

# ESCORTED TOURS POOL MATCHES



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# **ESCORTED TOURS**



Follow your team - Australia Code: FYT19-AUS-T2



Matches : **4** Dates : 20 Sept - 30 Sept 2019 Duration : 10 nights, 11 days Location start : Sapporo Location end : Tokyo City inclusions : Sapporo, Kyoto, Tokyo



MATCHES INCLUDED						
Sat Sept 21	Australia v Fiji	Sapporo Dome	Sapporo City			
Sun Sept 22	England v Tonga	Sapporo Dome	Sapporo City			
Thu Sept 26	England v USA	Kobe Misaki Stadium	Kobe City			
Sun Sept 29	Australia v Wales	Tokyo Stadium	Tokyo Metropolitan			



## **TOUR OVERVIEW**

#### 3 nights in Sapporo

20/09/19 - Bus transfer to hotel for check in 21/09/19 - Sapporo Dome, Australia vs Fiji 22/09/19 - Sapporo Dome, England vs Tonga 23/09/19 - Flight from Sapporo to Kyoto

#### 4 nights in Kyoto

23/09/19 - Flight arrives into Kyoto. Bus transfer to hotel & check in 24/09/19 - Kyoto Tour 25/09/19 - Kyoto Tour 26/09/19 - Bus transfer to Kobe Misaki Stadium, England vs United States 27/09/19 - Depart Kyoto

#### 3 nights in Tokyo

27/09/19 - Fast train to Tokyo 28/09/19 - Tokyo Tour 29/09/19 - Tokyo Stadium, Australia vs Wales 30/09/19 - Depart Tokyo

## **TOUR DETAIL**

#### 20/09/19 - Welcome to Japan!

Your Japan adventure begins with arrival into Tokyo, where you will clear customs and immigration before connecting to your flight to Sapporo, where KSG staff will greet you and escort you to your hotel by bus. Hokkaido, northernmost of Japan's main islands, is renowned for its natural beauty and gastronomic delights, and you will have plenty of opportunities to take in the sights and flavours. You are free until the evening, and you might try Hokkaido's famous 'Genghis Khan' for dinner, cooking lamb and veggies on a huge domed grill set into your table, eating it all straight from the grill! You can try this at the Kirin Beer Garden. In the evening, join the other tour participants for celebratory Welcome Drinks to officially kick-off your tour.

Meals included: Breakfast, Evening Drinks.

#### 21/09/19 - Match Day: Australia v Fiji, Sapporo Dome, 13:45

Free morning for exploring! Ride the Sapporo Streetcar (shiden) for a leisurely glimpse of everyday life in Sapporo, stopping at the 'Tanuki-koji' covered-arcade shopping street, heart of the neighbourhood. A mid-day bus transfer takes you to ultra high-tech Sapporo Dome for the afternoon match. Explore the hovering soccer pitch, rooftop observatory, and indoor and outdoor artwork. Hungry? Try stadium food 'J-style' with takoyaki (balls of fried batter with octopus). We transfer you back to your hotel by bus following this and all matches. **Meals Included: Breakfast.** 

#### 22/09/19 - Match Day: England v Tonga, Sapporo Dome, 19:15

You're free all day for relaxed sightseeing until the evening match. Check out the Sapporo Autumn Fest, a sprawling food and beverage celebration at several hubs all along Odori Park. Just outside the hotel, take a walk though Nakajima Park, where you'll find a lake with rowboats for hire and a traditional Japanese garden complete with a vintage thatched-roof teahouse. **Meals included: Breakfast**.

#### 23/09/19 - Transfer to Kyoto

Your Kansai adventure begins with a flight to Kyoto, Japan's Old Capital. After check-in you're free to explore on your own. A walk east down Shijo-dori (4th Street) takes you through Kyoto's main shopping area to the Kamo River, where you can truly feel the essence of timeless Kyoto. Just over the river is



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super-shrine Yasaka Jinja, home of the gods honoured in the Gion Festival. Continue through the Shrine and exit into Maruyama Park, or turn back and head north up the river. **Meals included: Breakfast**.

