

Bibbulmun Track - Pemberton to Donnelly River

7 Days



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This 100 km section of the Bibbulmun Track, from Pemberton to Donnelly River Village is perfect for forest lovers! The trail passes though some of the most beautiful stands of Karri trees in the south west of Western Australia as well as taking in Big Brook Dam, Beedelup Falls, One Tree Bridge and the old timber milling town at Donnelly River.

It's a moderate and sometimes challenging section, with a number of hills and many uneven (although mostly firm) surfaces. Each afternoon we'll take you back to comfortable accommodation, with beautiful surrounds, in Pemberton to relax with your fellow walkers. Enjoy all of the sights, sounds and smells of the track without compromising on comfort.

Details

Arrive: Perth

Depart: Perth

Duration: 7 Days

Group Size: Maximum 12 quests

Average Age: 50-75

Activity Level: Moderate to challenging

Testimonials

We both enjoyed the easy going trekking without the problem of where to drop off and pick up. The accommodation was well chosen and comfortable and welcome after a long day of walking. Good wholesome food was such a

Gary and Yola - Pemberton to Donnelly River 2014

The accommodation was excellent - spacious, comfortable and quiet. The food was first class, with generous portions always. And the track? - the pace of the walk was just perfect too. Simon and Emily know the track well and have measured out the kms to the days perfectly. They shared interesting history and information on plants etc without too much information overload.

Noreen - Pemberton to Donnelly River 2014





Highlights



Towering karri forests



Follow the Donelly River and be soothed by its sound.



Visit the picturesque milling village of Donnelly river.

What to expect



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Average Temperature (degrees) Sep: 8 min - 17 max





Itinerary

A wonderful forested section of the Bibbulmun Track will leave you fit, relaxed and proud of your achievement - 100 km walked over 7 days!

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Day 1 DRIVE FROM PERTH, WALK PEMBERTON TO STIRLING RD

It's a full day today, starting at 8 am when we will pick you up in Perth CBD. We'll be in Pemberton for lunch and begin our walk from there. The walk today is fairly easy and mostly flat with some short hills. It's firm underfoot, including a section of bitumen road and path. We'll pass the lovely Lefroy Brook and Big Brook Dam as we walk through some nice forest with good smells.

Activity: 11.5km walk

Meals: L, D

Accommodation: Pemberton Hotel (or similar)

Day 2 STIRLING RD TO CAREY RD

Today we wander through mixed forests of jarrah, marri and karri trees on fairly flat and gentle gradients. We'll pass through the Beedelup Campsite at about lunchtime and then the Beedelup Falls shortly afterwards. After this it's a gradual incline to the end of the day.

Activity: 18km walk

Meals: B, L, D

Accommodation: Karri Valley Chalets (or similar)

Day 3 CAREY RD TO BEAVIS CAMPSITE

A shorter walk today allows us to rest up for tomorrow's more challenging section. It's a nice walk, mostly through karri forest but with a great stand of jarrah thrown in before lunch.

Activity: 17km walk

Meals: B, L, D

Accommodation: Karri Valley Chalets (or similar)

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Day 4 BEAVIS CAMPSITE TO PALINGS RD

There's no way around it - there are some good hills to conquer today! After lunch the terrain gets more gentle and you get some absolutely stunning views across the valleys in the karri forest. It's a splendid walk.

Activity: 20km walk

Meals: B, L, D

Accommodation: Karri Valley Chalets (or similar)

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Day 5 PALINGS RD TO GREEN ISLAND

We'll enjoy a pleasant walk today with the Donnelly River our constant companion. The sound of running water and birdlife, combined with the rich earthy smells will ensure our relaxation. There are a couple of hills early on, but no biggies.

Activity: 14.5km walk

Meals: B, L, D

Accommodation: Karri Valley Chalets (or similar)

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Day 6 GREEN ISLAND TO TOM RD

We spend another day mostly beside the beautiful Donnelly River, beneath a canopy of karri trees. Tom Road Campsite, situated beside a delightful pool is a perfect place for lunch and the walking in the afternoon gives us some magic forest views.

Activity: 16.5km walk

Meals: B, L, D

Accommodation: Bridgetown Valley Lodge (or similar)

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Day 7 TOM RD TO DONNELLY RIVER VILLAGE

After checking out of our accommodation we head off for our final walk into Donnelly River Village. It's fairly flat and easy walking through mixed forest - a great opportunity to reflect on your achievement this week. We will have lunch at Donnelly Village before driving back to Perth, arriving around 6 pm.

Activity: 8.5km walk

Meals: B, L, D





Departure Dates

02 Apr 2023 08 Apr 2023

16 Sep 2023 22 Sep 2023



Pricing

2022

\$2,550 Per Person

\$350 Deposit

Optional Extras

Single Supplement \$300

Inclusions

- All transport: private coach transport to and from Perth; as well as to and from the track each day
- Professional guiding and support each day
- Emergency support: guides carry satellite phones and a full first aid kit
- 6 night's comfortable accommodation
- 7 healthy breakfasts cereal, fruit, yogurt, toast
- Home baked morning teas, carried by your guide
- 7 lunches some packed and some delivered picnics
- Pre-dinner nibbles each night
- 6 delicious two course dinners
- Excellent itinerary and planning drawn from 19 yrs experience

Exclusions





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Pay a \$350pp deposit to secure your booking (full payment is required six weeks prior to departure or at time of booking if booking within six weeks).

Cancellation Policy

All our tours are guaranteed departures.

We hope that you do not need to cancel your booking. However, if you do, our cancellation fee, based on the notice given prior to the departure date, is:

- More than 12 weeks: \$50 administration fee
- 6 to 12 weeks: loss of deposit
- 4 to 6 weeks: 25% of full tour cost
- 2 to 4 weeks: 50% of full tour cost
- less than 2 weeks: 100% of full tour cost, no refund

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About our tours

First, our tours are for people who like to walk long(ish) distances. That means we usually leave our accommodation pretty early each morning (between 7.30 and 8.30) and finish walking mid to late afternoon.

You won't break any records on our walks - for fastest or slowest hike. We keep a steady pace, but there are plenty of opportunities to rest, take photos and appreciate the views along the way.

A relaxed, social and supportive atmosphere is central to our tours. Have a chat and enjoy the sights and smells with your walking companions. Then back at the accommodation, slip into your comfy slacks and slippers and put your feet up with a cup of tea or a wine. Enjoy the conversation around the dinner table. And if you want to go to bed as soon as you've finished the last spoonful of dessert, or stay up and chat, you can.

We don't specialise in birds or plants or rare subterranean amphibians - although we're interested in all of these things. There are no evening lectures and you don't need to bring a notepad and pen (unless you want to). We have a sound and ever-expanding knowledge of the unique and special environments that we walk through, and love sharing what we know with those who are interested. We especially like digging around for stories of the plants and people whose history is linked with the areas we walk in and we'll share those stories with you as we walk.

Our tours are for those who enjoy the simple pleasure of walking in nature, combined with the luxuries of a proper relaxing holiday. We pay attention to the details so that you can relax and enjoy the experience. With the assistance of a team of knowledgeable friends, Inspiration Outdoors aims to provide... Recreation Beyond Expectation

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