

# End to End (E2E) Extra Trek Packages - Larapinta Trail

## REDBANK GORGE TRANSFER

A Larapinta Trail vehicle transfer to/from Redbank Gorge (Section 12), the official finish point of the Larapinta Trail (walking E-W), but also a very common start point for an End to End (E2E) trek of the Larapinta Trail (walking W-E). Your choice whether it is a drop off or pick up. Transfers to/from Redbank Gorge operate morning and afternoon as specified below:

### Drop Off\*

#### Morning Transfers

- Depart Alice Springs: 7:00am
- Arrive to Redbank Gorge at approx 9am/9:30am

#### Afternoon Transfers

- Depart Alice Springs: 1:30pm
- Arrive Redbank Gorge at approx 3:30pm/4pm

### Pick Up\*

#### Morning Transfers

- Depart Redbank Gorge: 10am
- Arrive to Alice Springs: Approx 12pm/12:30pm

#### Afternoon Transfers

- Depart Redbank Gorge: Approx 4:30pm
- Arrive Alice Springs: Approx 6:30pm/7pm

\*Pick up/drop off times may slightly vary on the day

## FREE SPOT TRACKER RENTAL (SOLO ONLY)

A SPOT Tracker is a lightweight GPS device that monitors your position and progress for the duration of your trek. Your trek can be viewed online 24/7 by either the team at LTTS or by family or friends. You can send SMS messages to your contacts or send SOS messages for life threatening emergencies. Taking a SPOT Tracker is OPTIONAL. SPOT Trackers rent for \$15 per day but are included free in your package.

### In Summary

- Includes 1 x SPOT Gen3
- Comes in a pouch with strap and quick reference guide
- Provided with new Lithium Batteries

## FREE GEAR RETRIEVAL

While you are on the trail you may decide that you are carrying too much equipment, clothing or kit. You have the option to leave any extra gear behind in your food container. We will then pick up any excess gear you leave behind in the container and have it waiting for you when you finish your trek.

### In Summary

- We will retrieve any gear or kit left behind in your food containers
- Retrieved gear will be waiting for you at the end of your trek
- There are no restrictions on what can be left behind, as long as it fits in the container

## BAGGAGE STORAGE

The package offers you the option to leave your travel gear or excess baggage behind with us while you are on your trek. It will be kept in secure cool storage for the duration of your trek. Bags are placed in a protective canvas bag, zipped tied closed, tamper tagged and labelled with your details. We will drop it off to you at the end of your trek.

### In Summary

- One bag only. Bag size must be less than: 60cm in length/height. 30cm in width. 20cm in depth (or thereabouts).
- The average stay-behind baggage size for most people doing the trail is less than 50cm or small to medium carry-on bags (domestic flights)
- If you have additional bags, let us know and we'll see if we can accommodate extra's anytime

## 3x FOOD DROPS

Three strategically placed food drops along the Larapinta Trail allow you to complete your E2E in more comfort by allowing you to distribute your food weight load and resupply every 4-6 days. It also allows you to enjoy any heavy meals at the food drop point and leave the previous days rubbish behind.

### In Summary

- 3 food drops to Standley Chasm, Ellery Creek and Ormiston Gorge
- Food drop packaging and delivery as detailed here
- You need to organise your own store room key

## FREE PLB RENTAL

A Personal Locator Beacon (PLB) is an essential piece of kit all hikers should carry, particularly solo hikers. If you are in a serious and life threatening emergency or situation such as a snake bite, heat exhaustion etc, a PLB can save your life by instantly notifying emergency services. PLB's rent for \$10 per day but are included free in your package

### In Summary

- Includes 1x PLB (Personal Locator Beacon) for the duration of your trek
- PLB is either an ACR Res Qlink or a GME MT410G
- We register your trek details and plan with AMSA (Australian Maritime Safety Authority)

## FREE STOVE FUEL

We will organise your trek fuel locally. Since you can't take stove fuel on flights, this will save you the hassle of obtaining it in Alice Springs when you get here. The fuel will be delivered to you with your empty food containers a day or so before your trek starts (we'll co-ordinate a date/time with you)

### In Summary

- Stove fuel is provided for the duration of your trek.
- All fuel is 100% new and unused
- Fuel Options: Liquid (i.e. shellite), Liquid gas (i.e. isobutane/propane), Alcohol (i.e. methylated spirits), Chemical Solid Fuel (i.e. Hexamine).
- You just need to advise on quantities and the type of stove you use.

## TREK PLAN SUBMISSION

You can submit your trek plan to us and we can monitor your trek and have the info on hand in case of any emergencies. We can also provide useful and practical feedback about your trek plan. Your trek plan and details are not shared with anyone. Use of this option is optional if you prefer not to share your trek plan with us.

### In Summary

- You can electronically submit your trek plan to the LTTS team
- We can provide practical and useful feedback (i.e. trek feasibility, campsite considerations, etc)
- Your Trek Plan could assist in any emergencies or evacuations and rescues you may need

## PRE-TREK PLANNING SUPPORT

Pre-Trek Planning Support includes any help, advice and guidance with information, planning and tips to help you with your trek planning and preparation. You can email or call through anytime when you have any questions, queries etc about your Larapinta Trail trek, the trail, conditions, equipment etc. and we will help out wherever we can. This support is provided by experienced local Larapinta Trail experts with extensive knowledge about the trail and remote area trekking anytime.

POPULAR  
1 x hiker  
**\$430**  
E2E SOLO EXTRA

- Redbank Gorge Transfer
- 3 x Food Drops
- Free PLB Rental
- Free SPOT Tracker Rental
- Free Stove Fuel
- Free Container Rental
- Free Gear Retrieval
- Trek Plan Submission
- Pre-Trek Planning Support
- Baggage Storage

PACKAGE CODE  
**E2ESOLOEX**  
More

POPULAR  
2 x Hikers  
**\$460**  
E2E DUO EXTRA

- Redbank Gorge Transfer
- 3 x Food Drops
- Free PLB Rental
- Free Stove Fuel
- Free Container Rental
- Free Gear Retrieval
- Trek Plan Submission
- Pre-Trek Planning Support
- Baggage Storage

PACKAGE CODE  
**E2EDUOEX**  
More

POPULAR  
3 x Hikers  
**\$490**  
E2E TROIKA EXTRA

- Redbank Gorge Transfer
- 3 x Food Drops
- Free PLB Rental
- Free Stove Fuel
- Free Container Rental
- Free Gear Retrieval
- Trek Plan Submission
- Pre-Trek Planning Support
- Baggage Storage

PACKAGE CODE  
**E2E3XTRA**  
More



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