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ULTIMATE OUTBACK ADVENTURE, FULLY ESCORTED RAIL JOURNEYS



6 NIGHTS Departing: 10 Oct 20

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.

Follow in the footsteps of the early pioneers and get ready for the holiday of a lifetime! Explore Australia's rich heritage and gain genuine insights into pioneer life on this fabulous outback 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, Witness one of the most beautiful sunsets as you cruise along the Thomson River. Experience schooling in a totally different way at the Longreach School of Distance Education and follow the dinosaur trail at Winton.

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

Includes

- 1 NIGHT aboard Spirit of the Outback travelling from Brisbane to Longreach in FIRST CLASS
- 5 NIGHTS at Longreach Motor Inn with welcome BBQ
- Qantas Founders Museum and Guided Jets Tour
- Sunset Cruise with dinner and Show
- Tour of Strathmore Station and Australian Stockman's Hall of Fame
- Outback Stockman's Show including lunch
- Camden Park Station Sunset Tour and Dinner
- Winton Town Tour
- •Ilfracombe Town Tour and Rosebank Station Dinner
- Flight from Longreach to Brisbane















ITINERARY Spirit of the Outback, Longreach, Winton, Brisbane

Day 1: Saturday

Ex Brisbane The Spirit of the Outback (D)

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

Day 2: Sunday

Welcome to Longreach (B,L,D)

This morning the train passes through the open landscapes of Outback Queensland. Arrive in Longreach for the start of your Outback Queensland adventure. You will be met at the Longreach Railway Station by your Savannah Guide Operator Driver and transferred to your accommodation at Longreach Motor Inn. Meet fellow travellers for a tour briefing and Welcome Barbeque.

Overnight: Longreach Motor Inn

Day 3: Monday

Longreach School of Distance Education & Qantas Founders Museum (B,D)

Witness a totally different way of schooling on a tour of the Longreach School of Distance Education. Visit the world-class Qantas Founders Museum, eloquently telling the story of the founding of Qantas. View marvellous interpretive and interactive exhibits then join a guided Jets Tour. Late afternoon, unwind on the Drover's Sunset Cruise with tasty on-board nibbles platters followed by a two-course table service dinner under the stars at Smithy's Outback Dinner & Show.

Overnight: Longreach Motor Inn

Day 4: Tuesday

Longreach Touring (B,L,D)

Join our Strathmore Station Tour for an insider's view into life on the land followed by a delicious home-baked morning tea. Explore the five themed galleries of the Australian Stockman's Hall of Fame then take your seat for the entertaining Outback Stockman's Show with lunch. Late afternoon experience the warm hospitality of local graziers with a visit to Camden Park Station. Enjoy a personalised tour of the property and family homestead followed by sunset drinks and dinner.

Overnight: Longreach Motor Inn

Day 5: Wednesday

Winton Touring (B,L)

Travel from the Mitchell grass plains of Longreach towards the dramatic mesa country of Winton on our full day tour. We visit the Australian Age of Dinosaurs perched high on a magnificent mesa overlooking the plains where dinosaurs once roamed! Onsite dinosaur enthusiasts treat us to a top-class interpretive tour of the laboratory, collection room and Dinosaur Canyon. In Winton see the quirky Arno's Wall, the Musical Fence and learn the story behind Australia's unofficial national anthem at the Waltzing Matilda Centre.

Overnight: Longreach Motor Inn

Day 6: Thursday

Longreach Touring (B,L,D)

This morning we take a tour to nearby Ilfracombe founded in 1891 as a transport hub for Wellshot Station, which at the time held the largest number of sheep on any station in the world. See the Great Machinery Mile, an amazing line-up of historic machinery stretching over one kilometre. Enjoy a traditional pub lunch at the historic 100+ year old Wellshot Hotel. You'll have some free time in downtown Longreach after lunch, then tonight, meet the Smith family for an exclusive dinner at historic Rosebank Station.

Overnight: Longreach Motor Inn

Day 7: Friday

Longreach Touring (B)

Your Longreach adventure comes to an end with a transfer to Longreach airport for your flight back to Brisbane. Tour concludes at Brisbane Airport.