

# Town-to-Town Bibbulmun Track Tours

## Pemberton to Northcliffe

April 9th - 12th

4 day tour, 4 days walking



Thank you for enquiring about our Town-to-Town Tours on the Bibbulmun Track.

The Bibbulmun Track Foundation is a not-for-profit, community-based organisation established to provide support for the management, maintenance and marketing of the Bibbulmun Track. We have been conducting guided walks on the Bibbulmun Track since 1997 and are pleased to be able to offer this extended itinerary as an alternative to our Best of the Bibbulmun Tours.



The Foundation manages over 300 volunteers who each 'own' a section of Track assisting the Department of Parks and Wildlife to maintain the Track and facilities to world-class standards.

The Foundation is self-funded and all proceeds from this trip support the ongoing sustainability of the Bibbulmun Track.

### **The Bibbulmun Track**

The Bibbulmun Track in Western Australia is one of the world's great long-distance walk trails, stretching 1000kms from Kalamunda in the Perth Hills to Albany on the south coast. The Track passes through some of the most beautiful and peaceful coastal, forest and rural areas of Australia's south west. Over the years the Bibbulmun Track has won several WA and National Tourism Awards.

Along the Track, 49 campsites each provide a three-sided wooden sleeping shelter, tent sites, pit toilet, picnic table and water tank.

### **About the tour**

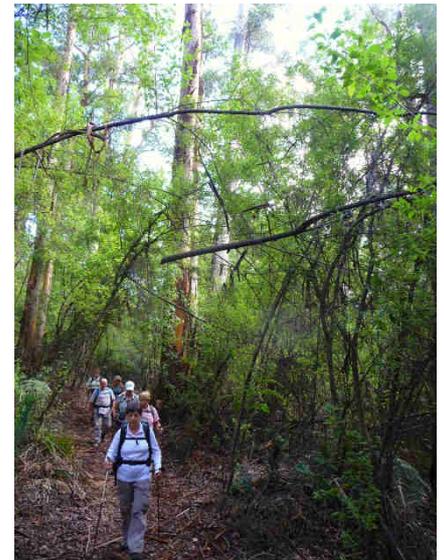
This tour is operated by the Bibbulmun Track Foundation in conjunction with local partners. We complete this 59km section of the Bibbulmun Track over four days, walking between 12km and 19km per day. Highlights include walking through the beautiful karri forest, walking beside the Warren River, farmland views, delicious homemade meals and, of course, completing another section of the Bibbulmun Track! All meals, other than lunch on the last day, are included. Accommodation is in Pemberton for three nights.

The maximum number of walkers is 13.

## Inclusions

- All transport: private coach transport to and from Perth; as well as transport to and from the Track each day
- Three night's comfortable accommodation
- Professional guiding and support each day
- Emergency support: guides carry satellite phones and a full first aid kit
- Three healthy breakfasts – cereal, fruit, yogurt, toast
- Four homemade morning teas, carried by your guide
- Three lunches – some packed and some delivered
- Pre-dinner nibbles each night
- Three delicious two course dinners

Beverages are not included.



## Itinerary

A guide will accompany you each day as you walk between 12km and 19km. You should have a moderate level of fitness in order to make the walking enjoyable and achievable. The itinerary may alter depending on local conditions and weather.

### Day 1: Drive from Perth + 12 km walk into Pemberton

We begin our day from the Perth CBD at 8am (or 7.20am from Fremantle) and head towards Pemberton, stopping for homemade morning tea and lunch on the way. The afternoon's walk will start 12km south of Pemberton and is largely through Karri forest. We will pass the Gloucester Tree and walk into the main street of Pemberton where the bus will be waiting to take us back to our accommodation. For the next three nights we will stay at the Warren River Cottages.

### Day 2: Gloucester Rd to Moons Crossing (19 km)

We have a few ups and downs today as we make our way toward and along the rugged Warren River valley. Much of the day is spent following the meanderings of the Warren River under the cool canopy of the karri forest – sometimes close to the river's banks and sometimes higher along the ridges. We will enjoy having a healthy picnic lunch delivered to us beside the Warren River. Walkers may choose to pull out here if they wish (approx 10 km) and stay with the bus to meet the rest of the group at Moons Crossing. Otherwise, continue on and enjoy a marvelous section of the Track.

### Day 3: Moons Crossing to Lane Pool Rd (13.5 km)

We leave the Warren River behind and make our way south today. We will skirt around a number of private properties but remain mostly within karri forest. We plan to have lunch at the Schafer Campsite where you can cool your feet or even swim in the nearby dam. After lunch, it's only 3km to where we will finish our walk for the day.

