



2019 NORTH AMERICA  
**TOUR**

NORTH  
CAROLINA  
& LA

FEATURING SHOOT 360 &  
ACCELERATE BASKETBALL CAMP



**HORIZONS**  
**GROUP TRAVEL**

## YOUR ITINERARY

Please note that the below itinerary should be used as a guide and is subject to availability at the time of booking. Please feel free to suggest changes so we can tailor it to suit your group's needs.

### DAY 1 | MONDAY DECEMBER 2<sup>nd</sup> 2019, SUNSHINE COAST

Fly from Brisbane to Charlotte  
Transfer from airport to accommodation.  
Rest of day at leisure

**Accommodation:** Hampton Inn or Similar

**Meals Included:** In-flight meals

**Transport:** Flight, Airport transfer

### DAY 2 | TUESDAY DECEMBER 3<sup>rd</sup> 2019, CHARLOTTE, NC

Morning shoot around session  
Afternoon training camp at Accelerate Basketball, training base of Steph Curry, learning some of the skills and drills that have made him the best player in the world.

**Accommodation:** Hampton Inn or Similar

**Meals:** Breakfast

**Transport:** 15-Seater Self Drive Vehicles

**Activities:** Accelerate Basketball Training Camp

### DAY 3 | WEDNESDAY DECEMBER 4<sup>th</sup> 2019, CHARLOTTE, NC

Participate in a High School basketball tournament, competing against local High School teams

**Accommodation:** Hampton Inn or Similar

**Meals:** Breakfast

**Transport:** 15-Seater Self Drive Vehicles

**Activities:** Tournament Game

### DAY 4 | THURSDAY DECEMBER 5<sup>th</sup> 2019, CHARLOTTE, NC

Day 2 of the High School Tournament

**Accommodation:** Hampton Inn or Similar

**Meals:** Breakfast

**Transport:** 15-Seater Self Drive Vehicles

**Activities:** Tournament Game

### DAY 5 | FRIDAY DECEMBER 6<sup>th</sup> 2019, CHARLOTTE, NC

Final Day of your High School Tournament

**Accommodation:** Hampton Inn or Similar

**Meals:** Breakfast

**Transport:** 15-Seater Self Drive Vehicles

**Activities:** Tournament Game

DAY 6 | SATURDAY DECEMBER 7<sup>th</sup> 2019, WINSTON SALEM, NC

Travel to Winston Salem  
Visit Wake Forest University, home of the Demon Deacons.  
Attend a College Basketball Game and welcome the New Year

**Accommodation:** Hampton Inn or Similar

**Meals:** Breakfast

**Transport:** 15-Seater Self Drive Vehicles

**Activities:** College Basketball Game

DAY 7 | SUNDAY DECEMBER 8<sup>th</sup> 2019, WINSTON SALEM, NC

Visit Hanes Mall, with over 200 stores.  
Evening game against local high school.

**Accommodation:** Hampton Inn or Similar

**Meals:** Breakfast

**Transport:** 15-Seater Self Drive Vehicles

**Activities:** Game against local school

DAY 8 | MONDAY DECEMBER 9<sup>th</sup> 2019, RALEIGH, NC

Travel to Raleigh.  
Visit North Carolina State University, home of the Wolfpack.  
Evening game against local high school

**Accommodation:** Hampton Inn or Similar

**Meals:** Breakfast

**Transport:** 15-Seater Self Drive Vehicles

**Activities:** Game against local school

DAY 9 | TUESDAY DECEMBER 10<sup>th</sup> 2019, RALEIGH, NC

Visit the University of North Carolina, home of the Tar Heels and Michael Jordan's university.  
You will have a chance to visit the merchandise store to stock up on gear.

**Accommodation:** Hampton Inn or Similar

**Meals:** Breakfast

**Transport:** 15-Seater Self Drive Vehicles

**Activities:** Game against local opposition

DAY 10 | WEDNESDAY DECEMBER 11<sup>th</sup> 2019, RICHMOND, VA

Travel across the border to Richmond where you will play a game against a local high school.

