



MEDIA INFORMATION

TOURS & EXPERIENCES

With more than 70 tours and activities, Ayers Rock Resort offers an impressive spectrum of internationally acclaimed experiences for guests in and around Uluru Kata Tjuta National Park. From the award-winning Sounds of Silence dining experience under the stars to the popular free daily Indigenous Guest Activities program there is something for everyone at Ayers Rock Resort.

Sounds of Silence

Entered into the Australian Tourism Hall of Fame, Sounds of Silence offers the best of the Red Centre distilled into four magical hours. The dining experience begins with canapés and chilled sparkling wine served on a viewing platform overlooking the Uluru-Kata Tjuta National Park. As the sun sets and darkness falls, guests listen to the sound of a didgeridoo and join their table of fellow travellers for an unforgettable bush tucker inspired buffet incorporating native ingredients, accompanied by a quality selection of Australian wine and beer. Afterwards, guests can settle back and listen to the resident star talker decode the southern night sky, including the Southern Cross, the signs of the zodiac, the Milky Way and planets and galaxies that are visible due to the exceptional clarity of the atmosphere.

Tali Wiru

Tali Wiru is an open air gastronomic experience offering a magical evening of fine dining on a remote sand dune overlooking Uluru and the distant domes of Kata Tjuta with a menu celebrating the ancient flavours of Indigenous Australia. Guests enjoy Champagne and canapes at sunset accompanied by the sounds of a didgeridoo, followed by a four-course table d'hôte menu with perfectly matched premium Australian wines. A storyteller shares tales of Indigenous culture and the southern night sky and the evening ends with a port, cognac or native wattleseed infused hot chocolate around the campfire. Limited to just 20 guests per evening, and only operating from April to October each year, Tali Wiru is a truly exclusive experience.

Mayu Wiru

Mayu Wiru is an exclusive new fine dining experience which runs daily from 22 October to 24 March each year, during the hiatus of Tali Wiru. Meaning 'beautiful flavour' in local Pitjantjatjara, Mayu Wiru combines an exceptional gourmet menu celebrating the ancient flavours of Indigenous Australia with a premium Field of Light experience for a maximum of 16 guests. The evening begins with Champagne and bush tucker-inspired canapés at a private lookout within the grounds of Sails in the Desert hotel, followed by a 3-course table d'hôte Indigenous-inspired menu with perfectly matched wines in the hotel's private dining room. After dinner, guests are transported to a dune top for a nightcap and to enjoy panoramic views of the stunning Field of Light and a star talk on the southern night sky. This special evening ends with a private 30-minute escorted walk through the magical art exhibition.



Field of Light Uluru

Ayers Rock Resort's monumental art installation Field of Light has received worldwide acclaim since opening on 1 April 2016 and a range of tours are available each evening, as well as a sunrise experience. The inspiration of internationally acclaimed artist Bruce Munro, Field of Light's 50,000 glass spheres bloom as darkness falls over the spiritual heart of Australia. Pathways created by the artwork draw viewers into the installation, which comes to life under a sky brilliant with stars and illuminates a remote desert area within sight of majestic Uluru. The installation is in place until 31 March 2018.

Desert Awakenings

Watch the amazing transformation of colours as the desert awakens pre-dawn with Uluru and Kata Tjuta as the backdrop. In the company of an expert guide and no more than 15 other guests, Desert Awakenings is designed to introduce guests to the natural and cultural landscapes of this remarkable region. Enjoy a traditional Aussie breakfast of bacon and egg rolls, tea, coffee and homemade damper with golden syrup in the open air and then, once the sun is up, enjoy a guided tour at the base of Uluru. The morning concludes with a visit to the Uluru -Kata Tjuta National Park Cultural Centre.

Free Daily Indigenous Guest Activities

Learn about Anangu and Australian Indigenous culture and traditions by participating in the free daily activities organised by Ayers Rock Resort's Indigenous activities team. These include guided or self-guided garden walks through local native gardens, a bush food experience where guests learn about native ingredients, bush yarns at the Circle of Sand with a local Aboriginal storyteller, and Indigenous dance and theatre performances.

Outback Sky Journeys Astro Tour

Our resident astronomer guides guests through the evolution of the Universe and a fact finding journey through the southern night sky. Explore the vast night landscape with the use of telescopes, binoculars and iPads. Learn how stars are formed, why they produce light, the lifecycle of a star, the theory of "the Big Bang" and much more.

Outback Sky Journeys Family Astro Tour

This family-friendly star gazing tour is designed for people of all ages. Learn how ancient cultures used the night sky for mythology, orientation and to predict upcoming seasons. Explore the night sky with telescopes, iPads and binoculars. Our resident astronomer will point out different constellations, stars and planets.



Maraku Arts Dot Painting Workshop

Maraku Arts Dot Painting Workshop provides a fun introduction to local Indigenous Art. Join Indigenous artists and learn about the different symbols depicting Creation Time (Tjukurpa) stories and make your own dot artwork. At the Indigenous Art Market on the Town Square Lawns see local artists at work and purchase an authentic piece of Anangu art or craft to take home.

SEIT Outback Australia

Travelling with SEIT Outback Australia takes guests on an exciting, adventurous and interpretive small group tour (maximum 12) allowing time to learn, absorb and relax in the heart of Australia. Discover the real deal in small group touring environment, through exclusive and specialised experiences.

Uluru Camel Tours

Ride high above the desert surrounds and explore this central Australian region just as the early pioneers did - on a camel. Join Uluru Camel Tours on an unforgettable journey through red dunes with Uluru and Kata Tjuta as the stunning backdrop.

Uluru Motorcycle Tours

Uluru Motorcycles offer fun-filled adventure on the back of a Harley Davidson Motorcycle or a 3 Wheeler Trike. For the wild at heart, experience the beauty of Uluru and Kata Tjuta with the wind in your face.

Red Ochre Spa

Red Ochre Spa is located within Sails in the Desert Hotel at Ayers Rock Resort – a place where guests can enjoy a range of advanced skincare, well-being and relaxation therapies, capturing the essence of Australia's Red Centre. Designed with pampering and total indulgence in mind, Red Ochre Spa is a sanctuary where guests exchange stressed or weary states for tranquility and embrace treatments that renew energies or evoke luscious relaxation. The spa exclusively uses PAYOT advanced skincare range and spa treatments.