

CHRISTMAS ISLAND [COCOS ISLAND] MAIL RECEIVED AT FREMANTLE 1947 - 1983

DATE	SHIP	Perth mail	Perth parcel	East States	Fremantle
3/9/1947	Stagpool				1 bag
28/9/47	Stagpool				1
30/9/47	Danby				1
10/10/47	Islander				1
27/10/47	Danby				1
21/11/47	Stagpool				1
25/11/47	Dalia				1
16/12/47	Islander				1
6/1/1948	Tynebank				1
10/3/48	Dalia				1
13/3/48	Islander				3
10/4/48	Stensby				1
27/4/49	Tynebank				1
5/5/48	Stensby				1
27/5/48	Tynebank				1
8/7/48	Stensby				1
29/7/48	Islander				1
30/7/48	Stagpool				1
4/8/48	Stensby				1
30/8/48	Stensby				1
23/9/48	Stensby				1
20/10/48	Islander	1			1
23/10/48	Stensby				1
3/1/1949	Islander				3
28/1/49	Vedby				1
1/2/49	Stensby				1
7/4/49	Vedby				1
6/5/49	Vedby				1
23/5/49	Vedby				1
15/6/49	Olive Bank				1
1/7/40	Vedby				2
11/7/49	Olive Bank				2
15/7/49	Islander	1			1
22/7/49	Vedby	1			1
8/8/49	Islander	1			1
15/8/49	Stagpool				1
26/8/49	Stensby				1
7/9/49	Stagpool				2
19/9/49	Stensby	1			1
26/9/49	Vedby				1
26/9/49	Islander				1
2/10/49	Stagpool				1
13/10	Stensby				1
20/10/49	Vedby				1
5/11/49	Stagpool				1
9/11/49	Stensby				1
2/12/49	Stagpool				1
15/12/49	Stensby	3	1		
28/12/49	Olive Bank				2
2/2/1950	Islander	1			

27/3/50	Stensby				1
31/3/50	Tureby				1
21/4/50	Stensby				1
28/4/50	Vedby				1
18/5/50	Stensby	1			1
25/5/50	Vedby	1			1
8/6/50	Stankeld				1
5/7/50	Vedby	3			1
10/7/50	Stankeld				1
18/7/50	Stensby				1
4/8/50	Tureby	1			1
12/9/50	Stensby				1
15/9/50	Stankeld				1
27/9/50	Vedby				1
20/10/50	Stankeld				1
25/10/50	Vedby				1
30/10/50	Tureby				1
1/12/50	Tureby				1
27/12/50	Stensby	1			1
14/3/1951	Vedby				4
5/4/51	Tureby	1			1
3/5/51	Tureby				1
25/6/51	Bahadur				1
30/6/51	Stensby				2
23/7/51	Bahadur				1
30/7/51	Suva				1
13/8/51	Bahadur				1
23/8/51	Suva				1
6/9/51	Bahadur				1
19/9/51	Stensby				1
20/9/51	Discovery ¹	1		2	
17/10/51	Stensby				1
20/10/51	Tureby				1
26/10/51	Bahadur				1
8/11/51	Stensby				1
14/11/51	Tureby				1
4/14/51	Strathaird ²	224	1142	1736	33
11/12/51	Tureby	1			2
18/12/51	Bahadur				1
26/12/51	Forthbank	1			1
7/1/1952	Stensby				1
13/3/52	Islander				1
2/4/52	Ivaran				1
14/4/52	HMS Zeebrugge ³	8			
25/4/52	Ledvard				1
30/4/52	Ivaran				1
12/5/52	Tureby	1			1
24/5/52	Lidvard	1			1
4/6/52	Ivaran	1			2
18/6/52	Lidvard	1			1
27/6/52	Ivaran	1			1
14/7/52	Lidvard		1 (to Christmas)		1
24/7/52	Lidvard				1

