

Experience is the difference

Moonshadow Cruises has been owned by the founders Peter and Dianne Annable since 1981, making them the longest and most experienced operators in the local industry.

Welcome aboard...

As many of our return passengers remember, Moonshadow Cruises started out as Moonshadow Sailing Cruises. The original Moonshadow vessel was the inspiration for many of the cruises we operate today. The sailing vessel conducted the Port's first scheduled Whale Watching Cruise as well as regular Twilight Dinner, Dolphin Watch and Broughton Island Cruises.

Moonshadow is proud to be an Australian family operated business and recipients of 28 local, regional and state tourism awards.

We value the opportunity of presenting this most spectacular waterway brimming with breathtaking wildlife and hope to see you on board soon!



Moonshadow V



- 26 metre (85') catamaran
- Licensed for 300 guests
- 3 decks with main deck, cocktail deck and sundeck
- Stage and dance floor
- State of the art underwater live video cameras

Hinchinbrook Explorer



- 30 metre (100') Supercat
- Licensed for 260 guests
- Two full walk around decks
- Large air conditioned indoor areas
- Fully licensed bar and dance floor
- Boomnet

Moonshadow III



- 19.5 metre (64') motor vessel
- Licensed for 100 guests
- 2 decks with main deck and sundeck
- Watersports compatible
- Ideal for smaller groups



Your number 1 choice for charter

Why not charter one of our vessels for your next event and let us create a truly memorable cruise exclusively for your group.

- conferences • product launches • cruising classroom
- gala dinners • cocktail parties • formals
- weddings • christmas parties • birthdays
- team building programs • school groups

Whatever the occasion, Moonshadow Cruises can accommodate you with the largest and most luxurious vessels, the friendliest crew and finest food afloat, at great value prices. Our chartering and catering experience assures your party a memorable cruise. Vessel inspection welcome.

Cruising Port Stephens and Newcastle Harbour



sandboarding adventure combo deal

combine a Moonshadow Cruise with sandboarding and SAVE!

SANDBOARDING ADVENTURE

We will transport you to the best sandboarding dunes available. An instructor will provide you with a sandboard and show you the best and safest way to really have some fun on the dunes. Sandboard for unlimited time then jump on the next shuttle available to take you back to the pick up point.



with dolphin watch

- Adult \$47.50 • Concession \$41.50
- Child \$34.50 (4 - 14 yrs) • Family (2A + 2C) \$132

Buffet lunch is available at an additional charge.

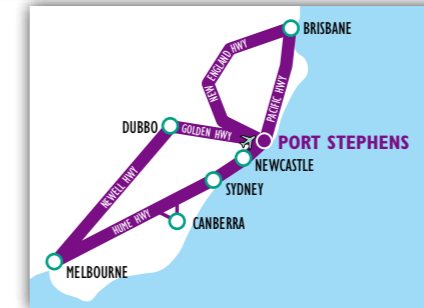
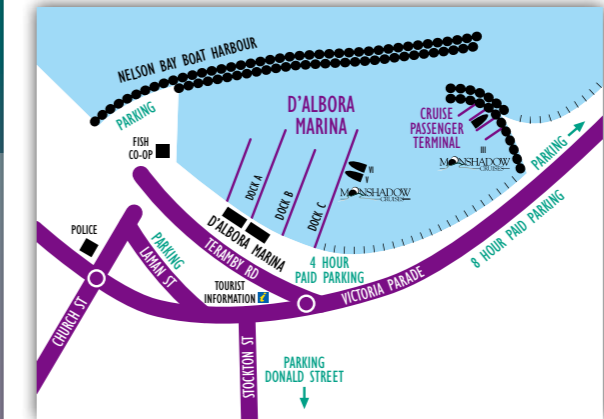


with whale watch

- Adult \$78.50 • Concession \$67.50 • High School \$58.50
- Child (4 - 14 yrs) \$42.50 • Family (2A + 2C) \$210

*Prices and timetable subject to change, valid at 01/04/2016, please confirm when booking. These prices do not include transfer in between activities.

