

14 day fully escorted premium Kimberley & Kakadu



Spectacular sightseeing experiences

- Relax in tropical Broome
 - Cruise through Geikie Gorge
 - Lirrgarn Argyle Diamond Mine
 - Cruise on Chamberlain Gorge
 - Relax in the thermal pools at El Questro Wilderness Park
 - Parry Lagoon Nature Reserve
 - Visit Warriu Park
 - Hidden Valley National Park
 - Ord River wildlife cruise
 - Visit Durack Homestead
 - Katherine Gorge Cruise
 - Sightseeing tour of Darwin
 - Kakadu National Park
 - Yellow Water Billabong cruise
 - Guluyambi Cruise
 - Aboriginal rock art at Ubirr
- INCLUDED Aboriginal Cultural Experience



Premium holiday inclusions

Transportation

- Tour by luxury air-conditioned coach with 2-door access, restroom, seatbelts, reclining seats, panoramic windows

Professionally Escorted

- Tour with an experienced, professional Tour Director and Tour Driver Days 1-10. Driver/Guide Days 11-14

Dining Inclusions

- Full Buffet Breakfasts (13) **B**
- Lunches (4) **L**
- Hotel Dinners (8) **D**

Accommodation

- Twin share rooms with private facilities in centrally located hotels. 2 nights in tented cabins with en suites

Plus

- Welcome drink
- Travel wallet and map
- Airport transfers (Day 1 from Broome Airport - flights anytime; Day 14 to Darwin Airport - flights anytime)
- Hotel portorage included



Itinerary

Day 1: Arrive Broome

On arrival in Broome you will be transferred to your hotel. Enjoy a welcome drink with your Tour Director and fellow travelling companions.

Hotel: Cable Beach Club Resort, Broome, 2 nights.

Day 2: Broome 'Free Time'

Today is at leisure to explore this tropical hideaway. Enjoy a leisurely stroll along the 22 kilometres of pristine sand and swim in the turquoise blue water that is Cable Beach. Wander through Chinatown or shop for pearls. This evening sit back, relax and watch the spectacular sunset over the Indian Ocean. Or you may like to take a camel ride along Cable Beach. Ask your Tour Director for details. **B**

Day 3: Fitzroy Crossing

Travel to the Port of Derby, the oldest established town in the Kimberley, located at the base of King Sound. Visit the famous Prison Boab Tree, believed to be around 1,500 years old and used by the first police as an overnight holding cell. Travel through some of Australia's biggest pastoral properties to the remote township of Fitzroy Crossing created by the early settlers to ford the mighty Fitzroy River.

Hotel: Fitzroy River Lodge, Fitzroy Crossing. **B D**

Day 4: Geikie Gorge

This morning cruise through Geikie Gorge, which was formed by the waters of the Fitzroy River tunnelling through the Napier Range. During the wet season, the Fitzroy River rises over 16 metres, staining the limestone walls of the gorge and flooding the national park with seven metres of water. In the dry season, the river transforms itself into a quiet stream strung beneath the towering cliffs of the Devonian Reef. Watch for freshwater crocodile, fruit bats and wallabies as the 30 metre high walls of the gorge tower above us. Travel to Halls Creek, situated on the edge of the Great Sandy Desert, at the doorstep to the majestic World Heritage listed Purnululu National Park.

Hotel: Kimberley Hotel, Halls Creek. **B L D**

Day 5: Lirrgarn Argyle Diamond Mine

Journey north of Halls Creek and enter the Argyle mining lease. A local guide will join us and conduct a tour of Lirrgarn Argyle Diamond Mine, the world's largest diamond mine, which produces one quarter of the world's diamonds annually. This afternoon travel to El Questro Wilderness Park, a million acres in the heart of the Kimberley. Brimming with natural wonders including magnificent mountain ranges, rivers,



YELLOW WATER BILLABONG CRUISE (DAY 12)

gorges, thermal springs and vast stretches of spinifex plain, it is truly one of the world's few remaining wild frontiers.

Hotel: Emma Gorge Resort, tented cabins with private facilities, 2 nights. **B L D**

Day 6: El Questro

Cruise through Chamberlain Gorge, a three-kilometre fresh waterhole fringed by tropical vegetation and 60 metre tall escarpments. Keep your eyes peeled for fresh water crocodiles sunning themselves as you glide past. At Emma Gorge Resort there is time to sit by the pool or to hike into Emma Gorge for a refreshing swim in the waterhole. **B D**

Day 7: Parry Lagoon - Wyndham

This morning we travel along the Gibb River Road to Parry Lagoon Nature Reserve, a haven for birdlife in this region. Continue to Wyndham to the 5 Rivers Lookout for sensational views over the Cambridge Gulf. Visit Warri Park to see the Dreamtime Statues and rock art mural. This afternoon visit the historic Durack Homestead, which was faithfully removed brick by brick and reconstructed to become a pioneer museum. Then cruise along the Ord River from Lake Argyle to Kununurra. This permanent water supply has formed wetland areas, which have become havens for myriads of birds and a variety of marsupials that inhabit the islands in the lake.

