



OUTBACK TRACK TOURS

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BOOKING FORM

PLEASE COMPLETE THE BOOKING FORM BELOW (IN BLOCK LETTERS) AND RETURN IT TO OUTBACK TRACK TOURS TOGETHER WITH A DEPOSIT OF \$200 PER PERSON, UNLESS OTHERWISE SPECIFIED ON YOUR TOUR BROCHURE, TO CONFIRM YOUR BOOKING. THE BALANCE IS PAYABLE 45 DAYS PRIOR TO DEPARTURE. FOR YOUR INFORMATION PLEASE READ THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS ON THE REVERSE.

Please note the following information is essential in order for us to confirm your booking.

PASSENGER DETAILS:

MR/MRS/MISS/MSTER/MS	SURNAME:	FIRST NAME:	DOB:
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
ADDRESS:		SUBURB & POSTCODE:	
<input type="text"/>		<input type="text"/>	
HOME PH:	BUS. PH:	MOBILE:	EMAIL:
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>

TOUR DETAILS:

TOUR NAME:	TOUR DATE:	TOUR FARE:	DEPOSIT PER PERSON:
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Are you a member of Birds Australia, Birds NSW or other birding club Yes No			
Which club? _____			

ANY SPECIAL EVENINGS (BIRTHDAY'S)	DIETARY REQUIREMENTS:	MEDICAL CONDITIONS:
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>

DO YOU REQUIRE: PLEASE TICK WHAT YOU NEED

<input type="checkbox"/> CAMP STRETCHER (\$4pp/nt)	<input type="checkbox"/> SINGLE SUPPLEMENT (ONLY ON ACCOMMODATED TOURS)	<input type="checkbox"/> PRE TOUR ACCOMM. Available in Alice Springs only	DATES REQUIRED:	<input type="text"/>
<input type="checkbox"/> SINGLE TENT (\$4pp/nt)	<input type="checkbox"/> ACCOMMODATED OPTION (AVAILABLE FOR CAMPING TOURS WHERE WE STAY AT CARAVAN PARKS)	<input type="checkbox"/> POST TOUR ACCOMM. Available only Alice Springs & Darwin	DATES REQUIRED:	<input type="text"/>
<input type="checkbox"/> TRAVEL INSURANCE	PRE EXISTING CONDITIONS? Y/N ARE YOU OVER 70? Y/N	Please advise pre-existing conditions?		

EMERGENCY DETAILS:

SURNAME:	FIRST NAME:	ADDRESS:
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
HOME NUMBER:	BUS. NUMBER:	RELATIONSHIP:
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>

DEPOSIT: (Please refer to the tour brochure for deposit required per person)

Please find attached my cheque made out to Outback Track Tours Pty Ltd for or debit my credit card for being deposit for the above tour. My card details are VISA/MASTERCARD (please circle).

Please note: A 3% credit card surcharge is applicable to cover bank charges for all transactions over \$250.

Card No.: Expiry date: Name on credit card:

I agree to accept Outback Track Tours' terms and conditions set out on the reverse, which are the basis of this contract and agree to be bound thereby. Furthermore, I confirm that I am authorised to sign this contract and accept its conditions for all other persons whose names appear on this form.

AUTHORISED SIGNATURE:	DATE:
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>

Office use only:

Date Received:	Tour Code:	Initials:
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>



BOOKINGS TERMS AND CONDITIONS:

DEPOSIT: A deposit of AUD \$250 per person, unless otherwise specified on the tour brochure, is payable to Outback Track Tours (herein referred to as OTT) to confirm your booking.

BALANCE: The balance of the tour is payable 45 days prior to departure. The monies paid in respect of the tour arrangements shall not be deemed to be received by or on behalf of OTT until the actual payment and the issue by OTT of a receipt.

CANCELLATION POLICY: In the event of cancellation the following levies apply.

Notice received: 45 days+ 50 % of deposit
44-10 days 80% of full fare
9-0 days 100% of full fare

No refund will be made if you fail to join the tour on the departure date. Alternatively, the full monies paid, less the transfer fee may be transferred to another OTT tour package. No refund will be made in respect of accommodation or any other services which are included in the holiday prices and not utilised by the passenger.

TRAVEL INSURANCE: We strongly recommend that you take out comprehensive travel insurance cover for health, baggage and personal effects, loss of monies through cancellation, additional expenses incurred through illness and personal liability prior to travel. OTT can organise travel insurance for your tour, please contact the office for a quote.

TRANSFER FEE: Should you wish to alter your original booking, an additional fee of AUD\$50 per booking is levied for the transfer.

RESPONSIBILITY: OTT and/or its agents give notice that all tickets and all arrangements for transport or conveyance, or for hotel/motel/camp ground accommodation are run by them as Agents upon the express condition that they will not be liable for any injury. Damage, loss, accident, delay or irregularity which may be occasioned either by reason or any defect in any vehicle, or through arrangements of the tour(s) or otherwise in connection therewith, or of any hotel/motel camp ground proprietor or servant. OTT and/or its Agents accept no responsibility for losses or additional expenses due to delays or changes in train, motor, sea vessel, air or other services, sickness, weather, strikes or other causes. All such losses will have to be borne by the passenger. No refunds will be made for services provided but not utilised: The Transportation Companies or Firms shall be exempt from all liability in respect of any defection, delay, loss, damage, sickness or injury, however or by whoever caused and of whatever kind occurring of or to the passenger at any time when the passenger is not on board a carrier or conveyance used or operated by the Transportation Companies or Firms. The passenger contract as used by the Transportation Companies or Firms shall constitute the sole contract between the Transportation Companies or Firms and the purchaser of this tour(s) and/or passenger. All tickets, deposit receipts and accommodation vouchers are furnished and issued subject to all respects to these terms and conditions under which the means of transportation or other services provided thereby are offered or supplied by owners, operators, public carriers, Managing Agents or Agents

