

Kakadu Litchfield National Park Camping Tour (3 Tage / 2 Nächte)

Reiseprogramm

Join us on an exclusive 4wd safari adventure (mini coach) of a lifetime showcasing the very best Kakadu & Litchfield National Park has to offer. Discover some of the oldest and best-preserved Aboriginal Rock Art in the world, and keep a lookout for some of our prehistoric friends (crocodiles) as we cruise the ancient wetlands by boat. Visit spectacular waterfalls and cool off in some of the most beautiful natural plunge pools imaginable. We'll be exploring some truly spectacular countryside, amongst pockets of rainforest packed with endemic species of flora and fauna. This fully accommodated tour has you relaxing indoors in comfort each night after action-packed days of exploration, culture, and unmatched vistas. We have comfortable twin permanent safari tents providing a little more comfort, privacy, and security, or you can try out a traditional swag experience (canvas-covered bedroll).



Day 1: Darwin to Kakadu

Start your adventure by departing from Darwin and head out to the Wetlands Region for a Crocodile & Wildlife Cruise on the Mary River Wetlands, a great opportunity to spot a huge range of Top End birdlife, not to mention some fresh and salty apex predators... crocodiles!

We journey on to Kakadu National Park visiting the Bowali Visitor Centre which offers a beautiful introduction to the Park's landscape and wildlife. After some relaxation at camp, we journey north to *Cahills Crossing on the border of Kakadu and Arnhem Land. We will visit one of the best-preserved collections of Aboriginal Rock Art in the world at Ubirr rock upon sunset. This incredibly significant site showcases many styles of Rock Art and allows us to climb up high for a sunset that will blow you away looking out over the Nadab Floodplain. After a big day, we head back to our cozy camp and prepare dinner together, enjoying an evening with our fellow travellers.

Meals: Lunch, Dinner. Accom: Jabiru Campground – Permanent Tents or Bush Swags (communal facilities). Driving Distance: 420km. Hike Distance and Grading: 1km loop Grade 2-3

Day 2: Kakadu National Park

We rise and shine early on day 2 and make our way South to Kakadu National Park.

Today we'll spend the day soaking up the spectacular natural beauty of the area, hiking through lush monsoon rainforests, swimming in pristine plunge pools and waterfalls surrounded by steep escarpments and rocky cliffs.

We generally visit Twin Falls or Jim Jim Falls when seasonally accessible, alternatively, we will stop in at Barramundi Gorge (Maguk) or other waterfalls such as Yurmikmik (Motor Car Falls). There are many factors affecting accessibility although your guide will ensure you get the best experience possible.

Time permitting, we stop at Nourlangie Rock, another indigenous rock art site where archaeologists have uncovered works dating back over 20,000 years old. We explore the evolving social, cultural and environmental changes to the area over time before making our way back to camp for a hearty dinner and a well-earned rest.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner. Accom: Jabiru Campground – Permanent Tents or Bush Swags (communal facilities). Driving Distance: 150km. Hike Distance and Grading: 1.5km – 4km.

Day 3: Litchfield to Darwin

Travelling south through Pine Creek, a small pioneering town in the Katherine region outside of Kakadu National Park, famous for its discovery of gold in the 1970's. We stop for a quick refreshment break at the Adelaide River before our journey leads us to Litchfield National Park.

We spend the afternoon immersed in Litchfield's natural oasis of waterfalls, spring-fed streams and rugged sandstone escarpments. We'll spend time in any combination of Buley Rockholes, Wangi Falls or Florence Falls for a refreshing soak in picturesque rock holes and waterfalls.

Discover the uniquely impressive Magnetic and Cathedral Termite Mounds before making our way back to Darwin, arriving back to your accommodation at approximately 7:00pm.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch. Driving Distance: 500km. Hike Distance and Grading: 1 – 2 km.

*Autopia Tours reserves the right to alter the route or itinerary schedule during seasonal weather fluctuations and/or during park closures due to traditional landowner ceremonies.



Inclusions

- 2 Nights' Permanent Safari Style Tented Campsites (2 x Jabiru)
- Campground toilet and shower facilities are available
- Includes: 2 x breakfasts, 3 x lunches, 2 x dinners
- Aboriginal culture and rock art viewing
- Billabong Wetlands River Cruise
- Kakadu Park pass entry fees
- Guided bush walks (up to 3km, grade 2-4)
- Hosted by an accredited outback driver-guide
- Air-conditioned 4WD off-road bus travel
- Comprehensive local tour commentary
- Selected Darwin inner-city pick-up/drop-off points

Exclusions

- Sleeping bags can be hired from us onboard for \$40 AUD, this includes cleaning costs. You are more than welcome to bring your own. Payment is made directly to the tour operator.
- Any meals not indicated within the itinerary. For those with special dietaries, we recommend you bring snacks as options are limited in the outback.
- Hotel transfers pre/post tour itinerary to a nominated pickup point.
- Travel insurance is highly recommended
- Personal expenses

What to bring

3L Refillable water bottle, wide-brimmed hat, sunglasses & sunscreen, swimwear, beach towels & toiletries, comfortable sturdy hiking shoes (tread closed-toe shoes), all-weather clothing (extreme conditions inc wind, heat, cold, day/night), 15kg soft bag & small day pack, tropical strength insect repellent, mosquito or fly net (summer months), flashlight, headlamp or torch, money for snack and meals, bring your own sleeping bag & pillow (optional – if staying in a swag), recharge power bank (limited access to power to charge phone or cameras), camera.

