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## Travel Daily on location at Hayman Island

Today's issue of *TD* is coming to you courtesy of InterContinental Hotels Group which today commemorates the reopening of Hayman Is.

**DIGNITARIES** attending the formal opening ceremony this afternoon include Tourism Australia acting MD Phillipa Harrison, Qld Premier Annastacia Palaszczuk and Tourism & Events Qld CEO Leanne Coddington - see Mon's issue for a full report.

## Hurtigruten clarification

**HURTIGRUTEN** Cruises today issued a formal statement confirming that it is a "profitable, independent, compliant and proud Norwegian business with a global product range and distribution model," via multiple partners across Australia & NZ.

MD Asia-Pacific, Damian Perry, said he was responding to numerous enquiries from agents in the light of reports about one of the line's local representatives.

"Our team is engaged with all industry partners to continue to be easy to do business with everywhere...we monitor all

relationships carefully and are aware of the recent C&K/Bentours challenges," Perry said.

"There is no ownership link at all, but we are engaged in discussions with them to support all trade and travellers bookings and give comfort to the market."

Perry noted that on 02 Sep Hurtigruten will also open its own independent Melbourne office to deliver in-depth product solutions to wholesalers, package partners and specialist retailers.

## A crowded scrum...

**QATAR** Airways has been named the official airline partner of Auckland's iconic Eden Park.

The deal means confused fans are likely to watch the Qantas Wallabies playing the Air New Zealand All Blacks, refereed by Emirates umpires in the Qatar Airways-sponsored stadium.

## Today's issue of TD

*Travel Daily* today has seven pages of news and photos, plus full pages from:

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- Travel Trade Recruitment

## The Qantas Channel is now live. Registration remains open.

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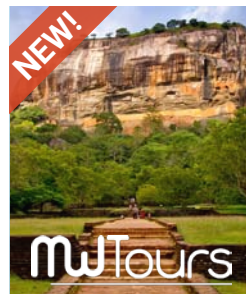
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### QF QBR partner

A NEW Qantas Business Rewards partnership with ASX-listed telecommunications firm Vonex has launched today.

Companies using Vonex services can earn sign-on bonuses and monthly ongoing points accrual.

## Scenic Eclipse on her way

**SCENIC** Luxury Cruises & Tours has formally announced the completion of its long-awaited *Scenic Eclipse* and overnight released the first images of the ship's interior (**TD** breaking news).

The vessel is scheduled to depart Reykjavik, Iceland, today on her maiden voyage, a 13-night itinerary to Quebec, Canada.

Founder and CEO, Glen Moroney, said today marked the fruition of many years of planning "to create a vessel and an experience which has set a brand new benchmark in ultra-luxury discovery cruising".

Scenic claims *Eclipse* takes ocean cruising to "a whole new level - marrying luxury, discovery with the ultimate in safety and sustainability, and giving guests the opportunity to explore above and beyond what was previously



imaginable".

The Polar Class 6 ship features two helicopters and a six-guest submarine along with indoor and outdoor plunge pools, butler service for all guests and an almost 1:1 guest to staff ratio.

Photos released overnight detail some of the 10 on-board dining options and the large yoga studio - to see the images, head to [facebook.com/traveldaily](https://facebook.com/traveldaily).

The launch was celebrated in London last night with an industry event claiming the debut of *Eclipse* marked "the day luxury cruising changes forever".

*Scenic Eclipse* is pictured docked in Reykjavik overnight.

### Europcar Fox buy

**EUROPCAR** has confirmed the acquisition of US-based Fox Rent A Car, saying the deal represents a "significant revenue growth opportunity" for the business.

Fox Rent A Car operates 21 of its own airport-based rental offices along with around 100 affiliates, and is present in 15 of the USA's top-25 busiest airports.

### Tok Tok expands

**MORE** than 57 local sellers from Vanuatu - including 15 new operators - are set to participate in this year's Vanuatu Tok Tok trade showcase.

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### TAP LCY pullout

**PORTUGAL'S** flag carrier TAP Air has announced the withdrawal of flights from London City Airport to both Lisbon and Porto effective 27 Oct, with the carrier citing "uncertainties in customer demand" in the lead-up to Britain's withdrawal from the EU, now scheduled for 31 Oct.

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## Travel Daily on location in Bangkok

Today's issue of *TD* is coming to you courtesy of the Express Travel Group which is hosting its annual ETGX conference in Bangkok this weekend.

