



Lawn Hill & Carnarvon Gorge



Departing from Adelaide our route is almost due north up the Birdsville Track and Diamantina Development Road to Mount Isa and the gulf country for a 3 night camp in Lawn Hill National Park.



The route then follows the Matilda Highway, passing through Cloncurry, Longreach to Emerald before a short run south to Carnarvon Gorge. Three full days are spent exploring the many diverse gorges of this tall white sandstone country before we end up in Brisbane.

The tour is programmed for relatively short travelling days to enable time to explore your surroundings after camp set-ups.



Lawn Hill & Carnarvon Gorge 18 Day itinerary (Adelaide to Brisbane)

- Day 1 Depart Adelaide approx. 7am travelling via Clare, Jamestown, Orroroo, and Hawker to Marree on the Oodnadatta Track. Caravan park.
- Day 2 We travel up the Birdsville track to Birdsville and camp the night on the banks of the Diamantina River. Evening walk around the town. Caravan park
- Day 3 The route continues almost due north up the Diamantina development road through the town of Bedourie to Boulia and beyond. Bush camp
- Day 4 Mornings run to Mt Isa and into camp. A visit to the Riversleigh Fossil Centre and look around the town in the afternoon. Caravan park.
- Day 5 We continue north west along the Barkly Highway then north to the Gregory River for lunch. In the afternoon we visit the Riversleigh palaeontology site before heading into Lawn Hill National Park. National Park camp
- Day 6-7 Swimming, canoeing and walking park trails in the National Park.
- Day 8 Travel along the Matilda highway and south to a camp in Cloncurry. Caravan park.
- Day 9 A visit to the Flying Doctor Museum and on to Winton for a wander through this historic town before heading out into Bladensburg National Park for the night's camp. Bush camp.
- Day 10-11 Drive to Longreach and an afternoon in the Qantas museum. The next day allows a full day for the Stockman's Hall of Fame. Caravan park.
- Day 12 Travel to Emerald for most of the day plus a visit to the botanic gardens.
- Day 13 To Carnarvon Gorge arriving lunchtime to camp for 4 nights. Caravan park.
- Day 14-16 Walks along the main gorge visiting the many varied and spectacular side gorges in this sub-tropical white sandstone country.
- Day 17 We travel due south through Roma and across to Chinchilla. Caravan park.
- Day 18 Leaving Chinchilla we head into Brisbane arriving early afternoon.

