

4 DAY EXPLORER PACKAGE

RED CENTRE SAFARI

\$1379

PER
PERSON
TWIN
SHARE

ULURU • KATA TJUTA • WATARRKA (KINGS CANYON)

THE OFFER

There are some destinations that change you. More than just a holiday spot, they take you out of your comfort zone, opening your eyes to the depth and diversity around us. The Aussie Outback is one of them. It's a beautiful, historical and deeply spiritual wilderness that, though often dismissed as being too far away, is actually more accessible than ever. Are you ready to answer its call?

This intimate four day tour ex Ayers Rock Airport (Yulara) is a chance to tick off the icons of the outback like never before, with air-conditioned 4WD transport and a 'million star' accommodation experience at a permanent campsite. Raise a glass to the sunset over sacred Uluru, stroll amid the towering Valley of the Winds at Kata Tjuta, marvel at the cliffs of Kings Canyon, learn about the outback way of life from indigenous custodians, and enjoy free time at the Ayers Rock Resort. Each night, share a meal and stories with new-found friends in the warm light of the campfire. Includes a signature 'Endless Star' dining experience, three nights accommodation, eight meals and more.

Want to do more? An optional camel ride is also available on tour.

4 DAY TOUR

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Day 1 Arrive - Uluru (Ayers Rock) - Kata Tjuta (The Olgas)

Make your own way to Uluru. The tour begins directly from Ayers Rock Airport where you will be met and transported the short distance to Uluru-Kata Tjuta National Park.

The afternoon is dedicated to exploring this extraordinary monolith, starting with a walk led by your guide, and hearing of the Indigenous law and religion (Tjukurpa) of this area. Learn about the art and culture of the local custodians, the Anangu people, and visit the acclaimed Cultural Centre where you can explore the displays and learn of the flora and fauna unique to this area.

Experience the changing colours of Uluru at sunset, complete with sparkling wine and nibbles and plenty of photo opportunities. This is a great time to kick back and contemplate the vastness of the desert while getting to know your fellow travellers. Afterwards settle in at the private camp, complete with the signature Endless Star dining experience before retiring for the night.

Overnight: Permanent Campsite

Meals included: Dinner

Day 2 Uluru / Kata Tjuta Sunrise - Kings Creek Station

Rising early, take a short walk to a lookout close to the campsite to view sunrise over Uluru and Kata Tjuta, without the hustle and bustle of the public viewing areas, before heading off to Kata Tjuta for a walk through the 'Valley of the Winds'. Afterwards, continue to Kings Creek Cattle Station for the second night's remote private bush camp, complete with flushing bush toilets and hot showers. With nobody else for miles, this camp has stunning views out over the George

Gill Ranges and gives you a real feel for the outback. Dinner around the campfire makes for a very social time with another night out under the stars. Tonight, listen for the sound of dingos howling in the distance while watching the desert sky light up above you.

Overnight: Permanent Campsite

Meals included: Breakfast;Lunch;Dinner

Day 3 Watarrka (Kings Canyon) National Park

Today head to Watarrka (Kings Canyon) for a mind blowing 6km walk through the towering walls, crevices and plateaus of Watarrka. Visit the Amphitheatre, Lost City and the tranquil 'Garden of Eden'. Afterwards travel a short distance to the next stop to enjoy a well-earned lunch followed by the opportunity to immerse yourself in an authentic indigenous cultural experience. Enjoy a leisurely guided walk with indigenous custodians while learning about bush tucker and the healing powers of bush medicine, and gain an insight into Aboriginal dot painting.

Late afternoon, start returning to Uluru for the final night in the outback, you'll have the chance to visit the camel farm (optional) to experience one of the oldest forms of transport in the desert before settling in for our last dinner together around the campfire.

Overnight: Permanent Campsite

Meals included: Breakfast;Lunch;Dinner

Day 4 Ayers Rock Resort - Depart

Enjoy your final breakfast in the Outback before travelling to Ayers Rock Resort. Here you will have free time to explore

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some of the Resort facilities or participate in a range of free activities from Museum Tours to Bush Yarns before making your own onwards travel or boarding the airport shuttle to meet your flight.

Please note: Itinerary may change due to cultural reasons, seasonal changes, operational logistics, and accessibility.