**THIS** year's combined Select Travel Group, Independent Travel Group and italktravel & cruise conference features a range of innovations, including a series of TEDx-style panels featuring some of the group's preferred supplier partners.

Taking place at the Marriott Marquis Queen's Park, Bangkok's newest hotel, delegates are gathering for updates and new announcements from the business.

Tonight, guests will be whisked away courtesy of American Airlines on Tuk-Tuks to a Travel Corporation welcome function.

## ETG home-based option

THE  
Express  
Travel Group

yesterday unveiled a new mobile travel agent solution integrated with its italktravel & cruise franchise network.

Dubbed "italktravel & cruise at home," the option aims to facilitate the growing demand for agents who want to work outside normal business hours, according to ETG Executive General Manager, Ari Magoutis.

"The travel industry landscape is continually changing, and Express Travel Group is dedicated to adapting with this change," Magoutis said.

Advisors who join the group will be "part of the family owned and operated Express Travel Group with access to superior buying power and more than 30 years' experience in the Australian travel industry," he added.

Two "earning models" will be

## italktravel



& cruise

available through the platform, with the company promising uncapped earning capabilities.

italktravel & cruise at home Mobile Travel Advisors will have a direct relationship with an existing franchisee store owner, while Express Travel Group will manage all back-end financials so consultants "can focus on devoting their exceptional travel experience to servicing their clients," the company said.

### New Pearman title

**PAUL** Pearman has been named as Market Development Manager for the Express Travel Group, expanding on his former role as National Business Manager for the italktravel franchise network.



## Window Seat

A **URAL** Airlines pilot is today being hailed as a "Russian Sully" after safely landing his Airbus A321 in a cornfield after it lost both engines in a bird strike.

Damir Yusupov, 41, was in charge of the aircraft carrying 233 passengers and crew when it hit a flock of gulls.

"It was quite a feat to keep the plane from stalling and quickly find a place to land," he told reporters on Russian TV, which showed images of the downed jet (**below**) after he successfully landed it with the wheels up.

The incident had shades of the heroics of pilot Chesley "Sully" Sullenberger who landed a flight in the Hudson River in 2009.



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## italktravel dream team in BKK



**BELIEVE** it or not, these guys are not supermodels or global social media influencers.

Spotted yesterday on a Bangkok rooftop, they were participants in a special italktravel and cruise membership day leading up to the Express Travel Group conference this weekend.

italktravel's Hamish McCracken is pictured with Julia van Huisstede from italktravel & cruise The Junction; Mark van Huisstede, italktravel & cruise Maitland; Karen Jones, italktravel & Cruise The Junction; and Jackie Wright, italktravel & cruise Maitland.

## Serko/Southwest tie-up

**SERKO** has announced a new partnership with Southwest Airlines, a deal which will see the carrier provide NDC content for the tech company's new expense management tool Zeno.

The agreement means Zeno will become the first online booking tool to provide Southwest content via the ATPCO New Distribution Capability (NDC) Exchange, with users able to book tickets, change flights, and purchase earlybird check-ins on the platform.

"We're excited to partner with Serko to bring the full Southwest experience into the corporate online booking tool market," said Rob Brown, Senior Director Sales Strategy & B2B Channels at Southwest Airlines.

"Southwest is a true innovator in the airline space and this partnership is one that we expect will help bring our business-friendly innovations into the business travel world," he added.

Serko Chief Executive Officer Darrin Grafton said the new deal would show the industry how airline transactions of the future should be conducted.

"This agreement with Southwest allows both companies to showcase the future of

airline retailing, bringing the rich consumer experience of the Southwest brand and access to the full range of the Southwest offering within the corporate travel policy framework," Grafton enthused.

Southwest content is expected to be available to Zeno users from 01 Oct.

## NZ cruise spend up

**TOTAL** cruise expenditure in New Zealand is up 28% on the previous year to 30 Jun, with total pax also up 24%, according to the latest *Cruise Ship Traveller Expenditure* report from Stats NZ.

Cruise expenditure for the year to 30 Jun was NZ\$569.8m, with the country welcoming 322,000 passengers during the period.

"NZ has become an incredibly popular destination for int'l cruise pax and the financial impact they have reaches deep into the local economy," said CLIA Managing Director Australasia Joel Katz.

"Projects like the new Lyttelton cruise ship berth and plans to increase the capacity of Auckland's Queens Wharf will help ensure New Zealand is able to welcome all types of international cruise ships."

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## QF Travelport NDC bookings

**THE** first Travelport bookings through the Qantas Channel were made yesterday, two weeks after the airline switched on the new platform (**TD** 01 Aug).

