

2018 LONG TAN TREK TOUR

On the Battlefield - 1966



to be followed by the
**DECISIVE BATTLEFIELDS
OF THE 3 VIET NAM WARS**
**Tour to I Corps, DMZ
and to North Vietnam
(including Dien Bien Phu)**

Hosted and guided by
Dave Sabben MG

Part of the 2016 Trek Tour at the Cross



2018 is the 50th Anniversary of (Jan-Feb) TET '68, including 3RAR & APCs fighting for Baria (which we will visit); (Feb) the tanks arrive; (Jan-Mar) Op Coburg into Dong Nai & Bien Hoa areas (which we will visit); (Feb-Apr) Op Pinnaroo into the Long Hai's (which we will visit); (Apr onwards) first attempts to clear the minefield (which we will visit); (Apr) 1st Aust Field Hospital set up at 1ALSG; (Apr-Jun) Op Toan Thang 1 which includes the (May) multiple battles at Coral & Balmoral (both of which we will visit);

Walk the Long Tan battlefield with the former 12 Platoon commander at the Battle of Long Tan:

South (Trek) Tour: Sat. 13 October 2018 - 7 days / 6 nights:

(Subject to sufficient numbers for the Tour.)

\$ 3799 Includes tax/levy of \$570

Walk the Long Tan battlefield and experience "in real time" all the significant events of the battle, on the locations where they actually happened. We also visit Nui Dat, the Horseshoe, the Minefield, Frankie's mine incident, the Long Hai's, Coral, Balmoral, the Dong Nai museum, Saigon (HCMC) & more.

Download the full "Trek" itinerary at:

<http://www.sabben.com/longtantrek/images/2018TrekitinSOUTH.pdf>

This tour ends on Friday 19 October at Saigon airport, where the North Tour starts – see next...

North Tour: Friday 19 October 2018 - 16 days / 15 nights:

(Subject to sufficient numbers for the Tour.)

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See Hoi An, Da Nang, Hue, the DMZ, Khe Sanh, the Vinh Moc tunnels, Hamburger Hill, the A Shau Valley and more, then to Hanoi and Dien Bien Phu. We'll discuss the LAM SON operation and the DICH VAN war, have free time in Hoi An, Hue and Hanoi, and end with a 2-night R&R at Ha Long Bay.

Download the full "Decisive Battlefields" itinerary at:

<http://www.sabben.com/longtantrek/images/2018DecisiveBFTNORTH.pdf>

This tour arrives back in Australia on Sunday 4 November 2018

\$ 3773

• **DECISIVE BATTLEFIELDS**
Tour costing details:
per person, twin share,
includes internal Viet Nam
domestic airfares, based on
the prices current as at
Sept 2017** and will be
reassessed closer to the
time. Ask about our special
international air fares...

** Tour costs will be based on Sept 2017 prices and are subject to change.

*** Single supplements on application. Numbers for both tours are limited. Tours use 4-Star hotels where possible.

To download the Booking Form & Conditions, click on "Booking Form" in webpage

<http://www.sabben.com/longtantrek/VN%20Long%20Tan%20Trek%20Tour%202018.html>

A preview of these Tours may be seen by selecting one of the Tour "Report"s in <http://www.sabben.com/longtantrek/>.

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