MOONSHADOW CRUISES



phone and online bookings welcome
gift vouchers available
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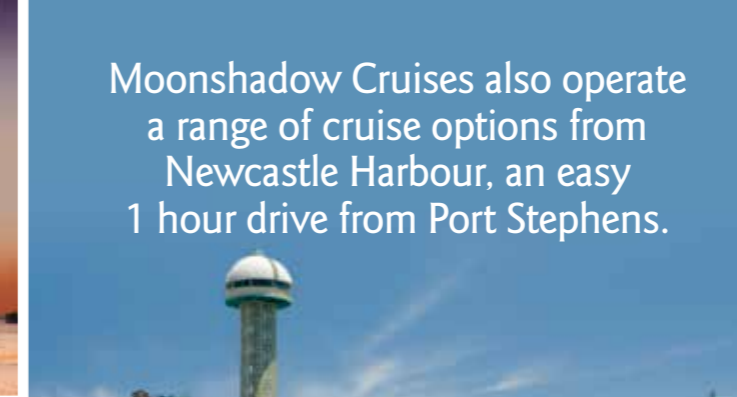


Your ultimate cruise experience



experience more for less!
see inside for details of our great value combined packages!

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DOLPHIN WATCH

Port Stephens largest & best...

- Cruise spectacular headlands and eastern harbour
- HUGE boomnet
- FUN Twist and Twirl Waterslide and LIVE underwater cameras (Moonshadow V)**
- Expansive open decks or covered all weather indoor viewing
- Complimentary morning or afternoon tea
- Fully licensed bar and snack foods
- LIVE, information, fun Captain's commentary
- 99% success sighting rate, free return cruise if no dolphins sighted (standby basis)

WHALE WATCH

Includes bonus dolphin watch and outer island cruise

- Experience the ULTIMATE whale watching adventure in Port Stephens
- Two levels of outside viewing from the regions LARGEST whale watch vessel
- Comfortable all weather inside areas
- 30 metre Supercat gets you to the whales quickly and safely
- Chance to see huge pods of oceanic dolphins, penguins, sea birds, seals, orcas and more...
- Complimentary morning or afternoon tea
- Licensed bar and snack food available

BROUGHTON ISLAND

Action or relaxation.

Includes bonus dolphin watch and outer island cruise.

- Spectacular island and coastal scenery
- Explore ashore on an island discovery walk to wildlife breeding areas, secluded coves and beaches
- Chance to see huge pods of oceanic dolphins, penguins, seals, orcas, turtles, whales and much, much more...
- Snorkelling, swimming and Island walks
- Fabulous buffet lunch, choice of dining on board or picnic packs available to take to Island
- Licensed bar and snacks available
- Cruise operated on board Moonshadow III, numbers are limited so bookings are essential

TWILIGHT DINNER CRUISE

Absolute waterfront cruising restaurant with fabulous live entertainment. The perfect dining experience for all occasions.

- A totally informal and romantic evening afloat with our famous buffet prepared fresh on board by our Chefs
- 3 decks – 2 all-weather inside dining areas and a large alfresco deck to stroll with "5 million star views"
- Fully licensed bars, dance floor, restaurant style seating
- You might even be accompanied by phosphorescent dolphins
- Delicious buffet menu includes a selection of beef, chicken and fish dishes, seafood including platters of oysters and prawns, pasta, fresh salads, seasonal vegetables, tropical fruit and tempting desserts, tea and coffee. Childrens meal available on request
- Special dinner cruises for Valentine's Day and New Years Eve

NEWCASTLE HARBOUR SIGHTS AND SOUNDS

An Unexpected Experience. Join us as we explore the largest coal export harbour in the world!

when? Wednesday 10.30am, Saturday 1.30pm & Sunday 10.30am. Also available for charter.

how long? 1 1/2 hours

how much?* • Adult \$26 • Concession \$21 • Child \$13.50 • Family (2A + 2C) \$65.50

- Join us as we explore the largest coal export harbour in the world! Guests are welcome to the best views of the working waterfront.
- Take in the imposing sight as a 300m bulk carrier navigates the harbour with the assistance from working tugboats darting to and fro.
- Cruise the impressive coal loading facilities and take in a different perspective as you view the exciting transformation of the Newcastle foreshore and its ever changing surroundings from the unobstructed viewing decks.
- Relax, sit back and enjoy our professional and entertaining commentary which will leave you with an understanding of the ports operation and new appreciation of the remarkable Newcastle Harbour and its Sights & Sounds.
- Enjoy complimentary and delicious morning tea. A selection of drinks and snacks are also available from our fully licensed bar.