ARBITRATION: The Contract and these conditions shall be governed in all respects by the laws of New South Wales, Australia. Should the unlikely situation arise that you have a complaint about

any aspect of OTT's arrangements the complaint should be reported immediately to OTT's office and to the management of the hotel or supplier whose services are involved, in order that we may be given the opportunity to correct the matter during your tour. OTT is unable to consider any complaints in respect of tour arrangements unless full details are received in writing at OTT's office. Any legal action arising under the contract shall be litigated only in the appropriate Court on the State of New South Wales, Australia.

GENERAL CONDITIONS: These tours involve travel in outback areas and OTT reserves the right to cancel, abandon, alter, amend or modify itineraries or accommodation as necessitated by weather, road and other operational conditions prevailing at the time each tour takes place. Any personal expenses incurred by a passenger as a result of any delay, alteration or curtailment of any tour, whether caused by mechanical defect, flooding or any other cause are the responsibility of the passenger.

OTT is unable to guarantee exact arrival and departure times and is not liable for any failure to make connection with any other service due to the nature of the terrain, remoteness and sometimes harsh conditions.

In the event of unforeseen circumstance occurring, OTT reserves the right to substitute the tour vehicle with a vehicle which is considered suitable to the type of terrain and conditions prevailing. The driver has the right to remove any passengers whose conduct seriously inconveniences or jeopardises the enjoyment of others. In this instance, all accommodation and further travel included in the package will be cancelled. OTT accepts no liability for such action or for any loss incurred and refunds are not payable. In these terms and conditions the passenger includes the person making the booking and each and every person whose behalf such person books the tour arrangements and every person who thereby participates or travels pursuant to those arrangements. Words indicating person shall include companies. Words indicating the singular shall include the plural. Words indicating gender shall include all genders. Services include goods. Whilst OTT has sought to ensure the information supplied is correct no responsibility or liability can be accepted by OTT for any accident, delay, misdescription, missed connection, loss injury or damage for services provided therein.

PRICES: All our tour costs listed in tour brochures are in Australian Dollars and are quoted per person. Accommodation is based on twin share basis, or as stated in various itineraries. If you prefer not to share, the sole use of your tent can be arranged at an extra cost per night. Single tents are subject to availability on request. Prices and itineraries are based on current arrangements with the service providers and are subject to change with or without notice.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT: OTT would like to thank the Northern Territory, South Australian tourist commissions and past passengers for making various photographs available for tour brochures.

HOW TO BOOK YOUR TOUR: To book your tour, contact our office. We recommend you book early to avoid disappointment.

TOUR COSTS INCLUDE: All vehicle travel, camping fees, accommodation costs and admission fees as shown in the tour itinerary. Meals – full breakfast, picnic lunches and full

cooked dinner, unless otherwise stated in the itinerary. Camping equipment – tents, vinyl covered foam mattresses, stoves, stools, tables, camp kitchen safari wagon, first aid and cooking equipment. Australian Government Goods and Services Tax is included in all tour fares.

TOUR DOES NOT INCLUDE: The occasional meals where indicated on the tour itinerary. Any optional activity mentioned in the brochure, as these activities depend on individual choice. Any accommodation costs incurred due to non-connection of flights or other transportation service will be the passenger's responsibility. Items of a personal nature, phone calls, mini bar etc., sleeping bag, personal eating utensils.

TWO WAY RADIO: All vehicles operating these tours are equipped with High Frequency Radio or satellite phones.

SMOKING POLICY: Smoking is not permitted on vehicles. Smoking is restricted to frequent stops during the day.

SEAT ROTATION: While on the tour the driver will set in motion compulsory seat rotation system to ensure that every passenger enjoys forward and window seating in a manner that benefits all. Note: Reserved seating is not available.

OUTBACK CONDITIONS: Being able to cope with dusty conditions and remoteness in the Australian Outback is essential. Persons who suffer from a lack of tolerance or are not of general good health should not consider an Outback 4WD Safari.

TOUR ITINERARY: Due to weather conditions and limited accessibility in some areas, itineraries may need adjusting to enable the operation of the tour to run smoothly.

DUTIES: where a driver and cook are present on tours passengers are not rostered duties, however, a helping hand is warmly appreciated. In the event of a very small tour where there is only a driver a roster system will apply. This makes everyone feel part of the team – loading/unloading equipment, camp duties and assistance with meals.

LUGGAGE LIMITS: Each passenger is entitled to take one backpack with a weight of 20kgs (44lbs). Personal items such as camera etc should be carried in your day bag on board the vehicle.

GENERAL WHAT TO WEAR & BRING: You may find that the Outback sun is stronger and warmer than what you are accustomed to. Hats, sunglasses and other sun protection items are necessary – even in the winter months. We travel through various climate zones. Temperature differences between night and day are extreme in the outback. December – February are the warmest and wettest months in the tropic north June – August is winter. When in the south and in the outback, you encounter night temperatures near freezing point, although the days are quite warm. Clothing should be casual and footwear comfortable. Practical clothing, which you can remove a 'layer' at a time. Some restaurants and hotels may request 'neat and casual dress' and refuse admittance to persons in thongs and T-shirt. If you need special medication; it is advisable to bring your own adequate supply for the trip's duration.