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Virgin Blue capacity boost

VIRGIN Blue has confirmed a deal with Boeing to buy up to 50 more jets to expand its capacity on domestic markets (*TD* 17 Sep).

The carrier has recorded a \$62.5 million after tax profit (*TD* breaking news) for the six months to 31 Dec - a big turnaround from the \$101.9m H1 loss in 08/09.

Contributing factors included lower fuel prices, but ceo Brett Godfrey also hailed DJ staff for achieving a 4.5% decrease in cost per available seat km (CASK) through cost saving initiatives and

\$9.6m Rex profit

REGIONAL Express this morning released its first half profit figure, with an overall after tax result of \$9.6 million.

Revenue of \$117.8 million was down about 13% on the previous corresponding period, with passenger numbers falling 8.8% to 641,552 for the six months and an overall 63.1% load factor.

The carrier also confirmed that it had leased two Saab A340Bs to a company working with Thai low cost carrier Nok Air from 01 Jan.

Wu your customers

WENDY Wu Tours is giving travel agencies a chance to win a gift voucher for displaying its brochures in window fronts during the month of Mar - see page 9.

enhanced productivity.

He said strong ongoing price competition would see pressure on yields, but Virgin Blue plans to "vigorously defend our core domestic markets".

DJ's short haul operations produced a \$108m profit, while V Australia delivered a \$39m pretax loss, with a load factor averaging 80.8% over the period.

Godfrey said V Australia is still expected to be profitable within 18 months of its launch, while the company is "also positive about the potential additional benefits of its proposed joint venture alliance with Delta Air Lines."

Virgin Blue is also currently searching for a replacement ceo for Godfrey, with chairman Neil Chatfield confirming the company is working with a shortlist of candidates and expects to update the market in the near future.

DJ is continuing to predict a pre-tax full year profit of between \$80m and \$110m.

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QF AS codeshare

QANTAS is adding five extra Alaska Airlines/Horizon Airlines operated citypairs to its network which come online 01 Mar.

The routes operate via Seattle to Edmonton, Victoria, Kelowna, Vancouver and Calgary and connect with flights ex LA and San Fran.

The move increase QF's Canada codeshare network to nine cities.

Gay flight winners

THE travel industry certainly wants to party with Virgin Blue on the carrier's special 'Up Up and A Gay' Mardi Gras flight from Melbourne to Sydney on Thu.

We were overwhelmed with a flood of entries in yesterday's comp, with the lucky winners of two tickets each on the fabulous flight being: Graham Boan, Ella Baidarman, Natalie Parker, Nicole Adams, Natania Hollingsworth, Laura Cuthbert, Michelle Stander, Helen Roehnelt, Grace Pereira, Pritika Nandan, Jason Morris, Tom van Gessel, Andrew Dwyer, Carolyne Evans, Pinky Applin, Greg Owen, Jerry Olic, Kate Mudford, Joel Gilchrist, Virginia Farrell and Ashley Reynolds.

Travelforce restructures

CORPORATE travel specialist Travelforce has today announced that its founder, Andrew Ross, will step down from his current role as the TMC's ceo from 01 Mar.

The company said the move was part of a restructure aimed at positioning the business for its next phase of development.

Ross will continue as the company's Executive Chairman, but will hand over the day to day running of the business to current director of sales, Wayne Swaysland, who's been with Travelforce since 1999.

Michael Gunn has been named as Travelforce's new Director of Sales & Marketing, while Susan Olding will move into the role of

NZ pax increase

AIR New Zealand carried 939,000 passengers during Jan, an increase of 1.7% on Jan 2009.

There was a significant jump in the NZ domestic market, which was up 10.7%, with a 7.9 point increase in load factor to 82.2%.

But long haul pax numbers fell 8.7%, with an 88.2% load factor.

Chief Operations Officer.

Travelforce was established in 1976 and has grown to be one of Australia's leading independent TMC's with a staff of more than 50 and a \$60m annual turnover.

The Sydney-based operation, which is a member of the CT Partners group, recently announced expansion into Brisbane and Melbourne (*TD* 17 Feb).

NTIA - nominate now!

NOMINATIONS for this year's National Travel Industry Awards are now open (*TD* yesterday), with AFTA this morning confirming that entries started rolling in shortly after the pages went live on its website at afta.com.au.

There are 29 categories in the awards, for both agents and suppliers, and nominations are open until Fri 12 Mar, with nominations received to be put on display from Wed 07 Apr in the lead-up to the voting period between 14-30 Apr.

Travel Daily is proud to be the official media partner, along with travelBulletin, of the awards, which see the whole industry gather to celebrate excellence.

