



### Our Second Newsletter for a Business That Has Been Operating for 20 Years

Welcome to the second newsletter that has been twenty years in the making - continuing the history of our company.

Over the next five years he gained experience, got married, and started a family. Seeking to expand his horizons, Oris took a break from the business in 1987 to pursue other opportunities. However, he never lost his love for chauffeuring and the personal care it involved.

He loved the work so much he purchased a 280 SEL Mercedes Sedan as his personal vehicle just so he could chauffeur weddings on his days off!

It didn't take much longer for Oris to realise where his true love lay. He loved the business, but he was too far along in life to work for someone else. The logical solution was to launch his own business, and on January 10, 1993 Bayside Limousines, Cars & Buses was born.

For the company's first official car he need something different, something eye-catching and interesting - so he went out and had his own Mercedes Benz Stretch Limousine built to be the longest at the time, launching his business the "Oris Way" - with a splash!



### Oris Rant

Hello everyone, and welcome back to my 'rant' space where I share my thoughts on the livery industry or anything else that happens to be on my mind. I am travelling a lot at the moment and I myself appreciate being given travel tips. That is why I want my rant to provide tips for my travelling clients.

To everyone who commented on the first entry in my new series - thank you! Your thoughts and feedback are definitely appreciated.

Driving my desk has been quite the adventure these past 8 months or so. We've been busy setting up some new procedures and systems here that will

give our clients (that's YOU) a better level of service. It's been a lot of work and long hours getting everything set up, but it's totally worth it because our clients are all that matter to us. The end result is the One Stop Transport Shop to offer the best possible service to all of you in getting around all over this great nation.

All this work also enabled me to get out and meet with some of our drivers and clients all over Australia, which is something I love to do but don't always have the time for. I managed to visit Melbourne, Canberra, Brisbane, and Perth, and most recently got out to the Gold Coast. Each stop along the way I was reminded how lucky we are to live in such a great country!

All this travel reminds me that time is always slipping by too quickly - can you believe it's already December? At least that means Christmas is just a few weeks away! I love this time of year - all the parties and gatherings, seeing family and friends you've lost touch with over the course of the year - all capped off with the excitement of a new year - 2014 is just around the corner.

All this excitement means a lot of events to plan for! On December 6-8, of course, we have the V8 Supercars Sydney 500. The 8th also offers us the short-film festival Tropfest at Centennial Park - always a lot of fun.

On the 21st, to get into the holiday spirit, there will be Carols in the Domain, Australia's largest free Christmas concert! And after you've recovered a little from the Christmas feasting, on the 26th you can enjoy the Sydney to Hobart Yacht Race - guaranteed to get the blood pumping!

For sporting souls, the Apia International Sydney Tennis Tournament runs from the 5th to the 11th of January. The Sydney Festival tries to get everyone out of the house from January 9-26, and finally who could forget Australia Day on January 26th!

There's no rest for the New Year, so on February 9th you can enjoy the art exhibition 'America: Painting a Nation' at the Art Gallery NSW. If you've gotten back your dancing legs after their holiday workout, enjoy the Beatles Exhibition celebrating the Fab Four's 1964 visit to our country at the Power House Museum until February 16th.

That's a lot to plan for in the next few weeks. As always, if you need information about any of these events - or anything else! - don't hesitate to contact me. I'm always happy to help. And to ensure you enjoy these and other events, make sure to book your transportation early! We don't like to disappoint anyone, but there are only so many cars and drivers to go around - make sure you don't miss out!

Ciao for now.

## SPECIAL OFFER!

This offer has been so successful that we have decided to extend it a little longer! So to reward our loyal customers, all of you who have used us year in and year out as well as our new friends who have chosen us over the competition.

We have again partnered with the fantastic restaurant La Trattoria on Norton - quite simply the best Italian food outside of Italy - to offer you a 50% discount Monday through Thursday!

La Trattoria offers traditional Italian fare made by experts - bring your appetite and your sense of adventure and fun. It's a warm, welcoming place that mirrors the hospitality of Chef Giovanni Spinazzola, one the premier chefs in Sydney's restaurant game and recipient of a Chef's Hat at the Bistro Moore Paddington, awarded in both 2006 and 2007, which was also awarded the 'best pub restaurant' award in New South Wales and Australia, as voted by the Restaurant and Catering Association.

Here's how it works: Hire us to drive you to the restaurant. Enjoy the limousine, the professional ride, and an amazing meal, and then we'll drive you home for free! Not only do you get to have one of the greatest meals of your life, you commute to and from it in absolute luxury.