



SCUBA IQ
GREAT BARRIER REEF

PORT DOUGLAS & CAIRNS



**DO YOU WANT THE
BEST DIVING EXPERIENCE ON
THE GREAT BARRIER REEF?**

- ✓ Redefining scuba diving experiences on the Great Barrier Reef
- ✓ Private guiding and teaching
- ✓ Diverse experiences offered from Port Douglas & Cairns
- ✓ Offering an elevated diving experience for all divers
- ✓ Day Trips - Liveboards - Private Charters
- ✓ Learn from the best - all instructors have decades of experience



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Pick-up Location

Complimentary pick-up/drop off to and from guests accommodation (Port Douglas only)

Departure Points

Port Douglas: Crystalbrook Superyacht Marina
Cairns: Reef Fleet Terminal

Target Market

FIT - VFR - SIT
Families with older children
Couples
A Listers/Private - Incentive/Convention Groups
Boutique Travellers
Business Travellers

Reef Locations Visited

Port Douglas: 3 dives on different sites per day. Sites selected are on the following reefs:

- Agincourt
- Opal
- St Crispins
- Tongue

Cairns: 3 dives on 2 different sites for a day trip.
4 dives on 2 different sites for the overnight liveaboard.

Reefs visited are:

- Norman
- Saxon
- Hastings

Ribbon Reefs & Coral Sea: Up to 5 dives per day. These trips visit:

- Ribbon Reefs 1-10 (i.e 'Cod Hole'; 'Steves Bommie')
- Lizard Island
- Osprey Reef

Highlights & Inclusions

Enjoy the benefits of having a private guide
Dive on world-famous dive sites
High quality dive equipment
Environmental Management Charge (EMC)
Morning and afternoon tea, lunch, tea, coffee and water

Top Selling Points

- Locally owned and operated. All team members are locals
- Five-star service
- Private diving experience on either a shared vessel or private charter
- Guarantee of highly experienced guides/instructors
- Strong eco-friendly focus: we were the first dive operator in Australia & New Zealand to be awarded PADI 'Eco-Center' status
- High quality equipment
- Authentic and unhurried, immersive diving experiences
- Safety and enjoyment are our top priorities
- Our shared vessel experiences offer a more budget friendly option than a private charter, but still with the same high quality attention and service to guests. This way, our guests avoid the crowds in the larger dive groups, and receive a high-quality, personalised experience on the reef.

Vessels

Through special arrangement, we have access to the use of a variety of Port Douglas and Cairns based vessels.

Ex Port Douglas: 'Calypso Reef Cruises' vessels
Ex Cairns: Diver's Den's vessels ('Aquaquest'; 'Seaquest'; 'Oceanquest'; 'Spirit of Freedom')

Charter vessels available from both ports

Optional Extras

GoPro camera hire
Drinks from the bar - beer, wine & soft drinks
Professional photos
Anything else not explicitly included

Important Information

Moderate or better swimming ability required
Medical form to be completed before e-learning commences
Each reservation requires a minimum of 2 guests.
For 1:1 reservations, a surcharge applies.

What to Bring

Hat
Swimmers & Towel
Change of clothes
Water bottle
Sunscreen
Credit card/cash for purchasing drinks at the bar
Logbook to log dives

Itinerary

PORT DOUGLAS:

Privately guided certified or introductory diving trip - 1 day

7.45 - Complimentary pick-up from guests accommodation
8.15 - Board vessel
8.45 - Departure, followed by dive briefing
10.15 - Arrive GBR: Dive 1
11.30 - Morning tea
12.00 - Dive 2
12.45 - Lunch
13.30 - Dive 3
14.30 - Afternoon tea; depart GBR
16.15 - Arrive Port Douglas

Private Open Water Diver Course - 3 days (Port Douglas)

Program consists of:

- Self-paced, online study (10-12 hours total)
- 1 day of in-person training in the swimming pool
- 2 days of open water diving at the Outer Great Barrier Reef

Once students have registered with us, they are issued with access to the online training materials - 'elearning'. These modules are mandatory, and required to be completed prior to the in-person training sessions.

Day 1: Pool training (0745-1500)

During this training session, students receive instruction on equipment setup, preparation, safety measures, hand signals, problem solving, emergency procedures, and a variety of other diving skills.

0745 - Complimentary pick-up from guests accommodation (Port Douglas only)
0800 - Arrive at the Mirage Country Club
1200 - Lunch
1300 - Resume training
1500 - Complete session
1530 - Complimentary dropoff at guest's accommodation

Lunch, and session completion times are approximate, depending on student progress. Latest finish time is 1600. If additional pool training days are required, this will incur an added fee, payable by the guest/s.

Day 2: x3 Training dives at the Great Barrier Reef

Day 3: x1 Training dive + x2 guided dives at the Great Barrier Reef

Schedule for Outer Reef days as per the Certified and Introductory Diving Trips

In accordance with the [Queensland WHS Code of Practice for Diving and Snorkeling](#), participation in any scuba diving program is subject to each person being considered medically fit for the activity. The first step is for us to register divers, which includes verifying that there are either no medical issues, or that written clearance has been obtained (as required).

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CAIRNS:

Privately guided liveaboard dive trip - multiple nights (2-4)*

Day 1

0745 - Meet at Cairns Reef Fleet Terminal
0800 - Board vessel
0840 - Depart Marina; Dive briefing
1020 - Arrive at the GBR, Dive 1
1130 - Snorkel
1230 - Lunch
1330 - Dive 2
1430 - Transfer to 'Oceanquest' liveaboard vessel
1530 - Dive 3
1730 - Evening Meal
1830 - Night Dive (Final activity of the day)

Day 2 (Same schedule applies for any non-transfer days)

0645 - Wakeup Call
0730 - Breakfast
0830 - Dive 1
1030 - Dive 2
1230 - Lunch
1530 - Dive 3
1730 - Evening Meal
1830 - Night Dive

Final Day

0645 - Wakeup Call
0730 - Breakfast
0830 - Dive 1
1030 - Dive 2
1430 - Transfer to Day-boat; depart GBR
1630 - Arrive into Cairns

*Vessels operated by 'Diver's Den'. Guiding and instruction provided by Scuba IQ