16/8/52	HMT Dorsetshire ⁴ Cocos	18			
15/8/52	Ivaran				1
4/9/52	Ivaran	1	1		
13/9/52	Norden				1
23/9/52	Ivaran				1
3/10/52	Norden				1
6/10/52	Tureby	6	7	10	1
21/10/52	Ivaran				1
13/11/52	Norden				4
14/11/52	Ivaran	1			1
19/11/52	Tureby	1			3
3/12/52	Norden	1			1
16/12/52	Ternmoor	1			1
17/12/52	Triton ^{4a}	4			
31/12/52	Tureby	1			1
10/1/1953	Islander				1
12/1/53	Ivaran				1
27/153	Tureby				1
28/1/52	Norden				1
23/2/53	Tureby				1
14/3/53	Havildar	1			1
22/5/53	Lidvard	1			1
30/6/53	Lidvard	2			3
29/7/53	Lidvard	1			1
16/9/53	Lidvard	1			1
23/9/53	Baron Belhaven				2
5/10/53	Lidvard	1			1
23/10/53	Mahedevi	1			1
30/10/53	Lidvard	1			1
18/11/53	Lidvard	1			1
23/11/53	Lylepark	1			1
30/11/53	Swan Hill	1			1
11/12/53	Lidvard	2			2
18/12/53	Lylepark	1			2
4/1/1954	Lidvard	1			1
12/1/54	Lylepark	1			2
16/2/54	Lylepark		1		2
9/3/54	Lylepark				1
16/3/54	Ranee				1
30/3/54	Lylepark	1			1
20/4/54	Eurystheus	1			1
4/5/54	Lylepark	1			1 R 1
30/5/54	Lylepark	2	1		
2/6/54	Le Cumbre	1	1		
18/6/54	Ranee				1
1/7/54	Le Cumbre				1
13/7/54	Lylepark	1			1
15/7/54	Ranee				1
23/7/54	Le Cumbre	1			1
3/8/54	Westralia				1
6/8/54	Lylepark ex G				1
7/8/54	Strathaird ^{4b}	62	375		18
12/8/54	Ranee ex B				1

23/8/54	Le Cumbre	1			1
6/9/54	Westralia	1			1
1/10/54	Le Cumbre	1			1
20/10/54	Lylepark	1			1
12/11/54	Lylepark	1			1
7/12/54	Cape Clear	1			1
14/12/54	Lylepark	2			2
6/1/1955	Cape Clear	1	1		
2/2/55	Lylepark		1		1
9/3/55	St Bernard				2
5/4/55	Cape Grenville		1		1
2/5/55	Stratheden ⁵	62	398		18
3/5/55	Cape Grenville	1			1
13/5/55	Vingnes				1
30/5/55	Nordvard	1			1
6/6/55	Vingnes	1			1
24/6/55	Cape Grenville	1			1
14/7/55	Cape Grenville		1		2
2/8/55	Cape Verde	1			1
8/8/55	Cape Grenville	1			R
12/8/55	Vingnes	1			1
22/8/55	Cape St David	1			1
15/9/55	Cumberland ⁶	53	530		37
3/10/55	Cape Grenville	1			1
27/10/55	Cape Grenville				1
31/10/55	Cape Hawke	1			1
1/12/55	Vingnes	3			3
28/12/55	Vingnes	1			2
14/1/1956	Cape St David	1			1
10/5/56	Boolongena	1			1
7/6/56	Boolongena		1		1
23/7/56	Boolongena		1		2
25/7/56	Vingnes				1
14/8/56	Boolongena		1		1
21/8/56	Vingnes		1		1
7/9/56	Boolongena		1		1
13/9/56	Vingnes		1		1
22/9/56	King David		1		1
1/10/56	Boolongena		1		1
22/10/56	Christen Salen				1
14/11/56	Vingnes	1			1
5/12/56	Vingnes				3
26/12/56	Vingnes	3			2
29/1/1957	Corona				2
11/2/57	Arcadia ⁷				
13/2/57	Strathaird				
7/3/57	Corona		2		3
25/3/57	Cape Rodney				1
26/3/57	Corona	2			1
1/4/57	River Burnett	1			1
17/4/57	Corona	1			1
12/5/57	Boolongena	1			1
31/5/57	Graige	1			1
6/6/57	Boolongena	1			2 R

