

## Newsletter 31 - November 2017

### Stay Safe this Festive Season!

It's the time of year where Year-end functions, Christmas parties and Holidays are all looming.

Having said this, if you have already booked a coach with Coachman we thank you for your continuous support. Your safety this festive season is important to us.

Here are some safety tips to remember this Festive Season:

<u>You as a MOTORIST</u>	<u>You as a PASSENGER on a coach</u>
Always ensure that you wear your <b>seatbelt</b> , even if the journey taken is a short one.	Ensure that the coach is equipped with <b>seatbelts</b> and that they are <b>fully functional</b>
Obey the rules of the road and always ensure that you carry your <b>driver's license</b> with you.	Ensure that the driver is in <b>possession of a valid PrDF license</b>
<b>Plan the route</b> to your destination and give yourself enough time to reach the destination.	Ensure that the driver is <b>aware of the destination</b> and that <b>route planning</b> has been done.
Ensure that your <b>vehicle</b> is in a <b>roadworthy condition</b> before departure.	Before boarding the coach, <b>check the license and permits</b> of the coach which should be displayed on the window.
All lights and indicators, windscreen wipers, brakes, steering, exhaust system and tyres should be carefully examined and in a <b>100% working condition</b>	<b>Before departure</b> of the coach from the depot the driver is required to <b>complete a check list</b> to ensure that the coach is in a <b>100% working condition</b>
	This can be requested from the operations office at any stage.
<b>Never drink and drive.</b>	If alcohol is being served on a coach, ensure that <b>neither you nor any of the other passengers offer him/her anything alcoholic.</b>
Avoid experiencing <b>fatigue</b> .	Ensure that there are <b>two drivers</b> on the coach when travelling <b>long distances</b> or at <b>unusual travelling hours</b> .
For long distance travelling it is also advisable to <b>change drivers at rest stops</b>	Ensure that if there is <b>one driver</b> on the trip that you <b>allow for regular stops</b> in order for resting. If there are <b>two drivers</b> on the trip, at <b>every regular stop</b> you need to <b>ensure that the drivers swap over</b>

**With our luxurious fleet of coaches we can offer you "All you want in a Journey!"**

**Our Fleet consists of the following vehicles :**

- 16 Seater Lux
- 28 Seater Volare Lux
- 28 Seater Semi-Lux
- 35 Seater Lux
- 48/53 Seater Super Lux
- 60 Seater Lux and Semi-Lux

**We look forward to hearing from you!**

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