Handy Stuff to Know

No Fruit or Vegetables can be taken into Tasmania, strict Quarantine regulations apply. Quarantine Information telephone 1300 368 550 Call within Tasmania 03 6169 9021 Bio Security Tasmania Email: <u>Biosecurity.Tasmania@nre.tas.gov.au</u> No passenger train services in Tasmania – Only Bus Services. National Park Pass required to enter all National Parks <u>www.parks.tas.gov.au</u> Vehicles drive on the left hand side of the road in Tasmania Australia.

Dusk and Dawn Wildlife on the Move - Be Alert.



JUNCTION MOTEL

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Hobart a Brief History

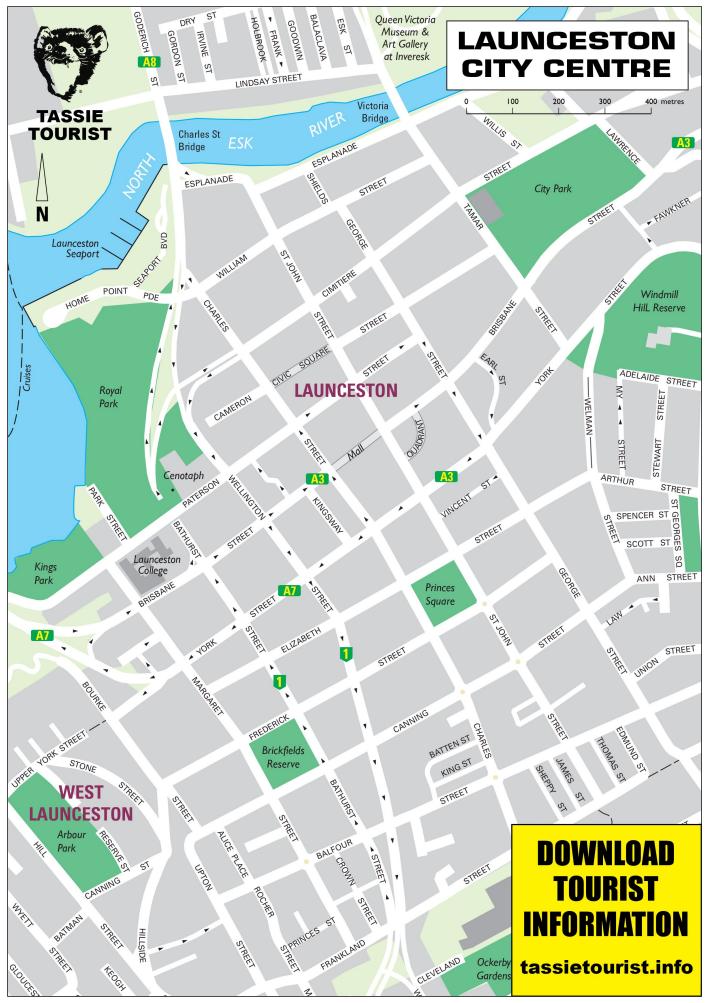
Hobart is the second oldest city in Australia starting life as a Penal colony in 1803. The convict sites are well worth a visit at Port Arthur and Sarah Island (Macquarie Harbour)

TRAVEL TIMES and DISTANCES FROM HOBART

Towns:	Kilometres	Time Approx.
Bay of Fires – Great Beaches	280	4 hours
Berriedale – MONA something different	13	20 minutes
Cambridge - Hobart Airport	19	20 minutes
Cockle Creek – The Far South	121	2 hours
Coles Bay - Freycinet National Park	194	2 hours 40 mins.
Cradle Mountain - National Park	328	4 hours 10 mins.
Devonport - Spirit of Tasmania Ferry	281	3 hours 10 mins.
Evandale - Historic Town	183	2 hours 10 mins.
Gordon Dam – Engineering Marvel	170	2 hours 30 mins.
Hastings - Caves/Thermal Springs	106	1 hour 40 mins.
Huonville – Picturesque Huon Valley	38	35 minutes
Kettering - Bruny Island Ferry	32	30 minutes
Launceston - Midland Highway (Direct)	201	2 hours 20 mins.
Launceston - East Coast Scenic Route	399	5 hours 30 mins.
Miena – Central Highlands - Great Lake	136	1 hour 45 mins.
Port Arthur - Historic Convict Site	95	1 hour 20 mins.
Queenstown - Mining History	261	3 hours 40 mins.
Richmond - Historic Town	27	30 minutes
Ross - Historic Bridge	121	1 hour 30 mins.
St. Helens - via East Coast Road	253	3 hours 10 mins.
Strahan - Macquarie Harbour – Sarah Is.	301	4 hours 15 mins.
Swansea – Holiday Town	134	1 hour 50 mins.
Triabunna - Maria Island Ferry	90	1 hour 15 mins.
Zeehan – Historic Mining Town	299	4 hours 10 mins.



The Guide includes websites for the latest information So you can plan ahead with confidence www.tassietourist.info



Launceston a Brief History

The first inhabitants were nomadic Aborigines. The first white settlers did not arrive until 1798 when George Bass and Matthew Flinders landed at the mouth of the Tamar River.

TRAVEL TIMES and DISTANCES LAUNCESTON TO:

Place	Kilometres	Time Approx.
Airport - Western Junction (A1)	15	25 minutes
Arthur River (A2)	292	3 hours 40 mins.
Beauty Point (A7)	49	50 minutes
Bicheno via Lake Leake (Direct Route - B34)	160	2 hours
Bicheno via Scottsdale (A3)	216	3 hours 10 mins.
Binalong Bay – Direct Route via (C401)	139	2 hours 30 mins.
Bridport – The North Coast (B82)	77	1 hour
Campbell Town (A1)	68	50 minutes
Coles Bay National Park via East Coast (A1)	254	3 hours 40 mins.
Coles Bay via Campbell Town (A1)	176	2 hours 15 mins.
Cradle Mountain National Park (C132)	149	2 hours 10 mins.
Deloraine (A1)	51	35 minutes
Devonport - Spirit of Tasmania Ferry (A1)	100	1 hour 10 mins.
George Town (A8)	50	40 minutes
Hobart - Midland Highway (Direct Route A1)	201	2 hours 20 mins.
Kettering – Ferry to Bruny Island (A1)	233	3 Hours 10 mins.
Miena – Great Lake (B51)	107	1 hour 20 mins.
Mole Creek - Caves & Thermal Pool (1 & B12) 74	1 hour
Oatlands (A1)	117	1 hour 30 mins.
Port Arthur – Historic Convict Site (A1 & A9)	250	3 hours 15 mins.
Richmond – Historic town (A1 & B31)	173	2 hours 10 mins.
Ross (A1)	80	1 hour 5 mins.
St. Helens via Scottsdale (A3)	160	2 hours 30 mins.
Stanley (A1)	224	2 hours 50 mins.
Strahan via Cradle Mountain Murchison Hwy /A	10 270	3 hours 30 mins.
Triabunna – Maria Island Ferry (Direct Route via (A1) & Lake Leake Highway	186 y)	2 hours 20 mins.

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