



# WHITSUNDAYS

The Whitsundays is made up of 74 islands located in the World Heritage-listed Great Barrier Reef. Home to some of Australia's best beaches, the region offers land, air and water experiences, along with a host of venues to create an unforgettable incentive trip.



### Access

Two airports, Hamilton Island Airport and the Whitsunday Coast Airport at Proserpine, are serviced by domestic flights

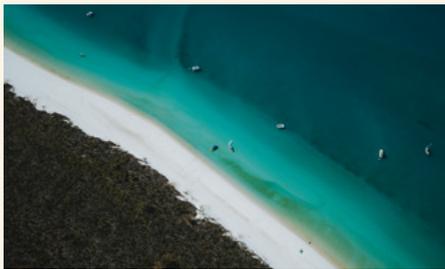


### Weather

Summer from Dec-Feb (average max. 30°C/86°F)

Winter from Jun-Aug (average max. 22°C/72°F)

## EXPERIENCES



### Sail to Whitehaven Beach

Enjoy an exhilarating sailing trip aboard 20m/66ft catamaran **S.V. On The Edge**, before anchoring at the famous Whitehaven Beach for a picnic lunch.



### Play Island Survivor

Take the **Survivor Challenge** on **Hamilton Island**, building your team with a set of physical activities in a friendly competition.



### Give back to the Reef

Take a coral rejuvenation class on Blue Pearl Bay, as part of **InterContinental Hayman Island Resort's Insider Collection** of experiences and initiatives.



### Sunrise yoga

Kick-start your day with a sunrise yoga session on Catseye Beach or with one of Hamilton Island's best views, atop One Tree Hill.



### See the Reef from above and below

Take a scenic helicopter tour over Heart Reef with **Hamilton Island Air**. Land at the new **Heart Reef Pontoon** and unwind with canapés or snorkel the surrounding lagoon reef.



### Cocktails on a tidal island

Host sunset cocktails on **Langford Island**, a sand spit a seven-minute boat ride from Hayman Island, which appears only as the tide permits.

## WHY NOT...



Take a luxury sunset cruise around the Whitsundays for up to 80 guests with **Ocean Dynamics**.



Play a game of golf at **Hamilton Island Golf Club's** 18-hole championship course, with views of nearby islands.





## VENUES



### InterContinental Hayman Island Resort

- 168-room private island resort available for exclusive use
- 15 indoor and outdoor spaces across the island with capacity for up to 330 guests in a single location
- Spaces include beaches, lawns, a private dining room and formal or tropical gardens



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- 60 private pavilions set in a secluded gated resort on Hamilton Island
- Three event spaces – Pebble Beach restaurant at the water's edge, the Long Pavilion – including a private dining room and private deck areas – and the Beach House
- Available for exclusive use



### Daydream Island

- 277-room resort available for exclusive use
- 6 indoor and outdoor event spaces with capacity for up to 250 for dinner
- The resort's 6 restaurants and bars are also available for exclusive use

Hayman Island also has a range of accommodation options for larger groups and indoor and outdoor event venues for varying group sizes.



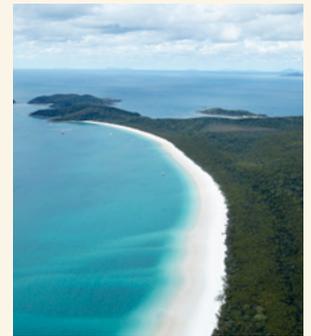
## WHAT'S NEW

### Cruise Whitsundays

Cruise Whitsundays has debuted Australia's first underwater ocean accommodation, adding two **ReefSuites** to their pontoon which already offers the chance to sleep under the stars on the Great Barrier Reef with 12 **ReefSleep** luxury Australian bedrolls or "swags" on deck.

### Hamilton Island

Hamilton Island opened its new **Beach Pavilion** in December 2019, a flexible beach-side venue which can be fully enclosed or al fresco and can host a seated dinner for 280 people. The new venue complements an extensive offering on the island for incentives, including a variety of event spaces and 10 private dinner venues.



## DID YOU KNOW?

**Whitehaven Beach** is frequently classed among the world's best beaches, thanks to its pure white silica sand and turquoise waters.



## EXPLORE FURTHER

### Brisbane

The Queensland capital is a two-hour flight from the Whitsundays. Stay at the 312-room **W Brisbane** and explore the nearby **Howard Smith Wharves** precinct, which includes several event spaces, craft brewery and contemporary restaurants.

### Sydney

A two-and-a-half-hour flight from the Whitsundays, Sydney is home to some of Australia's most iconic landmarks. Climb the **Sydney Harbour Bridge** or take a behind-the-scenes tour of the **Sydney Opera House**. Stay at the luxurious **Sofitel Darling Harbour**, in the vibrant Darling Harbour precinct.

