

# King Island Tourism Inc - *Quick Guide*

## QUICK TIPS

Only Telstra "Next G" mobile phones work on the Island.

There is no Public Transport on the Island

It is strongly recommended that Airport Transfers or Rental Cars are arranged prior to arrival.

There is no Passenger ferry service at the present time.

King Island Airport is 8km from Currie, approx 30km from Grassy and Naracoopa.

Phone/Fax prefix = "03"

## AIRLINES & AGENTS

<b>Austrips (holiday packages)</b>	Devonport, Tasmania	1800 777 726	www.austrips.com.au
<b>King Island Airlines (hol.packages)</b>	Moorabbin, Vic & King Island	03 9580 3777/03 6462 1000	www.kingislandair.com.au
<b>Regional Express – REX</b>	Tullamarine, Victoria	13 17 13	www.rex.com.au
<b>Short Stop Tours (DC3 aircraft)</b>	Essendon Airport, Victoria	03 9379 9299	www.shortstop.com.au
<b>Tasair</b>	Devonport & King Island	03 6427 9777/03 6462 1070	www.tasair.com.au

## ACCOMMODATION

<b>Bass Cabins &amp; C'van Park</b>	<b>CURRIE</b>	Caroline or Dick	P: 6462 1168	2x2-br S/C cabins with priv bthr; on-site caravan, 1 camp-site, all with priv ament. block
<b>Blue Gates</b>	<b>CURRIE</b>	Dick Stansfield	Ph: 6462 1474	Rustic spacious and comfortable in a farmland setting with ocean views, 20min south of Currie
<b>Boomerang by the Sea</b>	<b>CURRIE</b>	Cheryl Kelly, Paul & Debbie Martin	P: 6462 1288 1800 221 288	Motel with restaurant, stunning sea views, overlooking golf links.
<b>Craypot Cottage</b>	<b>CURRIE</b>	Caroline	0429 621 180	Run by Caroline of Waterwitch & Devil's Gap. SC 1950's style cottage, 2 bedrooms
<b>Devils Gap Retreat &amp; Waterwitch</b>	<b>CURRIE</b>	Caroline Kininmonth	0429 621 180	2 self contained cottages overlooking the ocean with open fire.
<b>(The) Fisherman's Cottage at King Island</b>	<b>CURRIE</b>	Sally Carr	0417 335 995	2 bedroom, fully self contained cottage in centre of Currie. Walking distance to everything. Private.
<b>(The) George Cottage</b>	<b>CURRIE</b>	Merilyn Cox	0428 889 279	2br Cottage, walking distance to shops and restaurants.
<b>Green Ponds Guest House</b>	<b>CURRIE</b>	Sonia Louis	P: 6462 1543 0429 831 047	Double or single bedrooms – all facilities.
<b>Gullhaven Holiday Home</b>	<b>CURRIE</b>	Ricci & Steve Bishop	P: 6462 1560 F: 64 621453	Fully X/C 4 bedroom Holiday Home.
<b>King Island Gem</b>	<b>CURRIE</b>	Geraldine & John Davis	M: 0429 611 393 F: 6462 1563	10 Quality Motel Units, 3 x 3 Bedroom A-Frame S/C cottages
<b>"Sandy's" Unit</b>	<b>CURRIE</b>	Merilyn Cox	0428 889 279	2br Unit metres from Currie centre
<b>Shannon Coastal Cottages</b>	<b>CURRIE</b>	Denise & Ian	P/F: 6461 1074 0428 557 388	4 ½ Star, fully S/C 1 & 2 bedroom, spa; views of rugged coastline and harbour
<b>Bold Views - Grassy</b>	<b>GRASSY</b>	Roger and Liz	M: 0400 059 104	Grassy has ocean views, drive to beach. Min 2 nights. \$130pn couple + \$25 per extra adult
<b>King Island Holiday Village</b>	<b>GRASSY</b>	Ian Johnson	P: 1800 359 993 P: 6461 1177	Offers a range of self catering 1-3 bedroom villas
<b>Portside Links</b>	<b>GRASSY</b>	Marilyn & Ken Chapman	P: 6461 1134	2 luxury holiday units with full kitchen and living area. One romantically comfortable B&B.
<b>Baudins</b>	<b>NARACOOPA</b>	Lyall McDonald	P/F: 6461 1110	S/C cottages, restaurant, walk to beach
<b>Bold Views - Naracoopa</b>	<b>NARACOOPA</b>	Roger and Liz	M: 0400 059 104	SC, 3br hol house, stroll to beach-Naracoopa. Min 2 nights. \$130pn couple + \$20 per extra adult.
<b>(The) Flying Squirrel</b>	<b>NARACOOPA</b>	John & Ann Winter	P: 6461 1234	Quiet & secluded. Harbour view, 100 metres to beach, boat ramp & Jetty. 30 min from Currie
<b>Naracoopa Holiday Units</b>	<b>NARACOOPA</b>	John & Rhonda Nievaart	P: 6461 1326	2 private, well appointed, fully S/C cottages and separate games room with TV, DVD and stereo
<b>Rocky Glen Retreat</b>	<b>NARACOOPA</b>	Heidi Weitjens	P: 6461 1103 M: 041 606 1357	peaceful & romantic setting, Spectacular ocean views

