

# Wallaby Tracks Adventure Tours

## 8 Day Tour - Birdsville, Innamincka "Ultimate Outback Experience" (WT08AC)

### Highlights:

Experience Central Australia's iconic Outback towns of Birdsville and Innamincka. Absorb the vast, endless horizons of the Australian Outback, 4wd into the Simpson Desert. Wonder at the beauty of the Coongie Lakes. Indulge at the famous Birdsville, Innamincka and Mungerannie Hotels - and much more..

### Cost:

\$6,850.00 per person - twin share - (valid until Jan 2026)

### Itinerary:

**Day 1:** Depart Adelaide 8am travel to Arkaroola Wilderness Sanctuary via Burra and along the Broken Hill road to the lonely township of Yunta (lunch). From here our outback journey really begins as we leave the smooth tarmac roads behind us. For the next 300 km it's just us, dirt outback roads and the wildlife until we reach the remote civilisation of Arkaroola Village. Dinner in the Native Pine Restaurant, o/night in motel rooms.

**Day 2:** After breakfast head out for the world famous 4wd Arkaroola Ridge Top Tour. Followed by lunch at Arkaroola and after lunch we explore (by 4wd) the Southern tracks of the sanctuary including the historic Bolla Bollana Smelter and Waterhole, also the amazing Pinnacles which are an outstanding feature of the Mawson Valley and much more. Spend another night at Arkaroola.

**Day 3:** We travel from Arkaroola to Innamincka - "Cooper Creek" country. We call into the historic Balcanoona Station before we make our way along the Strzelecki Track - Overnight at Innamincka Hotel - Motel Rooms.

**Day 4:** Visit "Coongie Lakes" World Heritage and Ramsar listed wetland area for some bird spotting & history and visit Kings marker (subject to access availability) and stay overnight at Innamincka Hotel - Motel

**Day 5:** Travel to Birdsville - visit the Burke & Wills Dig Tree and Cordillo Downs Shearing shed, where up to 80,000 sheep were shorn by shearers who rode their bicycles from Farina on the old Ghan Railway, crossing over the Cobbler and Sturt's Stony deserts to get there and then back again afterwards! Overnight at the Birdsville Hotel - motel rooms.

**Day 6:** We visit Big Red (the largest sand dune on the eastern edge of in the Simpson Desert). We spend the morning travelling in a westerly direction into the Simpson Desert as far as the usually dry Eyre Creek - for picnic lunch under the shade of an old Coolabah Tree. We return to Birdsville for the afternoon which is free time to walk and explore the inland oasis of Birdsville. Overnight at Birdsville Hotel - motel rooms.

**Day 7:** After breakfast we head south down the famous "Birdsville Track". Taking the 'Inside track' if open - this was the original track used by drovers with large mobs of cattle, to Mungerannie Hotel for lunch - One of the most isolated pubs in Australia. View the warm artesian water hole, a great area for some bird watching. Afternoon break at Marree - old Ghan Railway town - Overnight at Outback Resort in Leigh Creek and enjoy a wonderful outback sunset.

**Day 8:** Today we head for Adelaide - on the way we view the western side of Wilpena pound - visit Hawker & Quorn to historic Melrose the first town in the Flinders Ranges. We pass through Laura before joining Highway 1 onto Adelaide late afternoon.

### Includes:

7 nights' accommodation, All meals from morning tea on day 1 to lunch on day 8, plus 4 hour Arkaroola Ridgetop Tour, Pick up and return to your Adelaide accommodation, And all guided 4wd travel

(Please note: Itineraries may vary slightly depending on weather and road conditions and guests preferences)

