Welcome to Brisbane. Our city has an incredible climate and outdoor lifestyle. Brisbane embodies the best of Australia. Brisbane is the perfect place to live, work and relax – it’s a safe, vibrant, green and prosperous city, with a relaxed warm and welcoming vibe. I encourage you to embrace the full Brisbane experience by discovering all there is to see and do, including outdoor dining, river kayaking and bridge climbing, cultural attractions, vibrant parklands and sensational shopping. Brisbane has a popular events calendar designed to excite and delight. Sample flavours from top Queensland providers at Regional Flavours, see the country meet the city at the Royal Queensland Show, soak up the culture of the Queensland Festival or be entertained by the spectacle of the Brisbane Festival. For those wanting to explore, our surrounding region is naturally captivating with idyllic sand islands, mountain peaks and incredible wildlife, all within an hour from the city centre. I hope you enjoy your visit to our city and leave with many happy memories.

Adrian Schrinner
Lord Mayor of Brisbane
WELCOME TO
Brisbane

With clear blue skies and a pulsing river at our heart, Brisbane is an adventurous urban metropolis with a relaxed vibe. We celebrate a subtropical climate as an integral part of our alfresco lifestyle and culture. Explore stunning natural assets such as World Heritage rainforests, mountain peaks and a pristine bay or immerse yourself in our ancient Aboriginal culture. A vibrant bar and dining scene, stunning new hotels, a jam-packed events calendar and a welcoming attitude means Brisbane embodies the best of Australia.
48 HOURS IN Brisbane

So you’ve touched down in sunny, relaxing, friendly Brisbane and want to know what to do? Don’t leave your hotel or homestay without this 48-hour custom itinerary designed to give you an easy, breezy, super-fun insight into the unmissable and must-do. Slip on some cute walking threads (with options to go dressy) and get ready to be charmed. This mini-guide to life in the subtropics might just make Brisbane your favourite destination.

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walkbrisbane.com 1800 469 255 Visitor Info, Queen St Mall

**COOL ART & HOT BOOKS**

Spend the morning at Queensland Art Gallery | Gallery of Modern Art (QAGOMA), a world-leading art institution in the cultural precinct, South Bank. Featuring historical, modern and contemporary art as well as the Children’s Art Centre and Australian Cinematique, art lovers and art newbies alike are astounded by the exotic art collections. If you’re a book lover, the GOMA bookshop has a great variety of contemporary books for design, art and architecture buffs.

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jamesstreet.com.au

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**MUNCH**

**DESIGNER CHINESE**

Dinner: stay stylish and head to Little Valley for contemporary Chinese. Delectable Hong Kong bites in a sleek, modern interior. Sate your liquor needs later at Little Valley Row, open till 3am.

littlevaley.com.au

**ALTERNATIVE VIBES**

Breakfast: Head to New Farm for a long, leisurely river amble. Bike paths, pocket parks, cultural stops like the Brisbane Powerhouse and leisure-obsessed Brisbanites with cute pooches make it so fun. Good. Now quit being a saint and get on down to Nodo for gluten-free, artisan donuts – baked not fried – and eat baked goods for breakfast. They’ll blow your tastebuds and lure you back to Brissie ASAP.

brisbanepowerhouse.org | nododonuts.com

**PRETTY RIVER DRINKS**

5pm: Sip creative cocktails at Riverbar & Kitchen. Continue the river walk to ARC Dining and Wine Bar at Howard Smith Wharves for art-on-a-plate. End with sundowners at fashionable Mr Percival’s.

howardsmithwharves.com

**RIVERSIDE SUNSHINE WITH DONUTS**

Breakfast: at Morning After in West End, a hippy-cool ‘burb. Take a stroll down Boundary St to experience Brisbane’s original multicultural hub of strong community activism and all things organic.

morningafter.com.au

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EXPERIENCE Our River City

The beautiful, meandering Brisbane River (Maiwar to the local indigenous people) links many inner-city precincts. Visit the abundance of cultural institutions at South Bank (with bistros, free exhibitions and quality bookshops), ride the Bicentennial Bikeway on a CityCycle. Catch the latest bands at Riverstage; get active on a kayak or rollerblade around Kangaroo Point; glam up and head to Eagle Street Pier for a more sophisticated introduction to riverside life. City planners and leisure-obsessed locals are now embracing the river as the heart of this town - so get with the vibe, jump on a cruise and discover our lush, subtropical River City.

KOOKABURRA CRUISES
Indulge in weekend afternoon high tea on old-world paddlewheelers. kookaburrariverqueens.com

KOALA EXPRESS
Express trip to and from Lone Pine Koala Sanctuary. Only 35 mins to wait for fury pals. mrrimarcruises.com.au

RIVER CITY CRUISES
A seniors tour with Devonshire tea, historical commentary and insights. rivercitycruises.com.au

CITYCAT FERRIES
The workers' choice. Use the onboard wifi to read about indigenous CityCat names. translink.com.au

CITYHOPPER
A free, inner-city ferry service. Hop on and off every 30mins. Runs 6am-12am, 7 days. brisbane.qld.gov.au

BRISBANE CRUISES
Party boat cruising from catamarans to yachts. Even a Tall Ship Brisbane to Cairns. brisbanecruises.com.au

RIVERLIFE
Kayak, rock climb Kangaroo Point Cliffs, take a yoga class in the outdoor pavilion, do date night dining or a romantic river picnic.

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Stroll the pretty flowered Arbour. Sink your toes into Streets Beach. Don't miss live music on Sundays and shipping history at Qld Maritime Museum.
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BEST RESTAURANTS

Brisbane’s dining scene is ever-expanding and adventurous. Sophisticated, urbane, reliable and relatable, the best of the best are places that locals return to time and again. However, if time is of the essence and you want a bite-sized snapshot of the most innovative and must-try dining right now in the River City - including ‘hatted’ restaurants - look no further.