26/6/57	Graige	2			2
6/7/57	Fernplant	1			1
23/7/57	Graige	1			R
30/7/57	Fernplant	1			2
23/8/57	Graige ex B				1
23/8/57	Fernplant	2			R
12/9/57	Fernplant		2		1
23/9/57	Bulwarca				1
3/10/57	Cape Hawke				1 R
9/10/57	Fernplant	1			R
12/11/57	Graige ex B				1
2/12/57	Fernplant				3
5/12/57	Graige	4			3
11/12/57	Bermuda Trader	1			1
24/12/57	Fernplant	2			1
9/1/1958	Graige		1		3
14/2/58	Fernplant ex A				3
8/4/58	Fernplant ⁸				1
8/4/58	Graige				1
9/5/58	Triadic	1			1
23/5/58	Fernplant		1		1
30/5/58	Triadic	1			1
12/6/58	Fernplant ex G	1			1
21/6/58	Triadic		3		1
3/7/58	Scottish Trader	1			1
14/7/58	Fernplant ⁹				1
22/7/58	Triadic	1			1
19/8/58	Triadic	1	1		
2/10/58	Fernplant ex G				1
3/10/58	Triadic		1		1
13/10/58	Bermuda Trader				1
28/10/58	Triadic		1		4
21/11/58	Triadic		1		1
26/1/1959	Bermuda Trader				2
10/2/59	Boolongena		1		3
2/3/59	Boolongena ex B		2		1
4/4/59	Triadic		1		1
19/4/59	Trienza				1
27/4/59	Triadic		1		1
18/5/59	Trienza				1
19/5/59	Triadic		1		1
12/6/59	Triadic		1		1
6/7/59	Triadic		1		1
16/7/59	Talinga ex A				1
29/7/59	Triadic		2		1
18/8/59	Triadic		1		1
30/9/59	Triadic		1		1
12/10/59	Bermuda Trader		1		1
20/10/59	Triadic		1		1
27/10/59	River Burnett		2		1
1/11/59	Bermuda Trader ¹⁰		1		1
6/11/59	Triadic	2			1
25/11/59	Triadic		4		4
4/1/1960	Trienza		2		2

6/1/60	Bermuda Trader		1		1
21/1/60	Trienza		1		1
23/2/60	Bermuda Trader	3			1
16/3/60	Triadic	1			1
1/4/60	Taleuga		1		1
6/4/60	Triadic	1			4
26/4/60	Triadic	1	1		
18/5/60	Triadic		1		1
20/6/60	Welsh Trader		1		1
23/6/60	Bermuda Trader		1		1
27/6/60	Triadic				1
6/7/60	Welsh Trader		2		1
19/7/60	Triadic		2		1
20/8/60	Ivanhoe Beacon	1			1
11/11/60	Feengulf	2			2
13/1/1961	Trienza ¹¹		2		2 R
28/3/61	HMAS Quickmatch			14	
1/4/61	Triadic				2
11/4/61	Cape Horn				2
18/5/61	Triadic				4
5/6/61	Triadic				2
15/8/61	Triadic		2		2
1/9/61	Triadic				5
3/11/61	Espen				2
14/11/61	Triadic				4
11/12/61	Trienza ¹²		4		6
17/2/1962	Bermuda Trader		2		1
13/3/62	Trienza		1		1
28/5/62	Trienza		1		1
16/7/62	Triadic				1
21/7/62	Bermuda Trader		1		1
14/8/62	Trienza		1		1
24/9/62	Triadic		1		1
24/10/62	Trienza				1
19/11/62	Triadic		2		1
30/1/1963	Sistina	1			3
4/2/63	Trienza		1		1
20/2/63	Cape York				4
5/3/63	Bermuda Trader		2		
10/4/63	Cape York	1			1
23/4/63	Triadic		1		1
14/5/63	Triadic		1		8
26/6/63	Trienza		2		1
4/7/63	Cape Horn		1		1
5/8/63	Triadic		1		1
9/9/63	Triadic		1	3	1
10/10/63	Trienza		1		1
5/11/63	Triadic		1		1
25/11/63	Triadic		2		7
22/12/63	Cape York		4		3
31/1/1964	Nella Dan ¹³	1			
29/2/64	Trienza		1		2
2/4/64	Wandoo ¹⁴	1			
6/4/64	Cape York		1		2

