Introduction

Welcome to Melbourne, The City of the Bay and Two Rivers the Yarra and lesser known the

MARIBYRNONG

Discovered by Lt. Robbins and Charles Grimes in 1803.

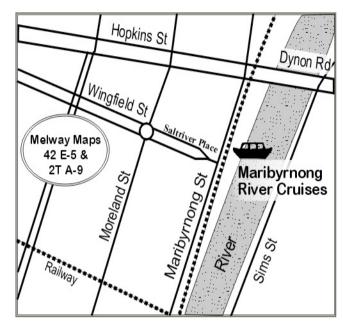
Settled by groups led by J. P. Fawkner and J. Batman in 1835.

NOW YOU CAN DISCOVER IT!

On board the BLACKBIRD a traditional ferry of Lakes Entrance fame. Enjoy views of Natural, Recreational, Commercial and Residential Developments along the Maribyrnong River from Footscray to Avondale Heights.

The Koories enjoyed it!
The Industrialist abused it.
and now
You can cruise it.

DON'T BE SOLEMN CHECK THE COLUMNS



We are located four & half kilometres from the central business district of Melbourne, in the Western suburb of Footscray.

OFFICE OPENS 9AM - 5PM

Closed Good Friday & Christmas Day

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Welcome To

Blackbird



Cruises

We strive for your pleasure and leisure while cruising on Melbourne's No. 1 river -

THE MARIBYRNONG

Established 1979.
A Father and Son Operation

40 years services on Melbourne's waterways.

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Maribyrnong River

Fare: Adults **\$30.00** Child **\$10.00**

Operates : Tues, Thurs, Sat & Sun. But not in the month of July.

WHEN VESSEL IS NOT ON CHARTERS

1pm for Two (2) hours.

If you wish to slow down fast.

This is the cruise for you.

Enjoy the riverside scenery,
an interesting commentary
on the otherside of town.

HIGHLIGHTS:

Heavenly Queen Temple. Footscray Park.
Flemington Racecourse. Victoria University.
Housing estates. Rowing & Canoe Clubs.
Edgewater lake. Riverside Golf Course.
Melbourne's Living Museum of the West &
Pipemakers Park. Highpoint Shopping Centre.
Sporting Venues. Angler Tavern.
Essendon Boulevard. Riverside park.
Wetlands. The Old Sandpits.
Riverview Tea garden. Canning Street reserve.

WEB SITE.

www.blackbirdcruises.com.au

Port of Melbourne

Fare : Adults **\$15.00** Child **\$10.00**

Operates : Tues, Thurs, Sat & Sun. But not in the month of July.

WHEN VESSEL IS NOT ON CHARTERS

4pm for One (1) hours.

This cruise brings in to view the largest container port in the Southern Hemisphere, a section of Melbourne which has remained largely hidden from the city's inhabitants and visitors.

HIGHLIGHTS:

Coode Island. Yarraville Wharfs.
Swanson Dock. South Wharfs.
Appleton Dock. Holden Dock.
Westgate Bridge. Victoria Harbour.
Dockland Development. Bolte Bridge.
Melbourne Skyline.

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Available for Charters

Prices on Application Maximum Passengers: 30

Suburban Buses

No.216 City - Sunshine Station. Via Dynon Rd. to the Maribyrnong River.

No.220 City - Sunshine Station. Via Footscray Rd. to the Maribyrnong River.

> No.402 Footscray to East Melbourne. Via Dynon Rd. to the Maribyrnong River.

Suburban Trains

Watergardens or Sunbury & Werribee or Williamstown to Footscray Railway Station.

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