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WYD '19 ACBC EOI

AN OFFICAL tour operator to arrange travel & accommodation logistics for World Youth Day (WYD) 2019 in Panama is being sought by the Australian Catholic Bishops Conference (ACBC).

Expressions of Interest to support the Australian World Youth Committee's coordination of approximately 100 pilgrims are now open, and a briefing session will be held in Sydney on 14 Sep.

For more info, see **page seven**.

OTAs drop parity clauses

ONLINE accommodation giants Expedia and Booking.com have agreed to amend "price and availability parity clauses" in their contracts with Australian hotels and accommodation providers.

The move follows an investigation by the Australian Competition and Consumer Commission, and will "remove barriers to price competition between major online travel sites for hotel bookings," according to ACCC chairman Rod Sims.

"Parity clauses generally require accommodation providers to offer best price and availability to online travel sites...this guarantees the online travel site the accommodation provider's lowest rate and prevents competitors and consumers from negotiating better deals directly with the provider," he said.

The agreement follows a range

of "targeted market enquiries" undertaken by the ACCC over the last year (**TD 08 Sep 15**) which garnered over 500 responses.

The probe identified the key issues in relation to the OTAs as the use of broad price parity and room availability clauses.

Sims said the agreement by Booking.com and Expedia - including Wotif.com and Hotels.com - to modify the contracts would increase the incentive for them to compete with each other and "allow consumers to shop around to get the best deal".

He said hoteliers would now be able to provide lower rates to walk-ins and also offer special prices and deals to loyalty groups.

Friday Flashback!

TODAY'S issue of *Travel Daily* contains a new regular feature to grace the pages of the industry's most read trade publication where we look back at what was making news 10 years ago.

Our Flashback Friday column has the headlines, a favourite pic, past Window Seat & more from the week of 04 Sep 2006 - see p5.

Today's issue of TD

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Smith goes Beyond

PETER Smith has been appointed as gm business growth for Beyond Travel.

Smith's most recent role was as gm of McLachlan Tours (**TD 04 Feb 2015**) with his career also including positions with Octopus Travel, Zuji, eWaterways and the Travel Corporation.

Beyond ceo Michael Lavilles said the appointment of Smith was the start of "continued expansion across the business.

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APT agent incentive

AS PART of APT's new marketing campaign they will be running an industry incentive throughout Sep and Oct.

Travel agents who book five or more APT or Travelmarvel river cruises will have the choice of receiving \$1,000 in cash or a free self famil cabin for two people on a 15-day European river cruise.

To qualify consultants need to book and deposit all five cruises between 01 Sep and 31 Oct.

All countries qualify, however, two of the five bookings need to be to Europe.

Luxperience Lexus

LUXPERIENCE has partnered with Sydney City Lexus for its 2016 event at Australian Technology Park from 18-21 Sep.

The pact will see Lexus display some of their latest vehicles and host a delegate lounge and café while a fleet of vehicles will be used throughout the show for VIP transfers for attendees.

Lexus will also be the major sponsor for the Luxperience Gala Awards to be held at the Four Points by Sheraton Sydney.

Indonesia screening

INDONESIA has commenced screening travellers arriving from Singapore with thermal scanners to detect visitors with the Zika virus as the number of people contracting the mosquito-borne infection continue rises (**TD Tue**).

Hole leaves Insider Journeys

PAUL Hole, who co-founded Helloworld offshoot Insider Journeys 23 years ago, has resigned from the business "to pursue a number of opportunities".

Formerly known as Travel Indochina, Hole sold the company to Concorde Travel in 1996 and has been working within the business since as its parent company evolved to become Transonic, then Jetset Travelworld and now Helloworld.

Hole told **TD** the decision to depart had been very difficult.

"It's the right time for me personally," he said, with the Insider Journeys operation well established under its new brand and entering a new chapter this year under the leadership of Andrew and Cinzia Burnes.

"This is a business that has been a part of my life for more than two decades and I'm immensely proud of the team we have built and of all we have achieved as a business.

Webjet in ASX200

WEBJET has become part of the S&P Dow Jones ASX 200 index which tracks the performance of Australia's 200 biggest ASX-listed companies.

The Sep 2016 Quarterly Rebalance of the ASX indices also saw Cover-More and Village Roadshow move out of the ASX200 index.

"With the successful rebrand to Insider Journeys done and other key transformation projects nearing completion it is the right time for me to move on to the next challenge and I'm excited about that...but I'll continue to cheer from the sidelines," he said.

Helloworld executive director Cinzia Burnes said "Paul leaves a great legacy...we wish him every success in his future endeavours".

