



## **AUSTRALIA'S ICONIC KIMBERLEY CRUISE + BROOME**

**Departs Brisbane Saturday 19th August, 2023** 

Fully escorted by a Helloworld Travel Manager

14 DAYS FROM \$13.795 deck 4. Plus \$180 per person prepaid grafutities\*

Deck 5 \$14,125 per person | Deck 6 \$14,755 per person



The teams of Helloworld Travel Spring Hill, Kenmore and Eatons Hill Invite You on Ponant's luxury small ship expedition cruise on Le Laperouse offering a unique opportunity to explore some of the world's most awe-inspiring destinations.

Whether you are drawn to the natural wonders of the Kimberley Region or the rich cultural heritage of Papua New Guinea, theses cruises promise to leave you with memories that will last a

Ponant's luxury expedition cruise on Le Laperouse offers a once-in-alifetime opportunity to explore some of the most breathtaking and remote destinations in the world. Whether you are a seasoned traveller or someone looking to escape the hustle and bustle of everyday life, theses cruises are sure to captivate your imagination and leave you with unforgettable memories.

The Kimberley Region is a natural wonderland that boasts billions of years-old landscapes and ancient rock art. Mick Fogg, Director of Expeditions Asia Pacific for PONANT, describes it as his favourite destination, and it's easy to see why. The region's rugged terrain, towering cliffs, and cascading

waterfalls offer a glimpse into the Earth's geological history, while the stories of the Dreamtime from the oldest continuous culture on the planet provide a fascinating insight into the spiritual beliefs of the Aboriginal people.

One of the highlights of the Kimberley cruise is a visit to Careening Bay and its bicentenary baobab tree. This tree has a carving made by the crew of Lieutenant Phillip Parker King in 1820, making it a unique piece of Australian history. Exploring the pristine mangrove environments is also an unforgettable experience, as you encounter the world's largest living reptile, the estuarine crocodile, in its natural habitat.

The Eastern edge of Papua New Guinea is another destination that promises to enchant and amaze. This region has a rich colonial history, and the cruise offers the opportunity to learn about the role of Samarai Island and Papua New Guinea during World War II. The mysteries of Papua New Guinea, the land of a thousand cultures, are waiting to be discovered, with vibrant markets, traditional villages, and stunning scenery at every turn.

One of the best things about this cruise is the chance to swim and snorkel in the warm, clear tropical waters of the Solomon Sea. The opportunity to explore the vibrant underwater world and see colourful fish and coral up close is truly magical and adds another dimension to the overall experience.

Ponant's Le Laperouse offers a luxurious and comfortable way to explore these remote destinations, with world-class amenities and attentive service. The ship's size also means that it can access smaller ports and shallow waters, allowing for a more intimate and immersive experience.

You will be travelling with a Helloworld Travel Manager from Brisbane. One of the great benefits is the peace of mind that comes with having a professional escort you from start to finish. When you depart from Brisbane, you will be accompanied by someone who is with you all the way to ensure that your journey is as smooth and stress-free as possible.

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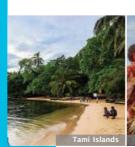
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