MR BUNZ ARE LOVE
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3/97 Boundary St, West End
mrbunz.com.au

AMERICAN BURGERS BUILT TO PERFECTION
Ben’s Burgers are perfectly-packed artisan beauties with gooey cheese, succulent juices, quality patties and soft sweet buns. Why not kick start the day with one of three breakfast burgers? There’s cute drinks to match with your meat ‘n’ bun miracle including cherry cola or a Hershey’s chocolate milkshake. The award-winning burger joint also cooks up an out-of-the-box monthly special if you’re feeling adventurous.
5B Winn Lane, Fortitude Valley, bensburgers.com.au

MOD MIDDLE EAST
Gerard’s Bistro is secluded and surprising. Choose from the cosy inside area or keep it breezy in the foliage-lined laneway – lovely in summer. Flavour combinations from Africa, Europe and the Middle East are unique and delightful. It’s just as well that share plates are standard. Be prepared for big, bold flavours with wine to match.
14/15 James St, The Valley
gerardsbistro.com.au

WHAT’S NOT TO LOVE ABOUT SOFT BAO FILLED WITH CRISPY PORK ...

- MR BUNZ, WEST END

CHEAP EATS THAT DON’T STINT ON QUALITY

Brisbane diners have traditionally been very thrifty: legging it down to their trusted local for a reliable snack on the regular. Even though the broader Brisbane food landscape is now a developed ecosystem with stellar but pricier options, there are still excellent accessible eateries that reward the hunger pangs deliciously. Slip into some trackies and thongs and get noshing.

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Lucky Egg: Yum Time
Crispy fried chicken, wings with blue cheese sauce, Dorito popcorn chicken.
luckyeggfic.com.au
OUTDOOR DINING

Brisbane is made for alfresco dining. Our picture-perfect winters, golden days and cool nights mean that life continues unabated during the day and hearty winter dishes make sense at night. Delicate, fresh flavours abound for the sultry summers and cooling down is but a cool tall glass of something special and delicious snack away. Get noshing in the great outdoors!

X CARGO BAR UNIVERSE
Super cute multi-purpose venue billed as a ‘social hub’. Individually designed bars inside white, stacked-up shipping containers. The vibe is breezy Queensland bright: think flaminos, palm trees, pastels, gold Moet goblets and green mod grass. The open-air beer gardens are fun and flirty showcasing DJs, movies, events and private parties. The food is American meets-Latin-American like spicy milk buns and coconut smoothies. Plenty of delicious raw food choices as well. xcargo.com.au

POPOLO PICNIC AT RIVER QUAY
Popolo Italian Kitchen and Bar offers authentic Italian feasting in a nod to dining en famiglia (with family). Small and large share plates reign supreme, hand-rolled pastas abound and pizzas are stacked with seasonal produce. Out front, chairs angle towards the river, a beautiful spot to watch the passing parade while imbibing fancy cocktails like Dolce Vita: spiced rum, raspberry, lime, Pedro Ximenez and iced tea. popolodining.com

ELEVEN ROOFTOP BAR
Inspired by rooftop bars of the Middle East and leisurely coastal venues in Bali. Eleven Rooftop Bar is relaxed by day and refined dinner and upscale party vibe by night. So named for being eleven floors up, Eleven is a haven of easy sophistication above cranking Ann St. Nibble on pan-Mediterranean cuisine in private booths or delight in the 270 degree city views. elevenrooftopbar.com.au

WET DECK AT W HOTEL
Aussie BBQs, poolside fashion parades and curated cocktails accompanied by DJs chosen by the in-house Music Curator. Wet Deck at the W Hotel has its own refined but trippy tropicana five-star resort vibe. The black and white indigenous roof-top pool setting is bold and striking. There are river views aplenty by the pool or on the balcony. wbrisbane.com

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**THE BEST OF BRISBANE STYLE**

Brisbane is fashion-forward. While summery chic is definitely a thing, local and international designers are a crucial part of the mix. Glide through shabby-chic stores in the suburbs or in the bustling CBD or head for James Street’s lush laneways for something different. Whatever the mecca, Brissie’s commitment to style never wanes. Tip: Brisbane’s nightlife is stylish – prepare!

**CALEXICO COOLNESS**

Calexico is a super relaxed, fun, boho boutique with friendly in-house staff. Each staff member is a trained stylist and works with customers to create tailored looks from over 80 international labels. The cutest bags, shoes and other accessories complete the look. Keep an eye out for the twice-yearly seasonal sales.

*Shop 7A/4 James St, The Valley calexico.com.au*

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*gailsorronda.com*

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*215 Elizabeth St, Brisbane CBD, thecloakroom.com.au*

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*burnmidnightoil.com.au*

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MUST DO > TOURIST ATTRACTIONS

GET ACTIVE AND LIVE LIKE A LOCAL

Brisbane is all about urban adventure, so be sure to join in! Happy holidays are made by hitting the pavement followed by a delicious refuel. Once the endorphins are high, seek out brain food at Brisbane’s expertly curated knowledge banks: galleries and museums. Scenic look-outs and observation points add topographical context.

