

FACT SHEET
(PORT INFORMATION)

PORT OF CALL	DEVONPORT
NAME OF PIER	BERTH WEST NO. 4
HTTP://WWW.TASPORTS.COM.AU/PORT_SERVICES/DEVONPORT_INFO.HTML	
IS THERE A TERMINAL BUILDING?	NO
IS THE LANDING SITE COVERED AGAINST RAIN?	NO
EVEN OR UNEVEN WALKING SURFACE?	EVEN

DISTANCES

(FROM PIER/LANDING SITE TO)	IN KMS	IN MINUTES BY TAXI	OPENING HOURS
CITY CENTRE	4KM	8	0900-1700
AIRPORT	4KM	8	0600-2000
POST OFFICE	4KM	8	0900-1700
BANK, EXCHANGE OFFICE	4KM	8	0900-1700
BEST SHOPPING AREA/MALL	4KM	8	0900-1700
TOURIST INFORMATION AVAILABLE?	4KM	8	0830-1700
TOURIST DESK CAN BE ORDERED?	NO		
TELEPHONE CENTRE?	PUBLIC TELEPHONES		
WHERE ARE PHONE CARDS SOLD?	VISITOR CENTRE AND POST OFFICE		0900-1700

LOCAL TRANSPORTATION AND SHUTTLE BUS SERVICE

IS PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION AVAILABLE FROM PIER/LANDING SITE TO CITY CENTRE? NO.
SHUTTLE BUS PROVIDED IS FOR CRUISE PASSENGERS ONLY

LOCATION OF BUS STOP	PORTSIDE	DISTANCE FROM SHIP	100M
DEPARTURE FREQUENCY	REGULAR	COSTING	FOC
SHUTTLE BUS SERVICE PIER/DOWNTOWN RECOMMENDABLE? TAKING THE SHUTTLE BUS IS THE ONLY WAY TO EXIT THE PORT – NO FOOT TRAFFIC IS PERMITTED ON WHARF AREA			
DURATION OF TRANSFER (ONE WAY)	MIN 8		DISTANCE IN KM 4
SERVICE FREE OF CHARGE?	YES		

CURRENCY/PAYMENT

LOCAL CURRENCY AUD

IS EURO ACCEPTED AS PAYMENT? NO IS USD ACCEPTED? NO

WHICH CREDIT CARDS ARE GENERALLY ACCEPTED? VI, MC, AE, JCB, DC

OPENING HOURS (REGULARLY)

OPENING HOURS DURING NATIONAL HOLIDAYS

MUSEUMS	0900-1700	YES
PLACES OF INTEREST	0900-1700	VARIES
CHURCHES	0700-1800	0800-1800
SHOPS	0900-1700	VARIES. MINIMAL SHOPS OPEN

PERIOD OF NATIONAL HOLIDAYS

30TH NOVEMBER 2007, 25TH DECEMBER 2007, 26TH DECEMBER 2007, 1ST JANUARY 2008, 9TH JANUARY 2008, 28TH JANUARY 2008, 8TH 21ST 24TH 25TH MARCH 2008, 25TH APRIL 2008, 9TH JUNE 2008, 3RD NOVEMBER 2008 (NORTHERN TASMANIA ONLY), 28TH NOVEMBER 2008, 25TH DECEMBER 2008, 26TH DECEMBER 2008, 1ST JANUARY 2009

PLEASE CHECK WITH DEVONPORT VISITOR CENTRE CLOSER TO VISIT

TOURISM@DCC.TAS.GOV.AU

SPECIAL EVENTS ASHORE

SPECIAL EVENTS IN PORT/CITY (NATIONAL/BANK HOLIDAY, MAJOR SPORTS EVENTS, POLITICAL ELECTION, DEMONSTRATION ETC.)

DO THEY AFFECT OUR TOURS OR OPENING HOURS?

ENTERTAINMENT / EVENTS ASHORE / HIGHLIGHTS

CONCERTS, SHOWS, THEATRE PERFORMANCES, ETC.

NEED TO PURCHASE TICKETS IN ADVANCE?

HOW TO OBTAIN TICKETS?

POPULAR SIGHTS AND POINT OF INTEREST

CRADLE MOUNTAIN, SHEFFIELD, MARAKOOPA CAVES, ASGROVE CHEESE, ANVERS HOUSE OF CHOCOLATE, NARAWNTAPU NATIONAL PARK

TAXIS

RESTRICTION ON AVAILABILITY OF TAXIS DIRECT AT PORT OR ARE THEY AVAILABLE IN LARGE NUMBERS? **SHORT WALK TO THE TAXI BAY DUE TO PORT SECURITY. AVAILABLE IN LARGE NUMBERS**

MUST THEY BE PRE-BOOKED? **NO**

DISTANCE BETWEEN GANGWAY AND TAXIS **100M**

COSTING FROM LANDING POINT/PIER TO CITY CENTRE? **AUD 10** TO AIRPORT **AUD 10**

RENT-A-CAR

DO CAR RENTAL COMPANIES DELIVER AND PICK-UP INSIDE PORT AREA? **NO**

IS GERMAN DRIVER'S LICENSE SUFFICIENT FOR RENTAL? **YES**

COMPANY, CONTACT NAME, FAX AND PHONE NUMBER

[HTTP://WWW.DISCOVERTASMANIA.COM/HOME/INDEX.CFM?SITEID=120](http://www.discovertasmania.com/home/index.cfm?siteid=120)

BEACHES

ARE BEACHES LOCATED WITHIN REACH FROM PORT? **YES**

COSTING TAXI ONE WAY **AUD10** RETURN **AUD20**

WHICH BEACH HOTELS ARE CLOSE BY?

NAME OF BEACH	DISTANCE FROM PORT	GOOD FOR SWIMMING?	SAND/CORAL/STONY?
BLUFF BEACH	6KMS	YES	SAND
COLES BEACH	7KMS	YES	SAND

TIDAL RESTRICTIONS	CHANGING FACILITIES	BAR/RESTAURANTS	SHOWERS
BLUFF BEACH- NO	YES	KIOSK	YES
COLES BEACH- NO	NO	NO	NO

SPORTS

ACTIVITIES POSSIBLE

ACTIVITY	DISTANCE	PRICING GEAR PROVIDED?	RESERVATION NEEDED?
GOLF	COURSES ARE WITHIN 25 MINUTES OF THE PORT. CONTACT HTTP://DEVONPORTGOLFCLUB.ORG.AU	POA	YES
OTHERS			

RESTAURANTS

LIST SUGGESTED RESTAURANTS (E.G.GOURMETRESTAURANTS)

NAME	LOCATION	TYPE OF FOOD	DISTANCE IN KM
THE DECK	190 TARLETON STREET EAST DEVONPORT	GOURMET PIZZA, SEAFOOD, MODERN AUSTRALIAN AND SUSHI	2

GOURMET- TIPPS

FAMOUS SHOPS FOR DELICATESSES AS E.G. CHEESE, WINE, SWEETS, PATISSERIE, IF AVAILABLE

ASHGROVE CHEESE**DATE OF ISSUE OCTOBER 2007**