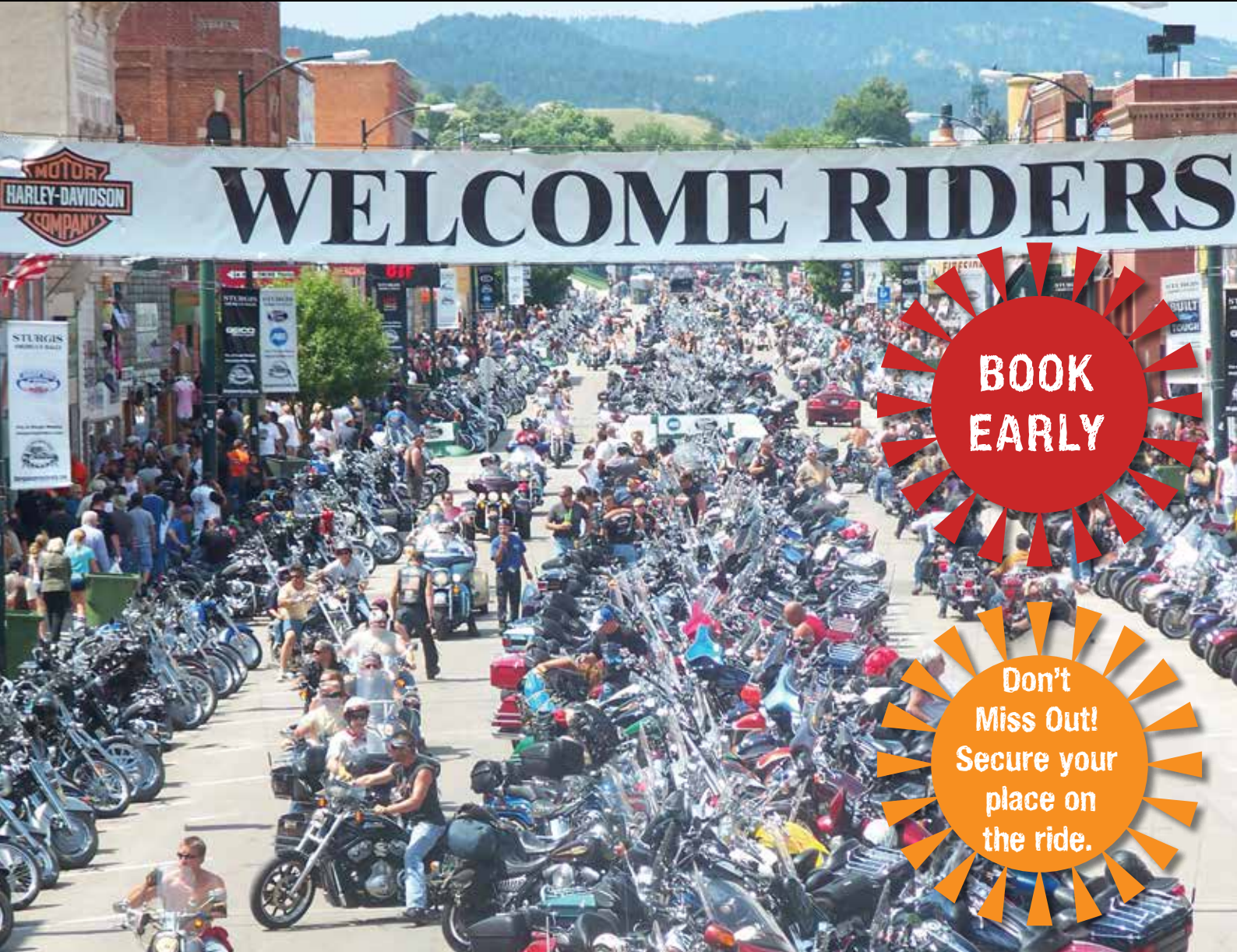


STURGIS RALLY

AUGUST 2017

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THERE'S NOTHING LIKE BEING THERE... FOR THE ANNUAL STURGIS RALLY. DON'T MISS THIS TOUR OF A LIFETIME!

