

Adventurer, Thrillseeker, Climber, Hiker, Explorer, Traveller?

Welcome to the first Adventure Professionals newsletter!

As the providers of world-class, outdoor adventures and expeditions, the team at Adventure Professionals are dedicated to ensuring that our clients will have an unforgettable experience. It is for this reason that we would like to keep you updated on all of our latest activities and packages.

We have a host of exciting adventures coming up next month, ranging from Dog Sledding in the Yukon which will depart on March 12 to climbing Australia's top 10 highest mountains which is set to depart on March 10.

Our first Kokoda Track tour, for this year will run on April 17 and this month's newsletter will focus on the Kokoda trips and the amazing features it offers. Walking the track over the ANZAC Day period is a truly moving experience – to walk in the footsteps of our nation's soldiers is a spiritual awakening like no other.

Looking for the ride of your life

Imagine breathing in crisp winter air, taking in the incredible snow-covered scenery, the only thing you can hear is your husky team working hard to pull your sled along as you give them commands. Book now for the next dog sledding expedition to the Yukon.



Spotlight on: Walking The Kokoda Track

Walking the Kokoda Track is an item that should be on every Australian's bucket list.

To trace the footsteps of the young soldiers who risked life and limb to defend our nation is a spiritual and highly emotional experience, particularly for those with ANZAC ties.

At Adventure Professionals, we offer the unique chance to hike through this significant war time location, where you will explore exotic mountain ranges, trek through thick jungles and visit the villages of Papua New Guinea.

Our experienced leaders and medics will guide you through the heartland of Papua New Guinea and tell the stories of our ANZAC heroes as you reach historic landmarks. With many of our Adventure Professional guides former soldiers themselves, the Kokoda Track is one of our most favoured adventure packages.

If you've been thinking about taking on Kokoda, our special ANZAC tour is the ideal time to finally fulfil your fantasy. The tour will run from April 17 until April 27 and will place you at one of our nation's most significant wartime locations on the day of our soldiers - ANZAC Day.

For more information about our upcoming Kokoda tour, call our helpful staff on 02 9844 2933 or email info@adventureprofessionals.com.au.

A Focus on our Team



Glenn Azar

Glenn is a former member of the Australian Army, a qualified Aviation Medic, a Physical Training Instructor, a Registered Nurse and most importantly, Director of Adventure Professionals.

As Adventure Leader of several of our packages, Glenn is dedicated to providing his clients with adventures that will stay with them for a lifetime.

Describe yourself in three words: Loyal, confident, determined.
Caravan, tent or swag? Swag
Favourite film? Dead Poets Society
Favourite Adventure Professionals tour? It's a toss-up between Kokoda (for Military History) and Mt Everest Base Camp (for cultural significance).



Rachel Dobson

Rach is the Adventure Professionals Operations Manager and an experienced medic who has worked on expeditions in Africa, Central Asia, South America, Nepal, India, New Zealand, Papua New Guinea and Australia.

Rach is the ultimate outdoors girl and is always up for an adventure.

Describe yourself in three words: Happy, fun and caring
Caravan, tent or swag? Swag....you can see the stars easily
Favourite film? The Bourne Trilogy
Favourite Adventure Professionals tour? Everest Base Camp.....but Panama might just top it this year :)



Embark upon a new adventure



We kicked off with a bang, holding our official launch on Thursday 24 February at The Rocks' Settlers Hall Waterfront Restaurant.

Our adventurous audience were captivated with presentations from Adventure Director and former soldier Glenn Azar, Managing Director Christopher Whitnall as well as Keith Fennell, a member of the Adventure Professionals team, who joined the Special Air Service Regiment at just 21.

Keith is author of best-selling book **Warrior Brothers** and **Warrior Training**, released in 2009. He talked about his work with high level sporting teams and his expertise in taking performance mechanisms to the corporate arena.

The gathering was enthralled with both Glenn and Keith's stories of challenge, determination and ultimately, success.

David Sanders took home the \$1,500 voucher as a result of the business card draw. We expect to see David behind the dogs on a sled in the Yukon or sucking in some deep breaths at Everest Base Camp sometime soon.



Want to know more?

Interested in finding out more about Adventure Professionals and the unique packages we offer?

Why not come along to one of our upcoming information nights?

March 1st 2011 – Brisbane
March 29th 2011 – Sydney
March 30th 2011 – Melbourne

If your group can't make one of our sessions, our intrepid travellers from Adventure Professionals might just be able to make the trek to your venue at a suitable date and time. Simply contact us and we will sort a time with you.

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