**Accommodation:** Hampton Inn or Similar

**Meals:** Breakfast

**Transport:** 15-Seater Self Drive Vehicles

**Activities:** Game against local opposition

**DAY 11 | THURSDAY DECEMBER 12<sup>th</sup> 2019, RICHMOND, VA**

Visit the University of Richmond and explore the town.

**Accommodation:** Hampton Inn or Similar

**Transport:** 15-Seater Self Drive Vehicles

**Meals:** Breakfast

**DAY 12 | FRIDAY DECEMBER 13<sup>th</sup> 2019, RALEIGH, NC**

Travel to Raleigh, with a game against local opposition.

**Accommodation:** Hampton Inn or Similar

**Meals:** Breakfast

**Transport:** 15-Seater Self Drive Vehicles

**Activities:** Game against local opposition

**DAY 13 | SATURDAY DECEMBER 14<sup>th</sup> 2019, RALEIGH, NC**

Visit Duke University, home of Coach K's Blue Devils. You will have a chance to visit the merchandise store to stock up on gear.

**Accommodation:** Hampton Inn or Similar

**Meals:** Breakfast

**Transport:** 15-Seater Self Drive Vehicles

**Activities:** Game against local opposition

**DAY 14 | SUNDAY DECEMBER 15<sup>th</sup> 2019, CHARLOTTE, NC**

Travel to Charlotte and take in a Hornets game and subject to availability sit courtside to watch pregame shoot around.

**Accommodation:** Hampton Inn or Similar

**Meals:** Breakfast

**Transport:** 15-Seater Self Drive Vehicles

**Activities:** NBA Game

**DAY 15 | MONDAY DECEMBER 16<sup>th</sup> 2019, LOS ANGELES, CA**

Depart North Carolina for Los Angeles, on arrival visit Hollywood Walk of Fame before transferring to accommodation at Anaheim.

**Accommodation:** Hampton Inn or Similar

**Meals:** Breakfast

**Transport:** 15-Seater Self Drive Vehicles

**Activities:** Hollywood Walk of Fame

**DAY 16 | TUESDAY DECEMBER 17<sup>th</sup> 2019, LOS ANGELES, CA**

Full day of taking in the sites at Disneyland and California Adventure Park

**Accommodation:** Hampton Inn or Similar

**Meals:** Breakfast

**Activities:** Disneyland and California Adventure Park Hopper Pass

DAY 17 | WEDNESDAY DECEMBER 18<sup>th</sup> 2019, LOS ANGELES, CA

Morning Skills Session at Shoot 360  
Entry to Universal Studios

**Accommodation:** Hampton Inn or Similar

**Meals:** Breakfast

**Transport:** Coach Transport

**Activities:** Shoot 360 and Universal Studios

DAY 18 | THURSDAY DECEMBER 19<sup>th</sup> 2019, LOS ANGELES, CA

No better way to finish off your trip with a walk down Hollywood Boulevard followed by a visit to the famous Santa Monica Pier. Finished with shooting hoops on the Venice Beach Courts before making your way to LAX for your late-night departure.

**Accommodation:** In Transit

**Meals:** Breakfast

**Activities:** Hollywood Blvd, Santa Monica Pier, Venice Beach

DAY 19 | FRIDAY DECEMBER 20<sup>th</sup> 2019, IN TRANSIT

**Accommodation:** In Transit

**Meals:** In Flight Meals

**Transport:** Flight

DAY 20 | SATURDAY DECEMBER 21<sup>st</sup> 2019, BRISBANE

Arrive home in Brisbane

**Accommodation:** In Transit

**Meals:** In Flight Meals

**Transport:** Flight

## COSTS

Passengers	Price (pp) - Players	Price (pp) – Players, Guests, Supporters & Family	SINGLE Supplement
Based on 10 paying participants and 2 staff	\$7960	\$7950	\$1345
Based on 16 paying participants and 3 staff	\$7560	\$7125	\$1345