He will finish up with Helloworld effective 30 Sep.

QF trims oneworld YQ

QANTAS advises it has removed fuel surcharge (YQ) on **oneworld** fares ex Australia, effective immediately, resulting in price reductions on passes.

The change applies to **oneworld Explorer, Global Explorer, oneworld Circle Trip Explorer, oneworld Circle Pacific, oneworld Circle Asia & South West Pacific and oneworld Circle Pacific.**

"We announced in Jan 2015 that we'd be removing our fuel surcharges and folding them into the all-inclusive base fare, and we have been working through that process," a Qantas spokesman told **Travel Daily** this morning.

"Given the size of the Qantas International network we have literally thousands of fares in scores of markets with multiple partners and we've removed the surcharges from the majority of our points of sale," QF said.

Epic Pass adds Europe

VAIL Resorts will be adding ski fields in France, Italy, Switzerland and Austria to its recently released 2016-17 Epic Pass.

The new resorts include: Les 3 Vallees, Paradiski and Tignes-Val d'Isere in France, Skirama Dolomiti Adamello Brenta in Italy, 4 Vallees in Switzerland, and Arlberg in Austria.

Adding Europe further enhances the pass which already offers unrestricted skiing access at 13 iconic locations across the United States and Australia.

Chief marketing officer of Vail Resorts Kirsten Lynch said nothing in the ski industry could compare to the Epic Pass' value.

Lynch said "being the only pass to offer significant access to Europe" puts the Epic Pass "a class by itself".

For more info **CLICK HERE**.

AAX Red Lounge

AIRASIA'S Premium Red Lounge at Kuala Lumpur's KLIA2 terminal has officially opened.

The facility features a buffet spread, wireless internet, a lounge area, workstations and showers facilities

AAX's Premium Flatbed and Premium Flex guests have complimentary access while it is also available to all other guests at AU\$25pp.

It is one of the first LCC airline lounges worldwide and forms part of the carrier's goal to "raise the bar for low-cost travel".

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Sep travelBulletin out now

THE latest issue of *travelBulletin* is on its way to subscribers, with this month's edition showcasing some of the industry's female leaders.

Uniworld's Fiona Dalton, Walshe Group ceo Jacqui Walshe, Laura Ruffles from Corporate Travel Management, Qantas Loyalty chief Lesley Grant and Helloworld executive director Cinzia Burnes show the days of the travel industry being dominated by a "boy's club" are long gone.

The Sep *travelBulletin* includes an intriguing story from Ben Groundwater on Berlin as part of a Europe feature, while Brian Johnston looks at some of the adrenaline-inducing activities in the UAE.

There's also a story on the little-known destination of Mongolia from Nina Karnikowski and *TD*'s own Bonnie Tai has written about some of the world's top music



festivals.

travelBulletin also includes all the regular features on cruise, business events, careers and travel business plus an exclusive column from new Tourism Minister Steven Ciobo- view the issue at travelbulletin.com.au.

Qatar VFS alliance

QATAR Airways and Qatar Tourism Authority (QTA) have inked a new partnership with visa processing service VFS Global to pave the way for a Qatar tourist visa application.

It comes as part of Qatar's enhanced efforts to welcome more visitors to the country in line with the Qatar National Tourism Sector Strategy 2030.

"Qatar's tourism industry is experiencing exponential growth and the visa advancements will further support our country's vision to invite and welcome visitors from around the world," Qatar Airways Group chief executive Akbar Al Baker said during a signing ceremony held in Doha this week.

QR and QTA will be working with VFS Global over the next few months to establish the new tourist visa application process before full details of the new system will be announced.



Window Seat

TRAVELODGE Hotel Bankstown in Sydney believes that Dads should be pampered too, so in celebration of Father's Day this weekend a complimentary beer-in-bed service will be available for one day only.

"It's a longstanding ritual that families offer Mums breakfast in bed on Mother's Day, yet Dads don't appear to enjoy the same sort of privileges, even though they deserve recognition and some special treatment," said TFE Hotels ceo Rachel Argaman.

The service is available on 04 Sep between noon and 10pm.



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Travel Specials

WELCOME to Travel Specials, *Travel Daily's* Friday feature. If your firm has released a travel special you'd like to make the industry aware of, send the details to specials@traveldaily.com.au.

Metro Hotel Perth is offering a Standard Room from \$99 per night, including continental breakfast, late check out until 1pm, 10% discount at Red Bill Restaurant, free car parking & wi-fi. Upgrade to full breakfast for \$10pp. **CLICK HERE** and enter Promo Code SECRET before 31 Oct.