20/4/64	Trienza		1		1
5/5/64	Astwi				2
17/6/64	Triadic ¹⁵		1		10
30/7/64	Trienza		1		1
6/10/64	Triadic		2		1
21/11/64	Triadic		3		2
16/2/1965	Truth		1		2
23/3/65	Thala Dan ¹⁶	3			
29/3/65	Cape York		3		1
8/6/65	Triadic		1	1	1
26/6/65	HMAS Duchess ¹⁷			46	
28/6/65	HMAS Sydney ¹⁷			9	
20/9/65	Triadic		1		1
7/11/65	Nidar			2	
13/11/65	Truth		1		1
8/12/65	Nidar			4	
17/12/65	Pearl Light			2	
3/2/1966	Truth		1		1
3/8/66	Anatina		1		1
31/10/66	Straat Madura ¹⁸				1
6/12/66	Nidar			5	1
11/2/1967	Truth		1		1
13/2/67	Truth				1
31/3/67	Truth		1		2
9/7/67	Truth		1		1
8/8/67	Triadic		3		2
31/8/67	Hermion		2		1
3/10/67	Triellis		1		2
6/10/67	Capetan Psarros				1
29/11/67	Truth				1
26/1/1968	Triellis		2		2
9/2/68	Cape Rodney		1		1
13/3/68	Truth		1		1
26/6/68	Estrid				2
22/7/68	Capetan Psarros				4
21/8/68	Ann Mildred Brovig				6
10/9/68	Triadic				3
11/9/68	Triaster				3
5/11/68	Valletta				3
24/11/68	Triadic		4		2
3/12/68	Marilyn L		3		1
12/12/68	Waelkerk ¹⁹	106	18	33	
30/12/68	Triadic				2
7/2/1969	Bernes	1	2		
20/2/69	Triadic ²⁰		1		12
31/3/69	Triadic	2	4		
13/8/69	Centaur				1
30/8/69	Triadic				2
15/9/69	Tropwood				8
9/11/69	Centaur ^{20a}				5
23/11/69	Aust. Endeavour ²¹	1016	294		
11/12/69	Arcadia ²²	791	321		
23/12/69	Bernes				2
26/12/69	Straat Lagos ²³				2

30/12/69	Triadic	1	2	2	
4/2/1970	Nella Dan ²⁴	2		3	
17/2/70	Triadic				3
3/4/70	Triadic ex K				2
30/4/70	Scotspark				2
19/5/70	Triadic				5
19/6/70	Trokwood				3
2/9/70	USNS Eltanin ²⁵				1
8/10/70	Parramatta			1	
26/10/70	Centaur ²⁶	3	29		3
11/11/70	Borgnes				7
9/12/70	Triadic				11
14/12/70	Akademic Chukar ²⁷	1			
15/12/70	Angelina Lauro ²⁸	6	5		
30/12/70	Triadic				8
29/1/1971	Nella Dan ²⁹	7			
18/5/71	Triadic				7
3/6/71	Triadic				3
21/6/71	Triadic				2
28/7/71	Cape Sable				1
13/8/71	Triadic				4
3/9/71	Kashima Maru via E				1
23/9/71	Triadic				1
1/11/71	Centaur ³⁰	21	62	68	
16/11/71	Triadic via K ³¹				13
27/12/71	Triadic via K				2
13/1/1972	Triadic via K				9
1/2/72	Nella Dan ³²	9		5	
22/2/72	Centaur ³³	7	60		6
24/2/72	Triadic				4
16/3/72	Triadic				3
4/4/72	Triadic via K				9
5/4/72	HMAS Swan ³⁴				2
21/4/72	Triadic			3	
26/4/72	HMAS Stuart ³⁵	2			
18/5/72	Triadic				10
6/6/72	Triadic	4			2
26/6/72	Triadic				8
1/8/72	Triadic via B	1	2		2
21/8/72	Cape Horn				3
21/8/72	Triadic via B ³⁶				8
18/9/72	Centaur	7	87		1
28/9/72	Triadic		1		1
10/10/72	Centaur	7	29		3
16/10/72	Triadic via B		1		3
18/10/72	Valetta via K		5		1
1/12/72	Triadic		10		2
18/12/72	Centaur	31	61		3
18/1/1973	Triadic via A ³⁷	10			
26/1/73	Nella Dan ³⁸	15			
2/3/73	Valetta ex K			4	4
6/3/73	Triadic ex E				2
18/5/73	Baron Dunmore		1		1
21/5/73	Triadic ex A	7	5		

