



**LAKE ESCAPADES – INFORMATION SHEET**  
**3-DAY 2-NIGHT NOOSA EVERGLADES CANOE SAFARI**

(more details available at [www.LakeEscapades.com.au/canoe\\_safari.htm](http://www.LakeEscapades.com.au/canoe_safari.htm))

<b>THE TRIP:</b>	<p>This is a SELF-GUIDED 3-day, 2-night canoeing and camping safari conducted on the Noosa river and lakes system, and within the Cooloola Section of the Great Sandy National Park, just north of Noosa. The trip has been operating for nearly 7 years.</p> <p>The trip will appeal to those wanting a brief change of scenery from city life, a chance to experience a beautiful and pristine Australian nature setting first hand, and the freedom to explore but with a recommended itinerary to keep days active, full and interesting.</p>
<b>HIGHLIGHTS:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The two-way water taxi trip across beautiful Lake Cootharaba – 12 kms return (if taken)</li> <li>• Explore by canoe – Kinaba Island, Kin Kin Crk, Figtree Lake, Lake Como, Upper Noosa River</li> <li>• The half-day rainforest and dune walk to the Cooloola Sandpatch</li> <li>• The campsite &amp; campsite cooking</li> <li>• New friendships, new experiences, memorable photos</li> </ul>
<b>WHAT'S PROVIDED:</b>	<p>All cooking and camping equipment, and canoes - tents, roll matts, gas cookers, pots &amp; pans, plates &amp; cups, cutlery, water &amp; lighting. Eskies are provided but you buy your own ice.</p> <p>Three separate and detailed briefings are given, plus a map, itinerary &amp; info sheet is provided.</p>
<b>OPTIONAL EXTRAS:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Water taxi trip across Lake Cootharaba, in one or both directions (ask for current costs)</li> <li>• Sleeping bag hire (\$10 each), Bag storage (\$5/person), Off-Street Car Parking (\$5/vehicle)</li> </ul>
<b>WHAT TO BRING:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• All food &amp; drink</li> <li>• Alcohol allowed (but no glass)</li> <li>• Comfy clothes, for daytime</li> <li>• Warm clothes, for evenings</li> <li>• Sleeping bag (if you have one)</li> <li>• Sandals / thongs</li> <li>• Enclosed shoes</li> <li>• Basic toiletries</li> <li>• 1.5 – 2 litre bottle of water</li> <li>• Torch</li> <li>• Insect repellent, sunscreen &amp; hat</li> <li>• Towel &amp; swimming costume</li> <li>• First aid kit (if you have one)</li> <li>• Fully-charged mobile phone (just in case)</li> <li>• Money, to pay balance (and ice &amp; last minute items)</li> <li>• Small day pack</li> <li>• National Pk camp permit obtained in advance</li> </ul>
<b>FACILITIES:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Riverside camp site</li> <li>• Picnic tables</li> <li>• Toilet block (with toilet paper)</li> <li>• Canoe launch area and storage racks</li> <li>• Tank water (untreated)</li> <li>• Shelters</li> </ul>
<b>FOOD:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• All food and drink must be purchased before start of trip – nothing available at campsite</li> <li>• A basic cooking set is provided, so keep food simple and easy to prepare</li> <li>• Suggest rice, pasta, sandwiches, canned and packet food, fruit &amp; snacks – bring plenty!</li> </ul>
<b>NOT ALLOWED:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Fires are restricted according to National Parks current rules on open fires</li> <li>• Pets are not allowed into National Parks, other than registered guide dogs</li> </ul>
<b>BOOKINGS:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• You must book this trip in advance and pay a deposit</li> <li>• Either phone 07 5641 4473, email <a href="mailto:info@LakeEscapades.com.au">info@LakeEscapades.com.au</a> or book via our website</li> </ul>
<b>PAYMENT &amp; REFUNDS:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The full amount of the trip must be paid prior to departure – Currently \$89pp + water taxi</li> <li>• You may cancel due to adverse weather at any time prior to departure &amp; get a full refund</li> <li>• Cancellations for any other reason with more than 48 hours notice also gets a full refund</li> <li>• Cancellations with less than 48 hours notice get a 50% refund of monies paid</li> <li>• No refunds will be given after the start of the trip for any reason</li> </ul>
<b>ACCEPTANCE OF RISK</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• All adventure activities involve an element of risk, which may include damage to property and injury or even death to individuals</li> <li>• You will be required to acknowledge and accept these risks by signing a waiver clause as part of our standard hire agreement, prior to your departure</li> </ul>