AFTA said seats at the awards dinner at the Sydney Westin Hotel on 10 Jul are also now on sale, with a number of tables already taken since bookings opened.

3K Saigon increase

JETSTAR Asia plans to offer a double daily Singapore-Ho Chi Minh service, boosting capacity by 2,160 seats on the route.

At the moment 3K operates an 8 times weekly service between the cities and will lift that number to 13 in May and 14 in Jul.

Window Seat

V AUSTRALIA has yet again been shown to be a trend setter, with Japanese carrier All Nippon Airways announcing the debut of women-only lavatories.

ANA says the move follows "numerous requests from passengers for this service," with one toilet designated for females only at the rear of its planes flying international routes.

A statement claimed the move is "the first in Japan, and believed to be among the first for any carrier in the world."

Not quite - V Australia debuted a women-only washroom on its 777 aircraft when it launched its international services a year ago.

MASS nude photography 'artist' Spencer Tunick may need some clothes himself, after his bags were lost when he flew to Sydney for an upcoming shoot at the Opera House (*TD* 28 Jan).

Tunick said he's still looking for about 2000 volunteers to pose in the raw on the building's steps.

He also confirmed that he'll take pictures of the group inside the Concert Hall, saying "it will look like an ancient Greek court."

BEATLES fans will be relieved to hear that the famous group's Abbey Road Studios in north London have officially been declared an historic building.

The crossing outside the studios, featured on the cover of the Abbey Road album, attracts thousands of tourists a year, with English Heritage saying the building "acts as a modern day monument to the history of recorded sound and music."



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Great balls of fire!





ABOVE: Travel2 and Hawaiian Airlines treated their top selling Harvey World Travel consultants from VIC/TAS to a fun filled famil in Hawaii last week.

Pictured with the Warrior from the Paradise Cove Luau - front row *from left* - are: Renae Martin, Travel2; Sandy McDonald, HWT Warrnambool; Kate Higgins, HWT Rosebud and Arul Suntharesan, HA.

Back: Simon Clark, HWT VIC, Sarah McClelland, HWT Chirnside Park; Belinda Winstanley, HWT Lilydale; Mandy Smith, HWT Devonport; Jodie Quigley, HWT Niddrie and Jen Marsden, HWT Malvern.



Look4Travel portal

AUSTRALIA'S Look4Travel has today launched its new portal offering users greater functionality and faster response times.

The company says the site is one of only two globally that offers all domestic Australian airlines fully bookable in one search.

MD Darren Carbine said the site will "give existing online agents a real run for their money."

Look4Travel is part of the Jetset Travelworld Group.

See www.Look4Travel.com.au.

QFLink Q400 boost

QANTASLINK will raise capacity between Brisbane-Bundaberg, Emerald and Gladstone from 06 Apr when it takes delivery of its 20th Bombardier Q400 aircraft.

The Qantas subsidiary will add 5 return weekday Gladstone flights, 2 weekly return Emerald flights and 2 weekly return Bundaberg flights, while also upgrading two Bundaberg services from a 50-seat Q300 aircraft to the 74-seat Q400.

Beachcomber rates

BEACHCOMBER Tours advises it now has rates available for travel between 01 Nov 2010-30 Oct 2011 at its eight properties in Mauritius and its island resort in Seychelles. For quotes phone 1800 624 268.

Swiss rail upgrade

RAIL Plus is offering guests booking a second class Swiss Pass a free upgrade to first class when booked before 29 Mar.

The offer applies to adult, child, saver and youth continuous passes and flexi passes, for travel up until 31 May.

TCF reinstatment

THE Travel Compensation Fund has reinstated the participation of *Laser Travel* (ABN: 98 095 919 234) of Mentone Vic, from 23 Feb.

The agent was non-voluntarily terminated from the TCF for the non-payment of fees (*TD* Mon).



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MALAYSIA Airlines has reported a healthy net profit for its fourth quarter ending 31 Dec of RM610m (\$AU200m), up from the RM300m net loss of the quarter before.

The result led MAS to achieve a modest net profit of RM490m (\$AU160m) for the 2009 financial year compared to a RM244m net profit in the year earlier.

MAS managing director and ceo Tengku Dato Azmil Zahruddin pointed to reduced capacity and strategic partnerships for the airline's achievement.

He said Malaysian Airlines would look to increase frequencies in the AsiaPacific region, including a direct BNE service (TD 25 Nov) and additional PER and AKL flights from early Apr.

Poppy's stay pays

POPPY'S on the Lagoon has a stay 5 nights pay for 3, or stay 7 nights and pay for 4 on offer for travel to 25 Jun, on sale to 08 Mar.