MEANJIN CULTURAL KNOWLEDGE TOURS

BlackCard Cultural Tours offer authentic and inclusive tours through Meanjin (Brisbane City). Gain insights into indigenous art, history and cultural performance. Three unique tours are offered. The first is a guided tour through local galleries; the second is a tour around South Bank including interpretation of indigenous public artworks; the third is a bush tucker trail highlighting native species.

theblackcard.com.au 07 3899 8153

RIVERLIFE

Riverlife is an urban adventurer’s mecca as well as a beautiful location for events and functions. The best bit is that all the activities take place on Riverlife’s front door: the Brisbane River and surrounds. Get stuck into rock climbing or abseiling on the Kangaroo Point Cliffs and kayaking or electric biking.

riverlife.com.au 07 3891 5766

GRAPES IN THE CITY

City Winery is only the third CBD-based winery in Australia. Vintages to date have included fiano, grenache, negro d’avola, tempranillo and sangiovese. Dine in a private dining room or the 70-seat restaurant with hearty dishes cooked on the iron-bark loaded fire using locally sourced produce. Book winemaker greets, wine-blending workshops, winery tours and tastings.

citywinery.com.au 07 3854 1392

TOUCH THE SKY WITH THE STORY BRIDGE CLIMB

The Story Bridge Adventure Climb is one of only three bridge climbs in the world. This urban adventure delivers unforgettable views of the Glass House Mountains, Moreton Bay, the Scenic Rim mountains and of course the Brisbane skyline. There are many climbs to choose from including Dawn, Day, Twilight, Night, Mandarin, Climb and Abseil, Full Moon Night Climb and add-on’s Walk the Plank and Cantilever Lean Out.

storybridgeadventureclimb.com.au 07 3188 9070

DESIGN YOUR OWN HELICOPTER TOUR

Elite Helicopters Brisbane enable you to devise tailor-made helicopter packages. With extensive industry connections, expertise and thinking, the team can create all kinds of trip combinations from coastal experiences to ‘best mate getaway bonding’ and of course romantic journeys for two. Dream up an adventure, pick locations and challenge the team at Elite to devise a boutique-winged adventure for you and yours.

elitehelicopters.com.au 0400 481 597

LONE PINE

Meet 130 koalas and 100 native species at Lone Pine Koala Sanctuary.

koala.net

CLIMB MT COOT-THA

Panoramic views as far as Moreton Bay. Walking tracks, restaurants and cafés.

brisbanelookout.com

INDIGENOUS THEATRE

Spirits of the Red Sand is a dynamic live show and dinner of Aboriginal stories.

spiritsredsand.com

BOGGO ROAD GAOL

Experience jail life at Boggo Road Gaol, formerly one of Australia’s most notorious prisons.

boggoroadgaol.com

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WHAT’S ON

Brisbane events

A non-stop calendar of cultural and sporting events in Brisbane ignites the senses, engages the mind and sets the heart racing. Choose from blockbuster performances, international exhibitions, sporting spectacles, open-air festivals and more with both free and ticketed offerings.

UNTIL 26 APR
WATER
Gallery of Modern Art

UNTIL 19 APR
High Rotation
Museum of Brisbane

11 - 23 JAN
Australian Youth Water Polo Championships
Various venues

12 MAR - 5 APR
Brisbane Cycling Festival
Various venues

3 - 12 JAN
ATP Cup & Brisbane International
Queensland Tennis Centre

10 JAN - 23 FEB
Cirque du Soleil: KURIOS
- Cabinet of Curiosities
Northshore Hamilton

20 MAR - 5 APR
Curiosity Brisbane
Various venues

15 - 20 FEB
ICC Women’s T20 World Cup
Allan Border Field

12 - 29 MAR
Cycling Australia Track National Championships
Anna Meares Velodrome

20 - 22 MAR
CMC Rocks QLD
Willowbank, Ipswich

24 - 25 MAR
QODE Brisbane
Brisbane Convention & Exhibition Centre

FROM 18 MAR
Charlie and the Chocolate Factory
Lyric Theatre, QPAC

FROM 9 MAY
SHREK THE MUSICAL
Lyric Theatre, QPAC

10 APR
Tour de Brisbane
City-wide

3 - 5 APR
Six Day Final - Brisbane
Anna Meares Velodrome

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5 APR
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9 APR
2020 Toyota AFL Premiership Season: Brisbane Lions v Collingwood
The Gabba

MAY – JUN
Channel Seven Brisbane Racing Carnival, presented by TAB
Doomben and Eagle Farm Racecourses

BRISBANE Neighbourhoods

Brisbane’s neighbourhoods, like any city, have distinct and beloved characters from the lush and leisurely to urbane and inner-city. What unifies all the different pockets is the overwhelming beauty of the River City with its sunshine, flowering trees, natural beauty and wildlife. There are so many ways to get around so be sure to ride the bus or train, walk, catch a ferry or a Green Cab. Most importantly, take this guide with you to discover world-class restaurants, cultural activities, urban adventuring and of course shopping.

For full transport details go to translink.com.au

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BRISBANE CITY

From dusk until dawn, Brisbane City has got it going on. A city cafe crawl will reveal some of the best coffee in Australia, as well as meals to make your mouth water. Shopaholics will find everything from favourite brands to new up-and-coming designers - the perfect way to stay ahead of the sartorial pack. When it comes time to refuel, there are choices for days - you can find family staples, fine international dining and some new trends to try. For those who love the nightlife, the Brisbane City bar scene offers live tunes, local beers and expertly-crafted cocktails. Anyone needing a break from the hustle need only stroll to the lush City Botanic Gardens to recharge - pure bliss! bncity.com.au

THE GRESHAM BAR
Proud owner of the only heritage bar licence in Queensland, that’s where any perceived stuffiness stops. This vintage gem welcomes everyone into its progressive midst. Bar staff craft artistic cocktails with enticing names like Midnight Rambler, Death and Taxes and Trench Coat. You’ll get a wink of respect when ordering from top-shelf rum, craft beers and wines. The whisky menu is novel length - almost as long as the list of awards won. Breakfast and bar snacks are served. thegresham.com.au

