Itinerary 2013/14



3 Day 4WD Kakadu/Katherine Safari

Tour Code: NTY3C

Tour Departs: Select Darwin accommodation from 06:20am

Default pick up: Adventure Tours Australia shop at 06:50am

(Shop 2/52 Mitchell St, Darwin)

NTY3C

Apr – Jun: Mon Wed Fri Sat

Jul – Aug: Daily

Sep – Oct: Mon Wed Fri Sat

NTY3CF (French speaking guide)

Apr – Oct: Wed

NTY3CG (German speaking guide)

Apr – Oct: Mon

Tour Finishes: Darwin accommodation early evening day 3

Tour Style: Safari

Max People: 15**

Our SAFARI product is designed for those wanting a comfortable but adventurous experience. Whilst not a luxury tour (passengers have to walk to shared shower and toilet facilities), SAFARI is considerably more comfortable than our program in terms of service and facilities offered. SAFARI accommodation features twin share beds in spacious permanent tents with interior lights and fans. All linen, pillows and towels are provided. Our menu features quality produce and in addition to the guide, a host will be on board (**minimum of 8 passengers) to enable a better level of service and a greater variety of quality meals.

ITINERARY:

Day 1 – Darwin to Kakadu National Park <u>DEFAULT PICK UP: Adventure Tours Australia Shop, 52 Mitchell St Darwin,</u> <u>06:50am.</u>

Leaving the relaxed harbour city of Darwin behind, we journey to World Heritage listed Kakadu National Park. Covering more than 20,000sq km, Kakadu is a vast expanse of lush wetlands, rock art and unique ecosystems that has captured the imagination of explorers and artists alike. Discover the park's ancient secrets and get up close and personal with native Kakadu flora and fauna. Enjoy a spot of crocodile watching on a

relaxing cruise through the park's peaceful byways before taking in views from ancient Ubirr Rock. Admire the fascinating Indigenous rock art and hear stories of the Creation Time. Overnight in Kakadu. (LD)

Day 2 - Kakadu National Park to Katherine

After breakfast, head out to explore more of the Kakadu and take an energising walk to Twin Falls before heading south to Pine Creek to learn of its colourful gold-rush past. After lunch we make our way to Springvale Homestead to relax on the banks of the Katherine River. Look out for wallabies that are often spotted hopping around near camp and fall asleep under the bright outback sky. Overnight in Katherine. (BLD)

Day 3 – Katherine Gorge to Darwin

Rise early to maximise time spent exploring Katherine Gorge. Formed by the Katherine River flowing from Arnhem Land out to the sea, this natural wonder is one of the Northern Territory's most striking features. Take a leisurely two-hour cruise along the river's tranquil waters or, for the more energetic, choose to paddle out on a canoeing adventure. The waters are cool and clear, and the dramatic sandstone backdrop of Katherine Gorge is jaw-dropping. Enjoy a visit to the picturesque Edith Falls on the return to Darwin and celebrate a memorable outback tour with new found friends. (BL)

BRING:

Sturdy walking shoes, swimming gear, hat and sunscreen, toiletries, water bottle, torch, insect repellent and camera.

INCLUDED:

Two nights twin share safari accommodation (including proper beds, linen, pillows, towels and fans), experienced tour guide, meals as indicated, national park entrance fee, option of Katherine Gorge cruise/canoe, wine with evening meals and accommodation transfers.

NOTES:

- Itineraries may vary and/or attractions be substituted for any cause including seasonal conditions, weather extremes, traditional owner and national park requirements.
- See terms and conditions for full details.
- Travel Insurance is compulsory for all travellers on all tours and details must be presented to tour guide before departure.
- **A host will accompany the guide with a minimum of 8 passengers.
- Tour is operated by our touring partner Intrepid Connections.
- Tours must be reconfirmed 48hrs prior to departure by phone on 1300 654 604.
- It is you or your clients' responsibility to contact Adventure Tours with your
 preferred accommodation pick up point. Please contact our inside sales teams for
 information on other available pick up points. If we do not hear from you, we will
 assume you will make your way to our default pick up point as listed on this
 document. We will not be responsible for missed pick-ups (and a missed tour) if we



do not receive notification from you or your travel agent, and if you are not at the default pick up point at the appropriate time.
A STRICT luggage limit of 10kg applies.

- B = Breakfast, L = Lunch, D = Dinner.

