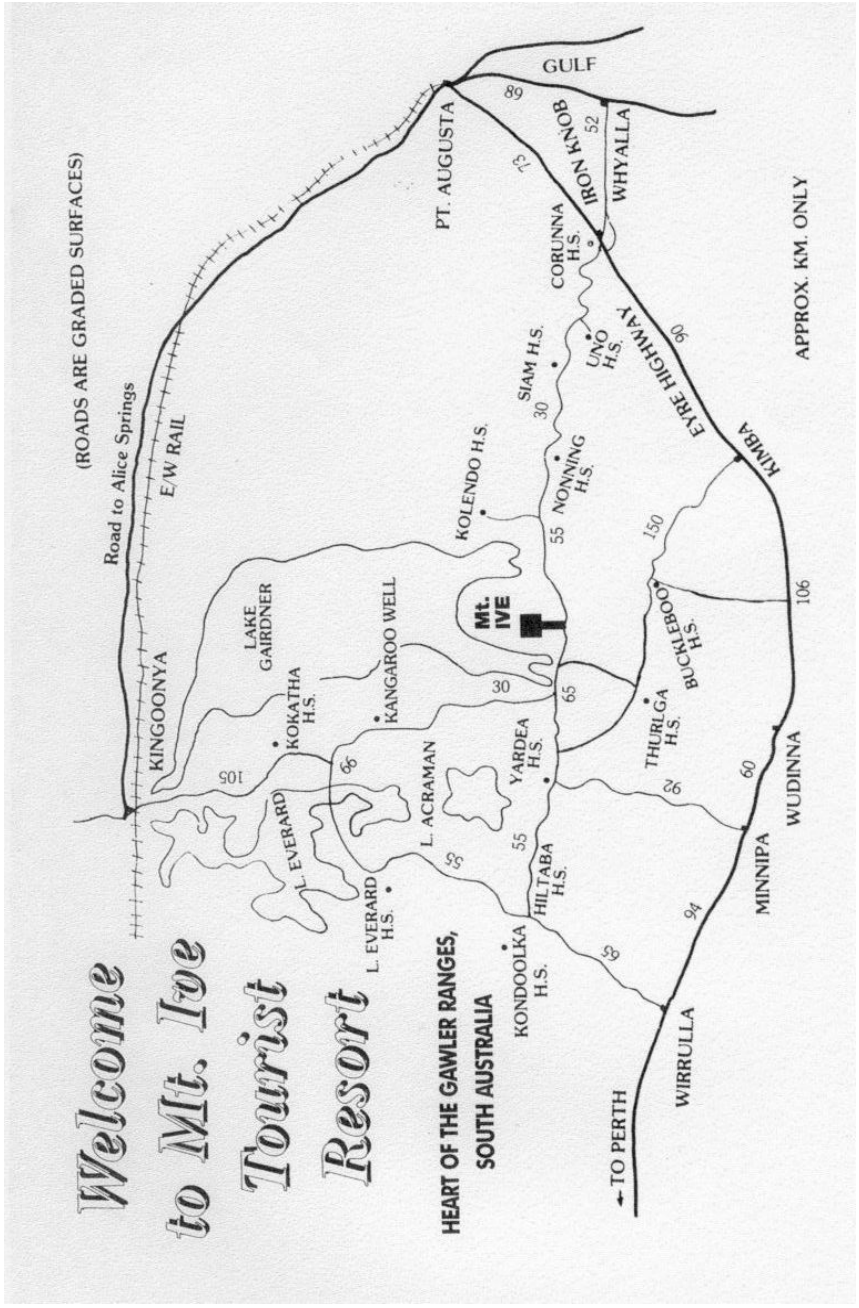


2027

Desert Sky Tours

Proudly Presents

Central Eyre Peninsula & The Gawler Ranges

Evocative Ranges, Flora & Fauna

5 days - $3165 per person

Includes Accommodation and all Meals



Departure Date
Wednesday 8th September 2027

Desert Sky Tours - General Information

TRAVEL ROUTINE

The distance travelled in any day will depend on the general road conditions and sightseeing opportunities along the way. After morning departure at 7.30am, we take a break at around 10.30am and stop for lunch between 12.00-1.00pm, and an afternoon break approximately 3.00pm.
Other stops are taken for photos, exploring and recreation.

MEDICAL
We carry a comprehensive First Aid kit, and have an accredited Senior First Aid

staff member on hand on all tours.
Due to the nature of outback travel, and the vast distances involved, anyone with health problems, should give proper consideration to undertaking this trip, and seek their doctor's advice if necessary.

WHAT YOUR FARE INCLUDES
- All meals from start to finish and hotel accommodation (twin share) plus meals where indicated. (Alcoholic drinks are not included).
- Tour costs do not include additional accommodation, meals and incidental expenses resulting from flooding, natural delays, unavailable connections or other unforeseen circumstances. Travel Insurance is recommended for these instances.

TOUR VEHICLES
Travel is in a Toyota Landcruiser 4WD vehicle
For your safety we carry an HF Radio with Royal Flying Doctor frequencies, and a satellite telephone.

WHAT YOU SHOULD BRING
Comfortable casual clothes, for warm to hot days, and cool to cold nights, stout comfortable shoes, and hat. (Most people bring more clothes than they ever use, so consider carefully, and keep your baggage to a minimum),
a camera, with plenty of film and a torch.

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Central Eyre Peninsula & Gawler Ranges

Day 1

We travel along Highway One through the towns of Port Wakefield, and Port Germein to Port Augusta for lunch at the Wadlata Café.
Our journey continues through Iron Knob, and Kimba to Wudinna on Eyre Peninsula.

Overnight: Wudinna Motel

Day 2
After breakfast, we take a day trip within the Gawler Ranges National Park, visiting Old Paney Homestead, Kolay Mirica Falls (Organ Pipe Formation) , Kolay Hut and the Old Paney Shearing Shed. We leave the Park on the Barnes Road to Wudinna, visiting Mt Wudinna, Polda Rock and The Australian Farmer Granite Sculpture.

Overnight: Wudinna Motel

Day 3
A short distance from Minnipa is Pildappa Rock (South Australia's "wave rock").
Another inselberg formation is Tcharkulda Rock along the Bockelberg Road which takes us to Wudinna where we pick up the road to Uncontitchie Hill.
Around the base of the hill can be seen unique wave structures indicating previous levels of long since eroded soils. Our return to the Tod Highway is via Cocata Hill and Kyancutta.

Overnight: Wudinna Motel

Day 4
Leaving Minnipa this morning, we take the Yardea Road to Mt Yardea, where we meet the Hiltaba Road to take us to Mt Ive Station in the heart of the Gawler Ranges.
We call in to the Tourist Resort to pick up an access key to Lake Gairdner then visit the third largest salt lake in Australia!
Heading east, we pass the sheep stations of Kolendo, Nonning, Siam and Corunna to Iron Knob where the Eyre Highway leads to Port Augusta.

Overnight: Pastoral Motel Pt Augusta

Day 5
We travel through Horrocks Pass to Wilmington and Melrose in the Southern Flinders Ranges, then home to Adelaide through Ororroo, Burra and the Gilbert Valley.