

Maritime Museum of Tasmania

School Holiday Program – Sep/Oct 2020

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Explorers, Whalers and Merchants

Come on a Walk and Talk History Tour of Early Hobart

Dates: Tuesday, 29 September: 10 am - 12 noon

Thursday, 1 October: 10 am - 12 noon

Tuesday, 6 October: 10 am - 12 noon

Thursday, 8 October: 10 am - 12 noon

Ages: 6-14 years

Cost: \$6.00 per child

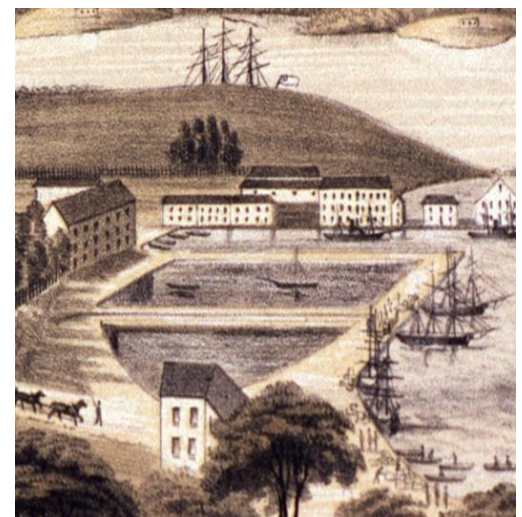
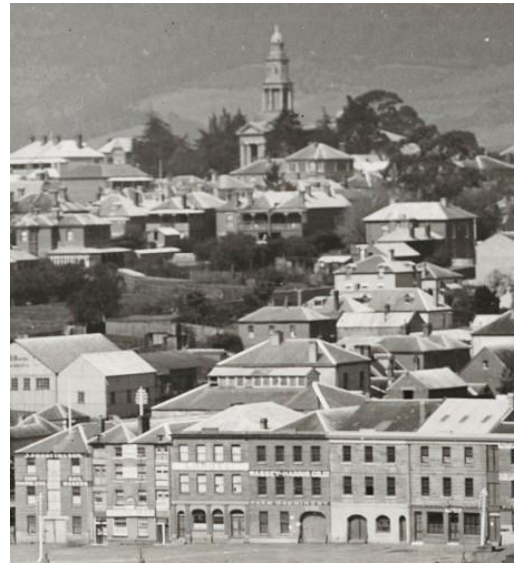
Meet: Carpark behind the Hobart Town Hall

*WE ARE BACK FROM THE LOCKDOWN! AND WHAT BETTER WAY
TO DUST OFF THE COBWEBS THAN A WALKING TOUR THROUGH
OLD HOBART TOWN*

Hobart's waterfront is filled with amazing history and we want to share some of the great stories about convicts, whalers, explorers, traders and workers who used to work, sleep and play around Sullivan's Cove, back in the 19th Century.

Did you know that a Danish sailor, who once proclaimed himself ruler of Iceland, was a convict in Hobart? How did Salamanca Place get its name? What mammal kept people awake at night in early Hobart, but it has no legs? The answers to these and many more interesting stories from our history will be found on the tour.

So, pack some snacks and a drink, some good clothing and shoes for walking (you might need something warm though – winter weather may still lurk just around the next corner), and a hat if it is sunny. Be prepared to walk a fair distance and climb some steps. This will be your holiday challenge!



IMPORTANT NOTES:

Due to COVID-19 restrictions, tour NUMBERS WILL BE LIMITED, and we will be ensuring there is appropriate SOCIAL DISTANCING.

Parents/guardians MUST accompany all children and take FULL RESPONSIBILITY FOR SUPERVISION of their children during the tour.

Sorry, but as the tour includes steps and some steep sections, families with WHEELCHAIRS AND PRAMS ARE NOT ENCOURAGED to attend.

Unfortunately, the MUSEUM IS STILL CLOSED as we undertake a major redevelopment.