SHOP TILL YOU DROP IN QUEEN STREET MALL
With more than 700 retailers including six shopping centres: if you want it, you’ll find it. QueensPlaza is a style haven and home to luxury brands including Chanel, Burberry and Ferragamo. Quality Aussie mid-range labels like Zimmerman, Sass & Bide and Gorman keep the younger chicas chipper. The Wintergarden attracts stylish blokes with Aquila and the like. Historic arcades: Brisbane and Tattersalls are tourist faves. Queen Street Mall, Queen St | visitbrisbane.com.au

DOO-BOP JAZZ BAR
Brisbane’s most vibrant live music venue including a Basement Bar, Piano Bar and Gatsby Room where you can enjoy jazz, funk, soul and blues. Late Night Jams from 10.30pm include great food. doo-bop.com.au

MODERN CHINESE
Donna Chang is all about authentic high-end Cantonese cuisine with spicy Sichuan notes. Recline in plush booths under glittering chandeliers as the stellar team behind some of Brisbane and Melbourne’s best establishments turn out deluxe dishes like black silky chicken with lemon aspen. The grill uses aromatic wood, slow-burning charcoal and smoking techniques. Dim Sum specialists handcraft fresh yum cha and premium dumplings daily. Yep, yum. donnachang.com.au

GET TO KNOW BRISBANE CITY

THE SINGLE GUYS
Coffee nuts should look no further in the CBD for single-origin or filter coffee (batch or manually brewed). Buy bags of beans.

SHOPPING
Edward Street sports a stylish selection of high end boutiques. Get suited in the latest threads and A-class accessories.

NEW SHANGHAI
Chow down on classic noodle soups and succulent dumplings amid 1930s cute interior street-style decor.

MUSEUM OF BRIS
Chic Brisbane museum showcasing art, culture, history and local stories. Rivals the best Parisian micro-museums.

JUMBO THAI
Authentic Thai cuisine is served up here in all its deliciously-rich sourness and spiciness.

BLACKBIRD
Dance to funky beats in this luxe bar inspired by 20s speakeasies. Sip exclusive gin, tequila and top-shelf whiskies.

BNECITY.COM.AU

EAT
PLAY
SHOP
DRINK
SOUTH BANK

Let’s be honest – Brisbane is blessed with delightfully warm weather pretty much all year, so it’s wise to know the best spots to cool off when the mercury starts to rise. South Bank’s free swimming facilities are an absolute saviour, providing a safe environment for people of all ages to enjoy a splash and paddle. Streets Beach provides a little slice of coastal paradise, not to mention the view of the Brisbane River and city skyline is very easy on the eyes. The pools are patrolled during peak times and the Boat Pool also has disabled access – see the South Bank Visitor Information and Booking Centre for details. visitsouthbank.com.au

THE SOUND SOCIETY

Settling into the lush surrounds of South Bank’s Rainforest Green for an afternoon of free live music from emerging artists (singers, singer-songwriters and great Brisie bands), local food and beverage vendors ensure that you don’t have to move very far for tasty treats. Or, feel free to bring your own picnic. The Sound Society is about slowing down, slow food and taking it easy. Dates: 7 March, 6 June, 5 September and 5 December. Rainforest Green thesoundsociety.com.au

OUTDOOR WORKSHOPS AND CLASSES FOR KIDS

Kids Collective is a series of free outdoor activities held at South Bank Parklands for kids aged 5 or younger. Your little one can participate in diverse topics like ballet classes and rocket launching. Be sure to check the regularly refreshed classes online and get ready to soak up the sunshine at beautiful South Bank every Thursday 9am-1pm while participating in sport, gardening, dance and workshops. kidscollective.com.au

EAT

ALL THE FOODIES GO TO STOKEHOUSE Q

If you like your dining casually elegant and your cocktails effortlessly cool, Stokehouse Q is a must visit. STOKEBAR Q offers a stripped-back menu and premium drinks. By contrast, the restaurant proper features a fresh and inventive menu. Head Chef Richard Ousby heros local produce like Mooloolaba tuna and Bundaberg cucumbers. Stokehouse Q’s staff are attentive and knowledgeable. This is big city dining done easy. Sidon St, South Bank 07 3020 0600 stokehouseq.com.au

Hey, have you seen the new plant-based cafe opening in the heart of South Bank? It’s called the Plant Party, and it’s serving up delicious vegan and vegetarian dishes. Did you know that the cafe also has a live music nights every Sunday? It’s the perfect place to unwind after a long week. Don’t forget to try their signature dish, the ‘Green goddess’ smoothie bowl. It’s a superfood lover’s dream come true! 🌿🎵 #thisisbrisbane

MUSIC

LIFE’S A BEACH

Streets Beach is South Bank personified relaxed, sun-loving, all-ages. Free to use and patrolled by lifeguards year-round, this is an utterly unique way to soak up rays in the centre of Brisbane. Stanley St Plaza, South Bank

GET TO KNOW SOUTH BANK

CLEM JONES PROMENADE

Stroll along the Promenade with joggers, walkers and cyclists; these are the true power people of Bris town.

DENIM CO.

Serving breakfast until 5pm. Try the Italian peach sponge soaked in vanilla Galliano with custard. So good: eat anytime.

EPICURIOUS GARDEN

A community garden filled with edibles. Taste from the harvest cart: 7am-2pm Tues, Wed and Thurs.

HAMPERS AT RIVER QUAY

Pre-order your French hamper at Aquitaine Brasserie. Head to licensed River Quay Green and chow-down.

COLLECTIVE MARKETS

Browse local crafts, jewellery, art, home decor and clothing for unique Brisbane-made gifts to spirit home.