The bookings are being made through Travelport Smartpoint in a live production test environment "as Qantas prepares distribution of differentiated NDC content from late 2019".

Travelport claims that its new

NDC connection to Qantas is "the first by any GDS" to the carrier.

It enables live bookings of NDC content to be made by selected agency partners taking part in the testing program.

Travelport said agency groups participating in the trial include ATPi, Globetrotter and Travel Beyond, with a rollout of the capabilities to the wider agency community in coming months.

The GDS firm said Qantas' content would be among the first to become available via its Trip Service API, which is also currently part of a testing program with an Australia-based online travel agency.

"Qantas shares our vision that NDC has the potential to enhance the travel experience for its customers, offering personalised and differentiated choice and a seamless booking experience," said Travelport MD Australia and NZ, Scott Barber.

"NDC delivery is complex and requires collaboration from all parts of the travel industry."

Travelport confirmed that no personalised offers were available yet, with QF earlier flagging plans to release differentiated content later in 2019.

## SNOW CONDITIONS

**WELCOME** to **TD's** snow conditions update, providing information on the latest snow falls, depths and lifts in operation across key Australia and NZ's most popular ski-fields.

Here's the latest snow reports:

- Falls Creek - 68cm / 14 lifts
- Perisher - 127cm / 47 lifts
- Thredbo - 127cm / 14 lifts
- Charlotte Pass - 203cm / 5 lifts
- Mt Hotham - 107cm / 11 lifts
- Mt Buller - 36cm / 18 lifts
- Coronet Peak - 35cm / 8 lifts
- The Remarkables - 85cm / 6 lifts
- Mt Hutt - 120cm / 5 lifts

## Malindo at home in Aus



**MALINDO** Air yesterday celebrated the arrival of its first flight from Sydney to Kuala Lumpur, via Denpasar (**TD** 01 Jul).

Sydney is the airline's fifth Australian destination, after debuting an Adelaide to Kuala Lumpur service earlier this year (**TD** 17 Apr).

Executives from the Malaysian low-cost carrier were in Sydney to celebrate the moment, with Chief Executive Officer Chandran Rama Muthy opening up to **Travel Daily** on the airline's eagerness to explore Australia further.

"We want to explore north Queensland and another airport in southern Australia to see if there are any which can take passengers to Bali," Muthy said.

"We are looking at adding maybe two to three more flights a week to get more people to Bali."

With the airline now flying daily from Sydney, Malindo is already looking to improve its situation out of SYD.

"Right now, we offer a noon departure from Sydney to Bali, which means you would land at about 4pm in the afternoon."

"We would like the departure to be at least 8am or 9am so you can get to Bali sooner."

Muthy told **Travel Daily** he believed that Australia's diverse ethnic population would be a key market for the airline, as they would be attracted to the airlines' network to "easily commute to their country of origin" at a competitively priced rate.

Sydney Airport Chief Executive Officer Geoff Culbert said of the route, "if you look at the dynamics between Australia and Bali and Malaysia, it's a really strong tourism route in terms of two-way travel...we think there's going to be really strong support for this route".

**Pictured** are Ramdas Shivram, Senior GM Business Development & Compliances for Malindo Air and Chandran Rama Muthy.



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## Women to Watch initiative



**THE** Travel Corporation's (TTC) "Women to Watch" initiative kicked off earlier this week at the Sydney head office with guest speaker Michelle Kerr of Eden Ministry delivering a stirring message on the state of human trafficking throughout Asia.

Kerr, who was most recently Marketing Manager at Magellen, spoke to dozens of TTC staff about finding her purpose,

working with Eden Ministry to save girls and women in Asia from being trafficked.

"Women to Watch" is part of TTC's "Better World Better Me" approach to encourage staff growth and development both personally and professionally.

**Pictured** are: Vanessa Budah, Head of PR and Communications, TTC; Michelle Kerr, Country Manager, Eden Ministry and Fiona Dalton, MD, Uniworld Boutique River Cruises and U by Uniworld.

## Thredbo renewable

**THREDBO** is now powering all major resort operations via renewable energy.

The ski resort originally signed an agreement with Snowy Hydro-owned Red Energy in Jul (**TD** 12 Jul) to purchase nine gigawatt hours of energy per year for three years.

## Tassie takes stage

**CLIA** Australasia has chosen the Shene Estate & Distillery in Tasmania to front a new social media campaign to promote the economic benefits that cruising provides local communities.