The Sturgis Motorcycle Rally is the experience of a lifetime in a place where local people can still show you a thing or two about hospitality. There are concerts and races and bike shows, Main St bikes-only street vibe, World Championship of Custom Bike Building, Sturgis Motorcycle Museum and Hall of Fame, organized rides and the Limpnickie Lot. It's all waiting for you in the beautiful Black Hills of South Dakota.

Many of our riders return to Sturgis year after year and recently a group of repeat customers asked about going a different route. So we devised another spectacular way of getting to Sturgis over amazing roads, avoiding the busy Interstate Highways and visiting two famous National Parks along the way. For those attending Sturgis for the first time we suggest you choose our ride from Las Vegas as this contains the iconic sights of Grand Canyon, Monument Valley, Rocky Mountains and more.



Tour Option 1 Las Vegas to Salt Lake City Best itinerary for the 1st-timer to Sturgis

Day 1. July 31 - Sydney - Las Vegas
Fly to Los Angeles then connect to Las Vegas. On arrival, you'll be met and transferred to the hotel. Tonight we'll meet for a welcome dinner to discuss logistics.

Day 2. Aug 01- Las Vegas
Today our transfer vehicle will take us to collect our bikes, followed by an orientation ride around the city.

Day 3. Aug 02 - Las Vegas
There are no formal rides today - discover Las Vegas at your own pace.

Day 4. Aug 03 - Las Vegas to Grand Canyon
This morning travel over parts of 'Route 66', the famous roadway that once was the main artery between Chicago & LA.

Day 5. Aug 04 - Grand Canyon to Kayenta
We follow the south rim of the Grand Canyon



with stops at various lookouts; the grandeur of the landscape is truly spectacular. We'll arrive in Kayenta around 4.00 pm and we should have time to ride to

Monument Valley.
Day 6. Aug 05 - Kayenta to Grand Junction
Our ride will take us through the Valley of The Gods, on to Glen Canyon, through Moab to Grand Junction. The scenery from movies such as *Thelma and Louise*, *Indiana Jones* and *Cityslickers* should be familiar.

Day 7. Aug 06 - Grand Junction to Steamboat Springs

Today's ride is on exciting mountain roads into the spectacular scenery of the Rockies on our way to our overnight stop at the cowboy ski town of Steamboat Springs.

Day 8. Aug 07 - Steamboat Springs to Cheyenne

Into the Rocky Mountain National Park this morning for more beautiful scenery and possible wildlife sightings. We'll follow the Big Thomson River through mountain gorges to our lunch stop at Loveland, with time to visit the largest Harley dealership in Colorado. Then on to our overnight stop at Cheyenne.

Day 9. Aug 08 - Cheyenne to Rapid City
We head off to Black Hills National Park stopping at Fort Laramie which was founded in 1859. Then to Thunder Basin National Grassland and on Custer, South Dakota, before arriving in Rapid City.

Days 10-13. Aug 09 to 12
Rapid City - Sturgis Rally →

Day 14. Aug 13 - Rapid City to Buffalo
We head west to Wyoming, making a detour to visit the Devil's Tower National Monument - used as the spaceship landing site in *Close Encounters of the Third Kind*. Then to Buffalo, nestled in the foothills of the Bighorn Mountains.

Day 15. Aug 14 - Buffalo to Lander
Continuing along the Yellowstone Highway we pass through Wind River Canyon and on to Lander. Later, ride to Sink Canyon reserve where you can see the river submerge into an underground cavern, re-appearing a mile downstream teeming with fish.

Day 16. Aug 15 - Lander to Salt Lake City
We ride through Wyoming's peaceful countryside before arrival in Salt Lake City mid-afternoon to return our bikes.

