

A Big Week Outback

In Longreach & Winton
With Donald Simpson Centre

6 Days / 5 Nights

Tour Departs: Wednesday 12 May - Monday 17 May, 2021.



TRADE TRAVEL
Group & Private Tour Specialists



Outback Pioneers -
Cobb & Co Stagecoach Experience



Outback Pioneers -
Starlight's Cruise Experience



Australian Stockmans Hall of Fame



Outback Pioneers - Station Store

Day 1. Wed 12 May: Brisbane - Longreach

Dinner

We arrive at Brisbane airport and board our flight to Longreach. On arrival into **Longreach** we greet our local coach captain and transfer to our accommodation for check in. Tonight we enjoy dinner at **Ringers Restaurant**.

Flight: QF2530 12.05pm Brisbane - 3.10pm Longreach (subject to change)

Overnight: Longreach

Day 2. Thurs 13 May: Longreach

Breakfast & Dinner

This morning we are in for a real outback treat enjoying a **guided historical town tour of Longreach**, then travel 15kms to **Nogo Station** to experience a **working cattle and sheep property** owned by the Kinnon family. We are treated to great country hospitality and smoko whilst hearing the life stories of growing up on the land. Our next stop is the **Qantas Founders Outback Museum** where we take a step back in time on the **747 and 707 secrets tour**. Discover National Treasures such as the original hangar and the amazing artifacts, hear how this internationally recognised company became a leader in the field of world aviation and its contribution to the people living in isolated communities of the outback. We return to our accommodation to relax and freshen up before heading to **Ringers Restaurant** at the Longreach Tourist Park for a **Stonegrill Dining Experience**.

Overnight: Longreach

Day 3. Fri 14 May: Longreach

Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner

We enjoy breakfast before starting an **exciting day with Outback Pioneers**. Board the stagecoach for **The Cobb & Co Stagecoach Experience**. How thrilling to gallop through the Australian bush in a replica Cobb & Co Coach drawn by a team of magnificent horses. See first-hand the preparation of the horse team and take in the native bush and wildlife as we experience our ride. Next we are treated to an outback smoko, an 'old time movie and some live theatre, with the **Harry Redford Old Time Tent Show**. During the show we enjoy a billy-can lunch. This afternoon we make our way back to our accommodation for a chance to freshen up before heading out to dinner on the **Thomson River** to join **the multi award winning Starlight's Cruise Experience** on the west's only paddle wheeler, the "**Thomson Belle**". Listen to informative commentary and take in the stunning outback scenery before enjoying a **Stockman's Campfire Dinner** and the **Starlight's Spectacular Sound & Light Show**. After a wonderful day with Outback Pioneers we travel back to our accommodation for a good nights rest.

Overnight: Longreach

Day 4. Sat 15 May: Winton

Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner

It's an early start this morning for our **Winton Discovery Day Tour**. Visit the award-winning **Australian Age of Dinosaurs Museum** including the exciting new Dinosaur Canyon and the Collection Room. We enjoy lunch at the **historic North Gregory Hotel**, where Australia's unofficial national anthem, **Waltzing Matilda** was performed in public for the very first time on the 6th April 1895.



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Day 4. Continued

After lunch we visit the brand new **Waltzing Matilda Centre**, rebuilt better than ever after the fire in 2015. Later we have the opportunity to explore the town a little further, taking a short walk to **Arno's Wall**. A modern wonder of art and architecture, Arno Grotjahn's wall contains almost every household item you can imagine and more. Tonight we enjoy dinner at a local restaurant.

Overnight: Longreach

Day 5. Sun 16 May: Longreach

Breakfast & Dinner

This morning after breakfast we visit the **Australian Stockman's Hall of Fame and Outback Heritage Centre**. Inside, the centre's five themed galleries proudly display the history behind some of Australia's greatest and bravest explorers, stock workers, pastoralists, and Indigenous Australians. The exhibits are comprised of an eclectic mix of objects, images, touch screens, audio visual presentations and open displays, allowing visitors to interpret the outback story in their own unique way. There is free time to enjoy lunch at own cost. Tonight we enjoy some fantastic outback hospitality at the **Cattleman's Bar and Grill** with a country style dinner while watching the **Outback Stockman's Show**. The Show tells the story of real life stockmen and women who work on the land and features Lachie, a third generation stockman and horse breaker with his very entertaining sidekicks.

