

TOUR DETAILS AND ITINERARY

4 Day Monkey Mia, Motel Accommodated Tour

HIGHLIGHTS:

★ Cervantes ★ Denham ★ Geraldton ★ Indian Ocean Drive ★ Kalbarri ★ Kalbarri Coastal Cliffs ★ Lancelin Sand Dunes ★ Monkey Mia ★ Monkey Mia Dolphins ★ Murchison Gorge ★ Natures Window & Z-Bend Gorge ★ Perth ★ Pinnacles Desert & Nambung National Park ★ Shark Bay ★ Shell Beach ★ Wildflowers

INCLUDES:

All accommodation, dinner, breakfast, cruise, activities & entrance Fees. Accommodation is based on twin share en-suite, therefore 2 motel rooms share a key-locked bathroom. Upgrade to private en-suite is available. Single persons travelling alone may pay adult fare only and will share a twin room with another single traveller (of same gender). If there are no other single travellers then you will get your own room at no extra charge. Single supplement is available if you do wish to guarantee your own room.

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| Duration: | 4 days and 3 nights |
| Departs: | 7am every Saturday from select accommodation in Perth. Please request a pick up if you know your hotel. If not I will give a default pick up. |
| Arrives: | Perth 6.30pm Tuesday |
| Passengers: | Our modern fleet of coaster buses carry a maximum of 20 passengers. Coaches have great leg room, tinted windows, cd and/or tape decks, individual heating and air-conditioning controls, and suitable head space so passengers have unrestricted viewing. |
| Luggage: | Maximum 15kg. Maximum case size "25 x 50 x 75cm". Please keep luggage to a minimum as space is limited. Often hotels will store luggage for you upon check-out until your return so please check with your pre-tour accommodation if required. |
| Fitness: | Moderate - tours may have light bush-walks or hill-climbs. Tours are designed for those who wish to participate in light activities and get close to nature. |
| Dietary requests: | We can cater to vegetarians but we must be advised upon booking, otherwise normal meal arrangements will prevail. Some dietary needs may be the passengers' own responsibility. |
| What to bring: | Beach towel, good walking shoes, hat, camera, sunscreen, insect repellent, small water bottle, torch, a warm jacket, long pants (nights can be cool), your favourite CD, a smile and a sense of adventure. |
| Upgrades: | \$875 per Adult Twin Share +\$300 Single Supplement \$695 Child (3 - 12 years) \$150 Private en-suite upgrade twin share (per twin room, not per person) |

ITINERARY:

This tour is for those passengers not wanting a "backpacker tour" we only use mature and experienced tour guides/drivers. The accommodation is motel style of a good standard. Please remember we are heading into the outback where 3 star hotels are few and far between.

Day 1 Perth – Kalbarri

We head north in air-conditioned comfort to Yanchep National Park to see koalas, kangaroos, emus and bird

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life. At Balga Mia Village a local Aboriginal guide will share their heritage, including boomerang throwing, tool-making or didgeridoo playing. Stop at a honey farm and sample the local produce, before continuing through farming countryside, where you will see magnificent seasonal wild flowers in season (best time is late July to end of October). Have a swim or relax before lunch. See leaning wind-effected trees as we pass through the Greenough Flats. Visit the Pink Lake before arriving at the Kalbarri Coastal Gorges for stunning ocean views. Explore Red Bluff and the oyster beds. **(D)**

Day 2 Kalbarri – Monkey Mia

Explore the magnificent rocky landscape of Ross Graham Lookout and Hawks Head Gorges in Kalbarri National Park – some of the most spectacular red river gorges along the Murchison River. Continue north to Shark Bay World Heritage Region, stopping at spectacular Shell Beach, the only beach made entirely of shells and over 100 km long. Arrive at Monkey Mia Dolphin Resort with the afternoon free to enjoy the resort facilities and beach. Finish this day dining on the shores of Monkey Mia, and perhaps some stargazing. Overnight Monkey Mia Dolphin Resort. **(B,D)**

Day 3 Monkey Mia – Kalbarri

See the famous Monkey Mia wild dolphins, on the interaction beach, with perhaps the thrill of hand-feeding one of these gorgeous creatures. There's more dolphin viewing as you unwind on a one hour cruise aboard a magnificent catamaran, with the possibility of sighting Dugongs, turtles and other marine life. After a brief stop in Denham, visit Eagle Bluff for spectacular ocean views. See sharks and other marine life feeding off the sea grass. Stop at the ancient Stromatolites, and also Hamelin Pool. View wild flowers (Jul-Oct) and return to Kalbarri with time to relax before your Aussie BBQ dinner. **(B,D)**

Day 4 Kalbarri – Pinnacles – Perth

Stop at Red Bluff and explore the oyster beds before arriving in Geraldton. Visit the impressive HMAS Sydney Memorial which overlooks this coastal city. On the return journey purchase your fresh lobster roll to enjoy on the beach for lunch in a local small fishing town. Complete the tour with a visit to Nambung National Park, home of the mysterious Pinnacles Desert. We drive you amongst these amazing ancient limestone pillars with time to walk around and explore. Pass through farmland regions, returning to Perth approximately 6pm. **(B)**

B=Breakfast, D=Dinner