Day 17. Aug 16 - Bonneville Salt Flats
We'll be transferred to the Bonneville Salt Flats for the excitement of the annual Speed Week event. We have 2 to 3 hrs to watch land speed record attempts on the intensely hot, shimmering salt flats. We return to Salt Lake City for our farewell dinner tonight.

Day 18. Aug 17 - Depart Salt Lake City
Transfer to the airport for your flight home.

Day 19. Aug 18 - In flight

Day 20. Aug 19 - Arrive Sydney

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For four days we'll get into the feel of the world's biggest motorcycle rally. Maybe ride out to Deadwood, Mount Rushmore and through the Black Hills. You can also attend the many events including Poker Runs or the Drag Race.



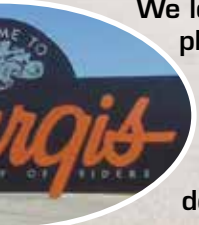
OPTIONAL VISIT HOME OF HARLEY-DAVIDSON

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August 09 to 12

to the sights, sounds and Harley event in all its glory. Wood, Spearfish Canyon, through the Black Hills. You can see sights such as Thunder Road, racing.



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son Museum tour and the Grim Rd Powertrain Factory. Brewery tour and the fun of al. (subject to schedules). pp twin A\$250 sgl suppl.

Tour Option 2 San Francisco to Denver A great ride if you're heading to Sturgis again

Day 1. July 26 - Sydney - San Francisco
Fly to San Francisco. On arrival you will be met and transferred to the hotel. Tonight, get together for our welcome dinner at a Fishermans Wharf restaurant.

Day 2. July 27 - San Francisco
Today we'll pickup our bikes and go for a short orientation ride.

Day 3. July 28 - San Francisco
Today is free for you to go at your own pace.

Day 4. July 29 - San Francisco to Yosemite
Across the San Francisco Bay Bridge this morning, then soon will be passing through farms and orchards as we head to spectacular Yosemite National Park.

Day 5. July 30 - Yosemite to Lake Tahoe
We ride on one of the most scenic roads in America as we cross the famous Tioga Pass and head on to picturesque Lake Tahoe.

Day 6. July 31 - Lake Tahoe to Klamath Falls
Through Reno and north towards Oregon today through some amazing forests before arriving at our stop, Klamath Falls.

Day 7. Aug 01 - Klamath Falls to Hood River
After visiting famous Crater Lake we head north, riding in the shadow of one of America's most scenic mountains, Mt Hood. We stay in the quaint village of Hood River.

Day 8. Aug 02 - Hood River to Lewiston
We follow the Columbia River, then turn north towards Walla Walla and on to Lewiston, named after explorer Meriwether Lewis.

Day 9. Aug 03 - Lewiston to Missoula
Today we follow one of the most scenic roadways in this part of the country. This road follows the river for approx 200 miles through forests and small villages, and although not often mentioned in publications, it is one of the most spectacular of the tour.

Day 10. Aug 04 - Missoula to West Yellowstone
This morning we join the I-90 until we arrive at Whitehall, we then head south towards Virginia City, and on to West Yellowstone.

Day 11. Aug 05 - West Yellowstone to Gardiner
Today we enter Yellowstone National Park, and head to the Old Faithful Geyser before taking a route through the National Park to the town of Gardiner, along the way we could anticipate seeing various wildlife.



Day 12. Aug 06 - Gardiner to Cody
Head toward Cooke City where we will ride one of the best known biker roads in America, the legendary Beartooth Highway. Our evening stop tonight is Cody and we recommend a visit to the famous Cody Night Rodeo.

Day 13. Aug 07 - Cody to Buffalo
Today's ride is from Cody to Buffalo through some of the Wyoming high plains. Butch Cassidy and the Sundance Kid used to call this historic western town home.

Day 14. Aug 08 - Buffalo to Rapid City
Today we ride the short distance to Rapid City in readiness for our Sturgis experience.

