



COTMA CONFERENCE BALLARAT 2021 – REGISTRATION

The Council of Tramway Museums of Australasia invites your booking for the 2021 Conference to be held in Ballarat from **Wednesday 15th to Monday 20th September 2021**, hosted by the Ballarat Tramway Museum, this year celebrating the Museum's 50th year.

CONFERENCE VENUES: - Wednesday evening: - **North Star Hotel**

Thursday: - **Victorian Railways Institute Hall, Wallace Hotel, Bungaree Storage facility**

Friday: - **VRI Hall, Tramway Museum, COTMA Dinner and Awards night at George Hotel**

Saturday: - **Melbourne Tramcar Preservation Association at Haddon, Tramway Museum 50th Anniversary Dinner at “The Grand”**

Sunday: - **BTM 50th Celebrations at BTM Museum and Botanic Gardens, Evening Cocktail Party**

Monday: - **Social Day outing by train to Beaufort, bus to follow long closed Waterloo Tramway, return by train from Maryborough. View magnificent Maryborough Railway Station.**

CONFERENCE PROGRAM: - can be viewed on the COTMA website: www.cotma.org.au/conference.html

Information about the Partners Program is also available on the website.

DELEGATE AND PARTNER DETAILS

Delegate Name: First _____ Surname _____

Address _____

Phone () _____ {Mob} _____

Email _____

Museum / Society _____

Preferred name for Conference ID Badge _____

Museum / Society COTMA Delegate: **YES / NO**

Emergency Contact _____ **Phone ()** _____ **Mob** _____

Do you have special dietary needs – **YES/ NO**

If Yes, please advise: Gluten Free, Vegetarian Meals only? Please specify _____

Medical Conditions? Please indicate if you have any special needs or will require assistance (*N.B. Details will be kept strictly confidential*)

Accompanied by _____ Preferred Name for Conference ID Badge _____

Contact Details (if different from above) _____

Special dietary requirements and / or medical conditions (if different from above) _____

ATTENDANCE DETAILS AND COSTS

I will be attending the entire conference from Wednesday 15th September - Monday 20th September - Cost AU\$650

My Spouse / partner is coming and will be participating in the partner's programme Cost AU\$650

I will attend only part of the conference { *Please contact the conference organisers – Email persons listed below* }

DEDUCTIONS

I will not be attending the Sunday Cocktail Party Deduct \$50 (pp)

I will not be attending the Monday social outing day Deduct \$55 (pp)

TOTAL AMOUNT BEING PAID

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Payment can be made by Direct Deposit:

Name of Bank: Bendigo Bank

BSB: **633 000**

Account Number: **156638066**

Name of Account:

Ballarat Tramway Museum

OR by Credit Card: **Visa/Mastercard** : _____ Exp Date ____/____

OR by cheque (in Australian Dollars) can be mailed to: **Carolyn Cleak, PO Box 315, Nunawading, Victoria 3131.**

Cheques made payable to: Ballarat Tramway Museum

Please complete this form, scan and email to : cambers72@optusnet.com.au

The form can also be posted to **Carolyn Cleak, PO Box 315, Nunawading, Victoria 3131.**

COVID – 19. All of the above information and the actual running of the conference is subject to the program brought about by Lockdowns, travel bans or regulations caused by Covid – 19.

ENQUIRIES: Richard Gilbert Ph 0418 535 291. Email acre@alphalink.com.au

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ACCOMMODATION: - Attendees should book their own accommodation. Suggested venues are:

Mid City Motel: Ph (03) 4311 1553 Website: <https://www.midcityballarat.com.au>

Seymour's on Lydiard: Ph (03) 5332 9966 Website: <https://www.seymoursonlydiard.com.au> Email stays@seymours.com.au (Good map of surrounding area on this site. This motel has a variety of rooms at differing costs. They have a house which is ideal for a group from a museum. Lots of options here. It is part of the premises at which we are having the Wednesday night function.

Quest Ballarat Station: Google Quest Ballarat Station: Ph (03) 8580 3000

George Hotel: Ph (03) 5333 4866. Website: <https://www.georgehotelballarat.com.au>

The organising committee and COTMA look forward to your attendance and company at this Conference.