## UA calls last drinks

**UNITED** Airlines has introduced a firmer alcohol policy following the arrest of two of its pilots for intoxication before a flight from Scotland to Newark.

The carrier will now require pilots to refrain from drinking alcohol at least 12 hours before reporting for duty, as opposed to the eight hours mandated by the Federal Aviation Administration.

## SQ goes extra mile

**SINGAPORE** Airlines has announced a 50% Elite Miles bonus offer for KrisFlyer members who book flights to select destinations until 05 Sep.

Some of the applicable destination include London Heathrow Int'l Airport, Paris Charles de Gaulle Int'l Airport, Frankfurt Int'l Airport, Manila Ninoy Aquino Int'l Airport, Tan Son Nhat Int'l Airport, and Phuket Int'l Airport.

For more info, **CLICK HERE**.

## Wild Earth brochure

**WILD** Earth Travel has released its 2020/21 Small Ship Cruise brochure which features more than 1,200 destinations.

Highlights include an exclusive charter to Scotland led by Wild General Manager Aaron Russ, exploring the country's isles and waterways.

## Mercure Rouse Hill

**A NEW** 4.5-star Mercure Hotel is now open in Sydney's Hills District.

Mercure Sydney Rouse Hill is located at The Fiddler Hotel precinct, a 19th-century pub redevelopment in 2010.

The newbuild is spread over four floors, and boasts 78 guestrooms, including suites, deluxe and family rooms.

The development also features a fitness centre, swimming pool, conference and event spaces.

## HK hurts Thailand

**ONGOING** protests at Hong Kong Int'l Airport will drain US\$454 million out of Thailand's inbound tourism industry, according to the *National News Bureau of Thailand*.

Closures at the airport could lead to a loss of 30,000 tourists travelling from HK to Thailand.

## TECHNOLOGY UPDATE

*Today's Technology Update is brought to you by ReadyRooms*



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## Aussies travelling more

**RECORD** numbers of Australians are travelling overseas for short trips, with New Zealand the destination of choice, the Australian Bureau of Statistics (ABS) reveals.

The ABS found almost 1.5 million Aussies travelled to New Zealand for a period less than a year in length in the year to 30 Jun, with Indonesia attracting 1.3 million travellers.

Over 11.2 million overseas trips were taken in the 2018/19 financial year, more than twice the number taken a decade ago, with 57% of travellers reporting their overseas journey was for a holiday, and a further 26% saying they were going to see family or friends.

New Zealand was particularly popular for those living in the eastern states, while Indonesia

was the top choice for those from South Australia, Western Australia and the Northern Territory.

Inbound figures were also at record levels, with 9.3 million overseas arrivals in 2018/19, a 250% increase on the 2008/09 figures, with 47% of visitors staying they travelled to Australia for a holiday.

Chinese travellers represented the single biggest group travelling to Australia last year (1.43 million), reflecting a 303% increase in visitors from the country over the last 10 years, however, the ABS noted this growth has slowed recently.

New Zealand was the second largest country of origin for visitors (1.41 million).

NSW was the top destination, attracting 37% of visitors.

## 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](mailto:specials@traveldaily.com.au)

A free one-way airfare from Sitka to Seattle is now available on **Lindblad Expeditions'** 15-day A Remarkable Journey to Alaska, British Columbia & Haida Gwaii itinerary. Deals are valid for the 02 and 03 May departures, with prices starting at \$14,040ppts. The offer is on sale until the end of the year, and for details, phone on 1300 361 012.

**Beyond Travel** has released a new special on its Magical Croatia cruise tour from its Signature Journeys range. Valid for selected Jul and Aug departures in 2020, the deal includes savings of up to \$1,850 per couple - contact Beyond Travel at 1300 363 554.

Last minute deals are available at **Royal Zambezi Lodge**, Zambia, with special rates from \$519 per person, and a free upgrade to a Presidential suite on a first book, first serve basis. Valid for stays until the end of the year. **CLICK HERE** for full details.

**Uniworld Boutique River Cruise Collection** is offering a 50% discount on single supplements for solo travellers. The deal includes four voyages in Europe, and is valid for bookings to 30 Sep. Call 1300 780 231.

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To celebrate the Australian deployment for the newest member of its fleet, Dream Cruises has partnered with **Travel Daily** this month to give one lucky reader the chance to win a 7-night Queensland coastal cruise in a balcony stateroom on board *Explorer Dream*.

To enter, all you need to do is share with us what dream feature you would include if you were involved in the design of a Dream cruise ship.

