SENIORS FOCUS ADVERTISING FEATURE

A caring transport service

HAVING transport and a friend to help them around is crucial for the elderly and people with disabilities so they can get to medical appointments, social engagements, the shops, hair and beauty appointments or just to get out to enjoy the sights.

Driving Miss Daisy is a reliable companion driving service offering transportation for those who are geographically isolated from family or friends, have limited support networks, barriers to transport or those who need a helping hand with day to day errands and tasks.

Their approach is to be a "family when family can't be there".

Donna and Tony Orth recently opened the Driving Miss Daisy franchise in the Shellharbour region, that services the Illawarra and South Coast.

"Driving Miss Daisy has been rolled out successfully in the UK and New Zealand, having provided well over one million trips for passengers. It is now available in Shellharbour and is starting in various other parts of Australia." Donna said.



KEEP YOUR INDEPENDENCE: Driving Miss Daisy companion driving services offer passengers safe and friendly assistance for their daily needs with pick-up and return. Photo: Supplied

ensuring the safety and wellbeing of all those using our fun filled experience. services, as a top priority."

Driving Miss Daisy recognises the importance for passengers to maintain their

"Amidst COVID-19 we are independence and live life to the full enjoying a safe and

> "Our service stands apart from taxis and drive share curb-to-curb vehicles. We provide a safe. reliable. and

friendly companion driving lice, are First Aid and Friends just transportation," ny said.

"Each franchise owner and all drivers are insured, vetted by the Australian Po-

service offering more than of Dementia trained, Working with Children checked (WWCC) and hold a small passenger vehicle licence giving you and your family peace of mind.

"Driving Miss Daisy itself provides detailed operations manuals and applies stringent occupational health and safety standards with particular emphasis on compliance with COVID regulations. It is a fantastic service."

Driving Miss Daisy is perfect for:

- Medical and personal appointments
- Social engagements/ outings and scenic drives
- Grocery or other shopping trips
- Airport/bus/rail departures or pickups
- Taking pets to the vet
- Transport for children's school, sport, and other

Driving Miss Daisy offers individualised and tailored quotes specific to your needs. All jobs are pre-quoted and based on time, distance, and the special needs of the passenger.

For bookings phone Donna or Tony on 4257 2907 or 0491 204 076 or 1800DAISY1 to discuss your requirements and a quote. For details, visit drivingmissdaisy.com.au or facebook.com/drivingmissdaisvshellharbour

We're Here to be Your Companion

Driving Miss Daisy will help you with:

- Trips to medical appointments in Wollongong, Sydney, Canberra. We can accompany, wait and/or return home.
- Shopping assistance for groceries, clothes, gifts etc.
- Clients with special needs, NDIS, aged care, mobility.
- Delivering children safely to & from school and activities.
- Sydney airports, all bus and cruise, rail departures and pick ups.



Wheelchair, car seat, walking frame, scooter available if required, please advise.



Please contact **Donna/Tony for a quote** 0491 204 076 or 02 4257 2907



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We're There For You