### Cost Includes:

- **International Return Airfares** as per itinerary departing from Melbourne – **Includes All Airline Taxes**
- **17 Nights** of accommodation based on sharing twin rooms (two players or guests of the same gender sharing a room with two beds). Coaching Staff to have Single rooms. A single supplement is available for those preferring a private room.
- **Breakfast** will be included with all Hotel Accommodation
- **Ground Transport:** 15-Seater Self Drive Vehicles
- **Excellent Basketball Competition experiences throughout the tour**
- **Sightseeing** opportunities throughout the tour
- **Entry to Disneyland & California Adventure Park on a 1 Day Park Hopper Pass**
- **Entry to Universal Studios**
- **1 x NBA Game**
- **1 x College Game**
- **Accelerate Basketball Academy-** 1 Day Basketball Camp.
- **Shoot 360** – 2 Hour Skills Session
- **Gifts to Exchange** with opposition before each game
- **Basketball Sanctioning** between Australia & United States of America
- **Series of Newsletters** to assist the group to prepare for their USA Tour
- **Administration, Planning and Coordination** of all details. A complete and detailed itinerary will be updated regularly until departure.
- **\$500 AUD – Gas Fuel Allowance**

### Cost Excludes:

- **Passport & Visa** requirements.
- **Fuel, Tolls & Parking for self-drive vehicles**
- **Comprehensive travel insurance** – available at a discount price through Horizons.
- **Entry fees to attractions not listed above.**
- **Spending money and other incidentals.**
- **Gratuities for drivers and guides.**
- **Meals not listed above**

## HOW TO BOOK

### 1. Submit a booking form for each person travelling.

Please proceed to the below link to complete your Tour Booking. Horizons collect all passenger data via our encrypted online booking form. [https://horizonstours.formstack.com/forms/full\\_details](https://horizonstours.formstack.com/forms/full_details)

*A form must be completed for your position on the tour to be confirmed.*

### 2. Pay deposit.

A position on this tour is only secured upon your provision and our receipt of a tour deposit in Australian dollars. The exact amount and due date of this deposit varies according to your group – refer to the Payment Form for details.

### 3. Passport

Horizons require a copy of your passport to ensure all details are completely accurate for airline tickets. If the name of the passenger is different on the airline ticket, to that of the passport, the passenger will not be able to board the flight.

If you need to get a passport issued or renewed, we suggest you do this immediately. Previous tour participants have had to wait considerable time for their passports even without complications. If your passport is not available, then please send Horizons a copy of the passenger's birth certificate, which should contain the correct name as per the passport. Passports are still required as soon as it becomes available in order to complete ticketing.

For further information on passports you can log on to the Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade passport website at [www.passports.gov.au](http://www.passports.gov.au), or you can get an application form from most Australia Post branches.

### 4. Travel Insurance

Travel Insurance is compulsory and it is recommended a policy be taken out as soon as possible, which enables you to make a claim for any unforeseen events.

Horizons recommend CHI Travel Insurance (underwritten by Allianz). Dissimilar to some other providers, CHI offers a comprehensive policy that covers amateur sport participation overseas. In addition, a 10% discount applies to all Horizons customers who take out a CHI travel insurance policy. For more information or to apply [CLICK HERE](#) or visit [www.horizons-sport.com.au](http://www.horizons-sport.com.au)

Just choose your Destination, Dates and level of cover, but be sure to read the PDS.

Important:

For those choosing an alternative Travel Insurance provider, please advise us of your Insurance Company and policy number via email to - [enquiry@horizons-sport.com.au](mailto:enquiry@horizons-sport.com.au). *Please ensure the insured's name and Touring Group is included.*

## OVERSEAS JUNIOR TOUR RULES

Horizons Sporting Events aims to provide a professional and enjoyable experience for every individual on our basketball tours. For this to occur, there are several rules that need to be applied.

