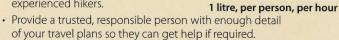
Heat can be extreme in Mount

Augustus National Park

Residential Starlink Subscription (Wednesday, 8 January 2025 12:00 am - Satur 23 Gregory St, WA KIT300383417

Please take care out there and:

- · Check the weather forecast and do not hike long trails in hot weather.
- · Know that it can be much hotter on the mount than at its base.
- · Carry and drink at least one litre of water per person, per hour when hiking and more in hotter weather. There is no water along the trails.
- Wear a broad brimmed hat, sturdy footwear and loose, long-sleeved clothing. Apply sunscreen.
- · Hike in groups of three or more experienced hikers.



· Carry a Personal Locator Beacon or satellite phone as mobile phone coverage is extremely limited.

If you intend to hike the Summit Trail:

- · Fill out the Summit Hiking Form and leave on your vehicle dashboard. Available from Mt Augustus Tourist Park and exploreparks.dbca.wa.gov.au.
- · Only very fit and experienced bushwalkers should attempt this full day, very challenging hike. Some hikers have not survived this trail.
- · Spend a few days hiking shorter trails before considering longer hikes and then gauge your ability to tackle the challenging Summit Trail.
- · The Summit Trail is:
 - open May to August.
 - closed after 7am September, October, March and April. Start your hike before 7am in these months.
 - closed November to February.
- · Know your limits and turn back if you feel fatigued.





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