LUXURY LODGES OF AUSTRALIA SUGGESTED ITINERARIES

# HONEYMOON BAREFOOT

#### TOTAL SUGGESTED NIGHTS: 12 nights

Plus a night or two en route where desired or required.

Australia's luxury barefoot paradises are exclusive by virtue of their remoteness, their special location and the small number of guests they accommodate at any one time. They offer privacy, outstanding experiences and a sense of understated luxury and romance to ensure your honeymoon is the most memorable holiday of a lifetime.



## FROM DARWIN AIRPORT GENERAL AVIATION TAKE A PRIVATE 20MIN FLIGHT TO PRIVATE AIRSTRIP, THEN 15MIN HOSTED DRIVE TO BAMURRU PLAINS.

#### **Bamurru** Plains

#### Top End, Northern Territory (3 Nights)

This nine room camp exudes 'Wild Bush Luxury' ensuring that guests are introduced to the sights and sounds of this spectacular environment in style. On the edge of Kakadu National Park, Bamurru Plains, its facilities and 300km<sup>2</sup> of country are exclusively for the use of its guests - a romantic, privileged outback experience.

A selection of must do's

- Airboat tour A trip out on the floodplain wetlands is utterly exhilarating and the only way to truly experience this key natural environment. Cut the engine and float amongst mangroves and waterlilies which create one of the most romantic natural sceneries possible.
- 4WD safaris An afternoon out with one of the guides will provide a insight to this fragile yet very important environment.
- Enjoy the thrill of a helicopter flight and an exclusive aerial experience over the spectacular floodplains and coastline of Northern Australia.

15MIN HOSTED DRIVE TO PRIVATE AIRSTRIP, PRIVATE 20MIN FLIGHT TO DARWIN AIRPORT GENERAL AVIATION, ESCORTED TRANSFER TO MAIN TERMINAL, FLY 1HR TO KUNUNURRA AIRPORT, 2HR HOSTED DRIVE TO EL QUESTRO HOMESTEAD. (EL QUESTRO OPERATES FROM APR TO OCT).

### El Questro Homestead

#### The Kimberley, Western Australia (3 Nights)

Perched on a cliff top, with vistas of over the Chamberlain River, the El Questro Homestead is a romantic remote retreat catering for a maximum of 18 guests. Honeymooners should try one of the three new Cliff Side Retreats at the Homestead for total privacy at this luxe wilderness base.

A selection of must do's

- Take off on a Helicopter Tour to The Lost City and Miri Miri Falls. Explore the Lost City with an El Questro ranger, followed by a cool dip in the pristine Miri Miri Falls while you enjoy a gourmet picnic lunch.
- Spend an afternoon at the Zebedee Thermal Springs A magical place to relax and rejuvenate after a busy day.
- The Homestead is renowned for serving gourmet cuisine in dramatic locations. Request an intimate dinner beneath the stars, or a table set on the cliff side.





2HR HOSTED DRIVE TO KUNUNURRA AIRPORT, 1HR FLIGHT TO DARWIN AIRPORT, OVERNIGHT DARWIN, NEXT DAY 2.5HR FLIGHT TO AYERS ROCK AIRPORT, 15MIN HOSTED DRIVE TO LONGITUDE 131°.

#### Longitude 131°

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#### Ayers Rock (Uluru), Northern Territory (3 Nights)

Luxurious, eco-sensitive and romantic - Longitude 131° is located in the heart of Australia and faces majestic Uluru (Ayers Rock), offering a uniquely personal experience, complete with pampering accommodation in 15 luxury tents with private views of the changing colours of Uluru as the sun rises and sets.

A selection of must do's

- Table 131° Dine out on sumptuous outback fare and discover the wonders of the southern night sky. Be greeted by the deep acoustics of the didgeridoo while Indigenous performers welcome you with a cultural dance.
- Sunset Camel Ride Explore the great Central Australia desert at a slow and relaxed pace, accompanied by an expert guide, regaling you with colourful anecdotes about life in this remarkable region.
- Aboriginal Art Enjoy a visit to Mulgara Gallery to see authentic Aboriginal art and meet the artist in residence.
- 15MIN HOSTED DRIVE TO AYERS ROCK AIRPORT, 3HR FLIGHT TO SYDNEY AIRPORT, OVERNIGHT IN SYDNEY, NEXT DAY 2HR FLIGHT TO LORD HOWE ISLAND AIRPORT, 5MIN HOSTED DRIVE TO CAPELLA LODGE.

#### Capella Lodge

#### Lord Howe Island, New South Wales (3 Nights)

Often referred to as the last paradise on earth, world heritage listed Lord Howe Island is home to Capella Lodge, a contemporary luxe beach-style lodge. Mount Gower is regarded as one of Australia's best day hikes, and the island is located on the world's southern most coral reef, with a mixture of temperate and tropical marine life and wildlife - many endemic to the island.

A selection of must do's

- World class diving with species endemic to the region. Expect to see schools of Violet Sweep, Amberjack, Kingfish, Silver Drummer, Ballina Angelfish, Rainbow Runners and occasionally Marlin, Dolphins and Wahoo.
- Pamper yourselves in the petite Capella Spa, offering luxurious Li'tya treatments inspired by the island's endemic kentia palms, volcanic basalt rocks and pristine marine environment.
- Capella Lodge rests atop romantic Lovers Bay. Explore the lagoon by canoe, or experience first hand the wonders of the world's southern-most coral reef in a glass-bottomed sea kayak.

The Luxury Lodges of Australia are devoted to connecting their guests with a sense and experience of place. It is their signature experiences that make a visit to any of these Australian regions genuine and memorable.

The total number of suggested nights are a guide based on daily available scheduled flights and may vary. Prior to arrival, or upon arrival, at each lodge or camp, a bespoke personalised itinerary can be created with the expertise of an intuitive and knowledgeable team of hosts.

Many of the lodges offer a rate that includes accommodation, food and beverages, and importantly, signature experiences to really connect guests with an outstanding Australian region.



