

HORSE-DRAWN-TRAM FACTS

- The daily Horse Drawn Tram service is the only all-year operation of its kind in the world.
- The tram travels across the 630 metre causeway throughout the day taking passengers to picturesque Granite Island.
- The current trams were built in 1986, based on the original tram design but extended by two windows to give extra headroom.
- When the Horses are not working, they graze on pasture on the banks of the Inman River, 4km inland.
- A working Clydesdale weighs 800 - 1000kg, but only needs to place 80kg of weight to start the tram rolling and occasional 15 kg tugs to keep it rolling.
- The trams weigh 4¾ tonnes tare and 8½ tonnes fully loaded carrying approximately 40 people. They use roller bearings to minimize rolling effort.
- The Tramway originally commenced carrying passengers from Victor Harbor to Granite Island in 1894 by the South Australia Railways and ran until 1954. After being tractorised, it was relaunched in 1986 as part of the South Australian state's 150th anniversary of settlement jubilee.



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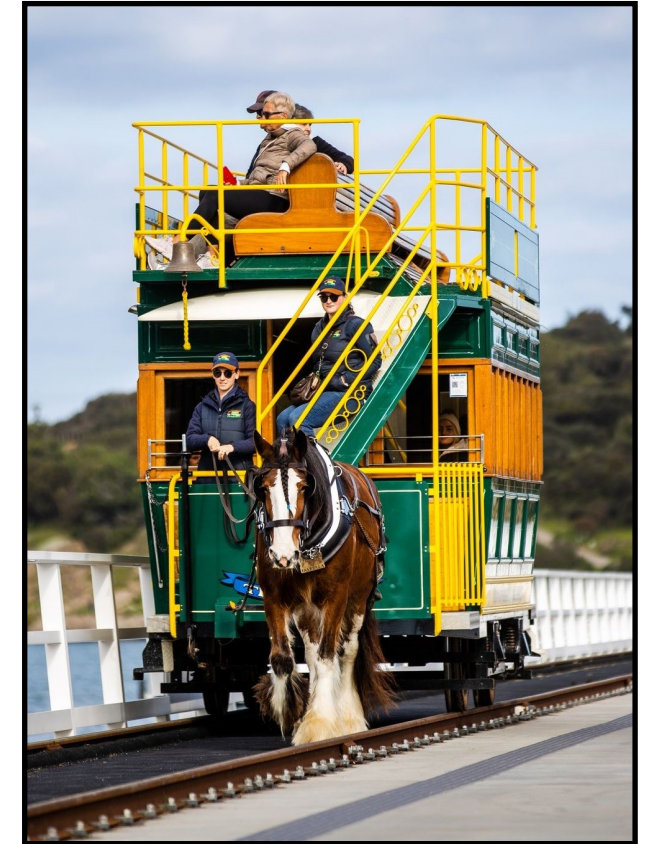
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TIMETABLE AND PRICES



The City of Victor Harbor acknowledges the Ramindjeri and Ngarrindjeri people, the Traditional Custodians of the land and surrounding waters where we live and work. We acknowledge their deep connection to country and pay our respects to Elders past, present and emerging. This respect is extended to Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people.

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FEEL IT CALLING



The office, stables and merchandise store are located at the entrance to the Causeway.

Passengers may choose a return trip or ride across one way and walk the other. The operation comprises a team of working Clydesdale horses, 4 renovated trams and a team of friendly staff to make your visit enjoyable and memorable.



How much does it cost?

	One way	Return
Adult	\$15	\$25
Seniors, Concession	\$15	\$20
Students (14+ years)	\$15	\$20
Child (4-13 years)	\$15	\$20
	or up to 2 FREE with a paying adult	
Child (0-3 years)	Free	Free

Group bookings during normal operating times Monday to Friday are for a minimum of 25 people and receive 10% discount. Please fill out the online booking form: hosedrawntram.com.au/fares/group-bookings

Horse Drawn Tram Membership

- Unlimited free entry on the Horse Drawn Tram
- Buy one way - get return trip free for friends and family with a valid membership holder
- Invitations to exhibit launches and special events
- Affiliated local business offers
- A non-transferable membership card

Horse Drawn Tram Annual Membership

Adult \$75
 Concession \$60
 Children ride free with a paying adult (limit of 2 children per adult)



Time Table

Departing Mainland

- Trams departing from 10:30am approximately every 45 minutes.
- Last tram departing at 3:20pm weekdays and weekends.

Departing Island

- Trams depart Island from 10:50am approximately every 45 minutes.
- Last tram departing at 3:40pm weekdays and weekends.

Disclaimer: The Victor Harbor Horse Drawn Tram reserves the right to change its timetable and fares without notice.

