

THE TAILOR®

*Australian hand-crafted journeys*



*Especially created for*  
**Cairns & Lizard Island**

## YOUR HANDCRAFTED JOURNEY AT A GLANCE

Thu, 28 April - Sat, 30 April	Riley	2 Nights	Crash with Riley in Cairns and rediscover fun. Live in the moment and indulge in the little luxuries. Leave your worries at check-in and stake your claim by the pool. Welcome to the great escape.
Fri, 29 April	Spirit of Cairns Dinner Cruise		The perfect way to end a day in the tropics, the Spirit of Cairns Dinner Cruise offers a tranquil exploration of the calm waters of Trinity Inlet and the Cairns Esplanade with a delicious dinner.
Sat, 30 April	Scheduled Flight Cairns/Lizard Island - 11:00		Departs: 11:00am Cairns Arrive: 12:00pm Lizard Island
Sat, 30 April - Wed, 4 May	Lizard Island	4 Nights	Escape to private tropical luxury surrounded by beauty and nature at its finest. The most northern of all resorts on the Great Barrier Reef, Lizard Island is truly like nowhere else.
Wed, 4 May	Scheduled Flight Lizard Island/Cairns - 11:00		Departs: 11:00am Lizard Island Arrive: 12:00pm Cairns



## TROPICAL NORTH (CAIRNS)

Known as the gateway to the Tropical North, Cairns is a laid-back and vibrant city inviting you to relax and soak up the spectacular great outdoors. Unwind and discover the comforts of this modern and diverse city while enjoying easy access to the awe-inspiring landscapes of both the Great Barrier Reef and the World Heritage-listed Daintree Rainforest.

Cairns offers a tropical climate, with the distinct 'Wet' (November to April) and 'Dry' (May to October) seasons offering dramatic and beautiful contrasts. There is a diversity of landscapes to enjoy within the region: walk the extended, beautiful beachfront leading onto the Great Barrier Reef to the east, admire forest reserve and mountain ranges of to the west, and explore lush and laid-back rainforest landscapes to the north.

Rich in history with almost a century of architecture, Cairns combines a unique blend of traditional high-set, single-storey 'Queenslander' homes alongside modern high-rise buildings and quality hotels. Much of Cairns' accommodation is within walking distance to a range of brilliant restaurants and cafés, quirky bars and shops, theatres and galleries including both contemporary and traditional Aboriginal art, bustling nightclubs, a broad range of markets, and more. Other

attractions include an aquarium, Botanic Gardens, scenic walking trails, and more.

With an enormous diversity of experiences on offer, Cairns offers an endless supply of activities accompanied by a broad range of accommodation offerings to suit all kinds of experiences.





## RILEY

Thursday, 28 April 2022 - Saturday, 30 April 2022

*2 Nights*

The Riley offers a playful outlook on life without compromising on five-star quality. This vibrant Cairns hotel located right on the esplanade invites you to live in the moment and indulge in the little luxuries, leave your worries at check-in and stake your claim by the pool.

Offering 311 beautifully chic yet sustainably modern rooms and suites, the Riley offers contemporary comforts of a home-away-from-home hotel room, including air-con and blackout blinds to ensure a cosy night's sleep while enjoying the tropical ambience while awake. Other generous amenities include a rainforest shower, SmartTV with Chromecast, and other amenities to ensure your stay is as comfortable as possible.

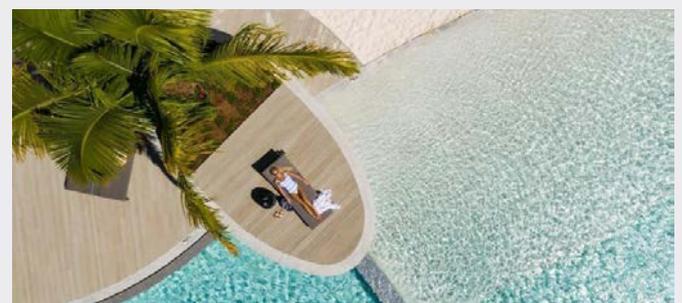
Modern dining abounds at the two restaurants available, with share-style options of the Mediterranean region at Rocco restaurant and bustling Asian-style fare at Paper Crane. For more low-key options, enjoy poolside food and drinks, and unwind with a signature bar cocktail. Other amenities to indulge with include the generous, over one thousand square metre swimming lagoon with poolside cabanas, man-made beach, eco-transport (aka bicycles), a 24-hour fitness centre, and experience curator and concierge experiences. To deepen your relaxation, the Eléme Day Spa offers treatments designed to

match each client to whatever they need on the day and invites you to embrace the Cairns region's carefree attitude.