Overnight: Longreach

Day 6. Mon 17 May: Longreach - Brisbane

Breakfast

After breakfast for those who are travelling home via rail you will be transferred to the Longreach Train Station for our overnight on the **Spirit of the Outback**, arriving back to Roma Street Brisbane at midday on Tuesday. For those flying home we have the morning at leisure before making our way to the **Longreach School of Distance Education**. Here we learn about the challenges of teaching over the airwaves and see how some of the students work. We then make our way to **Longreach Airport** for our onward flight to **Brisbane**. We arrive back into Brisbane early evening after a wonderful tour of Outback Queensland with Trade Travel. Whichever way you travel home, you will go home with many wonderful memories of our time away.

Flight: QF2533 - 3.40pm Longreach to 5.35pm Brisbane (subject to change)

Rail: Longreach 1000 - Brisbane 1155 (TBC) + 1 day

Overnight: Spirit of the Outback Train - First Class Sleeper

Highlights: The Story of Nogo Cattle & Sheep Station with Morning Tea; Qantas Founders Outback Museum; Multi award winning Starlight Cruise Experience & Stockmans Dinner & "Starlight's Spectacular Sound & Light Show"; Cobb & Co Stagecoach 'Gallop Thru the Scrub' Tour & "Harry Redford Old Time Tent Show" The Famous North Gregory Hotel; Australian Age of Dinosaurs Exhibition; Corfield & Fitzmaurice Building; Stonegrill Dinner at the Welcome Home Venue; Stockman's Hall of Fame & Outback Heritage Centre; Longreach Cattleman's Bar & Grill; Longreach School of Distance Education plus more!

Tour Price Includes:

- Return economy flight Brisbane - Longreach - Brisbane
- Luxury air conditioned coach travel - Longreach
- 5 Nights quality accommodation
- Breakfast, lunch & dinner as per itinerary (12 Meals)
- All touring, attractions & guides as per itinerary

Tour Price Excludes:

- Spirit of the Outback First Class Sleeper - Longreach to Brisbane - Price on application



Outback Pioneers - Harry Redford Old Time Tent Show



Outback Pioneers - Nogo Station

Our Big Week Outback



Fly/Fly - Tour Cost: \$3545.00 per person Twin Share
(Single Supplement \$375.00)

Fly/Rail - Tour Cost: \$3170.00 per person + applicable rail fare Twin Share
(Single Supplement \$375.00)

Tour cost based on minimum 20 pax

The tour price valid for travel in 2021 but is subject to change until everything is booked and confirmed.

Please note that the itinerary is subject to change without notice.

SPIRIT OF THE OUTBACK RAILBED - One Way

The 'Spirit of OUTBACK' travels regularly between Brisbane and Longreach and incorporates the revolutionary RailBed, a spacious and comfortable seat by day that converts at night to a lie-flat bed with all linen provided.

\$239.00 approx. per person twin share **QLD pensioner with (2) vouchers fare**
\$359.00 approx. per person twin share **Australian government senior card fare**
\$427.00 approx. per person twin share adult fare
(Min 10 people)

PAYMENT DETAILS

DEPOSIT \$250.00 per person with a completed booking form is required to secure your place - no later than Friday 04th December, 2020. FINAL PAYMENT is due on or before Friday 05th February, 2021.

For information contact:

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TRADE TRAVEL - DOMESTIC PASSENGER BOOKING FORM

PLEASE POST YOUR COMPLETED
FORM TO TRADE TRAVEL
VIC: PO Box 1137 Mildura VIC 3502
QLD: PO Box 1715 Noosaville BC QLD 4566



This Passenger Booking Form is to be completed by each individual passenger and is to be submitted with your Tour Payment Form. Please print your details clearly using **BLOCK LETTERS**.

RESERVATION FORM & BOOKING CONDITIONS

Date: _____
Club Name: Donald Simpson Centre _____

Trade Travel Consultant: Susan O'Brien _____
Tour Departure Date: Wednesday 12 May 2021 _____
Tour Name: A Big Week Outback in Longreach & Winton _____

Important – Please use names as reflected on your photo ID to complete the following:

TOUR PASSENGER DETAILS:

Title: _____ First Name: _____
Last Name: _____
Address: _____
Town/City: _____
State: _____ Post Code: _____
Phone: _____
Mobile: _____
Email Address: _____
Date of Birth: _____
Frequent Flyer Program: _____
E.g. Qantas, Velocity
Frequent Flyer No.: _____
Rooming Type: Double Twin
 Single Supplement
Sharing With: _____

SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS:

Dietary/Allergies (e.g. Gluten Free): _____

Medical (e.g. Sleep Apnea): _____

Medical conditions that could affect your ability to participate in the tour must be advised.