DINNER AT OLÉ

Dine on tapas and jugs of sparkling sangria. Savour Spanish wine before indulging in piping-hot chocolate churros.
HOLEY MOLEY: GAMERS AND GOLFERS REJOICE
Arcade game bar Netherworld is filled with cool nostalgia, retro decks and old-school consoles. Sporting over 100 titles you’ll find Space Invaders, Donkey Kong, Frogger, NBA Jam and more. Pinball machines include Twilight Zone, Metallica and Flash Gordon. For putt putt with a twist, check out one of Holey Moley’s two zany locations with their crazy-fun mini golf courses complemented by drinks, cocktails and tunes.

FORTITUDE VALLEY
Fortitude Valley has many facets, each proving to be as alluring as the next. While this infamous suburb has an interesting history these days it is both an indie shopping haven and a nightlife spot from sunrise to sunset. By day you can uncover hidden treasures and delicious eats in boutiques and laneways, and once night falls it’s time to bring the party. The Valley has a solid reputation as Brisbane’s evening entertainment capital – you can dance up a storm, see a killer live band, explore rooftop bars and sip some of the best cocktails in the country all in the space of a few blocks. Great people watching by day and by night and plenty to do to occupy you around the clock.

GET TO HONTO PRONTO
You want some Japanese-Australian freshness in your mouth. Honto’s your place. The menu is segmented into Raw, Bites, Bigs and Greens. The raw dishes are transformative. Sake and Japanese whiskey and beers add buzz to the bites. The interior features a Japanese burnt wood technique adding drama to the chandeliers. Part of the same restaurant family as contemporary Thai endeavour SAmE SAmE. These are two stunning siblings. Aiden St, honto.com.au

HOME OF THE PINK PARADISE
E’Rosa By Arc + Family is Fortitude Valley’s hot insta spot where everything is pink. E’Rosa is a favourite for baby showers, birthdays, BFFs and the loved-up. Prettiest pink lattes, pink unicorn hot chocolates and their signature Pink Paradise are a must. This is a unique brand of LA + Gold Coast baby-doll mash-up that’s so totally Brisbane right now. Stay pink peeps.

GET TO KNOW THE VALLEY

L’AMERICANO
With a fit out inspired by the Talented Mr Ripley’s Marge, treat yourself to food and style that is Italian Riviera fresh.

ANN ST LANEWAYS
Shop the main drag then turn into the creative hotspot of Winn Lane for all kinds of vintage, cult and cool food, clothes and hair.

BAJA MODERN MEXICAN
Channelling SoCal Mexican, Baja delivers bold flavours drenched with creativity. Tortillas anyone?

B. LUCKY & SONS
Intriguing mash-up of pawn shop nostalgia, cocktails and arcade gaming. Asian-English influenced food.

BERNE LANE
Glamorous greenery-filled gastro-pub with Japanese food influences and charcoal oven. Fascinating history.

HAPPY BOY & SNACK MAN
Happy Boy: Xijiang, Canton and Sichuan. The next door wine bar (Snack Man) offers bite-size Chinese.

YUM GAMES
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West End & South Brisbane

Mention either West End or South Brisbane to any local and they will undoubtedly tell you that they are the home of true cool. The area doesn’t try to be trendy - it’s just laced with an effortless air of culture that is evident through the plethora of local businesses at play. Hidden cafés dripping with indie vibes cohabitate with fine-dining restaurants and foodie laneways, but nothing looks out of place. Whether you want to treat yourself to a lavish feast or get down to earth in street-food style, West End and South Brisbane have all bases covered.

Brews

The Catchment Brewing Co. West End
Drink made-on-site beer in this art-deco inspired venue knowing that you’re frequenting an establishment that cares deeply about what they do. “We believe fresh beer is more produce than product; more community than commodity.” Catchment brews include Bright Ale, Pale Select, The 500 IPA and seasonal special releases; one-off batches that play with a mind-boggling array of colours, textures, tastes and aromas. 150 Boundary St, West End, catchmentbrewingco.com.au

The Happy Cabin
Next, a spot of shopping for artsy casuals. Grab some hilarious gift cards they have a cracker selection of hand-drawn beauties.

Lokal & Co.
Set your minature tour up right with a Nordic-inspired breakfast. Substantial sizes that will keep you going all day.

West Village
Discover this mini-prefecture with its covered laneways and two heritage factories. Cool events like the ice cream festival

Julius Pizzeria
Must have dinner at this bustling, authentic Italian pizzeria. Delicious thin crust pizzas, zesty salads and solid wine list.

The Theatre and Entertainment
Book tickets for a local work at Qld Theatre or a big, bold symphonic, balletic or cross-artform show at QPAC.

Nostimo Restaurant Bar
A warm, Mediterranean welcome awaits you at Nostimo Restaurant Bar in South Brisbane’s famous Greek Club. Embracing the Heleenic philosophy of sharing, Chef in Residence David Tsirekas brings his unique flair to a mouth-watering Greek menu of traditional dishes. Linger lovingly over his succulent take on dishes such as pork belly baklava, chicken souvlaki and lamb skaras. The seasonal menus reflect the availability of fresh produce with a philosophy of sourcing from ethical suppliers. nostimorestaurant.com.au

Learnto

Queensland Museum and Sciencentre
Part of Brisbane’s extensive cultural precinct, this Queensland-centric museum showcases natural history, cultural heritage, science and human achievement. A thriving institution with permanent and temporary exhibitions, public programs, early childhood activities and school holiday fun. Get a taste for the collections by searching online for cultural artefacts, biological specimens, geological samples and historical objects. Corner Grey and Melbourne St, South Bank, qm.qld.com.au

The Avid Reader
Boutique bookstore with a cult community following. Specialises in new quality fiction and non-fiction. Strike up a conversation with the witty and learned staff and attend an in-store event. avidreader.com.au

Read

Head to Orleigh Park for a riverside picnic. You’ll be surrounded by 100 year old Moreton Bay fig trees that have seen it all including two major floods in 1893 and 1974. These catastrophes wiped-out houses right here on this lush and peaceful fringe of the river. Locals affectionately refer to Orleigh Park as ‘froggy park’ after the huge frog slide.