1/6/73	Temple Hall	2			2
23/7/73	Temple Hall		6		7
13/8/73	Triadic	4	3		
3/9/73	Mersk Captain	1			
18/9/73	Triadic ex B				8
27/9/73	Temple Hall	1			
9/10/73	Centaur				1
14/10/73	Baron Dunmore ex K				3
18/10/73	Temple Hall ex B				2
24/10/73	Triadic		4		1
16/11/73	Aspilos ex K		2		7
21/11/73	Constructor ex K		1		1
26/11/73	Centaur	2	16		1
7/1/1974	Centaur	14	49		4
13/2/74	Venabu ³⁹				1
18/2/74	Triadic ex B	5	3		
5/3/74	Frumenten				1
29/3/74	Frumenten		3		3
4/4/74	Cunard Chieftan ex E	1	1		
11/4/74	Triadic			3	2
4/6/74	Centaur	6	43		1
10/6/74	Triadic ex K		5		3
17/6/74	Panorinos ex K				1
21/6/74	Baron Dunmore		2		1
15/7/74	Centaur ⁴⁰	18	58		
17/7/74	Baron Dunmore ex E	2	3		
29/7/74	Triadic ex B	1	2		
20/8/74	Cape Hawk ex K	1			
16/9/74	Triadic ex B	1	3		
30/10/74	Cape Hawk ex K	2	3		
25/11/74	Cape Hawk	4	6		
6/12/74	Triadic	1	3		
7/2/1975	Cape Hawk	1			
7/4/75	Triadic ex G	1			
10/4/75	Cape Hawk	1	1		
17/4/75	Baron Cawdor	1			
5/5/75	Cape Hawk	3	3		
14/7/75	Centaur	13	54		
25/8/75	Centaur	11	62		
24/10/75	Cape Hawk	3	4		
27/10/75	Centaur	9	51		
6/11/75	HMAS Diamantina	4	2		
17/11/75	Cape Hawk	2	1		
24/12/75	Triadic ex B	1	3		
30/12/75	Cape Hawk	1	4		
6/1/1976	Centaur	23	89		
18/1/76	Triadic	1	1		
19/1/76	Nella Dan ⁴¹	6			
16/2/76	Centaur	12	71		
5/4/76	Stirling Range	1	3		
20/4/76	Centaur	9	73		
10/5/76	Centaur	12	51		
25/5/76	Stirling Range	3	6		

31/5/76	Centaur	13	41		
8/6/76	Stirling Range	1			
21/6/76	Centaur	13	57		
13/7/76	Centaur	18	55		
2/8/76	Centaur	4	54		
11/8/76	Stirling Range	1			
23/8/76	Centaur	14	49		
1/9/76	Baron Pentland	2			
13/9/76	Centaur	14	54		
25/10/76	Centaur	15	64		
12/11/76	Baron Pentland	4	3		
22/11/76	Centaur	13	34		
3/12/76	Baron Pentland	2	8		
14/12/76	Centaur	30	70		
21/1/1977	Nella Dan	6			
24/1/77	Centaur	20	68		
14/2/77	Centaur	7	35		
18/4/77	Centaur	13	78		
9/5/77	Centaur	9	42		
30/5/77	Centaur	17	70		
20/6/77	Centaur	12	41		
11/7/77	Centaur	13	65		
22/8/77	Centaur	17	66		
13/9/77	Centaur	31	64		
3/10/77	Centaur	10	51		
24/10/77	Centaur	12	64		
21/11/77	Centaur	15	19		
12/12/77	Centaur	32	77		
24/1/1978	Nella Dan	5		1	
13/1/78	Centaur	36	99		
7/3/78	Centaur	27	97		
28/3/78	Centaur	28	64		
30/5/78	Centaur ⁴²				
7/6/78	Cape Otway	1	3		
24/7/1979	Centaur ⁴³	2	5		
27/8/79	Centaur	13	24		
18/9/79	Centaur ⁴³	7	3		
16/10/79	Centaur ⁴³	2	4		
13/11/79	Centaur ⁴⁴	3	6		
28/11/79	Baron Murray	2	7		
13/12/79	Centaur	2	7	1	
4/3/1980	Centaur	1	11		
25/3/80	Centaur	1	8		
22/4/80	Centaur ⁴⁵	4 R	20		
13/5/80	Centaur	1	3		
4/6/80	Centaur	4	6		
11/7/80	Cape Hawk ex A	2	13		
29/7/80	Centaur	1	15		
19/8/80	Centaur	2	2		
9/9/80	Centaur	3	4		
7/10/80	Centaur	4	8		
4/11/80	Centaur	2	23		
25/11/80	Centaur	3	6		
16/12/80	Centaur		21		

