



GREEN ISLAND
RESORT
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Weddings

ON GREEN ISLAND

Saying I Do in Paradise

Green Island Great Barrier Reef



FROM GREEN ISLAND

With Love



Weddings on Green Island

Situated 27kms from Cairns, Green Island, a 6000 year old coral cay in the Great Barrier Reef, is one of the most unique and beautiful locations in the world to exchange your wedding vows.

Our boutique eco resort and World Heritage environment are perfect for small and intimate weddings. Ceremonies can also be celebrated as day guests to the island.

Whether eloping or with family and friends gathering to help you celebrate, an array of island activities are also available to enjoy during your stay, including snorkelling, scuba and helmet diving, kayaking and nature walks.

Our staff are passionate about providing warm hospitality and we understand the excitement, joy, and at times, nervousness, that comes with planning your special day. We know that every couple has different needs and we would be delighted to assist in tailoring the perfect wedding package to suit your requirements.

We look forward to assisting to make your special day a wonderful and memorable occasion.

Green Island offers a variety of beautiful locations to hold your wedding ceremony. As the island is a National Park, however, the beach and rainforest areas fall under the domain of Queensland Parks and Wildlife Services (QPWS) and permits may be required.

Beach and rainforest locations are ideal for picturesque ceremonies, however, due to the open nature of these locations, they can be subject to weather conditions. In such circumstances we have some beautiful contingencies available. Within the resort grounds, our poolside pagoda area is perfect for small groups.

QPWS Permit

A QPWS permit applies to ceremonies being held in the National Park grounds from 9:30am - 4:30pm for more than 11 guests. Green Island Resort can assist with providing contact details to obtain a permit.

All day ceremonies requiring a permit are limited to no more than 15 guests. Please note that due to QPWS guidelines Green Island Resort's involvement is restricted for all ceremonies between the hours of 9:30am - 4:30pm.





Sunset Beach

Celebrate your love with a stunning beach ceremony...

For Ceremonies between 9:30am - 4:30pm:

- QPWS Permit required for over 11 guests
- Maximum of 15 guests

For ceremonies between 5:00pm - 11:00pm:

- No permits are required
- Maximum of 40 guests

- Choice of beach locations, may be tidal dependent.
- In the event of wet weather, our Emeralds Annex Room provides a beautiful indoor back-up option.



Rainforest

Say "I do" amid a tranquil tropical wonderland...

For Ceremonies between 9:30am - 4:30pm:

- QPWS Permit required for over 11 guests
- Maximum of 15 guests

For ceremonies between 5:00pm - 11:00pm:

- No permits are required
- Maximum of 40 guests



Poolside Pagoda (Resort Guest Pool)

Celebrate your love with an intimate pool-side ceremony...

- Perfect for small groups, up to 20 people
- No permits are required.

Ceremony Locations



Wedding Reception

Day Guests

If you choose to hold your wedding ceremony and reception as a day guest, you and your guests will depart the Island on the same day. In these instances, it is possible to hold your wedding reception during lunchtime in our Emeralds Restaurant.

The following options are available:

- Up to 10 guests – a la carte menu in any location in Emeralds Restaurant.
- 20-30 guests – the restaurant has an indoor annex that is perfect for private groups. You may select from either the restaurant a la carte menu or choose a set menu.
- Over 20 guests – 2 course set or alternate drop menu and buffet menus available.
- Children's menus are available for under 14 years.

For guests staying overnight, we have a wonderful choice of beautiful locations including beach options for your wedding dinner celebration.

Entertainment

Entertainment in any area of Emeralds Restaurant is limited to a portable speaker with your choice of music. Unfortunately, due to the open nature of the restaurant and our consideration of other guests, live bands and DJs are not permitted.

For beach areas, the QWPS permit will allow unplugged entertainment, although, we do ask to approve all proposed entertainment prior to the wedding date.

Wedding Team Considerations

When engaging your celebrant, photographer, hair & makeup, or entertainment provider to travel to Green Island, you will need to consider payment of their catamaran transfer costs. Additionally, after 4:30pm their accommodation (resort room) and meals costs will apply for an overnight stay.

Flowers

As Green Island is a National Park, QPWS restrictions mean no fresh or dried flowers are permitted on the island or in the Resort.

Wedding Cakes

We would be delighted to recommend a quality wedding cake supplier from Cairns to suit your specific needs. Your cake will need to be transported on the daily catamaran transfers from Cairns to Green Island, however we are unable to refrigerate the cake during the 45-minute journey.

Please see our list of supplier recommendations.



Reception Venue Options



Emeralds Restaurant

Venue hire: Annex from \$600

Celebrate with elegant dining in our fully air-conditioned Emeralds Private Dining Room seating up to 20 guests, or Annex for up to 20 - 30 guests.

