



Information Sheet - Darwin

The Vorgee Northern Territory Open and Age 2009 is scheduled for Thursday 5th to 8th of March 2009 and will be held at the Casuarina Swimming Pool. The Casuarina Swimming Pool is an outdoor facility with a 50m, 8 lane competition pool. It is located in the Northern Suburbs of Darwin approximately 5 mins walking distance to our major shopping centre and 15 mins drive from Darwin CBD and is easily accessed by car and public transport.

The following information has been compiled to provide some basic information about Darwin.

Flights to the Northern Territory

Qantas

[Qantas](#) operates regular flights into Alice Springs and Darwin from Sydney, Melbourne, Brisbane, Adelaide, Perth and Cairns. In addition Qantas offers daily flights within the Northern Territory, connecting Darwin, Alice Springs and Yulara.

Regional Link

[Regional Link](#) is a newly formed division of the NT aviation services company Capiteq Limited, whose other airline subsidiary is Airnorth. Regional Link offers numerous flights into Darwin from regional areas including Broome, Kununurra, Gove, Groote Eylandt, Granites, Maningrida and McArthur River. Regional Link also operates on flight a week from Perth via Kununurra.

Jetstar

Qantas's budget airline [Jetstar](#) operates low-cost services direct to Darwin from Melbourne, Adelaide, Brisbane and Cairns.

Virgin Blue

[Virgin Blue](#) is a budget airline providing daily services to Darwin from Brisbane and three flights a week from Melbourne. The company flies to all Australian States and Territories, New Zealand and select Pacific islands.

Skywest

[Skywest](#) is the major regional airline in Western Australia, providing an essential link for regional communities, tourists and businesses. They operate three flights a week from Perth to Darwin via Broome.

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Climate

Mar - Apr

Min average temperature - 24C (75F)

Max average temperature - 32C (90F)

Water

In the Northern Territory's climate, it is important to consume adequate amounts of water to prevent dehydration. People should drink at least two litres of water each day.

Clothing

In the tropical areas like Darwin, Kakadu and Katherine, the weather is always warm, so lightweight summer clothing like shorts, t-shirts and sandals are worn year-round. Sturdy shoes and long-sleeved shirts and trousers should be packed for time in the sun or in the bush.

Public Transport

Darwin has a scheduled bus service that connects the cities with outer areas. Taxis and private hire cars, coaches and limousines can also be booked here

Accommodation



Botanic Gardens Apartments

★★★★

AUD \$129.00 to \$395.00

Situated on Gardens Hill with magnificent views over the Botanic Gardens to the Arafura Sea, Botanic Gardens Apartments offer quality accommodation centrally located in tranquil surroundings. PH: 08 89460300



City Gardens Apartments

★★★★

AUD \$130.00 to \$250.00

City Gardens Apartments is an established holiday complex located in the centre of Darwin. Surrounded by tropical gardens, City Gardens Apartments offers a choice of accommodation ideal for an extended stay. PH: 1800891138.



Coconut Grove Holiday Apartments

★★★★

AUD \$102.00 to \$195.00

Coconut Grove Holiday Apartments offer 35 self contained apartments set amid lush tropical ferns and palms. All rooms are serviced weekly, or a more frequent service is available at an additional fee. PH: 08 89850500

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Cullen Bay Holiday Apartments

★★★★ AUD \$140.00 to \$295.00

Cullen Bay Serviced Apartments are located between the picturesque Cullen Bay Marina and SKYCITY Casino, providing spectacular views of Darwin city, the harbour and the marina.

PH: 1800625 533



Free Spirit Resort Darwin

★★★★ AUD \$28.00 to \$340.00

Set on 28 acres of lush tropical gardens, Free Spirit Resort Darwin is located just 15 minutes from Darwin city on the Stuart Highway, and is an independent member of BIG 4 Holiday Parks.

PH: 08 89350888.



Parap Village Apartments

★★★★ AUD \$190.00 to \$280.00

Parap Village Apartments are located just 10 minutes from Darwin Airport and only 5 minutes from Darwin City. The fully self contained apartments are perfect for business or pleasure.

PH: 1800620913



Peninsular Apartments

★★★★ AUD \$120.00 to \$220.00

The Peninsular Apartments have a great location, being only a 10 minute walk from the Darwin city centre. Offering self contained studio and family apartments, which are serviced daily.

PH: 89811922



Travelodge Mirambeena Resort Darwin

★★★★ AUD \$119.00 to \$231.00

Travelodge Mirambeena Resort Darwin is an oasis set in tropical gardens. With two large lagoon style swimming pools with spas and waterfalls, a wading pool and a fitness room, there is plenty to keep everyone occupied.

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