Four-nights at Chateau Royal in Noumea are available from \$1,370pp through **New Caledonia Travel Connection**. The package includes return flights with Aircalin and airport transfers. Phone 1300 108 625.

As part of **Cathay Pacific's** 2017 First In, Best Dressed sale, earlybird fares are available on flights to Europe and America booked from now until 31 Dec for travel between 01 Mar and 30 Nov. Flights from Perth to Amsterdam start at \$1,478. See www.cathaypacific.com.au.

Finnair free wi-fi

ONEWORLD member carrier Finnair will install high-speed wireless internet across its entire fleet of short-haul Airbus A320 aircraft operating in Europe.

The ViaSat technology will offer a connection speed of 12 mbps or higher per passenger, claimed to be the fastest in-flight connection available on the market.

AY will begin retro-fitting aircraft with the tech from May 2017 and will be completed in Jun 2018.

4 Seasons correction

THE extensive renovation of Four Seasons Hotel Sydney's Executive Club will see the VIP space closed from 25 Sep (not 25 Dec as mentioned in yesterday's *Travel Daily*), through until Dec.

The lounge is located on level 32 of the hotel, not 23.

GM Rudolf van Dijk said the transformation will see the space converted into a "stunning residential-style retreat".

LATAM jet deliveries

LATAM Airlines Group this week took delivery of its first Airbus A320neo which will initially be operated on domestic routes in Brazil before commencing flights on regional South America routes.

The airline also took delivery of its fourth Airbus A350-XWB.

Viator Time Out deal

GLOBAL media & e-commerce business Time Out Group, spread across 107 cities in 39 countries, has formed a partnership with tour & activity aggregator, Viator.

Under the deal, *Time Out* will provide customers with access to tours, activities, attractions, destination experiences & events, via a seamless integration of Viator's booking engine.

VP of business development at Viator Ken Frohling said the pact will provide suppliers with expanded access to travellers.

Oktoberfest security

TRAVELLERS to Oktoberfest in Germany can expect additional security measures this year, due to "the increasing threat of terrorism", the Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade warns.

In a Smartraveller update issued yesterday, the govt said there would be a ban on large backpacks and bags at the annual event, as well as discretionary pat downs by security staff.

CA PVG/SJC launch

AIR China has begun nonstop services on the Shanghai-San Jose route with flights operating thrice weekly using Airbus A330s.

It's CA's first route to North America from Shanghai Pudong.

Utah adventure awaits



THE myriad of outdoor adventure activities on offer in Utah was the focus of an event held in Sydney last night by The Utah Office of Tourism as part of its Australian sales mission.

Travel trade and media gathered at the Italian Village in The Rocks for a virtual tour of Utah, dinner and talks on tourism.

The Western US state can be reached in as little as two and a half hour's drive from Las Vegas, a transition affectionately known as going from 'neon to nature'.

Local representative for Utah Corey Marshall reiterated the importance of Aussie travellers, particularly when it comes to their snow and ski market.

"The Australian market is our most important market for the

greatest snow on earth," he said.

Visa records show Australians are the sixth largest spenders in Utah with Canada in the top spot, followed by China.

Those attending also learned about the state's striking 'Mighty Five' national parks: Zion, Bryce Canyon, Arches, Canyonlands and Capitol Reef which are all open 365 days a year.

The parks have breathtaking landscapes and activities such as hiking, rafting, rock climbing, canyoning and mountain biking.

One lucky guest even won themselves a trip to Utah.

Pictured are Corey Marshall, Alex Quilliam-Kennedy, Flight Centre who scored the trip to Utah and Becky Johnson of The Utah Office of Tourism.

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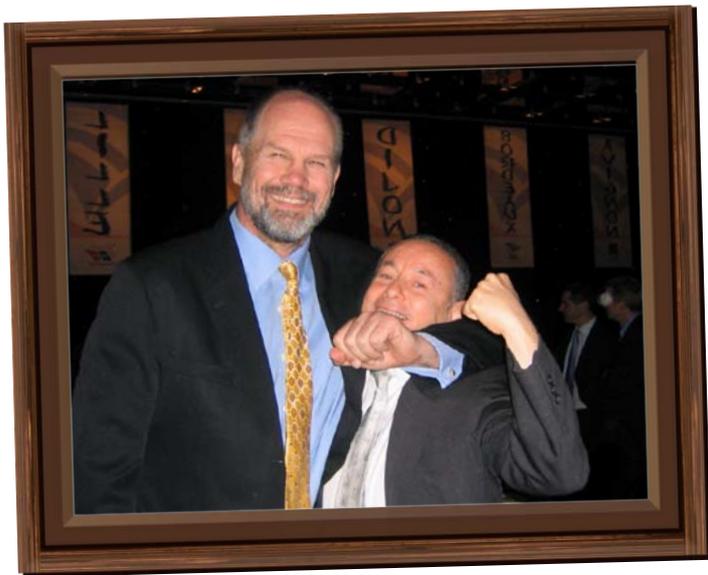
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FlashBack Friday

WELCOME to Flashback Friday - a feature where we look back at what was happening in the industry a decade ago.