Special Requests (not guaranteed): e.g. Ground Floor _____

Can you climb stairs? Yes / No
Can you get into and out of a boat, train or bus? Yes / No
Can you climb into a bath? Yes / No

EMERGENCY CONTACT (NOT TRAVELLING ON TOUR):

Name: _____
Address: _____
Contact Details: _____
Relationship: _____

NAME BADGES:

Do you already have a Trade Travel Name Badge? Yes / No
Preferred Name (For Badge): _____

Please Note: It is a requirement to wear your Trade Travel badge on tour.

Please sign below to acknowledge that you have read, understood, and accepted the **Trade Travel** terms & conditions.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

TOUR PASSENGER DETAILS:

Title: _____ First Name: _____
Last Name: _____
Address: _____
Town/City: _____
State: _____ Post Code: _____
Phone: _____
Mobile: _____
Email Address: _____
Date of Birth: _____
Frequent Flyer Program: _____
E.g. Qantas, Velocity
Frequent Flyer No.: _____
Rooming Type: Double Twin
 Single Supplement
Sharing With: _____

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Signature: _____ Date: _____

TRADE TRAVEL PAYMENT FORM & COVID-19 DISCLAIMER



PASSENGER & TOUR DETAILS:

Passenger 1 Full Name: _____

Passenger 2 Full Name: _____

Tour Details: _____ A Big Week Outback in Longreach & Winton 12-17 May 2021

Tour Code: DSC/120521

PAYMENT DETAILS: Would you like your receipt emailed: Yes No / Return by: Air Rail

Payment Type

Deposit \$250.00pp due by 4th December 2020

Full Payment

Payment Method Direct to Trade Travel

Cash Amount \$ _____

Cheque Amount \$ _____

Cheque No: _____

Direct Deposit Amount \$ _____

Date Deposited: _____

NAB BSB No: 084 917 Account No: 86382 1525

Account Name: Trade Travel Client Trust Account

*** Please use your surname & tour code as the reference: SURNAME/DSC120521**

Credit Card Amount \$ _____

Visa (incurs a 1% surcharge)

MasterCard (incurs a 1% surcharge)

Amex (incurs a 1.85% surcharge)

(Please note: We do not accept Diners Club Card)

TO HELP PROTECT YOUR SECURITY!

If you wish to pay using your credit card please tick the appropriate box above and advise amount.

Once we receive your payment form we will give you a call and process your credit card payment over the phone.

PASSENGER DECLARATION:

By completion and return of this form, I hereby verify all the above details are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and forward my payment details for the arrangements of my tour.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

COVID-19 TRAVEL DISCLAIMER (Please read the COVID-19 Impact Disclosure details below.)

Until a vaccine is available, the Australian Government cannot provide any guarantee against the spread of COVID-19. Trade Travel understands this and can only provide assurances that we will do all we can to manage the situation and follow the guidelines set by the relevant Industry bodies and the Health Department. If you wish to travel with Trade Travel and its suppliers, you will need to complete and sign the waiver below and return to our office with your final payment.

Trade Travel and all Suppliers cannot be held liable for any transmission of COVID-19 from passenger to passenger whilst on tour. All passengers booked on a tour with Trade Travel must read and agree to the above notification and sign below and return to our office along with your completed booking form.

I _____ agree to travel on the Tour with Trade Travel on my own accord and understand the risks in relation to COVID-19 transmission and will not hold the Company or any of its suppliers liable for anything relating to COVID-19.

Signed _____ Dated _____

Please contact this office if any further clarification on the above details is needed - Trade Travel 1800 034 439.

By supplying your email address you agree to receive future offers direct from Trade Travel.
The information you provide will be collected, managed and used in accordance with the Trade Travel Privacy Policy.

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TERMS & CONDITIONS & COVID-19 IMPACT DISCLOSURE

Please read & retain this page for your own records.