Map

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NEW FARM

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THE BALFOUR KITCHEN
The Balfour Kitchen and Rooftop Bar overlooks New Farm and the Story Bridge. Surrounded by frangipani trees and bougainvillea vines, it is a subtropical gem perfect for intimate drinks. But being part of Spicers Balfour, you could make a night of it. Start by eating at the in-house restaurant with its French-Vietnamese flavours: lotus tea meringue dessert anyone? Finish with cheese on the rooftop, when the food coma hits, head for a fluffy Spicer’s hotel bed and a big snooze. spicersretreats.com

NEW FARM EDITIONS
A delightful, homey Aladdin’s cave of a gift shop with gorgeous trinkets for the home including sweet children’s toys; fragrant candles; design and travel coffee table books; hand-painted crockery; pretty vases and costume jewellery. Being in New Farm there are many quality items and you’ll have a hard time walking out with gifts for others only. Go on, spend a while and maybe a little extra. You deserve it. merthyrvillage.com.au

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HIMALAYAN CAFE

BAR ALTO
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NEW FARM POWERHOUSE
Brisbane Powerhouse is a contemporary arts centre in a pre-war industrial power station. In the mid-1990s the Powerhouse supplied electricity to the tram network and continued to supply Brisbane suburbs until the early 60s when squatters and artists moved into the derelict space. Graffiti from this time has been preserved. The artistic program encompasses comedy, speakers sessions, bands, theatre and dance and forward-thinking festivals like the Brisbane Festival, MELT (Festival of Queer Arts and Culture), and Wonderland (a carnival of circus, comedy, music, physical theatre and burlesque). Mary Mae’s offers sharing options and Bar Alto relaxed Italian. brisbanepowerhouse.org

NEW FARM CINEMA
Renovated back to its former retro glory, you’ll find big franchise and Euro titles at this indie cinema.

GET GROCERIES
For produce or just a wander: food-laden New Farm Deli or sprawling Jan Powers Farmers Markets at the Powerhouse.

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ALLIUM: DOING REFINED DIFFERENTLY
Allium offers a la carte and degustation dining options with an ever-evolving menu. The degustation is our pick, a lovely little adventure that allows you to sample many of the delicious designer dishes on offer. This 40-seat restaurant is abuzz with eaters interested in clever gastronomy. Fine dining with the trimmings but not the price. 148 Merthyr Rd, New Farm, 07 3254 0595 allium.com.au

GET TO KNOW NEW FARM

LITTLE LOCO
A quaint shopfront location with al fresco street seating, delicious cafe fare and reviving coffee.

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JAMES STREET

Fashion is the passion on James Street. This gorgeous tree-covered promenade is studded with boutiques that stock a jaw-dropping selection of homegrown and international labels, as well as dedicated stores for local brands. Shopping is hard work, so you can relax at one of the breezy bars, cozy cafés or award-winning restaurants when you’re done.

GET TO KNOW JAMES STREET

JOCELYN’S PROVISIONS
Revered by locals for exquisite cakes, bread, pastries, pies and provisions. Not to be missed.
AUSTRALIAN DESIGNERS
Get to know Oz designers: Dion Lee, Camilla and Marc, Corman, Lee Matthews and more.
BUCCI ITALIAN
Stop, rest and recover at Bucci for Australian interpretations of classic Italian fare. Arvo Aperitivo.
AT SIXES & SEVENS
Bunker down at this industrial bar with a fun crowd. Delicious Spanish-style eats: tapas, charcuterie and cheese and Jamon set tastebuds ablaze.

KING ARTHUR CAFÉ
Superb coffee and substantial meals with a healthy focus. About the details so come here for little twists like fermented chilli on avo toast. Turn up early to secure a seat.
GERARD’S BAR
CURATED GIFTS
Commissioned products for The Calile Hotel and the Museum of Small Things has handmade hats; hot swimmers and silk pyjamas.

NEWSTEAD & TENERIFFE

It’s hard not to get immediately drawn into the charm of Newstead and Teneriff. These riverside suburbs are steeped in a rich history that is evident in the details – many of the fabulous boutique venues studded around the area are hidden within restored woolstores and rustic warehouses. The craft-brewing scene here is also second to none.

GET TO KNOW NEWSTEAD & TENERIFFE

SIX FEET UNDER
Scrot beignets with cinnamon and salted caramel for breakfast and Genovese coffee in this cool basement.
PHAT PHO
The real deal. Shimmery broths cooked for four hours with lime, chicken, beef and sprouts. Divine.
BECCOFINO
Head here for dinner. This much-loved local contemporary Italian has never missed a beat.
LA MACELLERIA
Finally, gelato and sorbets from the freshest ingredients: Bacio; Tiramisu; Caramello. Semi-freddo cakes.

CONSISTENTLY GOOD
Forget the latest insta-fads, if you want beautifully done, consistent food prepared from the best produce and executed with imagination, make Harveys your go-to.

THE TRIFID
WWII aircraft hangar. Quality acoustics; good site lines. Music: UMI; King Gizzard and the Lizard Wizard; Calexico; Delta Rigs. Beer garden, street eats and burgers.

MRS BROWN’S KITCHEN
Greenery-laden, brick bar with a leisurely long-lunch-turnedin-crowd. Delicious Spanish-style eats and burgers.

CHEEKY POKE BAR
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BULIMBA & HAWTHORNE

Brisbane is famous for its beautiful weather and one precinct that really maxes out on this quality is Bulimba and Hawthorne. This pocket of paradise is studded with picnic coves and greenery, with the happening Oxford Street taking pride of place in the middle of it all. Home to a unique mix of shops and eateries, this is leisure town.

