



Who operates Corroboree Billabong Wetland Cruises

Corroboree Billabong Wetland Cruises is a family owned business operated by Paul Simpson.

Paul has been involved in tourism in the Top End of the Northern Territory since 1990. The cruise has been in operation since 2001 but has only recently commenced working with the wholesale/inbound sector since Paul sold his previous business (Wilderness 4wd Adventures) to Adventure Tours Australia at the end of 2008. When this business was sold, the cruise operation was retained by Paul and has since been promoted in its own right as Darwin's closest cruise to experience the wonders of the wetlands.

About Corroboree Billabong

Corroboree Billabong is just over 100km drive from Darwin (on the way to Kakadu National Park) and is the closest wetlands cruise available to guests visiting the Top End. Corroboree Billabong is part of the Mary River Wetlands which are teeming with birds and is also recognised as having the largest concentration of saltwater crocodiles in the world.

After operating cruises in the area for over 20 years, wildlife has become accustomed to the boat, allowing superior viewing and great photo opportunities for the novice or professional photographer.

How to get there

Travelling by car, the journey is approximately 90 minutes from Darwin. The last 2km of road is unsealed however this section is fairly well maintained. For guests who do not wish to drive on an unsealed road, there is a shuttle service available to the cruise that operates from Corroboree Park Tavern on the Arnhem Highway (20km from the cruise). The shuttle service departs 30 minutes prior to the cruise times and can be booked for an additional cost at the time of reservation.

Our Boat

Carrying a maximum of 29 passengers, the boat is an open-air vessel with comfy seats and no windows. It has a full length roof canopy so there is plenty of shade for passengers while offering unrestricted views of the wildlife. The vessel has a small toilet on-board if required in emergencies, however we recommend passengers make use of the public toilets that are available in the car park at Corroboree Billabong prior to boarding their cruise. Drinking water is always available for passengers. Access onto the boat is via a walkway and steps down into the boat, we currently do not cater for wheelchair access to the vessel. If you need to cater for larger groups, please note we are now able to offer a second vessel for increased capacity.

For more information see the website: wetlandcruises.com.au

2023 Season / Master Rates

CRUISE + SHUTTLE	SEASON	CRUISE DEPARTS FROM CORROBOREE TAVERN	TOUR CODE	ADULTS	CHILD	FAMILY (2A/2C)
2 HOUR SUNRISE	(1st June – 31st Aug incl)	6.15AM Daily	0615	\$85.00	\$55.00	\$260.00
1.5 HOUR MORNING	(1st April – 31st Oct incl)	9.30AM Daily	0930	\$75.00	\$45.00	\$220.00
2.5 HOUR LUNCH	(1st April – 31st Oct incl)	12.15PM Daily	1215	\$105.00	\$65.00	\$320.00
2.0 HOUR SUNSET	(1st April – 31st Oct incl)	4.00PM Daily	1600	\$90.00	\$55.00	\$270.00
CRUISE ONLY	SEASON	CRUISE DEPARTS FROM CORROBOREE BILLABONG	TOUR CODE	ADULTS	CHILD	FAMILY (2A/2C)
2 HOUR SUNRISE	(1st June – 31st Aug incl)	6.45AM Daily	0645	\$75.00	\$50.00	\$230.00
1.5 HOUR MORNING	(1st April – 31st Oct incl)	10.00AM Daily	1000	\$65.00	\$40.00	\$190.00
2.5 HOUR LUNCH	(1st April – 31st Oct incl)	12.45PM Daily	1245	\$95.00	\$60.00	\$290.00
2.0 HOUR SUNSET	(1st April – 31st Oct incl)	4.30PM Daily	1630	\$80.00	\$50.00	\$240.00
1 DAY WETLAND EXPERIENCE	SEASON	PICK UP FROM DARWIN HOTEL'S	TOUR CODE	ADULTS	CHILD	FAMILY (2A/2C)
DAY TOUR FROM DARWIN	(1st May – 31st Oct incl)	9AM – 5PM Daily	1DWC	\$190.00	\$120.00	\$600.00

This tour includes: lunch, 2.5 hour wetland cruise, Fogg dam reserve & return transfers from Darwin Hotels.

FOR FURTHER ENQUIRIES OR BOOKINGS CONTACT: PAUL SIMPSON | PAUL@WETLANDCRUISES.COM.AU | RESERVATIONS 08 8985 5855



IMPORTANT INFORMATION

The rate options supplied with the cruises are either :

1. using our shuttle from Corroboree Tavern (located 85km from Darwin) to Corroboree Billabong or (Tour code 0615/0930/1215 or 1600)
2. Passengers driving themselves all the way to Corroboree Billabong (located 105km from Darwin). (Tour code 0645/1000/1245 or 1630) Please choose the rate option best suited for your clients' needs.
3. Taking a 1 day tour from Darwin including hotel pick up and drop off.

RATE INFORMATION

1. All rates are quoted in Australian Dollars and are inclusive of GST (Goods & Services Tax)
2. Rates are valid from 01/04/23 - 31/03/24
3. Rates quoted are per person
4. Child rates are for passengers aged from 3 -15 years
5. Rates supplied on 2.5 hour lunch cruise include lunch
6. Rates supplied on 1 Day Wetland Experience include Darwin accommodation pick up & drop off, air-conditioned transport to & from the cruise and a 2.5 hour wetland cruise including lunch.

SHUTTLE TRANSFER INFORMATION

1. A shuttle bus from Corroboree Park Tavern to Corroboree Billabong is available for passengers who are unable to drive on 2km of unsealed road to the cruise departure point at Corroboree Billabong.
2. Corroboree Tavern is located 85km from Darwin on the way to Kakadu National Park. Passengers need to allow at least 75 minutes if driving directly from Darwin to Corroboree Tavern. The passenger waiting area for the shuttle here is in a prominent position on the front veranda. Passengers driving all the way to Corroboree Billabong will need to allow 90 minutes.

CANCELLATION POLICY

1. 100% charge within 72 hours of departure

CRUISE POLICY – 1.5, 2.0 & 2.5 HOUR CRUISES

1. Infants aged from 0 - 2 years are free
 2. Guaranteed departures throughout the season.
- No minimum numbers to depart.

DAY TOUR POLICY – 1 DAY WETLAND EXPERIENCE

1. Minimum age of participants is 4 years
 2. Guaranteed departures throughout the season
- No minimum numbers to depart.
3. Transfers depart Darwin at 9.00am

FAMIL POLICY

Industry discounts available. Please contact Paul Simpson on paul@wetlandcruises.com.au to confirm arrangements prior to arrival.

PAYMENT

Account Name: Wetland Cruises P/L
Bank: ANZ Darwin
BSB: 015 901
Account No: 3527 09195

DISCLAIMER

Wetland Cruises accept no responsibility for the loss or damage of personal articles. Wetland Cruises will not be held responsible for any personal injury sustained by clients due to actions beyond our control. Subject To road and weather conditions, unforeseen circumstances and mechanical failure, Wetland Cruises reserves the right to cancel departures. Any costs incurred by a client as a result of a delay or cancellation, including failure to make connections with any other service, are the responsibility of the passenger. We strongly recommend that all passengers have their own travel insurance to cover losses.

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