Our previous groups from Australia have been excellent ambassadors for their country, so we expect few problems to arise. However, it is necessary to advise of these rules in advance.

### General

- Disruptive behaviour will not be tolerated at any stage of the tour – both on and off the court.
- Tour Managers are instructed to be firm but fair to all members in the touring party and report any problems back to family and the respective basketball offices in Australia.
- Tour Managers will decide on the course of action if any disruptive behaviour occurs. This may range from game suspensions and notification of parents back in Australia, through to being flown home on the next available flight.

### Tour Management

- The Tour Managers are responsible for all decisions involving the group. These decisions will be final and made in the best interests and safety of the group.
- Juniors will be required to stay with the group at all times. They will not be permitted to “wander off”. At any location, juniors will be required to be with another member of the touring party at all times.

### Visiting Family and Friends on Tour

Your parent or guardian must provide written approval to Horizons Sporting Events before leaving Australia, stating who, where and when you will be with a family or friend overseas. We encourage our group members to meet with overseas family and friends on tour and invite them to join our group at a game or a group dinner.

### Games

- The Team Coaches are responsible for all basketball decisions involving the group or teams at each competition or training venue.
- Where possible, we encourage group support for each of our competing teams.
- All tour members are required to wear the tour clothing at the competition venues. It is important that we conduct ourselves in a professional and sportsmanlike manner at all competition venues.

**Meeting Times** - There are numerous advantages for travelling with a group to an overseas destination. However, we do not want to waste time waiting for the final person to arrive for any meeting or gathering. Therefore, the following rules will apply:

- Juniors that are late for a group meeting time will be penalized “triple time”. For example, if a junior is 10 minutes late for a meeting time they will be required to perform duties for 30 minutes. These duties may include washing uniforms, cleaning the team bus or other tasks that benefit the group.

### The Law

- If you break the law, be prepared to be flown home on the next available flight.
- Players or guests under the age of 21 are not to consume alcohol under any circumstances.

### Lost Items

- Report any loss of item to the Tour Managers immediately.
- Any loss whilst on tour needs to be reported within 24 hours to the police to allow you to claim on travel insurance.



## TERMS AND CONDITIONS

Please read the booking terms and conditions outlined herein as they apply to the services that Horizons provides in the planning, handling and operation of tours. These terms and conditions are deemed to be accepted by the responsible party upon receipt of a booking form and/or payment of the initial deposit.

### PACKAGE PRICES

The quoted amounts outlined in the package are in Australian dollars unless stated otherwise. The quoted price takes into account a minimum number of paying participants, should the minimum number of participants not be met a requote will be necessary. Upon receipt of a deposit the tour price will remain unchanged regardless of changes in currency exchange rates, fuel prices and taxes. Costs are subject to the group travelling together, any variation will incur an amendment fee. No refund will be made for any unused services included in the tour price, including for individuals who choose to join the tour late or depart early. Due to group airfare terms and conditions no refunds or discounts can be offered for participants choosing not to use their return international flight.

### TOUR CANCELLATIONS

Tour cancellations made by member(s) of the touring party must be in writing to Horizons prior to the tour commencement. Your cancellation will be effected from the day Horizons acknowledges receipt of your cancellation notice. The table below outlines the scale of charges for cancellations:

<b>Days of Notice Prior to Tour Commencement</b>	<b>Cancellation Charge</b>
Prior to 150 days before your tour	Loss of Deposit
150-61 days before your tour	50% of total Tour Price Charged
60-15 days before your tour	75% of total Tour Price Charges
14 days or less before your tour	100%

### CANCELLATION CONDITIONS

Upon tour commencement, no refunds will be provided including any unused portion of the tour. Any supplier cancellation fees levied will be in addition to the above. All cancellations will take up to 10 weeks to be processed. The cancellation policy will be strictly adhered to and any appeals will need to be in writing to the Managing Director. If the reason for your cancellations is covered under the terms of your insurance policy, you may be able to claim these charges from your insurance company.