The Vanuatu property is also offering a free 45 minute massage per booking - contact wholesalers.

Lonely SE Asia

LONELY Planet has partnered with a new tourism portal for the SE Asia region (TD 08 Jan) to offer digital content to the site.

10 ASEAN member countries, including Brunei, Indonesia, Laos, Thailand and Singapore are being supplied with destination profiles by the popular global guidebook on the SouthEastAsia.org website.

Reseachers can use the internet site to plan, book and chat about a wide selection of travel experiences across the region.

MAS profit rebound | Think China, Think Bestours



OVER 130 agents packed the Bowlers' Club in Sydney last night for China Bestours 2010 Asia Night.

The company presented its three new brochures - China, Vietnam and Asia, whilst guests enjoyed a sit-down Chinese dinner and entertainment.

China Bestours national sales manager, Mark Haddad, told TD he was overwhelmed with the response from agents wanting to attend this year's event.

The Asian specialist's tour portfolio has expanded to include Philippines, Korea, Japan, Taiwan, Mongolia, India, Nepal, Cambodia and Laos.

China Bestours says it will offer

RIGHT: Mark is pictured here with the lovely ladies representing the Philippines - Lindy McMillen, Philippine Airlines; Irene Somera & Evelyn De Jesus, Philippine Tourism Board; Kylie Ryan, Philippine Airlines and Consuelo Jones, Philippine Tourism Board.

guaranteed departures for all China, Vietnam and Asian destinations from two to 28 travelling passengers.

And what's more desirable is the company will pay agents a minimum 10% commission on air, land and taxes for fully escorted tour bookings on its China and Vietnam brochure product.

The new China Bestours brochures can be ordered online at www.seechina.com.au.

Pictured above is the China Bestours team - back row from left is Jason Li, Mark Haddad, Jimmy Liu, Eric Wang, and front row is Laura Harrison, Linh La and Sophia Wang.



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Please email your CV to anickells@abercrombiekent.com.au or send to Level 3, 290 Coventry Street, South Melbourne VIC 3205, by no later than Monday, 1 March 2010.



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Kenya appointment

THE Kenya Tourist Board has appointed Aviareps Oceania as its new representative in Australia.

The account was previously held by GTi Tourism Australia.



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Kingfisher Airlines signs up for oneworld



ABOVE: Indian carrier Kingfisher Airlines (IT) has signed a Memorandum of Understanding with airline alliance oneworld (TD breaking news yesterday).

The deal, which is subject to Indian approval, paves the way for the carrier to integrate its services into the oneworld group as early as next year.

An agreement with oneworld will further boost its 'map' by 58 cities, all of which are in India, with destinations incl Armistar, Agra, Goa, Jaipur, Kochi, Kolkata, Pune, Trivandrum and Udaipur.

IT also operates int'l services from New Delhi to London, Hong Kong, Bangkok and Dubai, along with routes between Mumbai and Colombo, Bangkok and Dubai as well as a new London service from 28 Mar (TD 17 Feb).

"Kingfisher Airlines will fill one of oneworld's few remaining membership spaces with a carrier that matches our alliance's demanding requirements..helping us ensure oneworld remains the pre-eminent global alliance with members unmatched in brand and service quality," said oneworld managing partner John McCulloch.

Rival airline group Star Alliance is expecting Air India (AI) to officially enter its alliance in the second half of this year.

Al was invited to join Star in

2007 (TD 14 Dec 07) and the integration process has been underway since that time.

A Star spokesman told TD that Al's entry has taken longer than normal as it has simultaneously been undergoing a merger with Indian Airlines, a fleet renewal and network expansion.

Pictured at the signing of the MoU from left are: John McCulloch; Hussein Dabbas, Royal Jordanian chief exec.; Tony Tyler, Cathay Pacific chief exec.; Willie Walsh, British Airways chief exec.; Vijay Mallya, Kingfisher Airlines chairman and chief exec.; Alan Joyce, Qantas chief exec; Virasb Vahidi, American Airlines senior vp planning and Paavo Virkkunen, Finnair vice president Alliances.

Felicity ceremony

AVALON Waterways will hold a naming ceremony for its newest vessel Avalon Felicity in the Dutch city of Volendam next month.

Canadian soprano Measha Brueggergosman will be the 69 cabin river cruiser's Godmother.

Cable 5-nt Escape

CABLE Beach Club Resort & Spa in Broome has released a 'stay 5 pay 4 deal' for bookings in Apr and May priced from \$664ppts.