France celebrates RWC07 Tue 05 Sep 2006

ABOVE: Atout France director Australia Patrick Benhamou showed himself as a giant of the industry during a special event in the lead-up to the 2007 Rugby World Cup which was held in France.

The Sydney Sofitel celebration featured world-famous French chef Alain Ducasse who flew in with a team from Paris to prepare the meal, with attendees also including former Wallaby and journalist Peter Fitzsimons who's **pictured** giving Benhamou a lovely cuddle.

TD headlines

- 04 Sep 06 - S8 to be gobbled up by MFS
- 04 Sep 06 - EK adds second daily PER flight
- 05 Sep 06 - Steve Irwin dies
- 05 Sep 06 - ACCC approves S8 + MFS deal
- 06 Sep 06 - A380 flies with pax
- 06 Sep 06 - Wotif adds Cook Islands and Tahiti
- 06 Sep 06 - QF Townsville flights replaced by Jetstar
- 07 Sep 06 - S8 buys Gullivers NZ
- 07 Sep 06 - ACCC removing IATA immunity
- 08 Sep 06 - Keith Stanley named Stella Resorts gm
- 08 Sep 06 - Star Cruises orders two ships for NCL



Window Seat

AIR MALTA is set to be involved in a lawsuit after a sleeping teenager flew from Malta to Bulgaria and then back again, without being woken by the crew.

17-year-old Maria Ilieva fell asleep on an overnight flight from Valletta to Sofia and unbelievably continued to slumber as the plane was emptied, cleaned, reboarded and then returned to Malta, where she finally awoke.

Maria's mother, who's claiming a refund for the flight, said she was told by Air Malta that the plane was "not a place for sleeping".

"But I have only seen signs saying 'No Smoking'," she said.

Uncover Mongolia in the September issue of *travelBulletin*.

CLICK HERE to read



SHA hotel upgrade

THE Mercure Shanghai Hongqiao Airport Hotel will open on 28 Aug following a major upgrade of its premises.

Unveiling a brand-new look, the 224-room property offers modern fitness facilities, a restaurant, meeting facilities and more.

3 new I5 routes

AIRASIA India is set to launch three new domestic services from 22 Sep, GDS displays show.

Routes include Bangalore-Guwahati, Bangalore-Hyderabad and Goa-Hyderabad.

Agents RIP the sticker

AN AFTA consumer-awareness campaign which encourages customers to choose ATAS accredited travel industry professionals when booking travel-related services (**TD 19 Aug**) has gone live in Tasmania.

Tasmanian travel agents are encouraged to get behind the initiative by removing old TCF stickers from their shopfronts and sharing the images on social media #RIPthesticker to go into the draw to win a \$5,000 Trafalgar marketing voucher.

The campaign spans print, online, tv, radio and digital.

Albatross/Swiss award winner

HANNAH

Campbell from Global Journeys was named the winner of Switzerland Tourism and Albatross Tours' joint promotion.

To secure the win, Campbell made a number of bookings on Albatross Tours' Switzerland programs throughout the promotion, which ran earlier in the year, closing last month.

Albatross Tours' national sales manager Stephen York (**pictured right**) presented Campbell with her prize this week, which was



a luxury Victorinox Swiss Watch valued at \$650.

NYC free wifi LINK

THE deployment of a free wi-fi service on the streets of New York City has surpassed 300 outlets.

LinkNYC locations are scattered around the city, taking the place of old pay phones with brand new kiosks called Links.

To date, 350,000 people have used the complimentary service, with plans to have more than 7,500 sites blanketing the city over coming years.

Kiosks also have a public tablet that can be used to view maps & gain directions, USB charging ports & more - see link.nyc.

UA Havana launch

UNITED Airlines has been granted final approval from the US Department of Transportation (**TD yesterday**) to commence commercial services to the Cuban capital from 29 Nov.

The US-carrier will operate nonstop flights from two of its hubs: New York/Newark and a Sat service from Houston to Havana.

Fares are bookable from today at united.com.

