



## Resort Opulence and Iconic Guided Trekking in the Snowy Mountains

A complete alpine experience is what Novotel Lake Crackenback Resort, located in the NSW Snowy Mountains, focused upon when creating Kosciuszko Alpine Guided Walks.

Combining resort luxury and comforts with fully catered and guided treks in Australia's premier alpine region, has resulted in an experience cherished by both the novice walker and savvy trekker.

Envisage your return to the four and half star resort of Lake Crackenback after an exhilarating day or overnight trek in the Kosciuszko National Park. The euphoric reward of adventure and physical exertion is relived as you dine at the prestigious lakeside restaurant. Your mind and senses drift between recollections of a mesmerising campsite sunrise and summiting the iconic Mount Kosciuszko, while now, back at the resort you're revitalised with all the creature comforts and treats – the complete experience.

Accommodation and trekking packages are available between November and April. Guests can tailor accommodation in self-contained, lakeside apartments or luxury mountain view chalets around their chosen trekking adventure.

All scheduled treks meet at Lake Crackenback's trek head quarters, where the guides meet and prepare guests for an experience of beauty and solitude in Kosciuszko National Park on a single or multi-day guided walk.

This is no ordinary bushwalking and camping trip: the two day guided walks include fully catered, overnight campsites. Novotel Lake Crackenback Resort's staff manage the weight of your journey as you hike, with only a day pack, into the wilderness. Upon arrival at the campsite state-of-the-art tents and bedding are in place, thanks to the hard working porters! After a change into dry clothing there's a hearty meal on the menu being prepared by the campsite cook. All that is left to do is soak up the sunset and relax under a star filled, evening sky.

Apart from the walking tours, Novotel Lake Crackenback Resort offers its guests countless activities including a nine-hole golf course, archery, fishing, heated swimming pool, mountain biking, fitness club with sauna and massage, tennis and more. Nestled on 150 acres of pristine mountain terrain the resort is surrounded by an unspoilt, natural environment where you wake to fresh air, tranquillity, an abundance of wildlife and friendly, country hospitality. Novotel Lake Crackenback Resort is a destination that literally breathes pure enjoyment.

## **Environmental Advocacy**

Kosciuszko Alpine Guided Walks has worked closely with the National Parks and Wildlife Service and Leave No Trace Australia in the establishment of a unique, quality, guiding product for the Snowy Mountains region. After the first summer of operations Kosciuszko Alpine Guided Walks has now secured a three year licence to continue to operate and develop the guiding service. Kosciuszko Alpine Guided Walks has worked extremely closely with the National Parks and Wildlife Service to ensure that Kosciuszko Alpine Guided Walks meet, or exceed, all environmental and safety standards.

Kosciuszko Alpine Guided Walks' partnership and sponsorship of Leave No Trace Australia (LNT) means that operations and systems are modelled on LNT principles. Kosciuszko Alpine Guided Walks teaches simple principles of respect for the unique alpine environment of Kosciuszko National Park, ensuring our internal operations leave no trace and our clients leave with a sense of heightened environmental awareness.

Please call our Activities Coordinator or Reservations staff on 1800 020 524 or visit our website: <a href="https://www.novotellakecrackenback.com.au">www.novotellakecrackenback.com.au</a>

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## **Photography**

Images of Lake Crackenback Resort and Kosciuszko Alpine Guided Walks adventures are available for general distribution.

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