

Munda Biddi - Walpole to Manjimup

This carefully crafted tour takes you along a stunning section of the world-renowned Munda Biddi Trail, the longest off-road cycling trail on the planet between Walpole and Manjimup. Pedalling approximately 40 kilometres per day, you'll have the chance to immerse yourself in the serene beauty of isolated Karri, heath, and Jarrah forests, meandering rivers, and picturesque valleys. Each evening, you'll be welcomed back to charming accommodations nestled within the quaint South West towns that the trail traverses. With our dedicated support vehicle, you'll ride unencumbered by heavy panniers or trailers, allowing you to fully enjoy the ride while we take care of your meals and lodging. Simply pedal and revel in the journey as our experienced team handles the rest, ensuring an unforgettable cycling experience in Western Australia's breathtaking wilderness.

Details

Arrive: Walpole

Depart: Manjimup

Duration: 7 Days

Group Size: Maximum 12 people

Average Age: 55-75

Activity Level: Moderate to challenging terrain and moderate distances.

Itinerary

Ride the world class Munda Biddi trail from Walpole to Manjimup in WA's south-west. Beautiful forest rides. You pedal and we do the rest.

Day 1

Activity: 10km ride

Meals: L, D

Accommodation: Bayside Villas - Walpole (or similar)

DRIVE PERTH TO WALPOLE + RIDE THE KNOLL LOOP

Picking up in Perth, we will head south towards Walpole. With morning tea and lunch on the way, we will arrive in the coastal town early afternoon and we will get straight into it! A scenic and generally flat ride around the Walpole and Nornalup inlets with a couple of small hills awaits us for our first introduction to the Munda Biddi. A perfect start to this epic adventure. After the ride, we will check into our accommodation, if not already done so before the ride. Enjoy a warm shower before tucking into a delicious meal cooked by your tour leaders. With the travel, it will feel like a big day, so don't make any plans for the evening!

Day 2

Activity: 43km ride

Meals: B, L, D

Accommodation: Bayside Villas, Walpole (or similar)

WALPOLE TO MT FRANKLAND

We will get going after breakfast and head straight out from our accommodation. Today is day filled with variety, a variety of terrain (sand, gravel, bitumen), some flat part and some steep hills, and a variety of different environments. As we ride along today enjoy vast heath and Karri forests, open farmland and awe inspiring Jarrah and Marri woodlands towards the end.

At the end of the day we will also have the opportunity for a short walk around Mt Frankland before heading back to Walpole.

Day 3

Activity: 49km ride

Meals: B, L, D

Accommodation: Bayside Villas Walpole (or similar)

MT FRANKLAND TO NELSON RD

This morning we pack up before loading luggage and bikes into the trailer to make our way to the start of the ride. Back to where we finished the day before the trail heads along a gravel road through Karri forest first, then intermittently turns into single track for some downhill and gravel/sand riding through woodlands and wet heathland. After a delicious morning tea at Fernhook Falls, there is more sand and gravel riding on a single track. There will be some regeneration forest and more wet heathland in the afternoon. Your guides will prepare dinner for the last time tonight.

Day 4

Activity: 55km ride

Meals: B, L, D

Accommodation: Pemberton Hotel (or similar)

NELSON ROAD TO HILL BROOK ROAD

A great day today! We will begin by weaving our way through some more old growth Karri and, Jarrah and Marri forest. Just before morning tea, we come back onto a gravel road which is undulating with short, steep hills. We will definitely have earned ourselves some cake to enjoy at Boorara Tree. The rest of the day will be riding through a mix of firetrail/singletrack/bitumen through Karri forest and farmland and even a little bit of Bluegum plantations. The bus will be waiting at the junction of Hill Brook Road and make our way to our new accommodation.

Day 5

Activity: 61km ride

Meals: B, L, D

Accommodation: Pemberton Hotel (or similar)

HIL BROOK ROAD TO WHEATLEY COAST ROAD

After breakfast, we drive to where we left off yesterday and enjoy a nice long downhill to Warren River. The track then takes us uphill after crossing the bridge. There is a fair amount of undulating singletrack, firetrail and old logging railway tracks until Gloucester Tree. At the Gloucester Tree we will enjoy a lovely morning tea and you have the option to climb Gloucester tree if you can muster up the courage. From Gloucester tree it's downhill to Pemberton and then uphill onto bitumen road for a bit. In the afternoon we ride along mainly old gravel logging roads through regeneration and Jarrah/Marri forest with some undulations. We finish our day with a ride through farmland and logging coups.

Day 6

Activity: 45km ride

Meals: B, L, D

Accommodation: Pemberton Hotel (or similar)

WHEATLEY COAST RD TO MANJIMUP

Our last full day of riding! You'll start the day off with some undulating hill riding to get to the quaint town of Quinninup. After a short break, enjoy the variety of terrain and scenery as we ride the trail through jarrah forest, pine and bluegum plantation before descending to the Warren River where we'll have morning tea. You'll need the energy for the hill that follows, so take your time to listen to the birds and breathe in the forest air. We turn toward Manjimup now and wind our way along less hilly tracks and trails. You'll know our final destination is approaching when we hit the outskirts of town and some bitumen roads, before a last uphill into town where you can kick off your shoes and enjoy a relaxing picnic lunch in the park.

Grab a coffee or have a look around Manjimup before we head back to our accommodation for our last night away.

Day 7

Activity: Travel Day

Meals: B

RETURN TO PERTH

Our last day already!

We will pack up in the morning and depending on the group, we'll head to another fire tree to climb or spend the morning in Bridgetown where we can grab a coffee and peruse the quaint shops along the main street.

On the way back to Perth we will stop in Bunbury where you can grab some lunch (own expense), before embarking on the last leg with our tired legs and our sore cheeks - that's from smiling too much!

Departure Dates

17 Mar 2025 - 23 Mar 2025
03 Apr 2025 - 09 Apr 2025
23 Apr 2025 - 29 Apr 2025
07 May 2025 - 13 May 2025
03 Oct 2025 - 09 Oct 2025
20 Oct 2025 - 26 Oct 2025
06 Nov 2025 - 12 Nov 2025
23 Nov 2025 - 29 Nov 2025

1 APR 25 to 30 APR 26
\$3,599 Per Person
\$350 Deposit

Optional Extras

\$570 Single Supplement
\$135 E-Bike hire
\$-120 BYO Bike

Inclusions

Bike & helmet hire for the 7 days (or bring your own)
All transport: private bus transport to and from Perth; as well as transport to and from the track each day
Professional guiding and mechanical support each day
Emergency support; guides carry satellite phones and a full first aid kit
6 night's comfortable accommodation
6 healthy breakfasts - cereal, fruit, yogurt, toast
6 morning teas, carried by your guide
6 lunches - some packed and some delivered picnics
Pre-dinner nibbles each night
3 delicious two course-dinners cooked by your guides
3 restaurant dinners

Exclusions

Lunch on the last day
Panniers
E-bike