

“OCEAN FREE”

Sail to Green Island & The Great Barrier Reef

Vessel Name	Ocean Free - DEPARTS FROM CAIRNS
Boat Description	16.5 metre sailing schooner
Check in / Depart	Check in at Reef Fleet Terminal from 7.15am at Ocean Free + Ocean Freedom desk. Board from 7.30am A Finger No. 4 at the Marlin Marina, Cairns for an 8.00am departure – coffee, tea and Danish pastries and fresh fruit served on boarding.
Bus Transfers	Bus Transfers are an optional extra and must be pre-booked – the bus will pick from Cairns and as far north as Palm Cove
What to bring	Swimmers, hat, sunglasses, towel, sensible boat shoes, sunscreen, cc or cash for optional extras
Destinations : Green Island + Great Barrier Reef	Sail (2 hours) to our exclusive mooring on “Pinnacle Reef” just 1km off Green Island. Both areas are Marine Park Reserves and are protected from fishing with an abundant sea-life. Transfers to “Green Island” are in our tender.
Your Day	Upon arrival at Pinnacle Reef, just 1km from Green Island, guests can enjoy a swim, snorkel , a dive (optional extra) or just relax. Ocean Free’s exclusive mooring ensures that the ocean is uninterrupted by crowds. The “bommies” (coral outcrops) and coral gardens, from just 1 metre under the surface, are teeming with life and make viewing easy. The trips to Green Island are by tender. There are 4 and ½ hrs for guests to spend between the reef and the island.
Your Lunch + Afternoon snacks	A large smorgasbord lunch consisting of Tasmanian smoked salmon , prawns, mixed meat platter, chicken platter, 3 fresh salads, assorted breads is served on board the boat and tropical fruit platter, cheese and crackers and cake served on the sail home.
Our Guests	Extremely Low guest numbers (max 25 guests) with 4 crew ensures a personal snorkel and dive experience. All guests are assessed for their snorkelling and diving abilities and are appropriately assisted to ensure that all are able to experience and enjoy the Great Barrier Reef. Guests need to be mobile enough to get into and out of a dinghy onto the beach and into and out of a dinghy from the main vessel.
Green Island	Guests can enjoy most of the day on the island or just an hour exploring the walking tracks and rainforest– the amount of time spent between the island and the boat is the guest’s choice. The island is perfect for a swim, sunbathe, glass bottom boat, a semi sub or Marineland Melanesia (where crocs in captivity can be seen as well as many other sea-life). (Optional Island activities Glass Bottom Boat + Semi-sub can be organised on the day – please inform skipper on boarding)
Diving : Certified + Introductory	Guests who have never dived and wish to try it, may do an introductory dive - maximum 2 divers to one instructor for your first dive (normal ratio on other tours is 4:1) . Guests who are certified divers can enjoy the wonders of the reef with a complimentary guide.
Tour Inclusions	• Snorkelling tuition and use of top quality snorkelling gear including buoyancy vests/wetsuits/lycra suits • Fish Feed • Scuba diving demonstration • Coffee/tea + Danish pastries and fresh fruit on boarding. Complimentary coffee/ tea when moored • Large smorgasbord lunch • Tropical afternoon tea – cheese platter / fresh fruit platter / cake platter on sail home • Transfers to and from Green Island • High Crew to guest ratio • True Sailing experience (engines do get switched off!) on way home • Complimentary glass of wine on sail home
Included in Tour Price	• \$20 per person pay at check-in comprising of \$6.50 EMC (environmental management charges) / Port \$2.83 (levy & berthage) / RAM \$2.70 (recreational area management fees) / Admin \$7.97)
Optional Extras	• Certified Diving x1 cert dive; x2 cert dives • Non-Certified (Introductory) Diving x1 non-certified (intro dive) ; x2 non-certified (intro) dives • Glass Bottom Boat / Semi-sub (pay on Island) – just let skipper know on boarding boat in morning • Alcoholic and soft drinks refreshments • A range of quality merchandise
Reef + Island Duration	4.5 hours of Reef and Island experience
Return Cairns	Around 5.00pm to 5.15pm



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