## **Day 4 Lane Pool Rd to Northcliffe (11.5 km)**

Today's walk is quite easy with much of the walk following quiet rural roads. Enjoy tree-lined lanes, open views across private farmland and a walk through the Northcliffe Forest Park. We finish our sectional walk in Northcliffe where we will celebrate our achievement and have lunch at the pub (own expense) before heading back to Perth. We plan to arrive in Perth by about 5.30pm / 6pm.

## **Accommodation and single travellers**

We will stay at the Warren River Cottages for three nights so that you only unpack once. Located ten minutes south of Pemberton township, Warren River Cottages offers simple, peaceful accommodation surrounded by magnificent karri forest and the Warren River. We will stay in a number of self-contained two and three bedroom cottages. Accommodation will be allocated on a double or twin share basis. If you are travelling solo, we will room you with a fellow solo traveller of the same sex. A single supplement is available at an extra cost (please see the booking form for cost) – please request it when completing your booking form. Breakfasts and dinners, prepared by your guides, will be shared in one of the cottages.

## **What to bring**

We will send you a list of recommended clothing and equipment when you book, as well as some tips on how to prepare. You do not need to bring bath towels or linen. There will be some time to pick up extra supplies and beverages during the week.

## **Transport**

This tour starts and finishes in Fremantle or Perth. We will pick up guests on the morning of the tour from central location in Fremantle, then Perth CBD.

## **Cancellations**

Please note that deposits are strictly non-refundable and non-transferable (unless the tour does not proceed). If you wish to cancel after the date full payment is due you will forfeit the following amounts regardless of circumstance:

- Cancellation of 31 days to 45 days before tour departure, 50% of total price.
- Cancellation of 21 days to 30 days before tour departure, 75% of total price.
- Cancellation of within 20 days before tour departure, no refund.

If you have any concerns about cancelling, please take out travel insurance covering this contingency. This policy will be adhered to, despite the most compelling and compassionate circumstances.

## **Bookings**

To secure your place, complete the booking form and medical information form at the end of this dossier. A \$500 deposit is required to hold your place and payment in full is required 45 days prior to departure (or at time of booking if booking within 45 days). All participants are required to sign the medical information form, which includes an indemnity and release.

If you require any assistance please contact us on (08) 9481 0551 or [events@bibbulmuntrack.org.au](mailto:events@bibbulmuntrack.org.au). Please note that all bookings are subject to availability at the time the completed booking form is received with a deposit. If the tour is full you will be contacted and also placed on a waiting list. We require a minimum of participants before the tour will proceed.

## **Pre departure information**

After receipt of your booking form and deposit, we will forward more detailed pre-departure information. This includes recommended clothing and equipment lists, and other details to help you prepare for the trip ahead.

## **Accommodation in Perth**

You will need to book your own pre and post tour accommodation. Here are some options in the Perth CBD close to the pick up location on Murray Street:

- Mantra on Murray [www.mantraonmurray.com.au](http://www.mantraonmurray.com.au)
- Ibis Hotel [www.ibis.com/gb/hotel-1773-ibis-perth/](http://www.ibis.com/gb/hotel-1773-ibis-perth/)
- Four Points by Sheraton [www.starwoodhotels.com/fourpoints/property/overview/](http://www.starwoodhotels.com/fourpoints/property/overview/)
- Wellington St YHA [www.yha.com.au/](http://www.yha.com.au/)
- The Royal Hotel [www.royalhotelperth.com.au/](http://www.royalhotelperth.com.au/)

## **Delay, cancellation or alteration of tour**

Prior to a tour departure, the Bibbulmun Track Foundation reserves the right to cancel, delay or alter any tour due to circumstances beyond the control of the Foundation including but not limited to dangerous weather conditions, dangerous Track conditions, or the inability of a contractor to fulfill any obligations. Under the circumstance of a cancellation of the tour by the Foundation, a full refund will be made. If a tour has already commenced, and a tour is terminated a proportion of paid funds, deemed to be appropriate by the Foundation, will be refunded to the client. No refunds will be made (in whole or in part) if an event is altered or delayed or any payment made by the Foundation for other cost incurred by the client.

## **Promotional material**

The Bibbulmun Track Foundation and its local partners reserve the right to take photographs of the participants and use those images for promotional purposes. In booking a tour, you give the Foundation and its local partners the right to use images for such purposes.