Five Points

Eat

1. ILMO
   Fabulous remake of the original Jetty (same owners). Antipasto, pizzas, Italian wines and beer. Bambini menu for the kids. Great fit-out, fresh, delightful nosh.
   1B Oxford St, Bulimba ilmolo.com.au

2. THE OXFORD TAP HOUSE
   Six rotating taps to showcase the best NZ and Oz beer and cider including all your local faves. Share plates, burgers, charcuterie, tapas and piled-up baguettes for big feeds.
   77 Oxford St, Bulimba theoxfordtaphouse.com

3. RIVERBEND BOOKS
   Cosy, local bookstore with literature, Australian titles, kids books and author meets. Read your latest haul on the café’s leafy front deck. Coffee, cake, breakfast, lunch.
   193 Oxford St, Bulimba eatstreetmarkets.com

Drink

4. REVEL BREWING
   Grab some fresh Revel beer and revel in the sunshine with your mates while grabbing a woodfired pizza.
   77 Oxford St, Bulimba theoxfordtaphouse.com

5. MARINARA
   This is major old-school Italian: pasta, pizza, risotto and tiramisu on red and white checked tablecloths.

Shop

6. CHARBOYS BURGERS
   Mouth-watering American-style burgers made famous by Charboys’ luscious homemade sauce.

Play

7. DELUXE CINEPLEX
   Commerical cineplex with big blockbusters. Soak up the well-heeled but suburban feel with families galore and teens on first dates.
   261 Hawthorne Rd, Hawthorne cineplex.com.au

ASCOT & HAMILTON

For those about to eat, we salute you – or rather, we point you in the direction of this delightful riverside locale. People are drawn to the ever-growing selection of delicious dining options at play here. One of the biggest drawcards is the Eat Street Markets, a mammoth weekend affair that is packed with every kind of street food imaginable.

Eat

1. EAT ST NORTHSHORE
   Permanent, carnivalesque food fair in 180 shipping containers. More than 70 vendors serving global flavours. Inflatable games, folk and jazz bands, acrobats. Portside Wharf, Hamilton eatstreetmarkets.com

2. BYBLOS
   Zesty Mediterranean with a Lebanese focus. All the classics: baba ghanouj lamb sambusek, kebbi, fattoush and shish. Premium spirits and exotic cocktails.
   221 Macarthur Ave, Hamilton byblosbar.com.au

3. LYLE AND BANK
   Luxe, relaxed and aromatic homewares store filled with fashion, candles, oils, glassware, homewares and books. The type of place you want to curl up in.
   2/44 Racecourse Rd, Ascot bylyeandbank.com

Drink

4. FONZIE ABBOTT
   Grab a rich and delicate espresso from this proud, local roaster, a much-loved local institution.

5. ONE FIFTY
   Stop for lunch at this stylish bar and relax on the sun deck with panoramic views.

6. SLIDEWAYS GO-CARTING
   Hoon around the multi-level, indoor drift track. It takes skill to steer and not go Sideways.

7. SONO
   Start at the Sono teppanyaki bar with the sake tasting menu and move on to full dinner in the restaurant.

8. DOOMBEN RACECOURSE
   With one of the premier racing surfaces in Australia, attending the races at Doomben is a bit fancy, aided by syled marquees and dining with panoramic views.
   75 Hampden St, Ascot brc.com.au
WOOLLOONGABBA

Whether unique antiques or an action-packed sporting match is what you love, Woolloongabba has it all and more in spades. The suburb is scattered with vintage haunts and stylish boutiques where you can pick up one-of-a-kind wares, and the streets are lined with gorgeous heritage-style buildings that house gourmet eats and boutique booze.

GET TO KNOW WOOLLOONGABBA

PAPAYA CAFÉ
Wake up with breakfast in this airy cafe in a Queenslander. Healthy juice, big serves, great coffee.

COFFEE SUPREME
Haven’t quite satiated the coffee craving? This cult roaster has been on the scene for 20 years. Get your caffeine fix.

GERMAN CLUB
Lunch on Brisbane’s best pork knuckle. This community has been celebrating since it was first established in 1883.

CORELLA
Indigenous for ‘watering hole’, an indication that the districts are infused with native ingredients.

EAT

DETOUR

CANVAS
Friendly cocktail wine bar with antique feel and mural-covered walls. Staff really care about what you drink and will make you something special. Must try: Johnny Cash pizza. 16 Logan Rd Woolloongabba www.canvasclub.com.au

SECRET SQUIRREL BAR
Cult vintage store Can You Keep a Secret? has transformed into a retro cocktail and wine bar until it opens anew next door. 619 Stanley St Woolloongabba www.canyoukeepsaset.secret.net.au

BAR

THE GABBA
Local icon and homeground for the Brisbane Lions, the Queensland Bulls and the Brisbane Heat. The capacity is 42,000. Woolloongabba comes alive around games. Vulture St, Woolloongabba www.thegabba.com.au

PLAY

JAK + HILL
Have brunch in this funky renovated garage. Quinoa porridge, brekkie pizza and J&K’s benedict for the win.

KIDS COLLECTIVE
During the school holidays, Roma Street Parkland is buzzing with free activities for kids aged 5-12 including soccer, gardening, ukulele. Classes are re-set regularly. School holidays 9am-1pm. www.kidscollective.com.au

JAPANESE

MUSIC

THE SOUND SOCIETY
Unwind to great tunes with good company and tasty treats - all in the surrounds of Roma Street Parkland. The first Sunday of every month bring a picnic rug and soak up some music 11am-2pm. www.thesoundsociety.com.au

PLAY

ROMA STREET PARKLAND
A delightful, hilly park tucked away in the inner city. The Spectacle Garden is an homage to creative horticulture. Activities: tours, live music and kids programs. 1 Parkland Blvd, Brisbane Romastreetparkland.com.au

GASTRONOMIC DELIGHTS

SPRING HILL & ROMA STREET PARKLAND

Beside the Brisbane CBD lies the evergreen urban getaway of Roma Street Parkland. Its world-class gardens and immaculate green space play host to an incredible calendar of year-round events. Continue to explore through Spring Hill for charming bars and eateries among heritage-listed landmarks. www.brisbane.qld.gov.au

GET TO KNOW SPRING HILL & ROMA ST

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SPRING HILL HERITAGE TRAIL
Download the Saunter Through Heritage Spring Hill map and check out 21 heritage gems.

