

<b>Member</b>	James Newbury	<b>Electorate</b>	Brighton
<b>Period</b>	1 April 2020 to 30 June 2020		

<b>Regulation 6 - Expense allowance and electorate allowance</b>	
Total amount paid to member for electorate allowance	\$9,283.56
Total amount paid to member for expense allowance	\$0.00

<b>Regulation 7 - Motor vehicle allowance</b>	
Total amount paid to member for motor vehicle allowance	\$0.00
Member did not receive the motor vehicle allowance in the previous quarter and member has elected to receive the motor vehicle allowance for this quarter	No

<b>Regulation 9 - Parliamentary accommodation sitting allowance</b>	
Total amount paid to member for parliamentary accommodation sitting allowance	\$0.00
Suburb in which the member's parliamentary accommodation is located	n/a

<b>Regulation 10 - Travel allowance claims</b>					
Date from	Date until	Reason for travel	Total amount paid	Town or city in which accomodation was located	Value of the accomodation

Total number of nights for travel allowance claims 0  
Total amount paid to member for travel allowance \$0.00

**Regulation 11 - Commercial transport allowance claims**

Date from	Date until	Reason for travel	Total amount paid	Mode of transport	Value of transport

**Total number of nights for commercial transport allowance claims** 0  
**Total amount paid to member for commercial transport allowance** \$0.00

**Regulation 12 - International travel allowance claims**

Date from	Date until	Reason for travel	Total amount paid
19-Apr-20	20-Apr-20	Reimbursement for non-refundable cancelled flight from London to Krakow to join the "March of the Living" program	\$436.10

**Total number of nights for international travel allowance claims** 0  
**Total amount paid to member for international travel allowance** \$436.10



# James Newbury MP

## Member for Brighton

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21 May 2020

Dear Clerk,

Please find below my International Travel Report for travel cancelled because of the Coronavirus.

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### INTERNATIONAL TRAVEL REPORT

(14 April 2020 – 3 May 2020)

- a) Together with six all-Party Members of Parliament, I was booked to participate in the 2020 Adult “March of the Living” Program due to commence in Krakow on Sunday 19 April 2020 and to end in Israel on 4 May 2020.

Due to the outbreak of COVID-19, the first time in the history of March of the Living, the program was cancelled.

- b) This was the first time that a Parliamentary delegation from the Parliament of Victoria was to participate in this internationally acclaimed education program.

This educational program is aimed to provide participants with an understanding of the lessons of the Holocaust and includes a march along the rail tracks to the Auschwitz Concentration Camp to honour the 6 million dead and the many survivors. The program participants are joined by world leaders, Holocaust survivors and their descendants and youth.

The March of the Living Program concludes in Israel, established as the Jewish State following the atrocities of the Holocaust, in time to commemorate Israel’s Fallen and celebrate Independence Day.

Proudly representing **Brighton, Elwood**  
and parts of **Brighton East** and **Hampton**

- c) The travel related to electorate business. The importance of learning the lessons of the Holocaust and participating in this acclaimed program is value add to every human being and as Members of the Parliament of Victoria, contribute to our ability to represent the multicultural citizens of this State.

I attach a copy of the program for additional information.

- d) No accommodation is being claimed due to the cancellation of the trip.
- e) The only claim that I am making for this trip is reimbursement for the flight from London to Krakow on 19 April, total value of \$436.10 as this is non-refundable by the airline.
- f) Statement of Objectives:
- Learn and engage in the rich history of Polish Jewry prior to WW2; the history of the Holocaust, examining the roots of prejudice, intolerance and hate and also to experience the revitalization of Jewish culture in Poland today.
  - Remember those who perished and to be a witness; to pay tribute to the courage of those who survived the Holocaust and rebuilt their lives.
  - To recognise and learn from the altruistic actions of the “righteous among the nations”, who teach us to never be a bystander in the face of oppression.
  - To return from this experience, with a heightened sensitivity to never again allow for the unchecked rise of the menace of anti-Semitism; to never again allow any kind of racial discrimination directed by any individual or group against another to gain strength, and further committed to building a world free of oppression and intolerance, where democracy and justice for all members of the human family is more widely practised.
  - To understand the importance of the State of Israel in the lives of the Jewish people and understand the strong connection with Australia and the contribution of this relationship.

