



Adventure North Australia

1 Day Daintree Dreaming Day Tour Aboriginal Cultural Experience 2018/19 Itinerary

TOUR CODE:	DREAM		
DEPARTS:	Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays, Fridays Cairns 7:30am, Northern Beaches 8am, Port Douglas 9am		
RETURNS:	Port Douglas 5:00pm, Northern Beaches 6:00pm, Cairns 6:15pm		
WHAT TO BRING:	Shorts, T-shirt, hat, sunscreen, insect repellent, towel, swimwear & bottle of water, (poncho provided when required)		
NUMBER OF PASSENGERS:	Minimum 4, maximum 18		

Includes:

Experienced guiding and commentary • Welcome to Country smoking ceremony • Interpretive Rainforest walk at Mossman Gorge • Swim at Mossman Gorge • Lunch at the Mossman Gorge Centre • 2 hour coast and cultural walk with a Kubirri Warra clan member • Damper and catch of the day • Return hotel transfers from Cairns, Northern Beaches and Port Douglas

Itinerary:

An exclusive and spectacular cultural journey from coast to Rainforest to experience natural beauty and ancient culture. Walk in the steps of the ancestors...

Cooya Beach (Kuyu Kuyu), the traditional fishing ground of the Kuku Yalanji people has three diverse ecosystems, beach, mangrove and coastal reef, connected by the ever-changing mudflats and tidal lagoons. A member of the Kubirri Warra clan will introduce you to their traditional fishing and gathering techniques and any catch of crabs, mussels and fish is cooked up to share with homemade damper on the balcony of the family home.

At Mossman Gorge you are greeted with a traditional smoking ceremony conducted by Aboriginal people with specialised cultural knowledge to welcome people to their land. It is a ceremony of spiritual cleansing, to ward of evil spirits and ensure that, while you are on the traditional land of Kuku Yalanji, you are accepted and honoured.

A delicious lunch infused with local flavours is served in the Mossman Gorge Centre at the edge of the rainforest. You will also have time to explore the gallery and its artworks from prominent and emerging local artists.

Wander into the lush rainforest of the World Heritage Listed Daintree National Park, home of the Kuku Yalanji people. Experience one of the world's oldest and most beautiful rainforests with your Adventure North guide. An easy walk across boardwalks, tracks and bridges that protect the delicate ecosystem that adorns spectacular waterfalls and mountain ranges. Your guide will explain the rich flora, fauna and diverse ecosystem. You can refresh yourself with a swim in the clear cool waters of Mossman Gorge, surrounded by pristine rainforest, before your day of adventure comes to an end and you are transferred to your accommodation.

Note: Itinerary can operate in reverse due to tides at Cooya Beach. Swimming at Mossman Gorge is weather dependent and / or time permitting with guides discretion on the day.