Small groups of up to 15 guests may choose to dine on Emeralds terrace balcony.

Entertainment is limited to a portable speaker with your choice of music, live bands and DJs are not permitted.



Beach Hut

Venue hire \$2500, Pre-Reception \$500

Celebrate in paradise under a charming open-air pavilion nestled amid a canopy of tropical trees just steps from the sparkling shoreline. This beachfront venue offers the perfect blend of natural beauty and relaxed elegance for a laid-back yet unforgettable reception. Maximum of 30 guests, available from 6pm until 10pm. Your QPWS permit will allow unplugged entertainment on beach areas, subject to Resort approval.



Green's Venue

Venue hire from \$2000

Green's function room provides an atmospheric and spacious setting amid the rainforest for a sumptuous wedding feast. The venue allows for a seamless flow between distinct reception areas, dining space, dance floor, bar and entertainment area. Elegantly lit with soft fairy lights, this beautiful space can cater for wedding groups as small as 20 guests to 120 guests.



Beach Dining

Set up costs apply

During fine weather, the soft coral sands of the beach provide for a stunning location for your reception, or if you're eloping, your own private dinner for two!

Due to the distance from the resort, set up costs and menu restrictions do apply for groups - Buffet dinners only are available for beach dining locations. Beach dining maximum is 20 people.



Green Island Wedding Packages

You can tailor your choice of ceremony location and reception venue.

Wedding Ceremony

\$950

Celebrate your love with a stunning beach ceremony on the Great Barrier Reef on Green Island. In case of wet weather, our Emeralds Restaurant Annex room provides a beautiful indoor backup option.

Inclusions

- Beach ceremony setup
- Wet weather backup venue (Annex room)
- Clothed white chair covers
- Bottled water for all attendees
- White clothed signing table
- Glass of sparkling wine for guests
- Buggie ride for the bride
- Sound system
- Permit required for weddings with over 11 guests.
- Ceremonies after 4.30pm. Before these timings will require a permit.

Pre Reception Package Beach Hut for sunset

\$500 Venue Hire

(up to 30 guests) from \$70 per person

Watch the sunset from the Beach Hut with beverages and canapes.

- Venue set up with bar, white table linens, cutlery, cocktail tables.
- 1 hour drink package and canapé service (basic beer, wine, soft drink and juices with a choice of 3 canapés)

Canapés

- Choice of 4 at \$29 per person
- Choice of 5 at \$34 per person
- Choice of 6 at \$39 per person
- Choice of 7 at \$42 per person

Canapés Selection

- Barramundi, Prawn, OR Duck Spring Rolls with Sweet Chilli Sauce
- Wonton with Spicy Sweet Soy
- Jalapenos Cheese Bites with Sriracha Aioli
- Mushroom Arancini Balls with Black Garlic Mayo
- Falafel with Chickpea Hummus
- Assorted Mini Quiche
- Marinated Green Shell Mussels
- Oysters Natural
- Mediterranean Meatballs
- Beef Satay with Dip
- Assorted Profiterole
- Dark Chocolate Brownies
- Panna Cotta in Glass





Wedding Reception

Choose 1 of our 4 venues

After saying "I do" it's time to celebrate with a dreamy reception on Green Island. Choose from a stunning beachfront setting or elegant indoor venue - each offering its own unique charm to make your day truly unforgettable.

From \$150 per person

- 2 Entrees OR 2 Desserts, with 2 Mains at \$90 per person
- 2 Entrees, 2 Mains, and 2 Desserts at \$99 per person
- From 6pm until 10pm

Venue Hire Inclusions:

- Full venue setup with white table linens, cutlery, and crockery
- Sound system speakers/microphone
- Drink table service and bar service (select your beverage package)
- Personalised menu and drinks lists
- Custom signage for reception
- Cake cutting and service included
- Up lights and fairy lights
- *Centre pieces and other décor are to be organised by the couple.

Sample menu provided.



ENTRÉE

Prawn Coconut and Chilli Rice Paper Rolls with
Sweet Chilli Sauce (GF, DF)

Oysters Natural with Shallot Vinegar (GF, DF)

White Wine Garlic and Chilli Mussels

Falafel, Parmesan with Sourdough

Pickled Eggplant with Herbs, Pine Nuts and Sourdough

MAINS

Sundried Tomato, Spinach and Olive Pappardelle

Roasted Pork Belly with Pumpkin Puree and Roasted Pumpkin

Teriyaki Salmon with Steamed Bok Choy and Sesame Seeds

Char Grilled Sirloin with Roasted Vegetables and Potato Gratin

Stuffed Mushrooms with Mediterranean Cous Cous and Tomato
Chutney (V)

Moroccan Spiced Lamb Rump with Baby Carrots and Herb
Sauce (DF)

