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AUSSIE OUTBACK TRAVEL CODE welcomed by TRAVELLERS AUTOBARN

What a great idea! But really...what does this say about Aussies in our own Outback

The **#AussieTravelCode** is an initiative by the Flinders Ranges and Outback South Australia Tourism to promote awareness of what is and isn't appropriate when driving around in the bush.

With Covid19 self-distancing rules as well as overseas holiday restrictions in place Australians will spend more time in their own backyard than ever before. For many of them it will be the first time visiting the real outback of Australia.

The **#AussieTravelCode** is all about educating Australians' as well as first timers about the best way to enjoy their <https://aussietravelcode.com.au/> trip, stay safe and be kind to other travellers in the outback. It also focuses on the education of environmental issues.

Peter Burke of Travellers Autobarn – is excited about the program: *“Given that we are a campervan rental company with lots of experience with customers travelling through the outback & national parks, we feel a responsibility to keep Australia Beautiful and to remind our customers of that”*

“Even for locals it's so easy to underestimate the conditions & distances in the outback, we don't want anyone ending up stranded in the middle of nowhere because they did not book a campsite ahead, for example. So a little bit of education regarding the environment, what to expect when you get there, what not to expect (toilets and showers are not everywhere) is something TRAVELLERS AUTOBARN have dealt with for 25 years with respect to International Visitors who are all pretty good and forewarned, unlike Aussies with a bit more of that “She'll be right” attitude quite surprisingly are the ones that now need a gentle remind about outback etiquette.”

With the opening of more state borders over the coming month more and more Australians' will visit their own backyard – the timing of the launch of the **#AussieTravelCode** couldn't be any better!

Travellers Autobarn is hoping the **#AussieTravelCode** that we can all get behind the campaign and see it become not just an Outback SA campaign but a campaign of national awareness

Travellers Autobarn is a campervan rental company and caters for backpackers & budget travellers who are planning their self-drive road trips around Australia, New Zealand or USA. With 12 locations - and operating since 1993 - Travellers Autobarn offers a wide range of Campervans & station wagon/minivans suiting all age groups.

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INTERVIEWS

Peter Burke, owner and founder of Travellers Autobarn

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