



EXCLUSIVE
**ULTIMATE OUTBACK
QUEENSLAND ADVENTURE**
7 DAYS/6 NIGHTS

FROM
\$3,819*
PER PERSON
TWIN SHARE



Winton

**FULLY ESCORTED TOUR
ALL DEPARTURES GUARANTEED**

DEPARTURES 2 MAY, 9 AUGUST, 24 OCTOBER 2023



Spirit of the Outback

ULTIMATE OUTBACK QUEENSLAND ADVENTURE

Venture into the heart of Queensland's outback on our fully escorted Ultimate Outback Queensland Adventure. Your journey begins when you board the Spirit of the Outback and travel through the ever-changing scenery and rugged landscape between Brisbane and Longreach. Get ready for the holiday of a lifetime!

Explore Australia's rich heritage and gain genuine insights into the outback life on this fabulous Queensland quest. Meet fascinating local characters who will captivate and charm you with their stories of life in the outback.

All iconic outback experiences are covered! Visit the popular Australian Stockman's Hall of Fame and the Qantas Founders Museum. Marvel at a stunning sunset as you cruise along the Thomson River. Join an exhilarating ride on a restored stagecoach, experience life on a station and follow the dinosaur trail at Winton.

Our experienced tour leader will be with you every step of the way so you can relax and fully immerse yourself in this incredible outback adventure.

YOUR ITINERARY

DAY 1: TUESDAY - THE SPIRIT OF THE OUTBACK

Be greeted by your tour leader at Roma Street Railway Station, Brisbane, prior to boarding the Spirit of the Outback. Get to know your tour leader and fellow travellers as you venture into the heart of the Queensland Outback. You'll be captivated by the vast landscapes between Brisbane and Longreach on this fantastic journey.

Overnight: The Spirit of the Outback

Meals: Dinner

DAY 2: WEDNESDAY - WELCOME TO LONGREACH

This morning, enjoy the scenery as the train passes through the open landscapes of Outback Queensland. On arrival at Longreach Railway Station this evening, transfer to your accommodation and get ready for tomorrow's adventure.

Overnight: Longreach

Meals: Breakfast, Morning Tea and Lunch



DAY 3: THURSDAY - NOGO STATION EXPERIENCE AND QANTAS FOUNDERS MUSEUM

Today, experience the real heart of outback life at Kinnon's historic Nogo Station. Be inspired and entertained by stories of pioneering life and working station reality with your Kinnon host. Marvel at the merino story in the historic shearing sheds. Experience the incredible station safari in an open-top, double-decker bus. Visit Captain Starlight's stockyards and enjoy a traditional saddlebag lunch under the gum trees.

This afternoon, visit the Qantas Founders Museum. Explore the Museum's artefact displays and interactive exhibits and learn about the history of Qantas. The Airpark Tour will take you behind the scenes of the DC-3, Boeing 747, Boeing 707 and Super Constellation.

Return to your accommodation in time to freshen up before your Stonegrill® dining experience at The Welcome Home.

Overnight: Longreach

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

DAY 4: WEDNESDAY - COBB AND CO STAGECOACH AND STARLIGHT'S CRUISE EXPERIENCE

Start the day with the Cobb and Co Stagecoach Experience. Live the past with all your senses as you ride the old Longreach to Windorah mail route. Hold onto your hat for the only stagecoach gallop in Australia! Enjoy home-baked scones and tea before settling back in retro cinema seats for a classic Australian movie. Delight in the antics of the Harry Redford Old Time Tent Show and enjoy a billy can lunch.

Late afternoon, travel to the banks of the Thomson River for Starlight's Cruise Experience. Enjoy a hearty stockman's dinner around the campfire with bush poetry and the Starlight's Spectacular Sound and Light Picture Show featuring an exclusive movie celebrating legendary local hero Harry Redford. (BYO drinks)

Overnight: Longreach

Meals: Breakfast, Morning Tea, Lunch, Dinner



Australian Stockman's Hall of Fame



Australian Age of Dinosaurs



Qantas Founders Museum, Longreach



Nogo Station



Cobb and Co Stagecoach

DAY 5 - SATURDAY - WINTON DISCOVERY DAY TOUR

An early start this morning for a full day tour to Winton. Visit the Australian Age of Dinosaurs Museum including Dinosaur Canyon, and the Waltzing Matilda Centre. Enjoy lunch at the historic North Gregory Hotel and take a stroll down the main street before returning to Longreach. Dine at The Welcome Home restaurant this evening.

