

# CIRCULAR



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## Holiday Trading 1999 & Australia Day 2000

The Board has now determined holiday trading for 1999 and Australia Day 2000. For ease of reference, this Circular sets out the arrangements in full.

Date	Daytime Sessions	Evening Sessions
<b>Friday, 1 January 1999</b> New Years Day	Closed	
<b>Monday, 18 January 1999</b> Martin Luther King Day (US)	Normal trading hours	Closes at midnight
<b>Friday, 1 January 1999</b> New Years Day	Closed	
<b>Tuesday, 26 January 1999</b> Australia Day	Closed	
<b>Monday, 15 February 1999</b> Presidents Day (US)	Normal trading hours	
<b>Thursday, 1 April 1999</b> Easter Thursday	SPI® & ISFs close at 1.15 pm, Financial Contracts at 4.30 pm	Closes at midnight
<b>Friday, 2 April 1999</b> Good Friday	Closed	
<b>Monday, 5 April 1999</b> Easter Monday	Closed	
<b>Monday, 26 April 1999 *</b> ANZAC Day Victorian business day	Normal trading hours	
<b>Monday, 3 May 1999</b> May Day (UK)	Normal trading hours	
<b>Monday, 31 May 1999</b> Memorial Day (US) Spring Bank Holiday (UK)	Normal trading hours	Closes at midnight
<b>Monday, 14 June 1999</b> Queen's Birthday	Closed	
<b>Monday, 5 July 1999</b> Independence Day (US)	Normal trading hours	Closes at midnight

<b>Monday, 2 August 1999</b> August Bank Holiday	Normal trading hours	
<b>Monday, 30 August 1999</b> Summer Bank Holiday (UK)	Normal trading hours	
<b>Monday, 6 September 1999</b> Labor Day (US)	Normal trading hours	Closes at midnight
<b>Monday, 4 October 1999</b> Labour Day	Normal trading hours	
<b>Monday, 11 October 1999</b> Columbus Day (US)	Normal trading hours	
<b>Thursday, 11 November 1999</b> Veterans Day (US)	Normal trading hours	
<b>Monday, 25 November 1999</b> Thanksgiving (US)	Normal trading hours	
<b>Friday, 24 December 1999</b> Christmas Eve (observed US & UK)	Trading sessions ceases at 12.30 pm for Financial Contracts and 1.15 pm for SPI® & ISFs	Closed
<b>Monday, 27 December 1999</b> Boxing Day	Closed	
<b>Tuesday, 28 December 1999</b> **	Closed	Closed
<b>Friday, 31 December 1999</b>	Trading ceases at 12.30 pm for Financial Contracts and 1.15 pm for SPI® & ISFs	Closed
<b>Wednesday, 26 January 2000</b> Australia Day	Closed	

\* On Monday, 26 April 1999, Victoria and Tasmania are not observing the ANZAC Day Holiday as is the rest of Australia. The ASX has therefore declared Monday, 26 April 1999 as a trading day and SEATS will be open for trading.

\*\* Tuesday, 28 December 1999 is not a public holiday in NSW but is a Christmas Day Holiday "in lieu" in other states. The ASX will be closed.

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