## RESTAURANTS & EATERIES

<b>Baudins</b>	The Esplanade, Naracoopa	Lyall McDonald	P/F: 6461 1110	Tavern, licensed restaurant (reservations a must)
<b>Bert's Café</b>	The Esplanade, Naracoopa	Bert & Lorraine Nievaart	P: 6461 1458 M: 0429 646 210	Alfresco light meals, Devonshire teas. Open weekends & other days by arrangement.
<b>Boomerang by the Sea</b>	Currie	Cheryl Kelly, Paul & Debbie Martin	1800 221 288 P: 6462 1288	Fully licensed restaurant, breathtaking sea views
<b>Grassy Club</b>	Grassy	Allan	P: 6461 1341	Counter meals available
<b>Harbour Road Café</b>	Currie	Bill & Chrissy	P: 6462 1807	Fully licensed restaurant, seafood and King Island produce cuisine. Bookings appreciated.
<b>King Island Bakery</b>	Currie	Audrey & Wayne Hamer	P: 6462 1337	Daily 7am-5p.m. Eat in or T/A, KI gourmet pies and Shortbreads. Pizzas Friday from 5pm
<b>King Island Club &amp; Hoopers Restaurant</b>	Netherby Rd, Currie		P: 6462 1124	Open Fri/Sat nights. Hoopers Rest. bookings required. Bistro Mon-Sat 12-2pm & 6-8pm
<b>Kings Cuisine (Grassy Club)</b>	Grassy	Steve Russell	P: 6461 1003	Wed – Mon 6pm. Lunch Sat-Sun 12–2pm
<b>Nautilus Coffee Lounge "Down The Stairs"</b>	Currie	Shannon Cooper	P: 03 6462 1868	Open Mon, Wed, Thurs & Frid from 8.30am. Serving cooked breakfasts from 9.30am on Saturdays. Take away available. Delicious snacks/ meals and wonderful coffee and teas. Art & craft gallery.
<b>Rocky Glen Retreat Restaurant</b>	Naracoopa	Heidi Weitjens	P: 6461 1103 (bookings pref.)	Indulge in King Island Produce and more A-La-Carte style, fully licensed, ocean frontage

## CAR RENTAL & TAXI SERVICE

<b>P &amp; A Car Rentals</b>	Currie	Angela & Paul	P/F: 6462 1603	Mitsubishi 4cyl vehicles
<b>King Island Car Rentals</b>	Currie	Hank & Nadine	P: 6462 1282	Toyota Corolla, 8 seater wagon

## TOURS AND RECREATION

<b>Ayton Aviation</b>	Currie	Geoff Ayton	0408 5000 12 or 6462 1112	Charters and scenic flights
<b>FJ Rock 'n' Roll</b>	Currie	Peta & Dennis	6463 1147	Dance classes – groups and individuals
<b>King Island Coach Tours</b>		Geraldine & John	P: 6462 1138 M: 0429 611 393	Speciality tours and charters. Full and Half day tours, airport transfers, Penguin tours
<b>KI Discovery Tours</b>	Currie	Adrian & Anna	P: 6462 1118	Tailor made discovery tours
<b>KI Golf &amp; Bowling Club</b>	Currie		P: 6462 1126 F: 6462 1594	Bar overlooking the ocean, Golf, Bowls, Squash. Visitors welcome.
<b>Museum</b>	Currie			Open 2-4pm daily (closed July-August)