Please contact us should you have any questions, we look forward to speaking with you.

## **Bibbulmun Track Foundation**

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Registration Form – Pemberton to Northcliffe – April 9th - 12th

## Personal Information

### Your details

### Your travelling partners details

Full Name:		
Preferred Name (if applicable)		
	Date of Birth / / Sex: M / F	Date of Birth / / Sex: M / F
Occupation:		
Address:		
	City: State: Postcode:	City: State: Postcode:
Email:		
Telephone:		
Special medical /cultural dietary requirements (be specific)		
How did you hear about this tour? <b>(Please circle)</b>	Bibb Magazine - Bibb Bytes - BTF Website - Facebook The Post Newspaper - Great Walks - The Senior Other _____	Bibb Magazine - Bibb Bytes - BTF Website - Facebook - The Post Newspaper - Great Walks - The Senior Other _____
Travel Insurance	Company: Policy/Receipt Number:	Company: Policy/Receipt Number:
Single Supplement	add \$150 per person Yes No	
Recent Bushwalking Experience		
Pick up location	Perth CBD or Parry St Fremantle	
Can you swim?	Yes No	Yes No

## Payment

Deposit necessary for booking \$500 *per person* - non refundable , non-transferrable  
 Tour cost per person \$1150 (twin share basis) All prices include GST.  
 Single supplement add \$150 per person to the tour cost.

### Payment Options (please tick one):

- Cheque/money order enclosed to value of \$\_\_\_\_\_ payable to the Bibbulmun Track Foundation  
 Direct Credit. Contact your financial institution with the following details to deposit moneys into our account. Deposit moneys into Bibbulmun Track Foundation, Bankwest 853 Hay St, Perth, BSB: 306-061 Acc Number: 017312-4.

### Please let us know when you have done this.

- Debit my credit card for the deposit only (\$500 per person) Visa or MasterCard  
 Debit my credit card for the full amount (\$1150 plus 2% credit card fee) Visa or MasterCard\*\*

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Name on the card: \_\_\_\_\_ Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

**\*\*Full amounts or remaining amounts after deposit paid via any credit card will attract an extra 2% fee.**

Email registration and payment to: [events@bibbulmuntrack.org.au](mailto:events@bibbulmuntrack.org.au)

Post to: The Bibbulmun Track Foundation, PO Box 7605, Cloisters Square, WA 6850

Fax to: 08 9481 0546.

**Please complete the medical form over.**

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## Medical / Indemnity Form



1) I \_\_\_\_\_ (full name) and \_\_\_\_\_  
(full name of traveling partner if applicable) acknowledge and assume all risks associated with participating in the Town-to-Town Tour, and will hold the Bibbulmun Track Foundation & its Board, Executive Director, employees, servants, agents, partners & members free from all liability, causes of action, debts, claims, & demands of every kind & nature whatsoever which may arise out of, or in connection with using the Foundation's or partner's facilities or equipment, or participating in this tour.

2) My family doctor is \_\_\_\_\_ TEL: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_

3) Medicare Number participant a) \_\_\_\_\_ participant b) \_\_\_\_\_

4) During the tour I am likely to be taking the following prescribed medication:

Participant a) \_\_\_\_\_

Participant b) \_\_\_\_\_

for the following ailment(s):

Participant a) \_\_\_\_\_

Participant b) \_\_\_\_\_

5) Do you have any medical conditions: (please specify any allergies inc those to specific food types, diabetes, epilepsy, heart conditions, etc) other than already declared above?

Participant a) \_\_\_\_\_

Participant b) \_\_\_\_\_

6) Have you been in hospital or suffered any significant illness or incapacity in the last five years? If yes, please give details (date, condition etc).

Participant a) \_\_\_\_\_

Participant b) \_\_\_\_\_

7) In an emergency, please contact \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship \_\_\_\_\_ Tel (h) \_\_\_\_\_ Tel (w) \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

I understand that the tour is a group activity and I agree to abide by the decisions of the walk leader. If I do not participate, or if I decide to leave the group for any reason I understand that I am not liable for recompense or recoup of fees and I will hold the event organisers free from any liability which may arise from my departure from the group. To the best of my knowledge I am in good health and will be fit enough to participate in the tour.

In signing this form I declare that I have read, understood and agree with the above and the booking terms and conditions as stated in the tour dossier. Also in signing this form I declare that to the best of my knowledge all I have written is true and correct.

Participant a) SIGNATURE \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

Participant b) SIGNATURE \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

**Please complete the registration form over.**