Green Island
GREAT BARRIER REEF - CAIRNS - AUSTRALIA

GREEN ISLAND CRUISES FROM ONLY $69
Just 45 mins from Cairns
3 departures daily
Family fares available

Queensland’s Friendliest Beach 2007
With its unique reef and rainforest environment, Green Island is a nature lover’s paradise and the one-stop tropical reef and island experience. There’s fun for the whole family. Whether you’re up for adventurous activities or relaxation, on Green Island you’ll be spoilt for choice!

Green Island

Just 45 minutes across the Coral Sea by fast catamaran from Cairns, Green Island is a beautiful 6000 year old coral cay located within the Great Barrier Reef Marine Park – one of the Seven Natural Wonders of the World.

This tropical island paradise is a National Park and home to over 120 native plant species, colourful bird life and surrounded by coral gardens and abundant marine life to explore. It’s the only coral cay on the Great Barrier Reef with a rainforest growing on it!

Swim, snorkel and discover the wonders of the reef in a glass bottom boat coral viewing tour. The whole family can enjoy the interpretive rainforest walk and learn about the island ecology and history. With lush walking tracks, Green Island is 15 hectares (approx 37 acres) in size and takes about 45 minutes to walk around.

For a more relaxed day, laze on the white sandy beaches or enjoy the well appointed day visitor facilities which include restaurant and snack bars, resort shops and even a pool bar. And there’s an abundance of exciting optional activities to enjoy too.

An island of history...

Green Island was first charted by Captain James Cook in 1770 and named not because of its lush rainforest, but after the astronomer on board the HMS Endeavour, Charles Green. The island’s amazing history includes many ‘world firsts’, such as the first underwater observatory and glass bottom boat.

With the wonders of the reef and an amazing history to share, Green Island is a special jewel in the Great Barrier Reef.

Green Island Adventures

Choose from three exciting Green Island Adventures or plan your own adventure with the option of a half or full day visit and a range of optional activities.

ALL GREEN ISLAND ADVENTURES INCLUDE:
• Return air-conditioned fast catamaran cruise
• Tea and coffee served until departure from Cairns
• Use of day visitor facilities.

EXCLUSIVE INCLUSIONS:
• Exclusive use of island swimming pool
• Eco island walk – self guided (see Island information counter)

GREEN ISLAND ECO ADVENTURE
Choice of 3 departures daily

Additional Inclusions
• Choice of glass bottom boat tour or use of snorkelling equipment

Tour Price  Adult  Child  Family
$69  $34  $170

Depart Cairns  8.30am  10.30am  1.00pm
Arrive Green Island  10.20pm  12.20pm  3.20pm
Depart Green Island  2.20pm  4.20pm

Arrive Cairns  New Year’s Eve

GREEN ISLAND GREAT DEALS ADVENTURE
Choice of 2 departures daily

Additional Inclusions
• Choice of glass bottom boat tour or use of snorkelling equipment
• “Great Deals” plated lunch

Tour Price  Adult  Child  Family
$86  $43  $215

Depart Cairns  9.30am  10.30am
Arrive Green Island  11.20am  1.50pm
Depart Green Island  3.20pm  5.20pm

Arrive Cairns  New Year’s Eve

GREEN ISLAND DAY ADVENTURE
Choice of 2 departures daily

Additional Inclusions
• Hot and cold buffet lunch with seafood
• Glass bottom boat tour
• Use of snorkelling equipment
• Beach bag

Tour Price  Adult  Child  Family
$109  $54  $272.50

Depart Cairns  8.30am  10.30am
Arrive Green Island  9.20am  11.20am
Depart Green Island  12.30pm  2.30pm

Arrive Cairns  New Year’s Eve

TOURS DEPART FROM CAIRNS REEF FLEET TERMINAL, 1 SPENCE ST CAIRNS
Boarding is 30 minutes prior to departure time.

COACH TRANSFERS
All tour arrivals are quoted from the Cairns Reef Fleet Terminal. Coach transfers are available from Cairns and Northern Beaches accommodation.

Return coach transfers  Adult  Child
Cairns City  $12  $6
Northern Beaches  $16  $8

Coach transfers provided by Quicksilver Connections and Down Under Tours.

Ask about our other exciting Great Adventures!

Great Barrier Reef Adventure  Adult $178*  Child $89*
Green Island and Great Barrier Reef Adventure  Adult $198*  Child $99*

* See conditions.
Optional Activities

In addition to the activities included in your tour, a wide range of exciting and fun options are also available. Our friendly crew are on hand to help you with any further information.

Diving and Snorkelling Adventures

Scuba Diving

No experience is necessary to take a fully supervised introductory scuba dive at our specially selected sites offshore from Green Island.

- Introductory Scuba Dive $132
- Certified Diving - 1 Dive $90
- Certified Diving - 2 Dives $132

Certified diving subject to availability on the day of travel.

Boat Snorkel Trip

Take a short boat trip to one of the best snorkelling sites at Green Island. With a snorkelling safety officer on hand to supervise, explore colourful marine life and coral gardens.

- Adult $32
- Child $20

(Snorkelling equipment not included)

Seawalker at Green Island*

An amazing underwater walking experience on the sea floor at Green Island! There's no equipment to operate, non-swimmers welcome and you don’t even have to get your hair wet!

- Adult $135
- Child $105
- Family $470

The minimum age for Scuba Diving and Seawalker is 12 years. Certain medical conditions, medications and height restrictions may preclude some people from participating in optional in-water activities. For advice, contact our office. After a single dive a wait of 12 hours is recommended before ascending to an altitude of 300 metres or greater. If doing multiple dives an interval of 24 hours is suggested. Snorkelling can be a strenuous activity. Please use caution and inform our crew of any medical conditions.

Glass Bottom Boat Tour

Experience the reef while keeping dry in our modern Coral Explorer glass bottom boats.

- Adult $14
- Child $7
- Family $35

Helicopter Scenic Flights*

Enjoy spectacular views of Green Island and the Great Barrier Reef. Sit back, relax and enjoy an exhilarating bird’s eye view of the reef.

- 10 minute scenic flight $139 pp
- 30 minute scenic flight $349 pp

Green Island Parasailing*

Take to the sky behind a powerboat with the excitement of parasailing and enjoy the breathtaking views of Green Island and the Great Barrier Reef. No experience is necessary.

- Adult $125
- Child $70

Also available for your enjoyment on Green Island are:

- Green Island Beach Hire*
- Green Island Underwater Observatory*
- Marineland Melanesia Crocodile Habitat*

* These activities are provided by operators other than Great Adventures.

What to bring

- Swimming costume and beach towel
- Hat and sunscreen
- Comfortable shoes
- Spending money for drinks, souvenirs and optional activities
- And don’t forget your sense of adventure!

Conditions

- Children 6-14 years.
- Children under 3 years free of charge.

General Conditions: All schedules, activities and prices may be varied without notice. Listed fares in Australian dollars include Goods and Services Tax. Prices valid to 31 March 2009.

*A Government Environmental Management Charge of $5 is levied for all adults and children 4 years and over entering the Great Barrier Reef World Heritage area. This charge is applicable for all outer reef cruises and is payable direct to Great Adventures on the day of travel. This charge is not applicable to Green Island only cruises. With fluctuations in world oil prices, it may be necessary to apply a fuel surcharge to your ticket price. In such cases any charge will be collected on departure. Quicksilver Connections Ltd, ABN 26 010 434 269, trading as Great Adventures, PO Box 898 Cairns Qld 4870.

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