DESSERTS

Tiramisu with Chocolate Sauce and Berries

Double Chocolate Brownie with Mixed Berry Compote
and Vanilla Ice Cream

Vegan Chocolate Mud Cake with Coconut Ice Cream
and Berries

Mango and Vanilla Pannacotta

DF = Dairy Free / GF = Gluten Free / V = Vegan option
available

Standard Beverage Package

	Adult	Child (5-17)
2 hours	\$55	\$21
3 hours	\$70	\$25
4 hours	\$85	\$29

Beer

- Great Northern Original
- Great Northern Super Crisp
- Victoria Bitter
- Great Northern Zero (non-alcoholic)

Cider

- Somersby Apple Cider

Wine - Morgan's Bay (MB)

- White: MB Sauvignon Blanc
- Red: MB Cabernet Merlot
- Sparkling: MB Sparkling Curvée

Non-Alcoholic Beverages

- Soft Drinks: Coke, Coke No Sugar, Sprite, Sprite, Fanta Yellow, Fanta
- Juices: Orange, Apple
- Bottled Water



Bar Tab Option

Instead of a set Beverage Package, we are also pleased to provide an option to run a tab / master account for beverages and bar for your wedding party.

Premium Beverage Package

	Adult	Child (5-17)
2 hours	\$70	\$21
3 hours	\$90	\$25
4 hours	\$110	\$29

Beer (Choose 5 flavours)

- Great Northern Original
- Great Northern Super Crisp
- Victoria Bitter
- Hemingways 7th Heaven Tropical Ale
- Hemingways Canecutter
- Asahi
- Great Northern Ginger Beer
- Great Northern Zero (non-alcoholic)

Cider

- Somersby Apple Cider

White Wine

- Morgan's Bay Sauvignon Blanc
- Deakin Estate Chardonnay

Red Wine

- Morgan's Bay Cabernet Merlot
- Serafino Cabernet Sauvignon

Rose Wine

- Villa Maria Rose

Sparkling

- Morgan's Bay Sparkling Curvée

Ready To Drink (Choose 2 flavours)

- Canadian Club & Dry
- Jack Daniels & Cola
- Jameson Dry & Lime
- Suntory 196

Non-Alcoholic Beverages

- Soft Drinks: Coke, Coke No Sugar, Sprite, Fanta Yellow, Fanta, Dry Ginger Ale, Soda Water, Tonic Water
- Juices: Orange, Apple, Pineapple, Mango, Cranberry
- Bottled Water

Cocktail & Spirit Add-on

	2 Selections	3 Selections	4 Selections
2 hours	+ \$24	+ \$28	+ \$32
3 hours	+ \$32	+ \$38	+ \$44
4 hours	+ \$40	+ \$48	+ \$56

Prices are in addition to be combined with the selected standard or premium beverage packages.

Cocktail Selections

- **Tropic Collins** - Wolf Lane Tropical Gin, Lemon Juice, Sugar Syrup, Soda Water
- **Mermaid Punch** - Captain Morgan Spiced Rum, Blue Curacao, Lime Juice, Pineapple Juice, Soda Water
- **Pineapple Pucker** - Makers Mark Whisky, Lemon Juice, Pineapple Juice, Sugar Syrup, Grapefruit Bitters, Aquafaba
- **Pash On The Jetty** - Absolute Passionfruit Vodka, Peach Liqueur, Cranberry Juice, Mango Juice
- **Green Island Lemonade** - Vodka, Limoncello, Lemon Juice, Lime Juice, Sugar Syrup, Soda Water
- **Diablo Pina Colada** (pre-bottle shaken)
- **Rainforest Breeze** - Diablo on tap Tropical Mojito, Pineapple Juice, Lime Juice, Mint, Passionfruit Pulp
- **Coral Dawn** - Diablo on tap Mexican Sunrise, Orange Juice, Orange
- **Strawberry Drift** - Diablo on tap Strawberry Caipiroska, Lime Juice, Mint
- **Diablo Ginger Beer** (on tap)

Spirit Selection

- Bundaberg Rum
- Wyborowa Vodka
- Beefeater Gin
- Olmeca Tequila
- Jack Daniels Whiskey

Spirits served as 30ml standard drink & prepared with the non-alcoholic mix selection.



Boutique Accommodation



Reef Suite

Spacious split level room of 66 square metres featuring 1 x king size bed, lounge area, separate bath and shower, and private balcony.

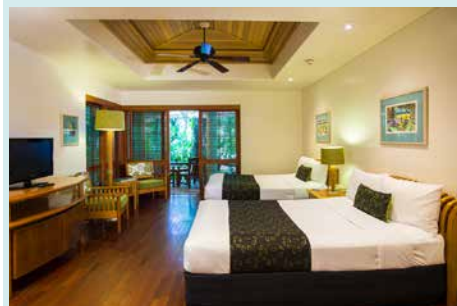
Maximum capacity 2 adults. Ideal for honeymooners!



