

9 DAY CAPE YORK FLY/DRIVE FULLY ACCOMMODATED TOUR

Departing 15 July 2021



in conjunction with

heritage tours

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DAY 1, 15 JULY 2021: HERVEY BAY – CAIRNS

Adventure awaits! Make your way to Cairns today. The cost of getting to Cairns is additional; we can help with arranging these options. On arrival, you will be staying at Cairns Queens Court. The rest of the day is at your leisure. Talk to us about home pick up options within Hervey Bay. Conditions apply.*

DAY 2, 16 JULY 2021: CAIRNS – THURSDAY ISLAND – CAPE YORK (B,D)

Transfer from Cairns Queens Court to Cairns airport for your flight to Horn Island. Transfer by ferry to Thursday Island and on arrival, you will be taken on an informative guided bus tour of the island and its picturesque harbour, once home to the romantic pearl lugger fleet. This afternoon, board your ferry to the mainland, where you will be met by your guide, who will take you to Seisia. Seisia is ideally located for our next few days, being in walking distance from the Seisia Wharf, a famous fishing spot. Our accommodation at Seisia Holiday Park are cottages with ensuite facilities.

DAY 3, 17 JULY 2021: CAPE YORK – SOMERSET (B,L,D)

An unforgettable day! Stand at the very top of mainland Australia. We then visit Somerset (road conditions permitted), once home to the legendary Jardine family and government outpost established in 1864. We have lunch on the palm fringed Anchorage Beach, which overlooks the Albany Passage. A walk on the beach will complete your day before returning to Seisia.

DAY 4, 18 JULY 2021: CAPE YORK – FRUIT BAT FALLS – BRAMWELL STATION (B,L,D)

Southward bound, we cross the mighty Jardine River, stopping at Fruit Bat Falls for lunch. Relax, swim and enjoy this unique area with its enchanting waterfall. Travelling along part of the Old Telegraph Track, before we make our way to a 'true blue' Aussie cattle station, Bramwell Station – ensuite facilities.

DAY 5, 19 JULY 2021: BRAMWELL – WEIPA (B,D)

A southerly run through the wilderness with all its varied landscapes to cross the Wenlock River. We head for the shores of the Gulf of Carpentaria and Weipa. This afternoon you have the opportunity of a Wildlife River Cruise or Bauxite Mine Tour (at own expense). Accommodation with ensuite facilities.

DAY 6, 20 JULY 2021: WEIPA – MUSGRAVE (B,L,D)

We continue south, stopping off at the picturesque Archer River, then on to the historic frontier gold town of Coen. The afternoon finds us arriving at our overnight accommodation at the Old Musgrave Telegraph Station – ensuite facilities.

DAY 7, 21 JULY 2021: MUSGRAVE – SPLIT ROCK – LAKEFIELD – COOKTOWN (B,L,D)

After an early start, we head east to explore Lakefield National Park (road conditions permitted), a haven for the many birds and animals native to this area. Lagoons, billabongs, and wide river lakes are home to both fresh and saltwater crocodiles. Travelling on, we visit Split Rock Aboriginal Rock Art, before arriving in the old gold port of Cooktown. Here we visit Captain Cooks landing, before settling in to our accommodation in Cooktown – ensuite facilities.

DAY 8, 22 JULY 2021: COOKTOWN – CAPE TRIBULATION – CAIRNS (B,L)

Before returning to Cairns, we make our way south passing the mysterious Black Mountain and the historic Lion's Den Hotel. Traversing the jungle shrouded Bloomfield Track (road conditions permitted) we see where the 'rainforest meets the reef' at Cape Tribulation. We travel through the splendour of a World Heritage listed rainforest. A scenic drive along the Marlin Coast back to Cairns is the perfect way to end your tour.

DAY 9, 23 JULY 2021: CAIRNS – HERVEY BAY (B)

Today marks the end of your fantastic holiday. If you are flying home, you will be transferred to Cairns airport for your flight to Hervey Bay via Brisbane. *On arrival into Hervey Bay, you will be transferred home.

Tour Cost: \$4,695.00 per person twin share. Single Supplement \$1,030.00. Non refundable deposit \$1,000.00 due at time of booking. NOT included in tour cost is flights Hervey Bay – Cairns – Hervey Bay. We estimate the flight cost to be approximately \$780.00. This cost is subject to availability at time of booking, and paid in full at time of booking. Tour will be escorted from Hervey Bay subject to a minimum of 12 passengers.

*Home pickup applies within Hervey Bay city limits to and from Hervey Bay airport. Only available if return flight to Cairns is purchased through our office.

Terms and conditions apply.

HIGHLIGHTS:

- Thursday Island
- Cape York and Northern Tip of Australia
- Fruit Bat Falls
- Bramwell Cattle Station
- Weipa
- Musgrave Telegraph Station
- Split Rock, Aboriginal Rock Art
- Lakefield National Park
- Cooktown
- Bloomfield Track
- Cape Tribulation
- World Heritage Daintree National Park

TOUR INCLUDES:

- Meals as indicated
- Air-conditioned 4WD vehicle
- All tours as per itinerary
- Flight Cairns to Horn Island
- 8 nights accommodation
- Cairns airport transfer

Cost of travel to Cairns is additional.

The operator reserves the right to alter itinerary and location of accommodation if necessitated.