#### 24/09/19 - Western Kyoto Tour

Explore western Kyoto today as we stop in at Kinkakuji, the 'Golden Pavilion,' then get your Zen on as you gaze at Japan's most famous rock garden at Ryoan-ji. Head out of the city to Arashiyama and visit Tenryu-ji, a sprawling Zen temple compound dating to 1339, with gorgeous gardens and teahouses. End your day in awe as you traverse paths cutting through towering bamboo in the dark and mysterious Arashiyama Bamboo Forest.

Meals included: Breakfast, Lunch.

#### 25/09/19 - Nara Tour

Today we visit nearby Nara, Japan's first permanent capital and cultural treasure chest. Meet the Great Buddha at Tōdai-ji temple, see hundreds of deer in Nara Park, and experience Kasuga Grand Shrine, protectorate of the Fujiwara Clan. More than 3,000 lanterns line the walk approaching the shrine, one for each of the 3,000 Kasuga shrines throughout the country. Like many Shintō shrines, Kasuga Grand Shrine is nestled in a sacred grove, and countless small wooden shrines and mossy, ancient stone lanterns dot the maze of paths through the forest. **Meals included: Breakfast, Lunch** 

#### 26/09/19 - Match Day: England v USA, Kobe Misaki Stadium, 19:45

Enjoy a free day and nibble your way through historic Nishiki Market, an open-air food extravaganza under an arcade of stained glass. Go early; it gets crowded by mid-day. See the Museum of Kyoto, housed in an old bank building, and catch up on the history of the city and the July Gion Festival. Peek in on the excellent, elegant coffee shop in what used to be the vault. Don't miss the International Manga Museum, and browse four floors of illustrated comics, definitely not just for kids! In between are teahouses, coffee shops and small cafes galore to keep you going before the evening match. Round trip to the picturesque harbour town of Kobe by chartered bus. Prepare your large luggage tonight for sending in advance, so you can travel tomorrow with your KSG provided carry-on case.

#### 27/09/19 - Transfer to Tokyo

In the morning we depart the hotel by bus to the world famous Shinkansen (Bullet Train), for our journey to Tokyo. 'Eki-ben' (nickname for obento

from different stations) are different all over the country, and eating a bento box lunch on the Bullet Train is a favourite activity in Japan. Relax like a native and take in the changing scenery as we zip along at speeds of nearly 300 km/hour! Your luggage will be waiting for you on arrival at your hotel. **Meals included: Breakfast, Lunch pack.** 

#### 28/09/19 - Mt. Fuji Tour

Fuji-san, as it is commonly known, is the highlight of the day. Japan's tallest peak and an active volcano, it is the beloved symbol of the nation and a sacred mountain. Travel by bus to Lake Kawaguchi, serene reflecting pool for Fuji-san, then meander around the Oshino Eight Ponds for views of Fuji-san as a backdrop for traditional, rural scenery. Meet up with ninjas at the Oshino Ninja Village then enjoy lunch prepared with local ingredients before heading up to Fuji-san's 5th station (out of 10). Return to Tokyo by bus in time for dinner on your own.

Meals included: Breakfast, Lunch.

#### 29/09/19 - Match Day: Australia v. Wales, Tokyo Stadium 16:45

You're free until the afternoon match, and this is a good time to visit the area surrounding historic Tokyo station if you haven't already. Or maybe take a boat tour along the Sumida River, or stroll through the upscale Ginza neighbourhood for shopping and traditional green tea in a modern setting. After the match we'll transfer by bus back to the hotel. Get your packing done early and head out to karaoke on your last night in Tokyo! **Meals included: Breakfast.** 

**30/09/19 - Today we say Sayonara** as your tour comes to a close. Our team will arrange your transfer to either Narita or Haneda airports. **Meals included: Breakfast.** 



# **TOUR INCLUSIONS**

- Four (4) x Match tickets listed in the tour
- KSG Tour Guide accompanying the entire tour
- Ten (10) nights' accommodation in three cities (Sapporo, Kyoto, Tokyo)
- Daily Breakfast
- Four (4) lunches
- Exclusive Welcome Drinks Reception
- Return airport transfers
- Transfers to and from all matches listed in the tour
- Mt Fuji full day tour
- Kyoto full day tour
- Luggage Transfers (Kyoto to Tokyo)
- 1 x Prepaid Data SIM card for 15 Days (200MB/day)
- Carry on Suitcase provided prior to your departure (worldwide delivery)
- Rugby World Cup 2019 Merchandise Pack
- Ticketing Lanyard
- Exclusive Travel Wallet

