



MT. MULLIGAN LODGE BESPOKE EXPERIENCES

Mulligan Hill Sunset

Mulligan Hill has an expansive vantage of the imposing sandstone mountain that gives the lodge its name, the cinematically rugged landscape, Lake Geraldine below and the abandoned mining township of Mount Mulligan. As the sky glows like an ember at sunset and the ridges of the escarpment come alive, finish the day in solitude with a gourmet cheeseboard and a chilled sundowner ... or two. **\$50 pp (minimum 2 guests)**

Dark Skies

Away from the bright lights of civilisation, the stars sparkle like diamonds from the inky darkness in the outback! Our exclusive 'Dark Skies' astronomy experience allows guests to view a dazzling display of colourful star clusters, interstellar clouds, neighbouring galaxies and the Milky Way through a telescope with the narration of a personal star guide. Savour the brilliance of a glittering desert starscape with a dessert wine and gourmet cheese board to conclude the evening. **\$60 pp (minimum 2 guests)**

Scenic Helicopter Flight

Take a scenic helicopter flight over the star of the show Mount Mulligan (Ngarrabullgan). Best seen from the sky, nothing quite prepares you for the scale and grandeur of this ancient mountain that's embedded with cultural significance dating back 37,000 years. A natural wonder of the outback, the 18km-long conglomerate and sandstone escarpment is 10 times larger than Uluru (Ayers Rock) and some believe it is the birthplace of the Rainbow Serpent, creator of the world in indigenous mythology. **From \$200 pp for 15 mins (minimum 2 guests)**

For the Twitchers

Birdwatchers are spoilt for choice at Mount Mulligan with over 126 species of birds being recorded at the property. Many of the species are best observed at dawn, with the help of a Field Guide and a pair of binoculars, when they charm guests with their charismatic and colourful physiques and beautiful song. The birding spectacle showcases pied currawong, rainbow lorikeets, laughing kookaburras, noisy friarbirds and azure kingfishers, just to name a few. **\$50 pp (minimum 2 guests)**



Guided Nature Walk

Set off on foot on a guided nature walk around the Mount Mulligan weir. The weir is a refuge for an array of native wildlife including bounding agile wallabies, Freshwater Turtles and many bird species. The Field Guide-led walk amidst the beautiful Australian bushland takes a little over an hour. **\$50 pp (minimum 2 guests)**

Gorge-ous Hike

Discover this vast territory by foot on a hike to Mount Mulligan Gorge. Not for the faint of heart, this hike takes you scrambling up and down boulders bound by the towering escarpment and through lush vegetation to a picturesque gorge. A refreshing waterhole beckons you to take a dip as a reward for your efforts. Wake up early for a sunrise expedition or enjoy a lie in and head out after breakfast. **\$50 pp (minimum 2 guests)**

ATV Outback Trail Adventure

Don goggles and a face mask, jump in an all-terrain vehicle (ATV) and roar away from the lodge along a tawny, dry and rutted track on an exhilarating private ATV adventure. Red dust flies as you zoom along the property's extensive outback dirt trails and fence lines, past free-roaming brahman cattle and wild brumbies, through iron bark and river gum forests and over dried up ravines. Churn through cattle yards and bushland before arriving at a shady spot by the Hodgkinson River for a thirst-quenching drink. **\$100 pp (minimum 2 guests)**

Dining Under the Stars

Our signature experience 'Dining Under the Stars' is a must do for any guests celebrating a special occasion in the outback. An intimate seven course degustation dinner is served on the edge of the weir under a blanket of flickering stars and in the shadow of lofty Mount Mulligan. The menu puts a flavoursome twist on outback living and is paired to Sommelier chosen wines from our reserve wine list. Bookings are essential and limited to one couple per evening. **\$240 pp (limited to 2 guests)**



Chillagoe Wonders

Discover the wonders of Chillagoe, a region rich in geological wonders, mining heritage, significant indigenous art sites and natural outback landscape. Just 140km from Mount Mulligan, Chillagoe was once an ancient coral reef which has been transformed into spectacular limestone bluffs with a network of some 600 caves. These limestone caves at the Chillagoe-Montana National Park are a must-see on a guided tour and feature spectacular caverns and passages decorated by stalactites, stalagmites and flowstones. Alike Mount Mulligan, evidence of indigenous settlement in the Chillagoe region dates back an estimated 37,000 years and the National Park is also home to two accessible rock-art galleries (Mungana and Wullumba) and the remains of the Chillagoe smelters. Back in the charismatic former gold-rush town, wander the town's historic main street and check out the Railway Station, bank vault, Court House, Police Office and Post Office Hotel. Marble is still quarried here and was used in the construction of Parliament House in Canberra. Choose from an iconic Aussie pub lunch or gourmet picnic hamper under a shady paperbark tree. A pleasant way to cool off after a day of discovery is at the popular Bogey Hole, which is a deep swimming hole under a small cascade, or at the Weir. **\$250 pp (minimum 2 guests)**

Chasing Waterfalls

Discover the famous waterfall circuit on the Atherton Tablelands, a natural wonderland filled with waterfalls and swimming holes, crater lakes and pristine flowing streams. We'll take you to the lesser known falls, away from the tourists! In a unique bush setting, savour a classic Aussie barbeque lunch.

Our favourites on the waterfall circuit include - Millaa Millaa Falls, Ellinjaa Falls, Zillie Falls, Nandroya Falls, Tchupala Falls. **\$250 pp (minimum 2 guests)**

For the Coffee Lovers

Nestled in the heart of Australia's premier coffee growing region in Mareeba is the award-winning Skybury Café & Roastery. Learn the secrets of coffee-making on a plantation tour and sample fresh Australian-grown Arabica coffee as well as the farm's trademark sweet red papaya. Overlooking the lush plantation, enjoy a delicious lunch, house made cakes and the freshest fruit straight from the farm. **\$250 pp (minimum 2 guests)**

**helicopter arrival on request, at an additional cost*