HOW TO CONFIRM YOUR PLACE ON THE TOUR

A \$250.00 deposit will be required for this tour by the nominated date, along with a signed booking form. After this you will receive a confirmation letter in writing. Please refer to your confirmation letter for payment deadlines. If payment is not received by the due date, Trade Travel reserves the right to cancel your place on the tour and you may incur cancellation fees.

CHANGES TO YOUR BOOKING

Any changes to your booking once the deposit has been received may incur amendment fees. Please check these details when requesting changes.

CANCELLATION OF YOUR BOOKING & INSURANCE

The reservations we make on your behalf or groups behalf are subject to cancellation fees from all Suppliers, making it necessary to enforce strict cancellation policies. If you cancel a reservation prior to the departure of your tour the following cancellation fees will apply: We strongly recommend that you take out travel insurance to cover you against illness or accident, cancellation fees, loss of luggage, etc. in the unfortunate event that you have to cancel from the tour.

\$55.00 non-refundable fee by Qantas Groups upon booking, to secure flights.

Rail Fare once secured may be subject to cancellation fees – advised at time of booking.

Payments from the 5th March, 2021 will incur cancellation fee of \$150 plus the Rail fare if non- refundable.

All payments from the 5th April, will incur 100% cancellation fee.

CHANGES TO THE TOUR ITINERARY

Trade Travel reserves the right to alter, change or omit the itinerary as necessary. Trade Travel reserves the right to cancel the tour should it not reach minimum numbers and clients will be notified prior to departure should this occur.

RESPONSIBILITY

Trade Travel does not accept liability for failure on the part of third party Suppliers whose responsibility is confined to their own operations.

CONFIRMATION LETTER TERMS & CONDITIONS

These terms and conditions are provided at the time of promotion, however your Confirmation Letter will override any Terms and Conditions raised on this booking form. Please refer to your Confirmation Letter for the most up-to-date booking conditions, change fees and cancellation fees, as these will be applied as necessary.

TOUR BOOKINGS

All tours and bookings made with Trade Travel are monitored and updates are sent to our clients based on their departure date. Restrictions are changing regularly and it is important we adhere to the Government health authority advice and we are confident all our suppliers are committed to these guidelines.

PAYMENTS AND BOOKINGS - BOOK WITH CONFIDENCE

All payments made to Trade Travel are held in Trust and are protected by our Consumer Protection Insurance, this way we can give our clients the Peace of Mind that all funds are held safely. Trade Travel will endeavour not to disperse any client's money to any supplier until we believe the tour is going to proceed and it is safe to do so.

REFUNDS/SUPPLIER CREDITS - PEACE OF MIND

Trade Travel will provide 100% refund to all our clients where possible. If the tour is cancelled due to COVID-19 and there has been no cancellation or credits retained by suppliers, our passengers will receive a full refund. In the event the supplier has been paid and they are not offering a refund, we will refund in full minus the outlaid funds only. Trade Travel will not charge a cancellation fee on any booking affected by COVID-19 disruptions. We hope this gives our customers Peace of Mind when booking.

AIRLINES/TOUR OPERATORS AND PARTNERS

Many tours include the use of Airlines, Coach Companies, Motels, Restaurants and Attractions. All suppliers are taking initiative for the future to continue to provide a valuable service with COVID-19 as part of our normal. Our office will work closely with our partners to assist them in every way for the safety of our clients for them to travel safely.

DONALD SIMPSON COMMUNITY CENTRE SPECIAL CONDITIONS

The Donald Simpson Community Centre reserves the right, with absolute discretion, to exclude or terminate a tour without refund of, anyone who:

- (a) Is unable to cope with the requirements of any aspect of the tour or requires services or facilities which are not available.
- (b) Engages or has engaged in undesirable behaviour or who interferes with the enjoyment or jeopardises the safety or comfort of other tour participants.

COVIDSAFE APP

We recommend all our passengers download the COVIDSafe App before travelling on our tours. COVIDSafe is a new tool to help speed up how the health department can notify people who may have been exposed to COVID-19, so the health system can protect you, your family and friends.

OUR COMMITMENT

Trade Travel will continue to follow the advice of all relevant authorities as the situation develops. For the well-being of our clients, we ask you to respect these guidelines, as well as personal hygiene and stay at home if you are unwell. For more information on COVID-19 visit the website www.health.gov.au or contact the Helpline on 1800 020 080.