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## Virtuoso top hotels

**EMIRATES** Wolgan Valley Resort & Spa north west of Sydney has been highlighted for its "Sustainable Tourism Leadership" in the annual Virtuoso Best of the Best hotel awards announced overnight in Las Vegas during the 31st annual Virtuoso Travel Week.

Voted by the group's 20,000-strong network of advisors from across the globe, other winners included the Four Seasons Hotel George V in Paris as Hotel of the Year.

The Rosewood Hong Kong was cited for Best Achievement in Design, while Restaurant Le Gabriel at La Reserve Paris Hotel & Spa won Best Dining Experience.

The Best Family Program gong went to Grand Velas Riviera Maya in Play del Carmen, Mexico, and the Best Wellness Program category was taken out by Miraval Arizona Resort & Spa in Tucson, Arizona.

## VN's first 787-10

**BOEING** yesterday delivered the first of eight new 787-10 *Dreamliner* aircraft to Vietnam Airlines, with the carrier planning to deploy the larger aircraft on some of its busiest routes.

VN is configuring the larger variant with 367 seats - 24 in Business class and 343 in Economy, with the airline's Chairman, Pham Ngoc Minh, saying the 787-10 would operate between Hanoi and Ho Chi Minh as well as to many international destinations.

## American Melody

**AMERICAN** Cruise Lines has announced that its fourth modern riverboat will be called *American Melody*.

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Departing 9, 16, 30 Apr; 10, 17, 21, 28 May; 4, 11 & 18 Jun; 27 Aug; 3, 6, 10, 13, 17 & 24 Sept; 1, 8, 15 Oct 2020

Starting from **\$10,390\***pp twin share |  
**\$12,531\***pp solo travellers

Dubrovnik, the pearl of the Adriatic; Split, nestled against a turquoise sea; Zagreb, a diamond in the rough; Ljubljana, a city of ruby red wine; Istria, bucolic and blessed with garnet soil, emerald valleys and sapphire seas; and Venice, gilded with gemstone palaces, laced with canals and graced with treasures that are nothing less than exquisite... Explore them up close and in depth through cultural experiences equally dazzling.

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- TAUCK'S YELLOW ROADS – Unparalleled views abound on scenic drives along the Adriatic Coast of Croatia, Bosnia and Montenegro, with visits to 5 UNESCO World Heritage Sites
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- TAUCK EXCLUSIVE – Early opening visit and private train tour of Postojna Caves
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### Venice & Dalmatian Coast - Small Ship Cruise

#### 10 days from Venice return

Departing 10 & 17 Jun; 9, 16 & 23 Sep 2020

Starting from **\$10,650\***pp twin share |  
**\$14,915\***pp solo travellers

Walk with us to places immortalised with local colour, sip and savour wines masterfully crafted, toast traditions and tales fondly shared, and become part of the stories, past and present, that make your holiday memories last lifetimes. Enjoy guided visits and shore excursions choices include revered UNESCO World Heritage sites as you cruise between Venice, the Dalmatian Coast and Montenegro.

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- In-depth shore excursion choices including visits to five UNESCO World Heritage Sites
- Seven-night cruise aboard the yacht Le Lyrial
- Tauck's private shore excursions and distinctive inclusions
- Private lecture in Dubrovnik
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- Wine tasting of fine Croatian wine along the Dalmatian Coast



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### The Black Sea to Budapest - River Cruise

#### 13 days from Bucharest to Budapest

Departing 15 Jun & 1 & 19 Jul 2020

Starting from **\$7,990\***pp twin share |  
**\$7,990\***pp solo travellers

Explore the romantic lower Danube through the heart of Central Europe, where East and West meet and intertwine in fascinating cultures and turbulent history. Glide past medieval monasteries, citadels and villages. Experience authentic local cuisine, music and dance, and a wealth of architectural wonders as your river cruise winds its way through Hungary, Croatia, Serbia, Bulgaria and Romania, with nights on land at luxury hotels in the popular cities of Bucharest and Budapest.

#### EXPERIENCE WITH TAUCK

- TAUCK EXCLUSIVE – Exclusive evening at Belgrade's Royal White Palace
- Dinner at the massive Parliament building (the "People's Palace") in Bucharest
- A visit to the city of Pécs in Hungary, a UNESCO World Heritage Site
- Passage through the Iron Gate on the Danube River
- In Romania explore the story of Vlad Tepes and 15th-century inspiration for Bram Stoker's "Dracula"



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For more information please call Paul on  
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