Meals included: Breakfast

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TOUR INCLUSIONS

HIGHLIGHTS

- Tick off the icons of the Outback by 4WD
- Visit spectacular Uluru, Kata Tjuta and Kings Canyon
- Explore the extraordinary Uluru monolith on a guided tour
- Experience the desert driving on dirt roads
- Witness a majestic sunrise over Uluru with a glass of sparkling wine
- Explore the Valley of the Winds at Kata Tjuta (The Olgas)
- Admire the stunning view of the George Gill Ranges
- Journey through the desert along dusty dirt roads
- Experience a walk through the towering walls, crevices and plateaus of Kings Canyon
- Visit the Amphitheatre, Lost City and the tranquil 'Garden of Eden'
- Learn about the outback way of life from indigenous custodians
- Witness stunning night skies around the campfire
- Enjoy free time at leisure at Ayers Rock resort

ACCOMMODATION

- 3 nights in private permanent campsites
- Sleep under the stars in comfortable safari tents with beds

DINING

- Enjoy 8 meals including daily breakfast

TOUR ESSENTIALS

- Two professional guides
- Uluru - Kata Tjuta National Park Fees
- Camping equipment, permit and fees
- Drinking water

TRANSPORT

- Travel by air-conditioned 4WD vehicle

TRANSFERS

- Return airport transfers

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

**Please note: All information provided in this brochure is subject to both change and availability. Prior to purchase please check the current deal for up-to-date information. If you have already purchased this deal, the terms and conditions on your Purchase Confirmation apply and take precedence over the information in this brochure.*

BOOKING INFORMATION

On purchasing this Travel Offer you are bound by the General Terms and Conditions, in addition to the specific terms and conditions outlined in this Important Information.

Booking Guarantee:

Booking is subject to final confirmation from the tour provider. If you do not receive an email from the tour provider within 7 Business Days please contact TripADeal. If the selected dates cannot be secured an alternative date can be selected. In the event no available dates are suitable, a full refund will be provided.

Please refrain from booking travel arrangements prior to final email confirmation from the accommodation provider.

Please note: all additional charges are payable direct to your Travel Consultant in NZD (unless otherwise stated).

OFFER ESSENTIALS

Travel offer is valid for travel on selected dates until the 31st March 2022.

This travel offer is priced for one person based on twin share.

Single Traveller Supplement

For solo travellers a mandatory single supplement of \$300.00 applies. This guarantees a single permanent tent during the Safari.

Travel Period

01 April 2021 – 31 March 2022

Departures available every Monday, Wednesday and Friday

ACCOMMODATION

Accommodation Used

Comfort Camping

Private, and often exclusive, campsites

featuring permanent pre-erected tents with beds and linen. All camps have hot showers and toilet facilities.

Please note: Accommodation/rooms offered are based on a lead-in room type, and are subject to availability based on seasonality.

Extra Nights

Not Available

Maximum Room Capacity

2 People.

Child Policy

- Children aged 5 - 15 can travel for \$1129.00 per child (please enquire with our customer service team).

- Full price applies for all children travelling with their parents over 15 years old.

Please note: Children must be accompanied by a responsible adult 18 years old and over to travel. No unaccompanied minors allowed.

Triple Share

Not Available

Bedding Configuration

2 x Single Beds

GENERAL TOUR INFORMATION

Minimum group size 2, maximum group size 18 per vehicle.

Optional Tours / Activities

Day 3 - Camel Farm: Visit and camel ride approx. \$80-\$135 per person, depending on options chosen

Please note:

- Prices are based on per person, are subject to availability, time permitting and weather conditions, and are payable direct to the tour operator in the currency specified

- Some tours require minimum numbers to operate.

EXCLUSIONS

- Flights / transfers not stated in the itinerary
- Meals / beverages not stated in the itinerary
- Optional gratuities/tipping
- Optional activities/tours
- Personal expenses

- Travel insurance (Strongly recommended)

OTHER IMPORTANT INFORMATION

4WD SAFARI INFORMATION

Luggage is restricted to 10kg per person in a soft bag or backpack. Due to limited space on the vehicle please restrict luggage to one day pack and one soft bag or backpack.

WHAT TO BRING

Torch, wide brimmed hat, sunscreen, insect repellent, water bottle (1.5 litres), walking shoes/boots, sleeping bag (if you prefer to use your own), toiletries, swimwear, towel, camera, comfortable and casual clothing for 4 days.

TOUR GUIDE

Often locals with intimate knowledge of an area, its culture, and history. Their role entails providing commentary, routing the tour, and seeing that people have a good time. They are a licensed, qualified expert who supplies specific information on history, art, architecture and culture of the city/village/attraction in which he or she is guiding the tour. The guide meets the group at the required place and leaves the group at the end of the tour, they do not travel with the group.

