

# Outback Escape



Escape suburbia and experience a genuine Australian outback adventure. Taking in some of the best that the region has to offer in one unforgettable 4 day tour. This tour package includes your rail fare, accommodation, dinners, breakfasts and all the side-tours and transfers during your escape to the aussie outback that takes in our historic rail journey through the wet tropics and savannah country, Chillagoe Caves, Copperfield Gorge, a working cattle station and the Undara Lava Tubes.

## Your Tour:

Departing Cairns on Wednesday morning, you will board the Savannahlander and wind your way up the Kuranda Range through the Wet Tropics to the tablelands of Far North Queensland. The train stops along the way to take in local attractions arriving at the town of Almaden. After a late lunch at the Railway Hotel you will transfer to the town of Chillagoe for the evening and do a tour of the local caves and the historic town.

On Thursday morning you will be transferred to Almaden to ride the Savannahlander through to Einasleigh, transitioning from granite country to the basalt rich Undara volcanic province. Lunch is available at Mt Surprise where you will leave your overnight bags and continue to the town of Einasleigh.

At the iconic Einasleigh Hotel you can enjoy a cold beverage and take in the pubs century old heritage as you sit looking out over the beautiful Copperfield Gorge.



Once refreshed, your guide from Bedrock Village will take you down to the Copperfield Gorge itself. Please note this walk involves uneven surfaces and may not be suitable for all people.

Back on the bus enjoy a short, informative tour of the Einasleigh township followed by afternoon tea ("smoko") on the banks of the Einasleigh river before heading back to your accommodation for the night at Bedrock Village in Mt Surprise.

Up early on Friday, you will enjoy a BBQ cooked breakfast then travel by bus to the Undara Volcanic Nation Park. With an expert guide along the way, you will walk three sections of the Lava Tubes themselves for a memorable experience of this natural wonder.

A short journey on the bus takes you to a local cattle station. Driving through this working cattle property, your guide will give you an insight to life “behind the fence” on a typical Australian outback working property. At a spectacular location off the beaten track you can take in the very special surrounds and enjoy a cup of “billied tea”.

You will arrive back at Bedrock Village in Mt Surprise for lunch and the afternoon to explore the township yourself or relax by the pool before dinner. Your dinner is typically followed by a classic aussie outdoor campfire (weather permitting).

After breakfast you will depart on the Savannahlander to make your way back through the spectacular outback country to Cairns. Stops along the way for lunch, morning tea and the Barron Falls will allow you to take in some of the authentic places and amazing natural beauty that this region has to offer.



## Your itinerary at a glance:

- Wednesday: Cairns to Almaden, tour and accommodation at Chillagoe
- Thursday: Almaden to Einasleigh, tour and accommodation at Mt Surprise
- Friday: Tour of Undara Lava Tubes, cattle station, accommodation at Mt Surprise
- Saturday: Mt Surprise to Cairns

## Your tour includes:

- Train fare on the Savannahlander from Cairns to Einasleigh
- All internal bus transfers while on the tour
- Three night's accommodation
- Three dinners and breakfasts
- Tour of Chillagoe cave and township
- Tour of the Copperfield Gorge and township of Einasleigh
- Tour of Undara Lava Tubes and Undara Volcanic National Park
- Tour of Whitewater (cattle) Station
- Train fare on the Savannahlander from Mt Surprise to Cairns

## Pricing and other details:

Our website is always updated and will have the latest pricing, availabilities and other details such as concession fares for children and seniors. This can all be found online at [www.savannahlander.com.au](http://www.savannahlander.com.au)

## How to Book:

Tour dates are limited but the process is easy. Just follow the steps below.

1. Visit our website [www.savannahlander.com.au](http://www.savannahlander.com.au)
2. Click on the "Book Now" button on the right hand side
3. Complete your details, select "Outback Escape" as the tour package click click submit. You will be directed to our payment gateway to make your deposit.

Once your booking request has been made you will receive an email to acknowledge your details.

An email confirmation will be sent with a booking reference soon after. You will be invoiced and full payment is due 30 days prior to travel.