16/12/80	Sea Honey ⁴⁶	1			
3/3/1981	Centaur	1	3		
28/4/81	Centaur	2	3	1	
23/6/81	Centaur	1	41		
18/8/81	Centaur	2	2		
24/11/81	Centaur	1			
2/3/1982	Cape Trafalgar	1			
12/1/1983	Cape Otway		53		
18/7/83	Cape Hawk		63		

Ex A = Albany; B = Bunbury; E = Esperance; G = Geraldton; K = Kwinana
Mail carried by rail to Fremantle

- 1 ex Heard Island
- 2 Unusually large Christmas mail from UK and ports
- 3 ex Cocos Island
- 4 Probably returning from completion of Cocos airstrip
- 4a Goteburg and Cocos island
- 4b Mail landed at Quarantine Station. Rec 8/8/54 no waybills
- 5 Overcarried 34 bags for Bombay. Shipped Iberia 6/5/55
- 6 From UK 11 mail bags and 40 parcel bags short
- 7 Nil mail due to strike in UK
- 8 By rail from Albany
- 9 Do
- 10 By rail from Geraldton
- 11 In the preceeding 4 months there were 3 vessels from Nauru/Ocean Island
In the following years, occasional vessels carried mail from those islands
- 12 Largest Christmas mail to date possibly due to infrequent shipping
- 13 From Antarctic
- 14 From Rottneest
- 15 No obvious explanation
- 16 From Antarctic
- 17 Vietnam via Singapore
- 18 From St Paul and New Amsterdam
- 19 Ex Hamburg container
- 20 Late Christmas mail
- 20a Singapore 14 mail bags and 59 parcel bags
- 21 ex Rotterdam/UK containers
- 22 50 bags short
- 23 ex Port Louis – only Australian port of call
- 24 ex Mawson/Casey
- 25 Ship mail to San Fransisco. I bag also on 8/9 and 9/9
- 26 ex Singapore, Christmas Island, HMAS Diamantina
- 27 Kerguelen to Paris
- 28 Capetown (Amsterdam Island)
- 29 ex Mawson etc
- 30 Overcarried Christmas Island
- 31 HMAS Diamantina (2 bags)
- 32 Mawson
- 33 ex Singapore and Christmas Island (the bags consigned to Fremantle)
This applies to other voyages on which Centaur diverted to Christmas island
- 34 HMAS Swan also 25 bags Ships mail to Sydney
HMAS Hobart 44 bags Ships mail to Sydney and 1 Parcel bag
- 35 With HMNZS Taranaki
- 36 via train ex Bunbury
- 37 by train

38 Mawson, Davis

39 Fwd by air to E/S to Lyttleton NZ

40 Christmas Island Airport opened on 6/6/1974. Centaur southbound from Singapore occasionally called at Christmas Island

41 Davis, Mawson

42 For the next 12 months Centaur does not list Christmas Island mail. This voyage Pt Kelang 3/20, Singapore 12/46, Moscow 21

43 Christmas Island mail

44 Plus Cocos Island 11 bags parcels

45 Forwarded AAA Charter 22/4/80

46 St Martin de Vivies forwarded to Paris QF 15 16/12/80