NEWCASTLE DINNER CRUISE

Enjoy a night of great food and great entertainment!

when? Saturdays at 7.15pm. Additional cruises Thursday & Friday nights in November/December.

how long? 2 1/2 hours.

3 hour cruise Friday & Saturday during November/December with additional charge.

how much? • Adult \$69 • Concession \$63 • High School Student \$43 • Child \$25.50 • Family Special (2A + 2C) \$163.50

- Enjoy a night of great food and great LIVE entertainment!
- Take in the harbour sights and city lights while you cruise Newcastle Harbour. Appetisers on arrival, followed by a gala buffet featuring fresh local seafood, Hunter meats, vegetables, salads ... and tempting desserts. Two bars on board and entertainment included.

NEWCASTLE LUNCH CRUISE

Enjoy a delicious meal as you cruise around Newcastle Harbour.

when? Second Sunday of each month at 1.00pm. Also available for charter. Additional dates available during November/December

how long? 3 hours

how much? • Adults \$65 • Concession \$59 • High School Student \$38.50 • Child \$28 • Family (2A + 2C) \$158

- Cruise past the foreshore and headlands, see the huge cargo ships, Stockton, the marina and the developments along Honeysuckle. Enjoy a buffet lunch prepared fresh on board by our Chefs and sit back with a drink from our licensed bar.

combine and save Save when you combine a Moonshadow Cruise with a Sandboarding Adventure on the Stockton Bight Sand Dunes.

what to bring • Swimmers & towel • Hat & sunscreen • Camera
when? Daily at 10.30am & 1.30pm. Additional Cruise at 3.30pm from Christmas to Easter and all other weekends and holidays throughout the year excluding winter.
how long? 1 1/2 hours
how much?* • Adult \$28 • Concession \$23 • Child \$14.50 • Family (2A + 2C) \$70.50
lunch option Delicious buffet lunch featuring beef, chicken, fish, fresh salads and tropical fruit platter, Coffee/Tea. Before or after your cruise • Adult \$22.50 • Child \$15

*NOTES:- A child is 4 – 14 years inclusive. Under 4 FREE OF CHARGE. Boarding time is 15 minutes prior to cruise, departure from Dock C d'Albora Marina, Nelson Bay. Prices and timetable subject to change, valid at 01/04/2016, please confirm when booking. ** Please note at times Moonshadow V may not be available and we will use alternative vessels which do not have the Twist & Twirl Slide or underwater cameras.

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what to bring
• Warm clothes • Sunglasses • Camera • Hat & sunscreen
when? 10am & 1.30pm daily May to November.
how long? 2 1/2 – 3 hours
how much?* • Adult \$63 • Concession \$53 • High School \$42 • Child \$27 • Family (2A + 2C) \$153.00
No one can guarantee you will see a whale at any particular time or place and much depends on weather conditions. FREE RETURN TICKET if no whales sighted (standby basis)

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what to bring
• Warm jacket • Swimmers & towel • Sun shelter
• Sunglasses, hat & sunscreen • Walking shoes • Camera
• Snorkelling equipment
when? Please check schedule as it varies throughout the year. Also available for charter.
how long? 6 1/2 – 7hrs
how much?* • Adult \$89 • Concession \$79 • High School \$58 • Child \$48 • Family (2A + 2C) \$231

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Port Stephens 7pm for 7.15pm departure.
Wednesday, Friday and Saturday nights.
Saturday only in winter, extra cruises in the holidays.
Newcastle Harbour Dinner Cruises are also available.
how long? 2 1/2 hours
3 hr cruise Friday & Saturday during November/December with additional charge.
how much?* • Adult \$69 • Concession \$63 • High School \$43 • Child \$25.50 • Family (2A + 2C) \$163.50

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