Cricket Tour of Sri Lanka
30 March to 14 April 2018
15 Nights

Tour Cost: $4,860.00 per person, based on twin share
$1,650.00  single room supplement

Cost includes return air fares from Australia, accommodation, sightseeing, cricket matches and most meals.
(Tour costs based on 25 people travelling)

“Come join us on this exciting Cricket tour to one of the most beautiful islands in the World. Whether it be sunshine, scenery, history, culture, shopping or cricket, Sri Lanka has something for everyone. From the golden sandy beaches and blue waters, to the greenery of lush vegetation, waterfalls, and the hilly tea country, it is a unique country to visit. The Sri Lankan people are proud of their country. Sri Lanka has a population in excess of 22 million on an island the size of Tasmania. I’m not adding any pictures, just to say the scenery and the colours are spectacular.
I have attended a wedding in Sri Lanka, some 7 years ago and more recently, our VOSCA tour in 2015, followed by a cricket VIP Executive tour in August 2016. Sri Lanka has become a country I will continue to return to!
I hope you will join me on our tour in March 2018”.
James Barrett (Bayside Over60s) Tour Leader
Day 1: 30 March
Depart Australia, arrival Colombo
We depart Australia at approximately 3.00pm on Malaysia Airlines. On arrival at Bandaranayke International Airport around 11.00pm, we will receive our first taste of warm Sri Lankan hospitality. A representative from Island Leisure Lanka will welcome us at the airport and transfer us to Negombo for our first two nights at the luxury Jetwing Beach Hotel.

Day 2: 31 March
At leisure in Negombo
Spend the day at leisure relaxing by the beach. Breakfast and dinner included. (HB)

Day 3: 01 April
Negombo to Sigiriya
Following a hearty breakfast we proceed to Sigiriya. En route we visit the Pinnawala Elephant Orphanage. Lunch at an outside restaurant in Pinnawala, then on to Sigiriya for 2 nights at the 4.5 star Aliya Resort & Spa. Dinner at the hotel. (HB)

Day 4: 02 April
1st 40 Over match at Welagedra Stadium Kurunagala
Breakfast at the hotel then we proceed to the ground to play our 1st match. A pre-packed lunch will be served at the venue. We then return to the hotel for dinner. (HB)

Day 5: 03 April
Sigiriya to Kandy
Breakfast at the hotel then we travel to Kandy. En route we visit the Temple of Sacred Tooth Relic, located in the royal palace complex of the former Kingdom of Kandy. Then onto the Amaya Hills Resort nestled on a hilltop overlooking the Hanthana mountain range. Wait until you see the crimson sunset!! Dinner at the hotel. (HB)

Day 6: 04 April
2nd 40 Over match at Asgiriya Cricket Stadium
Breakfast at the hotel then we proceed to the ground to play our 2nd match. A pre-packed lunch will be served at the venue. We then return to the hotel for dinner. (HB)

Day 7: 05 April
Kandy to Nuwara Eliya
Breakfast at the hotel then we take a scenic train journey through the Sri Lankan tea plantations to Nuwara Eliya (1868m). We spend two nights at the Grand Hotel. Dinner at the hotel. (HB)
Day 8: 06 April 3rd Over 40 match at Radella Cricket Ground
Following breakfast, we proceed to the ground to play our 3rd match. A pre-packed lunch will be served at the venue. We then return to the hotel for dinner. (HB)

Day 9: 07 April Nuwara Eliya to Yala
Following breakfast, we then travel to Yala. En route we visit the Kataragama Temple. Overnight we stay at the Cinnamon Wild Resort, located on the border of the Yala National Park. Watch out for the resident grey lemurs who might pay you a visit! Dinner at our hotel. (HB)

Day 10: 08 April Yala to Hikkaduwa
Following breakfast, we then take in a jeep safari at the Yala National Park where hopefully, you will see a variety of animals including leopards and elephants. We then proceed to Hikkaduwa for 3 nights at the Hikka Tranz by Cinnamon. A 5 star hotel located right on the beach. Dinner tonight at our hotel. (HB)

Day 11: 09 April 4th Over 40 match at the MCC Cricket Ground
Breakfast at the hotel then to the ground to play our 4th match. You’ll enjoy a buffet lunch and evening refreshments at the ground. We return to the hotel for dinner. (HB)

Day 12: 10 April At leisure in Hikkaduwa
It’s been a busy week! Breakfast at the hotel then spend a day by the pool, or experience some of adventures around the area – marine life expeditions, walking trails, scuba diving, etc. Dinner at the hotel. (HB)

Day 13: 11 April Hikkaduwa to Colombo
Breakfast at the hotel then an afternoon transfer to Colombo where we stay for 3 nights at the Kingsbury Hotel. (B)

Day 14: 12 April 5th Over 40 at a first class venue in Colombo
Breakfast at the hotel then we proceed to the ground to play our 5th match. A buffet lunch will be served at the venue. (B)

Day 15: 13 April At leisure in Colombo
Following breakfast, a full day to explore Colombo. Finale Dinner tonight. (HB)

Day 16: 14 April Colombo to Airport
Breakfast at the hotel, then a transfer to the airport for our flight home (B)

Day 17: 15 April Arrive home
We arrive home approx. 7.00pm after another wonderful cricket tour and holiday.
**HOTEL LIST:**

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**WHAT’S INCLUDED / NOT INCLUDED:**

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<td>Match Officials &amp; Fees for 5 cricket matches</td>
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**Note:**
All the above rates are inclusive of service charges and government taxes. All reservations subject to availability at time of booking. Please note the above rates are subject to change without notice upon government regulations. If in the case of any increases of government taxes, we will be compelled to charge the taxes.
**Tour payments:**

A 10% deposit is required at time of booking. The balance is payable by Friday, 19 January 2018.

A valid passport with 6 months validity by your return date is required. We can obtain a Sri Lankan visa for you, or you can obtain it online: www.eta.gov.lk
The current cost is US$35.00, per person.

**Note:**
The tour cost is calculated in US dollars, so we are reliant on currency fluctuations. We have allowed for some movement, however if our AUS dollar drops against the US dollar we may have to pass on this increase to you. Hopefully, it won’t happen. If the AUS dollar improves, you may even receive a discount!

**Travel Insurance:**
It’s most important that everyone who travels overseas is covered for travel insurance. We can provide cover for you, or you may already have cover through your health benefits provider, or credit card provider.

**Baggage:**
All passengers qualify for 30kg of check-in luggage, plus 6kg of hand luggage.

**Cancellations:**
Cancellations within 60 days of departure will result in loss of monies paid. Cancellations outside of 60 days prior to departure will result in a cancellation fee of $300 per person.

**Refunds:**
The tour is based upon arrangements which do not allow for refunds in respect of sightseeing, accommodation, meals, or other services not utilized after the tour has commenced.

**For booking:**
For a booking, contact Joel McGlynn on:
Mobile: 0414 810 156, or email: joel@vosca.org.au

**Bookings will be processed through:**
Helloworld Brighton, 7 / 75 Bay Street, Brighton 3186

Payments can be made by cheque, credit card – visa/mastercard – 2% fee. American Express – 3% fee.

Or by direct deposit: BSB No: 013 355 A/c No: 4996 03854