Where to meet

Our central meeting point for this tour will be Travelodge Resort Darwin – 64 Cavenagh St, Darwin City @ 6:30am. Guests are to be waiting outside the main gates on Cavenagh Street for collection.

- 6:25 – Frontier Hotel Darwin – 3 Buffalo Ct Darwin City
- 6:30 – Travelodge Resort Darwin – 64 Cavenagh St Darwin City
- 6:35 – H on Smith Hotel – 81 Smith St Darwin City
- 6:40 – The Cavenagh Hotel – 12 Cavenagh St Darwin City
- 6:45 – Tourist Precinct Mini Bus Zone – 69 Mitchell St Darwin City
- 6:50 – H on Mitchell Hotel Apartment – 105 Mitchell St Darwin City
- 6:53 – DoubleTree by Hilton Hotel Esplanade – 116 Esplanade Darwin City
- 6:55 – Mantra on the Esplanade Darwin – 88 Esplanade Darwin City

Know before you book

What are the sleeping arrangements?

- Basic Single Swag (sleeps 1) – This Basic Single Swag fare price is (Per Person) for Adults or Children. For guests who wish to sleep under the stars on the ground, in a self-contained canvas-covered bush bed roll with a camp mattress.
- Twin Share Safari Tent (sleeps 2) – This Safari Tent fare price is (Per Person) for Adults or Children. For guests wishing to sleep in the outback but remain protected from the elements, we provide permanent tented campsites, twin single beds with mattresses, bed linen supplied, and lantern. (Solo travellers booking separately in a Twin Share Safari Tent will be paired with another solo passenger, where possible of the same gender but not guaranteed. Children must be accompanied by an adult at all times no matter the sleep arrangements.)

Our permanent tented campsites have access to communal campground showers and toilets. These sites generally have limited solar power or are unpowered. Therefore, guests are asked to bring rechargeable power banks (limited power access to charge phones or cameras).

What is a suitable age for this tour?

Children aged between 8 to 17 years old must be accompanied by an adult or legal guardian at all times. Not suitable for infants or children 7 years and under, due to safety requirements and the level of fitness required to complete the walks.

How fit do I need to be for this tour?

A minimum moderate to advanced level of fitness is required to complete the walks. The length of walks will be between 2km to 4km each day, often over steep rocky sections and in direct sunlight and high humidity. An approximate 9.5km walk is included in this tour. Embarking on walks will be at the guide's discretion to ensure the safety of guests. Therefore a medium/high level of fitness is required and a doctor's certificate is required for people over 70 years (30-days prior to travel).

How much luggage can I bring on tour?

We ask that guests travelling on short break/extended tours bring small soft overnight bags and hand luggage only as we have limited storage onboard our vehicles. Large suitcases and oversized luggage can be left at your hotel whilst you are on tour. This tour is not suitable for anyone who requires the use of a mobility-aid, wheelchair, walker, and or stroller.

What type of food do we eat on tour?

Most of the meals are prepared by our tour guides with basic camping-style food options and on occasions, they will be provided by our accommodation providers onsite. Guests are asked to participate in the preparation of meals, clean-up, and vehicle unpacking/loading as it's a great way to get to know and connect with your fellow travellers.

What kind of vehicle do we travel in for this Kakadu Camping Tour?

We have a couple of all-terrain 4x4 range eco-tour bus, uniquely designed to handle the harshest of terrains and off-road tracks. The maximum number of passengers we carry on these tours is 15-21 people, with a minimum requirement of 8 people to guarantee the departure. Fleet specs: Isuzu N Series NPS300 Trucks (15, 17, 21-seater). In the unlikely event of a breakdown alternative vehicles may be used.

3 Tage / 2 Nächte (ab / bis Darwin)

Englisch geführte Tour im 4WD-Mini Coach mit max. 16 Reiseteilnehmern

Die Routenführung kann in der Regenzeit (November – April) abweichen, je nach Wetter- und Strassenverhältnissen.

Unterkunft: Permanentes Safari Camp oder Basic Swag



Permanentes Safari Camp



Basic Swag

Reisedaten Preise

01.04.24 – 31.03.2025

Dienstag, Preis pro Person Permanentes Safari-Camp
Freitag, Preis pro Person Basic Swag
Sonntag

ab CHF 730
ab CHF 620

(Angebot gültig bei Buchungen bis 30.11.2023)

Buchungen/Informationen

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