

# FACTS

# LOCATION



#### SEASON

| JAN | FEB | MAR | APR |
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| MAY | JUN | JUL | AUG |
| SEP | ост | NOV | DEC |

#### RESERVATIONS

**CHILDREN** 

#### ACCOMMODATION

Nestled amongst the sand dunes on the shores of the Ningaloo Reef, our eco-luxury camp has all the key comforts you need for a relaxing and memorable stay. This means comfortable beds, 100% cotton linen, en-suite eco-bathrooms, delicious locally sourced food, a generous self-serve bar and impeccable service.

The camp has been designed to operate in tune with the fragile environment of Cape Range National Park and as such, we abide by strict principles of minimal impact and sustainability. Our power is solar-generated, each en-suite bathroom has a natureloo, water usage is very carefully managed and no waste material escapes into the surrounding ecosystem.

# ROOMS

The camp has 15 wilderness tents built amongst the sand dunes. They are furnished with comfortable beds, made up with quality bed linen. Guest robes, native herb soaps and organic shampoos are provided. The tents are spacious, simple and comfortable – they are not intended to be 5-star hotel rooms in the bush - we want you to immerse yourself in the natural environment. Your tent does not have a TV, telephone, WiFi or an air-conditioner.

Check-in is from 2pm, check-out is by 11am.

#### LODGE

The main lodge is the centre of camp life, raised above the sand and coastal scrub with views out onto the reef and Indian Ocean, it is the place to gather for meals and relaxation.

Meals are shared with your fellow guests and are served at the lodge or on the deck. A hot breakfast is accompanied by fresh fruit, cereal and a selection of bread or pastries with condiments, followed by lunch later in the day. Around sunset, canapés are served, which you can enjoy with a glass of wine whilst the guides brief you on the next day's activities. Dinner is the real foodie highlight – each night you will enjoy a three-course meal, carefully created by our in-house chefs.



#### INCLUDED ACTIVITIES

Sal Salis activities focus on the reef and our pristine natural surrounds. Your stay may include, sea kayaking to some of our secret spots on the reef where you will see huge schools of fish, reef sharks and coral formations, a drift snorkel just a few metres offshore (all snorkelling gear is provided), wildlife and bird spotting and guided gorge walks at Mandu Mandu Gorge. There is no need to pre-book these activities, each day is mapped out by the guides to consider the weather and the tide.

# ADDITIONAL ACTIVITIES

Whale shark swims are available from mid-March to the end of August, and humpback whale swims are available from start of July to the end of October. Both need to be pre-booked as the boats do fill up months in advance. Our reservations team can assist with booking your additional activities.

# WHAT TO BRING

The dress code is relaxed – resort wear during the day and smart casual in the evening.

- Light clothing is more suitable in the summer months. Long sleeves will offer better protection against the sun.
- In winter warm clothes including wind protection against the afternoon breeze are essential. From May to September the nights can be cold, and a fleecy jacket or shawl will be handy.
- A wide brimmed hat
- Sunglasses
- Binoculars for keen wildlife or bird enthusiasts
- Sun block
- Light walking boots or trainers for the gorge walk
- Insect repellent
- Head or regular torch for dim lighting around camp after sun down

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#### CAMP FACILITIES

At camp we provide snorkelling equipment including wet suits, goggles, snorkels, and fins – we have them in all shapes and sizes. We also have kayaks with life vests and our library is well-stocked with reference books.

#### **SMOKING POLICY**

Smoking is not permitted at the main lodge or inside your tent. Closed ashtrays are provided for use at the beach. No smoking on any tour activities is permitted.

#### PETS AND WILDLIFE

Sal Salis Ningaloo Reef does not permit pets. Guests staying at Sal Salis Ningaloo Reef are not permitted to feed the wildlife.

#### COMMUNICATION

**There is no mobile coverage or internet access available at Sal Salis.** Telstra is the only provider in the area and once you leave town you will have an intermittent reception for a short while before losing it completely. In the case of an emergency, family or friends will be able to contact you on the Sal Salis telephone number +61 8 9949 4173. Please note that this phone is not attended 24 hours.

#### POWER

Most of the power in the camp is 100% solar generated and usage of it is carefully managed. Australia operates on 240V and uses a 2 or 3-pin plug. It is important to know that while each tent has a light, and a USB phone charger (note there is no reception in camp) there are no power points available in them. Cameras and laptops can be recharged in the main lodge. Guests that travel with a sleep apnoea machine will need to make prior arrangement with Management and we will do our best to accommodate your needs.

#### WATER

There is no fresh water mains supply within the Cape Range National Park. As part of our license agreement with the Parks and Wildlife Service, guests are limited to 20L of water per person per day. This ensures the sustainability of the Cape Range National Park environment.



#### PARKS AND WILDLIFE SERVICE

Sal Salis operates under a license agreement with Western Australia's Parks and Wildlife Service in what is a role model partnership between National Parks and private sector tourism and with the aim of conserving the region's natural environment through educational and environmentally sound tourism operations. In addition to the park entrance fees, 5% of our turnover goes to Western Australia's Department of Biodiversity, Conservation and Attractions, Parks and Wildlife Service to assist in their conservation work across Western Australia.

# CULTURAL AND SOCIAL SUSTAINABILITY

Sal Salis advocates for a balance between economic, social and environmental factors, so the cultural values of Cape Range National Park can be sustained.

Sal Salis recognises the Cultural Values of Cape Range National Park being:

- Confirmed evidence of the earliest known occupation (Pleistocene) based on a marine economy in Australia;
- Numerous sites and landscapes of Indigenous cultural significance;Non-indigenous cultural heritage associated with the pastoral and
- Mineral exploration industry, and the US Military presence
  One of the state's most treasured environments where marine fossils from millions of years ago riddle the terrain and fascinating organisms inhabit a unique cave system of international significance under the surface.

Sal Salis acknowledges the Baiyungu, Yinikurtira and Thalanyji people as the traditional owners and ongoing custodians of the Ningaloo Coast. We pay respect to all Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples and to the Elders past, present and emerging.

Sal Salis acknowledges the community of Exmouth and commits to supporting the local community through the purchase of supplies and services.

#### FITNESS AND MOBILITY ACCESS INFORMATION

Sal Salis seeks to ensure that our guests experience the unique environment of the world heritage listed Ningaloo Reef. Sal Salis is located amongst sand dunes and surrounded by Cape Range National Park's rugged landscape, due to our unique location this also means that guests that travel into this area may not be supported with the same infrastructure as found in urban areas. We are in a remote location and due to development restrictions, strict environmental policies and our unwavering commitment to reducing impacts on our local environment means activities or accessing some areas of Sal Salis may mean walking on uneven surfaces, through sloping walking paths and sand dunes. This can mean that guests with fitness and/ or mobility restrictions may not be able to experience all of the Sal Salis facilities and activities. A solar powered golf buggy does provide guest and luggage transport from the closest car park for check in and check out of the main lodge facility.

Sal Salis is located within the Cape Range National Park which is 90 minutes by vehicle to Exmouth, the closest medical facilities to the camp (https://www.exmouth.wa.gov.au/health-care.aspx). If your fitness to travel may be in doubt as a result of recent illness, surgery, injury, medical treatment or an existing medical condition you should seek medical advice prior to commencing your visit to Sal Salis.

Your safety and comfort are important to us. If you have any special or specific needs or require assistance, please discuss this with the Sal Salis reservation team on +61 8 9949 1776.

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