Hotel: Country Club Hotel, Kununurra, 2 nights. **B D**

Day 8: Kununurra

After breakfast enjoy a tour of Kununurra, one of the youngest towns in Western Australia which is the hub of local industry for agriculture, tourism and mining in the east Kimberley.

See the Ord River Irrigation Scheme and Hidden Valley National Park, which features 300 million year old sandstone cliffs, often referred to as the 'mini Bungles'. **B D**

BUNGLER BUNGLES OPTION

Scenic Flight over the spectacular Bungle Bungles available today. Please enquire for details.

Day 9: Katherine

Cross vast cattle stations en route to Katherine in the Northern Territory.

Hotel: Paraway Motel, Katherine. **B D**

Day 10: Katherine Gorge

Cruise the placid waters of the Katherine River through the towering cliffs of two gorges. Look out for freshwater crocodiles. This afternoon travel through to the tropical city of Darwin for an orientation tour, stopping at Adelaide River War Cemetery en route.

Hotel: Holiday Inn Esplanade, Darwin, 2 nights. **B D**

INDEPENDENT TOURING DAYS 11-14

Day 11: Darwin 'Free Time'

Enjoy a day at leisure in Darwin. **B**

Day 12: Kakadu National Park

Join your local AAT Kings Driver/Guide this morning. Travel into Kakadu National Park. View ancient Aboriginal art at Nourlangie Rock. At Coolinda, join a wildlife cruise on Yellow Water Billabong. Later visit the Warradjan Aboriginal Cultural Centre.

Hotel: Gagudju Crocodile Holiday Inn, Jabiru. **B L**

Day 13: Kakadu - Darwin

Join the Guluyambi Cruise along the East Alligator River. We have been granted special permission of the local people to go ashore into Arnhem Land. Next stop is Ubirr, with a short walk to view rock art. Visit the Bowali Visitor Centre before returning to Darwin.

Hotel: Holiday Inn Esplanade, Darwin. **B L**

Day 14: Depart Darwin

Your tour concludes this morning after breakfast. You will be transferred to Darwin Airport to connect with your onward flight. **B**

EARLY EAGLE SAVINGS

SAVE up to **\$530** per couple

See Early Eagle savings on page 11 for details

14 days from \$5310 Per Person Twin Share

Optional Single Supplement available on request

Broome to Darwin (WBKD)

\$5310

Per Person Twin Share

\$1565

Single Supplement Option

2010

Start	End
Apr 14	Apr 27
May 19	Jun 01
Jul 14	Jul 27
Jul 28	Aug 10
Aug 18	Aug 31
Sep 08	Sep 21

\$5520

Per Person Twin Share

\$1565

Single Supplement Option

2011

Start	End
Apr 13	Apr 26
May 18	May 31
Jul 13	Jul 26
Jul 27	Aug 09
Aug 17	Aug 30
Sep 07	Sep 20

Darwin to Broome (WDKB)

\$5310

Per Person Twin Share

\$1565

Single Supplement Option

2010

Start	End
Apr 17	Apr 30
May 29	Jun 11
Jun 09	Jun 22
Jun 12	Jun 25
Jun 23	Jul 06
Jun 26	Jul 09
Jun 30	Jul 13
Jul 03	Jul 16
Jul 10	Jul 23
Jul 14	Jul 27
Jul 17	Jul 30
Jul 21	Aug 03
Aug 04	Aug 17
Aug 07	Aug 20
Aug 11	Aug 24
Aug 23	Sep 05
Aug 25	Sep 07
Sep 11	Sep 24
Oct 04	Oct 17

\$5520

Per Person Twin Share

\$1565

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2011

Start	End
Apr 16	Apr 29
May 28	Jun 10
Jun 08	Jun 21
Jun 11	Jun 24
Jun 22	Jul 05
Jun 25	Jul 08
Jun 29	Jul 12
Jul 02	Jul 15
Jul 09	Jul 22
Jul 13	Jul 26
Jul 16	Jul 29
Jul 20	Aug 02
Aug 03	Aug 16
Aug 06	Aug 19
Aug 10	Aug 23
Aug 22	Sep 04
Aug 24	Sep 06
Sep 10	Sep 23
Oct 03	Oct 16

Note: Prices may vary because of fuel surcharge or changes in statutory taxes or charges. See page 43 for details.

■ Highlighted dates indicate Guaranteed Departures

Refer to www.relaxingjourneys.com.au for additional Guaranteed Departure dates.

Discounts

are per person off the above prices	
Child 15 years & under	Save \$1060
King Club	Save \$265
Triple Share / Friendly Fours	Save \$265
Concession Card Holders	Save \$75

See discounts details on page 11. Note: Itinerary & departure dates may change from 01/04/11.