### CANCELLATION BY HORIZONS

Horizons reserve the right to cancel a tour if the minimum required number of participants is not met. In the event that Horizons should have to cancel a tour, all deposits and instalments will be refunded.

### HORIZONS RESPONSIBILITY

Horizons takes all reasonable steps and accepts reasonable responsibility for ensuring the tour is supplied as described in the daily planner issued prior to tour commencement. If unforeseen circumstances or conditions beyond Horizons control necessitate changes, Horizons reserve the right to amend itineraries and substitute the best available alternative. Horizons acts only as agents for contractors providing accommodation, transportation or other services and all contracts issued by Horizons are subject to the tariffs, terms and conditions under which services are provided. Horizons shall not be deemed liable for death or injury to any person or loss or damage to any property arising from these services or any circumstances beyond Horizons control and amounting to 'force majeure' including but not limited to war or threat of war, riot, epidemic, strikes, terrorist activity, natural or nuclear disaster and adverse weather conditions.

### TRAVEL INSURANCE

Travel insurance is compulsory and is the individual responsibility of all tour members. It is recommended that any policy be taken out as soon as possible to cover any unlikely events. Horizons have a recommended travel insurance provider and can arrange for a group discount on their policy. All tour members must notify Horizons of their Travel Insurance Provider details and policy number prior to tour commencement

### PASSPORTS, VISAS

All tour members or their guardians are responsible for ensuring the participant(s) have the appropriate travel documentation including passports, Visas (if required) and any insurance documentation. Please allow at least 12 weeks to obtain this

documentation. All tour participants agree to provide Horizons with one photocopy of the 'picture page' of their passport as soon as possible after booking. If the copy of the passport is not provided or if the information provided is incorrect, the tour participant will be responsible for all air ticket change fees

#### CONDUCT

Damages or losses incurred by a traveller will be the sole responsibility of the individual member(s) and/or the group. No refunds will be made, and no expenses will be incurred by Horizons should a tour manager decide to terminate a participant's involvement in the tour for misdemeanour or misconduct.

#### TOUR PARTICIPANT/GUARDIAN RESPONSIBILITY

As a tour participant or guardian of a tour participant, it is your responsibility to:

- Complete and sign the Booking Form and ensure that all information you give to Horizons and have received from Horizons is accurate.
- Inform Horizons of any changes to your booking immediately.
- Ensure that your passport, travel insurance and all Visa requirements are met.
- Ensure that you behave in a responsible and reasonable manner and adhere to local laws and regulations.

#### ACCOMMODATION

Unless otherwise stated in the proposal all accommodation is based on shared accommodation, should tour numbers or gender ratios require a single room or rooms a single supplement will be levied. Should gender breakdowns or requests require a single room or rooms a single supplement will be charged.

#### SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS

Please notify Horizons prior to payment of your deposit, if you have any special needs or requirements including physical, dietary or any other.

#### DESTINATION PARTICIPANT INFORMATION

Horizons make no representation as to the safety, conditions or other issues that may exist at a destination. International travel advice can be obtained from the Australian Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade ([www.smarttraveller.gov.au](http://www.smarttraveller.gov.au)).

#### COMPLAINTS

Should you wish to make a complaint in relation to a tour please:

1. Notify the tour manager so action can be taken immediately
2. If the problem(s) cannot be resolved, please submit a letter of complaint within 28 days of your return to Horizons Sporting Events & Education Tours, PO Box 408, Sydney Markets NSW 219

Horizons will thoroughly investigate any complaints and report back to the correspondent. Please feel free to contact us if you would like clarification of any of our booking terms and conditions

#### TRAVEL DOCUMENTS

Travel documentation including airline tickets and final itinerary will be available 2-3 weeks prior to departure, providing full payment has been received by the due date.