Riley is an easy five-minute water-front stroll from the shopping, entertainment and business centre of Cairns. The hotel is set a short walking distance from attractions such as Cairns Aquarium, the Centre of Contemporary Arts, the Cairns Civic Theatre, and is a 10-minute stroll from the Great Barrier Reef Departure Terminal.



**Address:** 131-141 Esplanade Cairns QUEENSLAND Australia





## SPIRIT OF CAIRNS DINNER CRUISE

Friday, 29 April 2022

The perfect way to end a beautiful tropical day, the Spirit of Cairns is a luxury 26m/85ft sailing catamaran showing guests the beauty of the region from the still waters of the Trinity Inlet and Cairns Esplanade in Tropical North Queensland. The Spirit of Cairns Dinner Cruise invites you to take in the sights and sounds of this tropical port city and its surrounds as day transitions into night, with kaleidoscopic views of the sky as the landscape is washed in vivid hues of blue, red, orange, and finally silky black.

Your journey begins in the early evening at the Marlin Marina where you'll board the sailing catamaran and upon arrival, start your journey with a refreshing pre-dinner drink. You'll then spend the rest of the cruise at your leisure, with options to explore both the comfortable air-conditioned interior deck and the spacious exterior decks as the professional and attentive staff look after you.

Across two-and-a-half hours, the vessel will traverse the calm waters of the region, taking you into the heart of the Trinity Inlet and across the waterfront precinct of Cairns, with the ever-changing light offering different remarkable views throughout the entire journey.

Within the Trinity Inlet, you'll wind through the multi-purpose port where the humble city waters meet the Coral Sea. Explore the

mangrove and mudflat-lined waterway which is home to over 40 different fish species while enjoying calm waters and mild weather.

While exploring the Cairns Esplanade, you'll marvel at the contrasts between the sparkling lights over the Coral Sea as night rolls in, alongside the twinkling night lights of the port city itself.

Included in your journey is a dinner with delicious local produce, with an emphasis on seafood to reflect the diversity of the region. Spirit of Cairns is a licensed vessel, with a full selection of beverages available for purchase along your journey, ranging from classic beers to tropical cocktails.

Calm waters, attentive staff, and plenty of space both in and outdoors make this a wonderfully calm cruise experience to enjoy at your leisure.





## GREAT BARRIER REEF ISLANDS

The Great Barrier Reef is one of the seven wonders of the natural world. The huge reef system is a spectacular underwater world waiting to be explored.

The Great Barrier Reef is the world's largest reef system comprising nearly 3,000 individual reefs and 900 islands. It is also the planet's biggest single living structure. This reef system stretches for over 2,600km and covers approximately 350,000 square kilometres that travel almost parallel to Queensland's coast. It starts around the southern coastal town of Bundaberg and goes up past the northern tip of Cape York.

Access the Great Barrier Reef with International flights flying directly into Cairns Airport, or catch a domestic flight straight onto Hamilton Island or into Proserpine, or Townsville airport on the mainland.

Home to diverse marine life of the most vivid colours, a visit to the famous Great Barrier Reef is a holiday not to be missed. The vibrant beauty of the largest coral reef in the world can be best experienced by snorkelling, scuba diving, sailing, on a glass-bottom boat, or from the sky on a scenic flight.

A closer encounter with the Great Barrier Reef's impressive coral gardens reveals many astounding underwater attractions including the world's largest collection of corals, coral sponges, molluscs, rays, dolphins, over 1500 species of tropical fish, more than 200 types of birds, around 20 types of reptiles including sea turtles and giant clams over 120 years old.

Explore the stunning Whitsunday Islands, trek the ancient Daintree Rainforest or relax on luxurious tropical islands such as Hayman and Lizard. Island-hop or stay in one of the many coastal getaways such as Cairns, Hervey Bay, Mission Beach and Port Douglas.





## LIZARD ISLAND

Saturday, 30 April 2022 - Wednesday, 04 May 2022

4 Nights

Located right on the Great Barrier Reef, Lizard Island is accessed by air. Take an hour scenic flight from Queensland's far north outpost of Cairns to reach this breathtaking setting. With only 40 rooms and villas, and 24 private beaches, escape to your own secluded beach for a day. You can explore the reef, or just simply take in the incredible nature around you.

A hilly 1000-hectare island, your resort takes up a tiny proportion while the rest is a protected national park. All room interiors have been revamped to include a sense of understated luxury and a light airy feel that fits the tropical climate.

You can choose to stay in the Beachfront suites, set along the sweeping arc of Anchor Bay, the Oceanview villas that are perched high above sunset beach, and several Gardenview suites and rooms, set in the garden near the pool and day spa.