Days 15-18. Aug 09 to 12 Rapid City - Sturgis Rally

← See box at left for more about Sturgis.

Day 19. Aug 13 - Rapid City to Cheyenne
Today we bid farewell to Sturgis and head south to the city of Cheyenne.

Day 20. Aug 14 - Cheyenne to Denver
Today we ride to Denver where we will return our bikes; this evening is our farewell dinner.

Day 21. Aug 15 - Depart Denver
Transfer to the airport for your flight home.

Day 22. Aug 16 - In flight

Day 23. Aug 17 - Arrive Sydney

Tour Prices PER PERSON in A\$ including air

- Price A:** For 2 riders travelling together - Each person rides a bike and the 2 of you share a hotel room.
Price B: For 1 rider and 1 pillion - You travel on 1 bike together and the 2 of you share a hotel room.
Price C: For 1 rider travelling solo - You ride a bike and have a hotel room to yourself.

NOTE: You must be min. 21 years old & hold a valid unrestricted motorcycle licence.



Tour Option 1 - Las Vegas to Salt Lake City

- Price A** \$12,990 per person
Price B \$9,990 per person
Price C \$14,990 per person

Tour Option 2 - San Francisco to Denver

- Price A** \$14,490 per person
Price B \$11,490 per person
Price C \$16,490 per person

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TOUR INCLUSIONS

- Return economy airfare SYD/USA incl. taxes
- Accommodation at overnight stops as listed
- 4 days/5 nights attendance at the Sturgis Motorcycle Rally
- Welcome & Farewell dinners
- Harley-Davidson hire with saddle bags
- Comprehensive bike insurance for theft, damage, 3rd party supplemental liability
- Transfers between airport, hotel & bike rental
- Elite Special Event Tours travel wallet

Not included: Fuel, meals other than listed in itinerary, drinks, tips, personal items.

Important Information and Booking Conditions

Deposit: An non-refundable deposit of A\$500 per person is required within 14 days of reservation to secure your place on this tour.

Final Payment: Because events can 'sell out' quickly, we are required to advise passenger details well in advance so as to secure the arrangements from hotels, tour operators, coach companies, airlines and event ticket sales offices. We seek your understanding and co operation in this matter and advise full payment is due 90 days prior to departure. Bookings received after this date will require payment in full within 7 days.

Payment by credit card: A credit card merchant fee of 1.5% for Visa & Mastercard and 3% for American Express is payable in addition to the charged amount.

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No. of days prior to departure date	Cancellation Fee as % of total price
90 days or more	Loss of deposit only
89 - 31 days	50%
30 - day of departure/no show	100%

Single travellers: We are unable to 'pair up' solo passengers who seek to share a room. However if we know that another solo passenger of the same gender is interested in sharing, we offer to put you in touch with each other prior to departure. If both agree to twin share accommodation we require written confirmation of that agreement from both parties. If you wish to pursue this offer please mention it to your travel agent so you can be placed on a list at the time of paying deposit. If an opportunity does not arise Price 'C' (bike ride) & the single supplement (Milwaukee extension) will apply.

Travel Insurance: It is a requirement that all

passengers participating in these tours effect appropriate travel insurance at the time of booking, please ask us for information. Your travel insurance policy must include coverage for cancellation fees. Proof of insurance cover must be submitted to Elite Special Event Tours thirty (30) days prior to departure.

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Amendment fees: Amendments made at the time of reservation incur no charge. Amendments made

after payment of deposit may incur a fee of \$50 plus any charges applied by any associated operator.

Termination: No refunds will be applicable to any termination of any reservations or tours due to unforeseen circumstances once commencement of the tour's departure. Any such claims may be submitted to your insurance provider.

Minimum group size: This tour is costed on a minimum group size of 15 passengers. Should the group number fall below this Elite Special Event Tours reserves the right to make any appropriate adjustments, including cancellation. In the event of cancellation by Elite Special Event Tours, a full refund of all monies paid will apply.

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