

## **DEPARTURE**

- Self-drive to Rainbow Beach.
- Your two-day tour begins with a pick-up from select locations in Rainbow Beach (between 7.30am and 7.45am), or make your own way to 36 Rainbow Beach Road at 7:45 AM. Please arrive 10-minutes before pick-up time.
- Ferry departure at Inskip Point (8:05am) for a 10 to 15-minute cruise across to Hook Point, the southern tip of K'gari.

#### WHAT TO BRING

- Pack an overnight bag with items for two days.
- Pack a day bag with swimmers, towel, hat, sunscreen, insect repellent, comfortable walking shoes or thongs, sunglasses, essential medication and don't forget your camera.
- We do provide water, but a reusable water bottle is always handy and great for the environment.

#### WHAT'S INCLUDED

- Two full-days of guided 4WD coach touring with expert commentary.
- Small group experience (Max 40 guests).
- One night's accommodation in a standard hotel room at K'gari Beach Resort, room upgrades are available.
- Courtesy pick-up and drop-off from select locations.
- Return ferry transfers.
- Breakfast and lunch (one breakfast, one resort lunch and one picnic lunch). (Dinner at leisure, and at guest's own expense).
- National Park fees and fuel levies.
- Foreign Language Guide app is available. Before arriving, please download the K'gari Explorer Tours app.

# **GETTING HERE**

**Courtesy Transfers** Please enter your pick-up location when booking online and a collection time will be provided.

**Self-Driving** Rainbow Beach is approximately 3 hours drive north of Brisbane. Meet your guide at 36 Rainbow Beach Road for a prompt 7.45am departure.

# **PLUS**

Take your adventure to new heights, with an optional scenic flight with Air Fraser, and witness the world's largest sand island from above. It's the bucket list add-on to your tour! Subject to weather and availability. (Extra cost applies).

# **TOURING TIP**

If English is your second language, our K'gari Explorer Tours Foreign Language Guide App is available from your app store with audio and script translations in English, Chinese, Spanish, French, Italian and German.



# **Tour** itinerary





#### Lake McKenzie (Boorangoora)

K'gari's most iconic, picture-perfect swimming spot! Immerse yourself in the crystal-clear blue fresh water and relax on the sandy white beaches.

#### **Central Station**

A former logging station that housed schools and shops for the bustling timber industry is now a tourist stop. Stroll along the Wanggoolba Creek boardwalk to discover the ancient King Ferns, towering Flooded Gums and Pine trees.

#### **Pile Valley**

Wander through the subtropical rainforest and marvel at the centuries-old Satinay trees and towering palms.

#### 75 Mile Beach

As you travel along this golden beach highway, you may spot dingoes, birds of prey flying above, or humpback whales, migrating down the coast (between July – October).

#### Eli Creek

Float gently down this tranquil, tree-lined creek with four million litres of fresh water flowing into the Pacific Ocean every hour.

#### **Maheno Shipwreck**

Marvel at the rustic wreck of the Maheno, which washed ashore during an out-of-season cyclone in 1935. It's one of K'gari's most recognisable sites.

#### **The Pinnacles Coloured Sands**

Learn about these radiant, cliff-like sand formations and the Indigenous Dreamtime stories that surround them. Get up close and experience the spectacular 72 shades of rare red, orange and yellow sands.

#### **Indian Head**

Cruise past the most easterly point of the island, which is home to marine life such as turtles and rays, often spotted in the waters around the base of this rocky headland.

#### **Champagne Pools**

Take a dip in this amazing natural jacuzzi, as waves crash over the volcanic rock into beautiful bubbling pools.

#### **Lake Wabby**

Trek across the desert-like
Hammerstone Sandblow and be
rewarded with a panorama of
ocean, lake and forest surrounds,
before plunging into this emerald
green freshwater oasis. (Please
note: this is a 4km return walk
through bushland and across soft
sands - a moderate fitness level is
required. The Lake Wabby walk is
an optional activity).







PLEASE NOTE Tour itinerary may vary due to tides, seasons and weather conditions.



# **Tour** details





# **LOCAL GUIDES**

Your guide is a K'gari expert with local knowledge and a passion for the destination. You'll explore some of the most beautiful spots and learn fascinating facts about the island's history, flora and fauna. They'll drive you across the sand tracks and navigate the tides and unique terrain, as you relax in airconditioned comfort.

# **WILDLIFE**

Diverse wildlife are present on K'gari with dingoes, birds of prey and whales (July to October) seen on K'gari Explorer Tours.

Spot wildlife from our 4WD coaches with custom-built panoramic windows, keeping an eye out for K'gari's most famous resident – our pure-bred dingoes!

# **DROP OFF**

At the end of the second day, your tour departs K'gari at approximately 4.30pm on the barge, arriving back in Rainbow Beach between 5.00pm and 5.30pm.



# **ACCOMMODATION**

#### 1 night

Based on K'gari's iconic 75 Mile Beach, K'gari Beach Resort offers a coastal paradise closer to lesser known but equally spectacular spots, such as the hidden oasis of Lake Wabby.

Tour accommodation includes recently renovated standard hotel rooms with tea and coffeemaking facilities, a balcony or a patio. These rooms also come with ceiling fans to increase airflow, however, if you would like an air-conditioned room, please request an upgrade at time of check-in. The resort offers many facilities for quest use, but the best place to unwind at the end of a tour day is at McKenzie's on 75 Bar & Restaurant. Delight in an evening at leisure and select a meal from the new à la carte menu.









