

The City is
alive with a
diverse range
of entertaining
options for
your delegates
and their
companions.

TREAT THE TASTEBUDS

For casual, al fresco dining visit Hardware Street, Degraes Street or Block Place, or sample the finest full service cuisine in the Southern Hemisphere at one of Melbourne's thousands of great restaurants.

SHOP IN STYLE

Melbourne City has shopping to suit every taste and style... from rare boutique stores in the elegant lanes and arcades to three major department stores. For something a little different, try the Queen Victoria Market for a world of good buys.



ROCK THE BOAT

Cruise in comfort on the scenic Yarra River. Board a cruise boat, water taxi or even a gondola. Spend an afternoon cycling along the banks of the Yarra River or the St Kilda beachfront.

A CITY IN GREEN

Enjoy the city's great outdoors... Discover the Aboriginal Heritage Walk in the Royal Botanic Gardens, or stroll through the many surrounding parks and gardens.

ON THE RIGHT PATH

Explore Melbourne's Golden Mile Heritage Trail, and discover the city's many other guided or self-guided walks, involving everything from ghosts of the past to a chocolate lover's heaven.

ALL THE ACTION

Keep an eye out for major international events, including the Qantas Formula One Grand Prix, Australian Open, and Melbourne International Flower and Garden Show. Melbourne hosts a hallmark event almost every month.

LIFE AFTER HOURS

Explore the bars, pubs and clubs, and revel in Melbourne's exotic nightlife where you can rage until the early hours.

IMPRESSIONS OF THE CITY

Browse the numerous art galleries and museums dotted throughout the City, and visit the modern National Gallery of Victoria or the Melbourne Museum for a look at the finest artworks in Australia.

FREE CITY CIRCLE TRAM

Trundle around town on the free City Circle Tram for a unique Melbourne perspective.

CARLTON

The flavour of Italy pervades this village just north of the City, boasting a charm and vibrant European atmosphere unmatched this side of the Mediterranean.

- Lygon Street is simply the best for Italian dining in Melbourne, lined with traditional trattorias offering the finest dishes with a festive ambience.
- Shopping in Carlton is not to be outdone, and the villages are brimming with bookshops and multicultural fashion emporiums.



FITZROY

The locals' zest for life and liberty is apparent everywhere in Fitzroy, where Bohemian chic and free spirit characterise the village lifestyle.

- Cafes and bars along Brunswick Street are ideal places to relax and watch the world go by.
- Shoppers will find the quirky, unusual and downright bizarre readily available in Fitzroy, along with a fine selection of contemporary fashions.

ST KILDA

Famous for its beautiful beachfront, St Kilda boasts many attributes beyond the sand and sea.

- Delicious fresh seafood dishes highlight the menus, but all kinds of wonderful cuisine are available at the many restaurants here, particularly on Acland and Fitzroy Streets.
- Luxuriate on the beach in between ice cream and a bicycle ride along the promenade.
- Visit Luna Park for a memorable range of traditional rides and entertainment.





SOUTH YARRA

Style and sophistication epitomise this hip village on the south side of the Yarra River. Trendy and upmarket, South Yarra is the place to be seen for Melbourne's elite.

- Boutiques, jewellers, tailors and exclusive homeware outlets highlight this elegant shopping district.
- Indulge in a rich latte or cappuccino at one of the many premium cafes on Chapel Street, Greville Street or Toorak Road.
- Contemporary, upscale restaurants throughout the area promise to pamper the palate.



RICHMOND

One of the City's earliest settlements, Richmond's ethnic diversity generates a melting pot of cultures and creative ideas appealing to locals and visitors.

- On Victoria Street, Little Saigon, with its exotic flavours and fresh foods, is as close to a true Vietnamese experience as you'll find in Australia.
- Bridge Road and Swan Street are bulging with factory outlets featuring the latest designer fashions at bargain prices.

WILLIAMSTOWN

Planted just across the bay from the City, Williamstown is a charming waterfront village providing a relaxing haven from the inner Melbourne lifestyle.

- Tour Port Phillip Bay on the Enterprize, an historic sailing vessel.
- Peruse the myriad of arts, crafts and antique stores along the Strand.
- Enjoy one of the best views of the City skyline from Williamstown's grand waterfront.