CLIMATE & AVERAGE TEMPERATURES

Uluru

The climate of Uluru and the Red Centre is one of extremes, with hot summers and cold winters.

Summer (December – February)

In summer average temperatures range from 20 - 35°C, and can soar to around 40°C. January is the wettest month with around 40mm of rainfall, however the climate is considered dry and arid for most of the year.

Autumn (March – May)

Autumn is one of the best times to visit Ayers Rock, with warm days and cool nights. Average temperatures range from 12 - 27°C.

Winter (June – August)

During winter, average temperatures fall between 4.8 - 20°C, with July being the coolest month. Nighttime temperatures can drop below 0°C and thick frost on the ground can resemble a carpet of snow.



IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Spring (September – November)

In spring the weather begins to warm up with average temperatures between 13.8 - 30.6°C. It can bring spectacular thunderstorms and cool evenings.

Meals

Most meals are included in the tour, for all other meals; lunches and dinners the tour leader (when available) will offer assistance with reservations, suggestions and directions to local restaurants. It is your responsibility to notify TripADeal of any dietary requests/requirements. Please note; we will do our best to meet your requests/requirements, however cannot guarantee that we will always be able to.

Luggage

- You will be responsible for all your personal belongings whilst on the tour.

- There is a luggage limit of 10kg per person + a small carry-on day pack. Please, no hard-shell or plastic suitcases. Please pack the items you will need for the trip in the daypack to avoid having to access your main bag frequently.

OTHER

Fitness Level Required / Mobility

Our vehicles are not equipped with wheelchair access, so unfortunately our tours are currently not suitable for wheelchair users and those less mobile.

Please note:

- A general level of fitness will be required. If you have any concerns please consult your healthcare provider prior to purchase/travel.

- All passengers over 70 years of age will be required to complete a Medical Assessment Form prior to travel.

- The areas in which the tour operates vary greatly in terrain and weather conditions. Travellers may be required to undertake walking experiences up to 4 hours in duration in challenging conditions. Travellers must be aware that depending on which region the tour is visiting & the weather season in which you are travelling, you could encounter extremes of heat (40C+) or cold (-5C).

- The tour has two guides for the entire trip, for taking customers on walks with different fitness levels, where one guide can do longer

walks with the fitter members of the group, and the other guide can do a shorter walk for those less mobile.

- By law, it is required that customers advise TripADeal or our travel partners in Australia of any pre-existing medical conditions &/or Dietary conditions before they join the tour. Customers may also be asked at the time of each tour commencement to sign a liability waiver.

Gratuities / Tipping

Gratuities (tips) are not included in the tour price for services of the tour leader (when available) and driver throughout the tour. Tipping is optional and at the customers own discretion.

Sightseeing

Please note: In the event entrance to a site is affected by changes in operating hours or public holiday closures, your itinerary where possible, will be adjusted or an similar activity will be offered in its place (subject to availability).

VISAS

A tourist visa is not required for Australia when travelling on a New Zealand passport.

Please note: Passengers who are not New Zealand citizens must check with the respective consulate or visa agency to determine what their visa requirements are and what personal identification is required. It is also important to note, some areas of employment such as journalism, government authorities and charity organisations may have additional restrictions in applying for Visas. This may in turn affect the type of application required.

INSURANCE

We are proud to offer a range of travel insurance products - please ask your Travel Consultant for more information.

SCHEDULE OF FEES

Post-Purchase Change

This includes booking changes requested by you, including but not limited to those changes requiring an airline ticket or a Purchase Confirmation reissue.

- \$50 NZD per change request post-purchase + any additional charges applied by the travel partners associated with the order.

Supplier Fees

In the event the Travel Offer you have purchased is unable to proceed, and/or a travel Supplier is unable to fulfil the Travel Offer due to external circumstances (Limitation of Liability e.g. a Force Majeure event), there may be a fee or amount of money that is withheld by our Suppliers and is unrecoverable. This may be due to non-refundable airline tickets, cancellation penalties with cruise cabins or unrecoverable payments with our land/accommodation partners. TripADeal has committed to these costs as your Agent and will endeavour to recover all funds committed and/or paid for your Travel Offer, but this may not be possible in all circumstances. If refunds are not available from Suppliers, we will endeavour to obtain a travel credit on the best terms available and communicate these outcomes to you. In the event, TripADeal is unable to obtain a refund or travel service credit, or part thereof, this cost is passed on to the customer as a Supplier Fee. This fee is not revenue-raising and is paid to or withheld by our suppliers when recovering payments.

