train will depart from Southern Cross and stop at selected suburban stations to pick up passengers. Our two steam locomotives R711 and R761 will work hard as we experience the glory of the “Main Line” with its many viaducts, hills, tunnels and hand built bluestone bridges. Once at Castlemaine you may like to explore the heritage signal cabin on the station, before departing for Maldon.

This branch line is now the Victorian Goldfields Railway (VGR). Over many years, the scenic route was lovingly rebuilt, once again linking the historic gold towns of Castlemaine and Maldon, through the beautiful Box Ironbark forest in a region that once saw some of the richest gold mining in Australia. In Maldon you can admire the quaint shop fronts and cottage gardens, pause to enjoy a Devonshire tea or hot soup, or browse in the antique shops. The smell of wood smoke in the air evokes the comforting cheer of the open fire.

THE MALDON EXPERIENCE

For those who choose this option you must change trains at Castlemaine to travel on to Maldon. Plenty of cafes, hotels and bakeries are available in the main street to purchase some lunch.

BENDIGO OPTION

At Castlemaine, stay on board the train as it travels to Bendigo for servicing. You will arrive in Bendigo at 11.20am and depart for Melbourne at 3.40pm. There is lots to see and do in Bendigo.

FIRST CLASS OPTION

Maybe you would like the experience of First Class travel and service. This includes lunch at the Maldon Hotel and VGR’s first



class carriages Tambo and Macedon. You also receive a glass of wine and nibbles. This luxury option is limited to 48 people, so book early to avoid disappointment.

EVENING MEAL OPTION

Enjoy a hot package meal on the return journey. These will be available to pick up from Castlemaine station, before you board the train to Melbourne. These meals need to be pre-ordered and paid for on your booking form before the trip.

ON TRAIN SERVICE

Our on-train facilities include a kiosk, which stocks a wide range of light refreshments, sandwiches, souvenirs, hot and cold drinks. A licensed bar will also be open serving a range of wine, beers and spirits. Our courteous train officers will be on hand throughout the journey to provide any assistance to ensure an enjoyable and safe day. •

T I M E T A B L E

Subject to change, please confirm 2 days before departure.

7.40am	SOUTHERN CROSS	7.45pm
7.45am	NORTH MELBOURNE	7.40pm
7.50am	FOOTSCRAY	7.35pm
8.02am	SUNSHINE	7.20pm
8.15am	WATERGARDENS	7.10pm
8.30am	SUNBURY	6.55pm
10.40am	CASTLEMAINE	4.15pm
11.20am	BENDIGO	3.40pm