# **TOUR EXCLUSIONS**

- Meals and drinks where not stated
- Items of a personal nature
- Vaccination
- Passport and Visa costs

# **PRICES & HOTELS**

3 and 4 Star Planned Accommodation (or similar):

CITY	RATING	HOTEL	
Sapporo	3.5 Star	Hotel Keihan	
Kyoto	4 Star	Vessel Campana Kyoto Gojo	
Tokyo	3.5 Star	Sunshine City Prince Hotel	

CODE	STAR RATING	TICKETS INCLUDED	TWIN/DOUBLE	SINGLE
FYT19-AUS-T2	3 and 4 Star combination	C and D Category	AU\$7,221	AU\$9,269
			US\$5,199	US\$6,673
Upgrade Australian Games to C Category		Add AU\$386 per person Add US\$278 per person		
Upgrade Australian Games to B Category		Add AU\$789 per person Add US\$568 per person		
Upgrade Australian Games to A Category Hospitality		Upon Application		

# ESCORTED TOUR DISCOUNTS

#### **OFFER 1: EARLY BIRD SAVING**

\* Receive a 5% discount off your tour (excluding international flights and travel insurance)
\* We waive all merchant fees (currently an additional 2.5%) giving you up to 7.5% discount.

#### CONDITIONS

- \* Order your escorted tour by 30 June 2018
- \* Full payment is required on the day of booking.

#### **OFFER 2: MATES RATES**

\* Get a group of family and / or friends of 5 people or more.

\* Book the same escorted tour and get a further 2.5% discount off your tour (excluding international flights and travel insurance)

#### **OFFER 3: PAY BY THE MONTH**

Travel Insurance. All guests are required to have a

Group can offer competitive travel insurance prices.

travel insurance policy prior to travel. Kingdom Sports

\* Pay a tour deposit of AU\$1,000 / US\$750 per person and have automatic payments deducted from your credit card in 8 further monthly installments, we waive all merchant fees (currently an additional 2.5%)



# **Standard Payment Terms (no discounts)**

#### **BEFORE 01 Oct 2018**

- 20% non-refundable deposit of the total package price within 7 days of booking
- 40% due 01 Oct 2018
- Balance (& final) payment due 01 Feb 19.

#### FROM 02 Oct 2018 to 01 Feb 2019

- 60% non-refundable deposit of the total package cost within 7 days of booking
- Balance (& final) payment due 01 Feb 19.

#### FROM 02 Feb 2019

Full payment due upon confirmation of booking.

Payment via Mastercard, Visa, American Express attracts a +2.5% Merchant Fee. Payments via direct transfer do not include this merchant fee.



# **Important Comments:**



• Packages can be sold to clients (Corporate or General Public) with a valid address in Australia and worldwide excluding the defined territories of England, France, New Zealand, South Africa, Japan, and Argentina. If you reside in these 6 territories please refer to the Rugby World Cup website for more information. Clients in all other nations and territories are permitted to order with Kingdom Sports Group.

 Accommodation is subject to change and if changed will be based on the same category. In the event we change the hotel we will advise all tour participants in writing.

 A 3 and 4 Star combination can be any number of hotels in the 3 Star, 3.5 Star and 4 Star category.

• A 4 and 5 Star combination can be any number of hotels in the 4 Star, 4.5 Star and 5 Star category.

 A very limited amount of Double rooms are available in Japan. Most rooms in Japan are twin rooms. In the event we cannot offer a double room where required, if possible a Hollywood Twin will be provided.

 The Daily Schedule is subject to change due to weather, transport and any other unforeseen circumstances.

· Tickets must be purchased in conjunction with a tour or hotel package. Tours and package contents cannot be altered.

- Passport numbers and details are required at the time of booking.
- All guests are required to have a travel insurance policy prior to travel. Kingdom Sports Group can offer competitive travel insurance prices.
- No discounts can be applied to Official Hospitality.
- All tour information is correct as of 22nd December 2017.

• For full Kingdom Sports Group terms and conditions, please visit our website. www.kingdomsg.com/termsandconditions