Beyond the arc of sand at Anchor Bay, take a path through broad-leaved trees to a sloping, neatly clipped lawn. At the top, you will find the resort's main building sitting in a shady garden. Housing the reception, the Driftwood Bar, with its climate-controlled wine cellar, and a lounge, which is a popular meeting spot before and after dinner and the Salt Water Restaurant.

Simple and relaxed, Salt Water Restaurant allows you to take full advantage of the 180-degree ocean views and the blazing evening sunsets. Here, you will enjoy breakfast, lunch, and dinner, unless you opt for something else like a private picnic. Most of the produce is local, especially the seafood which delicacies such as coral trout and soft-shell crab take centre stage.

You will not find any mobile phone coverage, roads, or cars here. Lizard Island is a truly immersive experience.



**Address:** Lizard Island National Park Lizard Island QUEENSLAND Australia





## LIZARD ISLAND

### *Experiences*

With emphasis on the titular island and the surrounding Great Barrier Reef, Lizard Island offers five-star experiences to match their five-star accommodation. The experienced and enthusiastic staff and guides will assist to help you book all adventures in advance and provide assistance where needed. Either explore on your own at your leisure, or be accompanied by an expert guide at additional cost – there's no right or wrong way to enjoy your Lizard Island experience.

Throughout your stay, you'll have access to a range of water gear inviting you into the sparkling waters of the Great Barrier Reef. Enjoy unlimited use of non-motorised water sports including stand-up paddleboards, clear view sea kayaks, and snorkelling gear, as well as motorised dinghies to beach hop to white-sand beaches. The staff are on-hand to show you how to use the equipment comfortably, or can transport you in comfort and style.

There is a kaleidoscopic display of aquatic life to discover in the surrounds of the island. Some estimated 1,500 different fish species exist within the region and are ready to be discovered, with favourite species including Potato Cod, Giant Grouper, schooling trevallies, giant sweetlips, reef sharks, olive sea snakes, green turtles, rays, cuttlefish, anemone fish, giant clams, 300 species of hard coral in surrounding coral gardens, and more. In addition, dolphins are

often seen in the region, and seasonal Humpback and Minke whale watching is available between July to September.

Private vessel charters for fishing, snorkelling, dive excursions, or simply basking on the deck of a yacht can all be organised in advance. Each journey is accompanied by a skipper who will tailor an itinerary to suit your preferences, including a consultation prior to travel, refreshments, and complimentary gear hire.

The Lizard Island resort itself also offers a range of activities. Take a serene, self-paced journey through the waters of Anchor Bay, enjoy a picnic hamper in an isolated spot on the beach, take a glass bottom sea kayak over marine and plant life in the waters of Anchor Bay, hike to the highest point of the island at Cook's Look, or venture on a nature walk and talk with the island's resident naturalists looking for birds and other wildlife.

Alongside the holistic and spiritual treats of yoga, stargazing, and the on-site Essentia Day Spa, there's activities for all kinds of adventurers at Lizard Island.



# INCLUSIONS & EXCLUSIONS

## INCLUSIONS

Riley

Accommodation Inclusions: 2 nights stay

Tropical North Touring

Activity Inclusions: Spirit of Cairns Dinner Cruise on a Share basis

Meal Inclusions: Dinner

Other Inclusions: 2.5-hour calm water sunset/evening cruise on board the Spirit of Cairns sailing catamaran

Exclusions: Beverages

Lizard Island

Travel Inclusions: Cairns/Lizard Island on Scheduled Flight - Departing at 11:00 and Arriving at 12:00

Lizard Island

Accommodation Inclusions: 4 nights stay

Meal Inclusions: Gourmet meals, unlimited non alcoholic beverages, selected fine Australian wines, beer, spirits and sparkling wine, in room mini bar and picnic hampers.

Other Inclusions: Use of non motorised water sports and other selected activities PLUS a choice between a Guided House Reef Snorkel for two or Sunset Cruise for two.

Exclusions: Additional charges apply for premium spirits, cocktails, the Cellar Master wine list, Degustation menu and private dining arrangements. Incidentals to be settled by guests prior to departure.

An environmental management charge (EMC) of \$7.00 (ex GST) per person daily to a maximum of \$21.00 per person per stay will be charged direct to guests. Price is subject to change.

Lizard Island

Travel Inclusions: Lizard Island/Cairns on Scheduled Flight - Departing at 11:00 and Arriving at 12:00 Noon

## EXCLUSIONS

International Airfares

Australian Domestic Airfares

Some Meals and Beverages

Extra Activities

Items of a Personal Nature - Incidentals to be settled by guests prior to departure

Gratuities

Travel Insurance\*\*

\*\* Travel Insurance is highly recommended to ensure that you are covered in the unlikely event that your arrangements are disrupted