Kind regards,



**James Newbury**  
Member for Brighton



## **Adult MOTL 2020**

### **Draft Itinerary for VIC Parliamentary Delegation as of 11 Nov 2019**

#### **Day 1 – Monday, April 20<sup>th</sup>:**

10:00 am - Meet at Hotel for welcome, introductions and orientation.  
Visit the Jewish Quarter (Kazimierz) – Shuls and Galicia Museum  
Ghetto walls, Heroes Square, Pharmacy and outside of Schindler’s factory.  
Erev Yom Hashoah Ceremony

**Overnight: Krakow**

#### **Day 2 – Tuesday, April 21<sup>st</sup> (Yom HaShoah):**

Oswiecim Shul and Museum  
March from Auschwitz 1 to Birkenau  
Yom Hashoah ceremony at Birkenau

**Overnight: Krakow**

#### **Day 3 – Wednesday, April 22<sup>nd</sup>:**

Mass grave at Lupichowa  
Tour of Auschwitz 1 and Birkenau  
Jewish Community Centre  
Old City of Krakow at night

**Overnight: Kraków**

#### **Day 4 – Thursday, April 23<sup>rd</sup>:**

Plaszow – labour camp  
Majdanek – death camp  
Lublin – Shul; Cemetery

**Overnight: Lublin**

#### **Day 5 – Friday, April 24<sup>th</sup>:**

Visit the remains of Tykocin shul and Treblinka death camp  
OR

Lodz – Radegast museum and memorial; Cemetery  
Kabbalat Shabbat at Nozyk Synagogue, Warsaw

**Overnight: Warsaw**

#### **Day 6 – Saturday, April 25<sup>th</sup> (ANZAC Day):**

Optional Shul Services  
Walking Tour – ANZAC Day Ceremony (organised by Australian and NZ Embassies), Rappaport Memorial, Umschlagplatz, Mila 18 etc  
Meet Righteous Amongst the Nations  
Potential meetings with Polish members of Parliament / Australian Ambassador  
Night in Old City

**Overnight: Warsaw**

#### **Day 7 – Sunday, April 26<sup>th</sup>:**

POLIN Museum; Gensia Cemetery; Warsaw Zoo; Janusz Korczak’s Orphanage; Mi Polin – Mezuzah Tracing; Sikkum – Summary of Poland sector.

**Overnight: Warsaw**



**Day 8 – Monday, April 27<sup>th</sup>:**

Morning flight to Israel; early afternoon arrival at B-G.

Drive to Jaffa for Shehecheyanu and scene setting.

Break away from rest of group; Check in at Hotel and proceed via Taxi / minibus to Official State Erev Yom HaZikaron ceremony on Mt Herzl (if it can be arranged).

Dinner – self organised.

Return to Hotel

**Overnight: Dan Panorama, Tel Aviv**

**Day 9 – Tuesday, April 28<sup>th</sup> (Yom HaZikaron):**

Travel to Kfar Kara – visit Yad Beyad dual language school and / or Massuah Holocaust Education Centre.

11:00 Experience Yom Hazikaron siren en route.

Visit Dalyat El Carmel for short tour and Druze lunch

Visit Atlit transit camp

Travel back to Tel Aviv

Celebrate Erev Yom Haatzmaut in Rabin Square, Tel Aviv.

**Overnight: Dan Panorama, Tel Aviv**

**Day 10 - Wednesday, April 29<sup>th</sup> (Yom HaAtzmaut):**

Matan Vilnai – ex Senior IDF Officer and ex Politician – Personal accounts from the Entebbe Operation.

March from Saffra Square to the Kotel; exit the Old City via the Jewish Quarter; travel to Latrun for March of the Living Main Event – Yom HaAtzmaut and March of the Living celebration. Travel to Tel Aviv.

**Overnight: Dan Panorama, Tel Aviv**

**Day 11: Thursday, April 30<sup>th</sup>:**

Innovation Centre at Peres Centre, Jaffa

Ayalon Institute (pre-War of Independence clandestine armaments factory), Rehovot

Drive to Jerusalem

Visit Mt Herzl and Yad Vashem

**Overnight: Mamilla Hotel, Jerusalem**

**Day 12: Friday, May 1<sup>st</sup>:**

Ammunition Hill; Begin Museum; David's City; Lunch in Machaneh Yehuda Market

Kabbalat Shabbat at the Kotel

**Overnight: Mamilla Hotel, Jerusalem**

**Day 13: Saturday, May 2<sup>nd</sup>:**

Optional Services; Short walking tour of Jerusalem neighbourhoods; Meet with Parent's Circle; Helen Gottstein presentation; Lt Col. (Retired) Eyal Dror – ex commander of the IDF's Good Neighbour Unit; Sound and Light Show at King David Citadel

Farewell Briefing if Parliamentarians going straight to airport in the morning or wanting to spend time on their own before leaving.

**Overnight: Mamilla Hotel, Jerusalem**

**Day 14: Sunday, May 3<sup>rd</sup>:**

Parliamentarians leave for Airport if early departure OR

Travel to Tel Aviv with group and leave in time for flights.



Group itinerary as follows:

Depart for Tel Aviv

Save A Child's Heart, Holon

Walking tour of Neveh Tzedek and neighbourhood

Lunch in Carmel Market

Visit Rabin Museum

Visit Sarona (old Templar settlement)

Sikkum – Summary of Trip

Farewell Dinner in Tel Aviv

Please Note: Itinerary Subject to Change