Island Suite - King

A spacious room of 56 square metres featuring a king bed with either rainforest or pool views, separate bath and shower, and private balcony.

Maximum occupancy 3 persons with rollaway bed.



Island Suite - Twin

A spacious room of 56 square metres featuring 2 x Double beds with either rainforest or pool views, separate bath and shower, and private balcony.

Maximum occupancy 2 adults & 2 children, or 3 adults.



Island Suite - Interconnecting

Combining two interconnecting Island Suites, each of 56 square metres, separate bath and shower, and private balcony.

Ideal for families - maximum occupancy 7 people.



As Green Island Resort has just 46 rooms, the number of guests staying for your wedding is subject to availability. With this in mind, Green Island Resort is the perfect location for small, intimate weddings or alternatively for larger groups, we recommend you hold your wedding as a day guest.

For those using the resort as a day guest, you may like to consider the opportunity to use one of our resort suites for the day. This enables you to freshen up and relax prior to the ceremony.

Room Rates

Visit our website to discover our best available rates.



As a special gift, all wedding couples will receive a complimentary upgrade to our Reef Suite, a bottle of chilled champagne to celebrate, and complimentary buffet breakfast.

Room Rate Inclusions for two people:

- Return catamaran transfers from Cairns
- Glass bottom boat croal viewing tour
- Snorkelling equipment
- Complimentary use of kayaks, beach volleyball, beach lounge chairs & umbrellas
- Sunset drinks
- Daily fish feeding presentation
- Guided marine biologist activities.

Room Rate Terms & Conditions:

- Applicable to F.I.T. & group bookings (4 rooms or fewer).
- Negotiable group rates available for 5 or more rooms.
- Rates cover room & vessel transfers (ex Cairns Marina) including GST.
- Non-commissionable rates.
- Children 3 years & under stay free (cot provided at no cost).
- Children 4-14 years stay free using existing bedding.
- Additional guest rollaway bed available.
- All cancellations must be received in writing.
- Rates subject to availability.

Tours & Additional Activities

A wide array of exciting optional activities are available to enjoy while on Green Island including;

- Scuba diving and Seawalker helmet diving
- Boat snorkel trips, and marine biologist guided tours
- Parasailing
- Scenic helicopter flights
- Marineland Melanesia crocodile shows.
- You can also take a day trip to the Outer Reef which departs from Green Island daily.

We would be pleased to assist in tailoring special activities for you and your wedding party.

Getting to Green Island

- Transfers to Green Island are aboard a Great Adventures fast catamaran taking approximately 45 minutes each way.
- Transfer times must be pre-booked to ensure availability.
- Daily departures are from the Reef Fleet Terminal, 1 Spence St, Cairns.

You can choose from the following departure times:

Depart Cairns	8:30 am	10:30 am	
Depart Green Island	9:15/9:45 am *	2:30 pm	4:30 pm

* Turnaround vessel - time may vary.

Helicopter transfers with Nautilus Aviation are also available on request.





Additional Services

We're pleased to provide additional services and extra touches to enhance your special day's celebrations. Please enquire about costs and to discuss your specific requirements.

Island Wedding Co-ordinator

From planning to execution, our on-island wedding co-ordinator can take care of the details, so you can focus on enjoying every moment of your island wedding. Please enquire for further information.

Decor Hire

Delightful island-themed décor is available to hire from our selection of coastal decorations - from ocean and island themed centerpieces to lush greenery and tea light candles. Staff setup and takedown is included.

Please note: Clients providing their own decorations are responsible for the transport, setup and removal of all items. As Green Island is a National Park, fresh, dried and preserved flowers or plant materials are strictly prohibited. Throwing confetti, rice, flower petals or any other non-native materials is also strictly prohibited. We appreciate your co-operation in helping to preserve the natural environment.

Projector Hire

Includes the hire and setup of a projector and speaker at your chosen venue location. Perfect for displaying a slideshow or presentation (provided by the guest). Our team will assist with connecting your laptop to ensure everything runs smoothly.

Guest Welcome Service

This service includes the setup of welcome gifts (provided by the client) and custom-designed itineraries arranged in each guest room before arrival. A thoughtful touch to ensure your guests feel special and well-informed from the moment they check in.





Supplier Recommendations

Celebrants

Darlene Woodward
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Ali Ever After
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Wedding Cakes

Passion for cakes
T: (07) 4055 6751
E: lorraine_murray@optusnet.com.au

Cotton Soft Cake Bar
T: 0400 756 555
E: sxiong@outlook.com.au

Silk Flowers

Beautiful Posy
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Photographer

Matthew Evans
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True Emotions Photography
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Peter George Photography
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Drones: Please not drone use on Green Island requires a Reef Authority permit. We are pleased to assist, contact us for more information.

Styling

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