## RETAIL AND SERVICES

<b>Acupuncture</b>	Naracoopa	Anne Winter	P: 6461 1234	Chinese Medicine/Acupuncture
<b>Australia Post</b>	Main St, Currie		P: 6462 1792	Open Mon-Fri, 9 – 5pm
<b>Crown Consulting</b>	Main St, Currie		P: 6462 1835	Office of Mayor Charles Arnold
<b>Currie Newsagency</b>	Edward St, Currie		P: 6462 1490	
<b>EJ's Motors and Repairs</b>	Grassy		P: 6461 1113	Opening hours – Mon-Fri 10am-5pm, Sat 10am-4.30pm, Sun 11am-3.30pm
<b>Elders Ltd</b>	Meech St, Currie	Phil & Mandy	P: 6462 1566	Rural Store
<b>Grassy Harbour Gourmet Meats</b>	Grassy		P: 0428 817 990	
<b>Grassy Harbour S'market</b>	Grassy		P: 0428 817 990	
<b>Hairdresser: "Sundari"</b>	Edward St, Currie	Teegan Batey	P: 6462 1568	Environmentally friendly hair care
<b>King Island Airport Shop</b>	King Island Airport	Warrick Carr	P/F: 6462 1770	Open for all flights. Light refreshments. Local produce and souvenirs.
<b>King Island Cloud Juice</b>	Currie		P: 6462 1910	Pure rain water
<b>King Island Courier</b>	Currie	Kathleen Hunter	P: 6462 1422	Local newspaper
<b>King Island Council</b>	George St, Currie		P: 6462 1177	
<b>King Island Dairy</b>	North Rd, Currie		P: 6462 1348	Taste the range of world renowned cheeses at the Fromagerie Closed Saturday. Oct-Apr open 6 days 12.00-4.30pm. May-Sept open 5 days 12.00-4.30pm closed Wednesday.
<b>King Island Flowers</b>	Edward St, Currie	Denise Brewer	P: 6462 1447	
<b>King Island Foodworks</b>	Main St, Currie		P: 6462 1144	Open 7 days 8am- 6pm
<b>KI Golf &amp; Bowling Club</b>	Currie	Charlie Stubbs	P: 6462 1126	9 hole golf course, magic views, club hire available.
<b>King Island Honey</b>	PO Box 184, Currie	Sean Freeman	P: 6462 1873	Available from Airport Shop, supermarkets or sean.freeman@bigpond.com
<b>King Island IGA Everyday</b>	Main St, Currie		P: 6462 1851	Open 7 days 8am – 6pm
<b>King Island Motors</b>	Netherby Rd, Currie		P: 6462 1155	Service station, fuel, parts
<b>King Island Pharmacy</b>	Edward St, Currie		P: 6462 1395	Mon – Fri (closed for lunch)
<b>King Island Seafoods</b>	North Rd, Currie	Donna & Max	P: 6462 1774 0428 621 774	Essential to order crays,oysters, abalone one day in advance to ensure next day delivery/pick up.
<b>Lolita's Fashions</b>	Edward St, Currie		P: 6462 1276	
<b>Market Garden "Camp Creek Gardens"</b>	Charles St, Currie	Paul & Cynthia	0416 012 170	Tourist friendly market garden. Call to procure fresh King Island produce.
<b>Marriage Celebrant</b>		Anna De La Rue	P: 0439 394 794	Thinking of marriage or renewing your vows?
<b>Massage: Remedial &amp; Relax</b>		Michelle Atkinson	P: 6461 1067	Appointment only
<b>ONLINE ACCESS CENTRE - KIRDO</b>	5 George, St	Currie	P: 6462 1778	Open Mon 10.30am-5pm, Closed Tues, Wed 10.30am-7pm, Thu 10.30am-5pm, Fri 10.30am-9pm, Sat 10am-12noon
<b>Parks &amp; Wildlife</b>	Naracoopa	Nigel Burgess	P: 6461 1157	Ranger: Nigel Burgess & Shelly Davison
<b>Philbey's Mens &amp; Boyswear</b>	Main St, Currie		P: 6462 1711	
<b>Russell's Butchery</b>	Currie		P: 6462 1435	Quality King Island meat products
<b>Swift Aust (Southern) P/L</b>			P: 6462 1477	Abattoir (Was Tasman Group Services)
<b>SeaRoad Shipping</b>	Tasmania		P: 6420 4401	Cargo, vehicles, etc. KI Agency: Jim McKenzie
	Victoria		P: 9681 9466	Agencies 6462 1415
<b>The Trend</b>	Edward St, Currie	Ingrid Williams	PH 6462 1360	Tourist info, fishing bait & tackle (open weekends)
<b>Westpac</b>	Currie		P: 6462 1399	ATM available Cnr Main & Edward
<b>Wool &amp; Handcraft Centre</b>	Main St, Currie		P/F: 6462 1580	Craft material, wool, all sewing needs

## ARTS & CRAFT

<b>Kelp Craft</b>	Grassy		P: 6461 1464	Unique craft made from our KI kelp
<b>King Island Cultural Centre</b>	Wharf Rd, Currie	Sally Marsden	P: 6462 1924	Displaying local art and crafts
<b>King Island Naturals @ the Nautilus Coffee Lounge</b>	Edward St, Currie	Judy Cooper	P: 6462 1451	Home cooked fare, great coffee and teas.
<b>The Pottery</b>	Wharf Rd, Currie	Caroline Kininmonth	P: 6462 1180	Specialising in KI woolen garments Workshop and Pepper purchases

## FISHING & TOURIST INFORMATION

<b>Kelp Industries</b>	Netherby Rd, Currie		P: 6462 1340	Information centre and processing plant
<b>TG &amp; DJ Perry</b>	Main St, Currie	Terry	P: 6462 1182	Fishing gear, electrical goods, gifts & toys
<b>The Trend</b>	Edward St, Currie	Ingrid Williams	P: 6462 1360	Bait & tackle, petrol, souvenirs.

## REAL ESTATE

<b>Harcourts (KI Real Estate)</b>	Edward St, Currie	Dick Stansfield	P: 6462 1474	Dick Stansfield, Nikki Wilson
<b>Elders Real Estate</b>	Meech St, Currie	Dave Bowling	0427 631 104	Dave Bowling
<b>Roberts Real Estate</b>		Garry Sutton	0427 605 357	Garry Sutton

For updates to the Quick Guide, or membership information contact:

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