

A private audience with an ancient land.



### Location

Located mid-way between Alice Springs and Uluru (Ayers Rock), Watarrka National Park covers 71,000 hectares and is home to Kings Canyon. The Resort is situated just 9km from the Canyon.

### Getting There

- Regular flights to Alice Springs or Ayers Rock Airports from most Australian capital cities.
- Just 3 hours drive from Uluru (Ayers Rock) and 4 hours from Alice Springs.
- Coach companies operate regular services.



Kings Canyon offers you an unspoiled wilderness experience. You are standing in the belly of a canyon over 120 million years old. Its sandstone walls tower 150 metres above you like ancient skyscrapers. Surrounding you, the thriving oasis known to locals as 'The Garden of Eden' imbues you with serenity. Out here, you experience a real sense of space, isolation and silence resulting in the perfect relaxing location.

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#### Accommodation. Total of 128 rooms all featuring:

- Air-conditioning • Television • Refrigerator • Tea & Coffee making facilities • Iron & Ironing board
  - Hair Dryers • Writing Desk • Alarm Clock Radio • Private Bathrooms with Shower • Extra Blankets
  - Insect Screens • Direct Dial Telephones • Wi-Fi Internet Access • Mini Bar (on request) • Interconnecting Rooms.
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Kings Canyon Resort Hotel is the oasis in the outback for those who would rather explore the area from a comfortable base. Retreat to the luxury of the resort after an active day of hiking through the rugged terrain of Watarrka National Park.

Of course, the one thing you must not miss is the romantic 'Under a Desert Moon' experience — an intimate dinner of fine Australian food and wines under a canopy of stars (seasonal). For a complete indulgence, enjoy one of our Deluxe Spa Rooms overlooking a rocky escarpment.

Most of our guests tell us that they wish they had stayed longer: There's so much to see and do that you really need a couple of nights to do it justice. Your stay will be one of the highlights of your trip to the Red Centre of Australia.

#### Deluxe Spa Rooms

Set in a prime location at the Resort and nestled in amongst a rugged bush setting, the Spa Rooms offer guests deluxe accommodation at Kings Canyon with a spacious spa bath and feature window providing scenic views and a relaxing atmosphere. Each Deluxe Spa Room also features a private balcony offering a magnificent outlook onto a rocky escarpment that is tastefully lit at night.

#### Standard Rooms

Our comfortable Standard Rooms are spacious and contain a separate ensuite with shower. Rooms feature either two double beds or one queen bed.

A limited number of interconnecting rooms are available.

Bedding configuration for two or a maximum of four people.

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## Check-in / out times

Check-in 3:00pm / Check-out 10:00am.

## Climate

Throughout all four seasons you'll find large temperature ranges between day and night. During the Australian summer months, temperatures range from 18°C/64°F (night) to 48°C/118°F (day). In the winter months, temperatures range from 0°C/32°F (night) to 30°C/86°F (day).

## What To Bring

Comfortable casual clothing and suitable footwear for walks. Warmer clothing is recommended for evenings during winter months (June–September). Hat and sunscreen are essential all year round.

## Services & Facilities

- Reception is open from 7:00am to 9:00pm
- Major credit cards accepted • AUD Travellers Cheques cashed • Gift Store • Safety deposit facilities
- Postal service • Tour desk • Complimentary car parking • Swimming pool • Mini-supermarket
- Petrol Station • Tennis Court • Sunset viewing platform • Wake up calls • WiFi Internet Access.

## Weddings and Conferences

Kings Canyon is the perfect setting for a wedding celebration of just two, or for up to 150 guests. No matter what the size is of your celebration, you will be offered personal service and attention to detail.

Kings Canyon Resort is also ideal for small meetings or as a destination for larger conferences. A fully equipped conference / board room is available.

## RESTAURANT & BAR FACILITIES

### Desert Oaks Bistro

Open for breakfast, lunch and dinner, the Desert Oaks Bistro offers a selection of light meals, beverages and snacks. Open daily between 5:30am–3:00pm and 6:30pm–8:30pm (Seasonal). Pizzas are served between 11:00am–2:00pm and 6:30pm–9:00pm.

### Thirsty Dingo Bar

As the sun sets over the desert landscape, enjoy a drink from the bar before dinner. Open from 2:00pm daily until late. Pizzas are served from 2:00pm–6:30pm. This is the perfect way to unwind after a day of exploring the wonders of Watarrka National Park.

### Under a Desert Moon Fine Dining Experience

Imagine the romance of a table for two in a wilderness setting under a canopy of the Southern Night sky. The only light comes from the moon and the flickering glow of a campfire. While you soak up the atmosphere, a superb six course menu is served, accompanied by some of Australia's finest wines. This is Under a Desert Moon, a romantic experience for no more than 16 guests. Bookings are essential and required by 2:00pm on the day of dining. Not available throughout December to March.

## ACTIVITIES

### Complimentary

- Tennis • Witness the sunset from the Boardwalk viewing platform • Nightly entertainment (seasonal)
- Self-guided walks through the Resort grounds.

### Charges Apply

- Guided Kings Canyon Rim Walk and Climb (3 hours) • Under a Desert Moon Fine Dining Experience • Helicopter flights • Camel rides and Quad Bike Adventures at Kings Creek Station.

Activities are subject to availability and weather conditions.

## ACCESS

### Air

Via Alice Springs or Ayers Rock Airports (Qantas & Virgin Blue). Flights are available daily from major cities within Australia including Adelaide, Brisbane, Broome, Cairns, Darwin, Perth, Melbourne and Sydney. Private landing for small aircraft available at Kings Creek Station, 40km from the Resort.

### Coach Transfers

AAT Kings and APT provide coach transfers from Ayers Rock and Alice Springs daily.

### Self Drive

Self drive is a popular option. From Alice, 4WD vehicles may choose the spectacular Mereenie / Larapinta Loop Road or Ernest Giles Road.

For an all-sealed option, follow the Stuart Highway, Lasseters Highway and Luritja Road. From Ayers Rock Resort, follow Lasseters Highway before turning onto Luritja Road.