Highfield store grand opening



MORE than 300 people walked through the doors this week for italktravel Highfield's grand opening in Toowoomba, Qld.

"We are thrilled to remain on track with our national target, opening one high quality store each and every month," commented italktravel general manager sales, Jonathan Nelson. The opening coincided with the retail agency's first national TVC (TD 25 Aug), which appeared on *Studio 10*.

Pictured at the debut of the Highfields store (from left) is the italktravel team: Karina Hill,

business development manager; Ainsley Hardie, store owner and Jonathan Nelson, general manager sales.

QR mull new order

QATAR Airways ceo Akbar Al Baker hinted this week at a briefing in Doha that the Gulf-carrier may soon place a "large" aircraft order.

Al Baker would not elaborate on the number or class of jets they were mulling, instead giving a general statement that "Qatar Airways has a continuous plan of fleet expansion and fleet replacement in order to keep the average age of our fleet very young."

Imagination refurb

CARNIVAL Imagination is set to receive an extensive multi-million dollar upgrade that will add a variety of new food and beverage concepts to the ship.

The new additions will include Guy's Burger Joint, a free-of-charge poolside venue; Blueguana Cantina, a complimentary eatery; RedFrog Rum Bar, a watering hole; Blueguana Tequila Bar, a Mexican-themed bar, and 'Cherry on Top' - a candy and novelty gift shop.

A three-week dry dock will take place over 04-25 Sep for the upgrades, before the ship resumes its three- and four-day Baja Cruises from California.

CX boost BOS, YVR

CATHAY Pacific has announced its intention to increase the frequency of services to Boston, with the addition of three weekly flights from Hong Kong starting from 26 Mar.

CX will also boost its Vancouver schedule by introducing three extra weekly services, effective as of 28 Mar, which sees the total number of flights to the Canadian city increased to 17 per week.

MAMMA MIA! CBR

ACCLAIMED musical *MAMMA MIA!* will kick off its Australian tour in Canberra in Nov 2017.

It will feature in the capital for three weeks before moving onto Brisbane, Sydney, Melbourne, Adelaide and Perth in 2018.

Hawaii Hurricane

WEATHER forecasters are expecting Hurricane Lester (TD yesterday) to weaken and pass north of the Hawaiian Islands as a Category one hurricane or tropical storm from Sat morning.

A hurricane watch has been issued for the island of Hawaii and for the islands of Maui, Molokai and Lanai.

The Hawaiian Tourism Authority is urging visitors to "make all necessary preparations in anticipation of weather impacts".

Tempo Ireland famil

ONLY a month remains for agents to confirm their Ireland product bookings with Tempo Holidays to take part in a famil of the destination worth \$20,000.

The promotion ends 30 Sep, with four winners to be announced.

View the Irish product [HERE](#).

Six Flags new line-up

ADVENTURE theme park Six Flags has announced a range of new DC Comics and Warner Bros themed attractions.

New to the line-up is the Justice League: Battle for Metropolis ride; a Joker rollercoaster; the Wonder Woman Lasso of Truth swing ride, Thunder Rapids, Spinsanity, A VR rollercoaster and much more.

Season Pass sales for 2017 are already available and those who book between now and 05 Sep to receive a free upgrade to a Gold Season Pass.

CLICK HERE for more information on the specials and new attractions.



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Q2. On Deutsche Bahn, what does the train acronym ICE stand for?



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Calling for Expressions of Interest

World Youth Day 2019 Official Tour Operator

Australian Catholic Bishops Conference

The Australian Catholic Bishops Conference (ACBC) is seeking to appoint an Official Tour Operator to coordinate travel and accommodation logistics for World Youth Day 2019.

The Official Tour Operator will enhance and support the Australian World Youth Day Committee's co-ordination of pilgrims to WYD, to be held in Panama 2019.

The Australian World Youth Day (WYD) pilgrimage will provide pilgrims with opportunities to visit pilgrimage sites and attractions across the Americas, sharing their spiritual journey with other pilgrims as part of the unique experience that is World Youth Day.

It is anticipated that Australia's Pilgrims, Leaders, Clergy and Bishops will total approximately 1000.

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IMPORTANT

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Expressions of Interest close at 4pm on Thursday 29th September AEST.

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High End Leisure Travel Consultant

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This role is based in an amazing location that has access not only to great cafes, shops and restaurants but the demographic of client has plenty of money to spend on their luxury holidays. The environment within the agency is fun and highly knowledgeable where staff and clients alike can enjoy the lovely surroundings. You will be arranging worldwide trips and utilising your skills in fares and ticketing, as well as destinations. Working in a highly team orientated agency.

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