

EAST MACDONNELL RANGES

Enjoy the pace of the East MacDonnell Ranges, The Binns Track, the adventure, the smaller crowds.



THE LARAPINTA TRAIL

Marvel at the breathtaking views as you traverse over the spine of the MacDonnell Ranges, with 12 individual sections in varying grades, something to suit most fitness levels. This is an experience you will have that will always be an important part of your visit to Central Australia.

Ranked as one of the planet's top 20 treks, The Larapinta Trail links with other walking tracks, with the whole trail over 230km (143mi) long beginning at the Alice Springs Telegraph Station. The western end of the trail finishes at the highest point with Mount Sonder, a favourite subject of artist Albert Namatjira.

While all Trailheads have a water supply, research how much water to trek with daily for each section. Some have free gas barbecues, others you need to bring correct change for camping fees, to ensure you are well prepared for your one or two day walks. You can enjoy magnificent night skies and camp under the stars along the way, arrange supplies to be dropped off to you, or you trek with all your own supplies.

Maps and Park information can be picked up from the Visitor Information Centre, or contact an experienced tour operator for further information.

Parks & Wildlife have introduced an online booking system. Check all Parks for site availability prior to arrival.

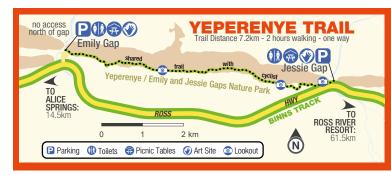








Never underestimate the beauty or cultural significance of the lesser known East MacDonnell Ranges, for your next adventure. These stunning rock formations, river beds, valleys and the rugged ranges that dominate your travels east, will glow a different colour and offer a different pace.



THE BINNS TRACK

The complete journey starts at the South Australia border and has you winding through remote national parks, amazing camping opportunities and fascinating outback towns. Covering a total track length of 2230kms, this is an adventure journey you will never forget.



Named after Bill Binns, a dedicated NT Parks & Wildlife ranger for over 32 years, it was created to allow tourists to explore regions of the NT not often visited and offering 4WD adventure.

ALICE SPRINGS TO YEPERENYE EMILY GAP - 15 km

This is your first stop to walk amongst a sacred area to the local traditional people and offers large rock paintings and engravings depicting the caterpillar dreaming of Mparntwe (Alice Springs).

JESSIE GAP TO CORROBBOREE ROCK - 26 km

Formed over 800 million years ago by salt lakes. This dolomite structure is a sacred men's site, important to the local Indigenous today.

