INFORMATION FACT SHEET





Did you know?

City of Canada Bay provides a program of bus trips for people over 55 years of age who live at home in Canada Bay. Bay Connection trips are organised fortnightly to places of interest that have good physical access and where minimal walking is required.

Frequently Asked Questions

Who can participate?

Bay Connection bus trips are designed for people who:

- Live at home and would like to get out of the house.
- Enjoy the company of others.
- Would like to travel to a variety of interesting destinations.

Participants must meet eligibility criteria.

This service is not available to nursing homes.

When do the trips occur?

The trips operate on Tuesdays and Fridays every alternate week.

Where does the bus depart from?

Bay Connection participants are picked up and dropped off at their home.

Where do the trips go?

Some examples of previous trips include:

- Australian Museum
- Cumberland State Forest
- Carrs Cottage Museum
- David Parsons piano and organ recital
- The Power House Discovery Centre, Castle Hill

How do I book?

- 1. Call the City of Canada Bay and ask to be referred to the Community Life Team.
- 2. The Seniors Bus Trips Coordinator will ask you a series of questions to ascertain your eligibility to participate in the program.
- 3. If you are eligible, you will be sent a Bay Connection application form which you will need to complete and return to our office.
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- 4. When we receive the completed application form, the Coordinator will contact you to organise a trial trip on the bus.
- 5. If the trial trip is successful, you will be allocated a place in the program. You will receive:
 - The current Bay Connection program (which outlines dates, trips and costs)
 - The Bay Connection Handbook

Please note: If the bus trip is fully booked, you will be placed on the wait list until a place becomes available

How do I find out more?

For more information regarding the trips, please contact Council's Customer Service on 9911 6555 or visit www.canadabay.nsw.gov.au.