Overnight: Longreach

Meals: Breakfast, Morning Tea, Lunch, Dinner

DAY 6 - SUNDAY - AUSTRALIAN STOCKMAN'S HALL OF FAME

Today, visit the iconic Australian Stockman's Hall of Fame. You'll have plenty of time to explore the five galleries before lunch at the museum café. Return to your accommodation and enjoy dinner this evening at Harry's Restaurant.

Overnight: Longreach

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

DAY 7 - MONDAY - DEPART LONGREACH

Enjoy a final breakfast before transferring to the airport for your flight to Brisbane. Your Ultimate Outback Queensland Adventure concludes on arrival at Brisbane Airport.

Meals: Breakfast

FULLY ESCORTED TOUR



Starlight's cruise

YOUR 7 DAY/6 NIGHT TOUR INCLUDES:

- Overnight travel on the Spirit of the Outback from Brisbane to Longreach in a First Class Sleeper
- 5 nights' accommodation at The Staging Post in a Stables Room
- Cobb and Co Stagecoach Experience
- Nogo Station Experience with Kinnon host and Station safari
- Starlight's Cruise Experience with Campfire Dinner and Starlight's Spectacular Sound and Light Picture Show
- Qantas Founders Museum entry and Airpark Tour
- Entry to Australian Stockman's Hall of Fame
- Australian Age of Dinosaurs Tour including Dinosaur Canyon
- Admission to the Waltzing Matilda Centre
- Winton Discovery Town Tour
- All coach transfers in Longreach
- Economy class flight - Longreach to Brisbane
- Food and beverages as specified in the itinerary
- Services of a professional tour leader and expert local guides/drivers

HIGHLIGHTS:

- Hear the pounding hooves of the horses as you travel in a restored stagecoach on the Cobb & Co Stagecoach Experience
- Board the only paddlewheeler west of the Great Divide and take in a spectacular outback sunset
- Visit Nogo Station and hear stories of outback station life shared by members of the Kinnon family
- Go behind the scenes at the Qantas Founders Museum and tour the legendary aircraft
- Hear the story of Captain Starlight, retold in light and sound at Starlight's Spectacular Show
- Tread in the footsteps of dinosaurs at the Australian Age of Dinosaurs

PRICE PER PERSON				
DEPARTURE DATES	ADULT TWIN SHARE	ADULT SINGLE	SENIOR TWIN SHARE ⁺	SENIOR SINGLE ⁺
2 May, 9 August [†] , 24 October 2023	\$3819*	\$4769*	\$3751*	\$4701*

+ Senior fares are only available to Australian State Government Seniors and Queensland Pensioners with valid cards.

IMPORTANT BOOKING CONDITIONS

*Prices are in Australian Dollars and correct as at 13 Dec 22 but may fluctuate due to surcharges, fees, taxes or currency exchange. All arrangements are subject to availability, cancellation or modification due to inclement weather, late running of services or other unforeseen circumstances. A minimum non-refundable deposit equivalent to 20% of the tour cost is payable within 7 days of confirmation of your booking and cancellation prior to final payment will result in your deposit being forfeited. #9 August departure has variations to the itinerary, full details on request. Final payment of your holiday cost is required at least 90 days prior to departure. There will be no refund for bookings cancelled less than 91 days prior to travel. We strongly recommend you take out appropriate travel insurance to cover your travel arrangements. The travel services provided by these suppliers are subject to the conditions imposed by the suppliers and their liability may be limited by their tariffs, conditions of carriage, and agreements. Information required at time of booking - full name including title, initial and surname as per ID, any information relating to dietary/mobility/medical requirements and mobile contact number. A moderate level of fitness is required to participate in this tour and a Health Fitness Form must be completed prior to deposit payment being made. A fee will apply for payments made by debit and credit card which may vary. Travel agents may also charge services fees. Please check all prices, availability and other information with your travel consultant before booking. Tours are guaranteed to operate with a minimum of 2 passengers. The Viva Holidays General Booking Conditions apply, available at www.vivaholidays.com.au/policies/booking-conditions. Other conditions apply – ask for details. Viva Holidays Pty Ltd ABN 78 634 662 294.

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