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Accommodation Updates

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THE RAROTONGAN BEACH RESORT & SPA in the Cook Islands has been split into two resorts, a move which has seen the launch of the adults-only SANCTUARY RAROTONGA. The beachfront property has 48 suites

featuring super-king sized beds and private verandahs, a new pool with sandy beach surrounds and a swim-up bar and a SpaPolynesia Honeymoon Spa - exclusively for guests over the age of 16. Rates are priced at NZ\$470 per night. MEANWHILE, The Rarotongan Beach Resort & Spa now is offering guests 111 rooms. The resort's swimming pool has been totally renovated, its MOKO's Kids Club has received a face lift, a new Teen Zone games arcade has been added, along with a Banana Beach Playground creche for under 4's.



QUAY WEST RESORT & SPA NOOSA will open on the Sunshine Coast, QLD mid-next month. The property features studios, one-, two- and threebedroom fully self-contained apartments, ideal for families or extended stays. There's a day spa

called Mii Spa, a lagoon pool, restaurant, bar, gym & tennis courts.



STARWOOD HOTELS & RESORTS has added the **GROSVENOR HOUSE** in Dubai to its Luxury Collection Hotel & Resorts brand. Located at Dubai Marina, the 422 room/suite/apartment hotel is the first Luxury Collection property for the United Arab Emirates. The prestigious 45storey Grosvenor House opened its doors in 2005

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Please note only those applicants who are successful in obtaining an interview will be contacted.

Orbitz FY 09 results

ORBITZ Worldwide has reported a net revenue for the year ending 31 Dec of US\$738m, down 15% on last year's figure of US\$870m.

Pre-tax earnings fell 17% to a loss of US\$202 million.

Academy canon trip

ACADEMY Travel has launched two tours to Italy which will incorporate the canonisation of Australia's first Saint, Mary MacKillop on 17 Oct in Rome.

Guests on the eight day tour of Rome or the 11 day trip (which includes three nights in the Bay of Naples) will witness the historic event at St Peter's Basilica on the final day, followed by an Aussie BBQ to toast the occasion.

Prices lead in at \$3,650 which includes flights with THAI - go to academytravel.com.au for info.

Mercury tummy bug

AROUND 300 of the 1.800 pax on board Celebrity Mercury have been struck by a norovirus-like illness while on an 11-nt Caribbean voyage, the USA Today reports.



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Grand Greek saving

TEMPO Holidays has taken 10% off the price of its seven-day Grand Tour of Greece itinerary for bookings between Apr-Oct, when paid in full by 31 Mar.

The reduced price is \$1,456ppts.

SN Africa growth

BRUSSELS Airlines (SN) will stretch its wings in Africa from Jul when it launches services between Brussels and Accra, Ghana; Lome, Togo; Ouagadougou, Burkina Faso and Contonou, Benin.

Services are scheduled to begin to Accra and Lome from 05 Jul. Contonoe from 06 Jul and Ouagadougou on 08 Jul.

The additions will see SN alter its operations to Abidjan, Cote D'Ivoire and Monrovia, Liberia.

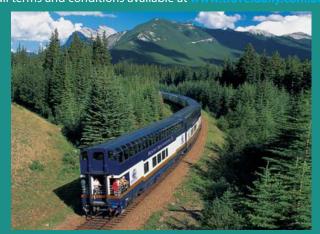
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<u>Third Prize</u>: 2 Economy Class tickets to Hong Kong

But it doesn't end there... You can also earn yourself some shopping vouchers...

\$50 voucher awarded per ticket in Business/First Class*
\$40 voucher awarded per ticket in Premium Economy Class*
\$25 voucher awarded per ticket in Economy Class*

Conditions:

- Valid for tickets issued by Consolidated Travel or via Quikticket on the Consolidated Travel IATA between 1 - 28 Feb 10 on QF International itineraries ex Australia plated to QF (081) ticket stock.
- This promotion is valid to all full time consultants in Australia.
- Infant, Child, Group Sales, Cancelled or Refunded tickets are not eligible.
- Consolidated Travel and Qantas reserve the right to alter or withdraw the promotion at any time.
- Winners will be advised and prizes will be distributed after completion of the promotion.
- Prize winning tickets include taxes.

<i>(</i>	* Vouchers are capped.	
`		email to the Consolidated Travel Sales Team no later than Friday 5 Mar 10
Agency Name:		_Consultant:
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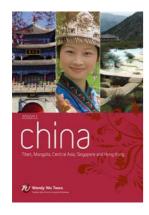


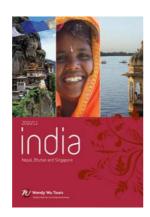


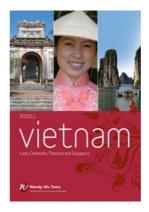
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