SPRING HILL DELI
Quaint deli cafe serving up scrumptious home-cooked fare using locally sourced and organic produce.

BISHAMON JAPANESE
Authentic all-you-can-eat sukiyaki and shabu shabu. Deserving of its 14 year history.
PADDINGTON

Something old and something new isn’t just an old wedding day adage - this perfectly describes the vibe of Paddington. Bars and cafés are housed in worker’s cottages. You could spend days trawling for vintage wares in the pleasant abundance of antique and thrift stores, or get a dose of creativity by visiting the many art galleries on offer.

CAXTON STREET & THE BARRACKS

Those who like to live loud need only pay a visit to Caxton Street and Petrie Terrace, Brisbane’s heart of good times. Discover live music, nail-biting footy matches, bustling eateries and bars for days, each with something unique to offer. Check out The Barracks, where tasty eats, chic boutiques and a cinema live in a refurbished ex-army barracks.

GET TO KNOW PADDINGTON

NAIM
Breakfast at Naim for Middle-Eastern notes. Tunisian-style baked eggs, Baharat-spiced waffles, challah.

NOTA
Michelin-starred and French-trained chefs in the kitchen wanting to create produce-focussed, uncomplicated and affordable ‘honest food’. Expert mod-European. 224 Given Tce, Paddington nota.restaurant

DARLING AND CO.
A new-look iceworks. Delightfully fresh interior and an emphasis on sustainable produce. Approachable food. hand-stretched pizzas, croquettes, linguine, steak. 157 Given Tce, Paddington darlingpaddington.com.au

EMPIRE REVIVAL
Interior, theatre and film designers shop here, hence its self-coined description: retail theatre. A treasure trove of furniture, homewares, fashion and accessories. 167 Latrobe Tce, Paddington empirerevival.com.au

GREEN TANGERINE
The style conscious will breathe easier in this store. Curated with a keen eye, you’ll find contemporary gifts, jewellery, clothes, scented candles, books and vases. 157 Latrobe Tce, Paddington greentangerine.com.au

SUNCORP STADIUM
Known as Lang Park, this three-tiered stadium features rugby league, rugby union, soccer, concerts and extreme sports. Even if you’re not a sport nut it’s a great night. 40 Castlemaine St, Milton suncorpstadium.com.au

GET TO KNOW CAXTON ST & THE BARRACKS

SCOUT
Have quality, creative brekkie at this rustic all-day brunch spot. Amazing bagels, lovely staff.

BREWSKI BAR
Solid dude food, cheeky atmosphere and serious beer chops with over 150 bottles and cans and 12 rotating taps. Wings, nachos, tacos, burgers and in-house smoked goods. 22 Caxton St, Petrie Tce brewskibar.com.au

BLACK HIDE
Multi-award winning steakhouse showcasing organic, Angus and wagyu cuts. Exclusive Stanbroke beef offered. Marble percentages listed and Halal certified. 36 Caxton St, Petrie Tce blackhidesteakhouse.com.au

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FAT BELLY JACK’S
Nosh from the US of A: Mac n Cheese, Memphis slaw, jumbo wings, Nashville hot chicken and tenders. Wash it down with American booze: bourbon, whisky, beer. 48 Petrie Tce, Brisbane fatbellyjacks.com

LIBERTINE
The French-Vietnamese banquet is a must. Chinoiserie-style decor and a flavour-packed menu.

THE BAVARIAN
Festive German-themed beer hall with legendary signature dishes including crispy pork knuckle, sumptuous schnitzels and more.
BRISBANE REGIONS

Within just an hour’s drive of the city there is a whole other side of Brisbane to explore. Rich food and wine regions abound, along with magical rainforests, picturesque bayside villages, stretches of golden beach and mountaneous hinterland retreats. Interested? All of this and much more can be done in Brisbane, right on our doorstep. Read on to discover suggestions to fill your days exploring and creating precious memories.

For more information go to visitbrisbane.com.au

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TREAT YOURSELF
Bayside is brimming with great foodie spots to try!

CAMBRIDGE LANE ESPRESSO (MANLY)
A killer laneway cafe that serves up quality breakfast fare and coffee.

MATTHEW THOMAS (SANDGATE)
Stop by for delicious treats and gorgeous homewares.

SATORI ORGANICS (SANDGATE)
Seasonal products with an awareness of nature where it is grown.

THE WIRED OWL COFFEE (SANDGATE)
Passionate about coffee? This cosy cafe is sure to have a brew to excite your senses.

TIDE WINE BAR (MANLY)
Grab a bite at this relaxed harbour-side space with exceptional views.

FREEWHEELIN’
Just 30 minutes by train from Brisbane City, the beautiful and historic town of Sandgate is ripe for exploring – and what better way to see the sights than on two wheels? Featuring hundreds of riding trails to conquer from the landmark Shorncliffe Pier to the Redcliffe Peninsula, this bayside beauty is busting with hidden gems and scenic vistas. Work up a sweat and burn some calories, then treat yourself to a hearty lunch or dinner at one of the restaurants.

EXPLORE

HALLOWEEN STREET PARADE
As dusk falls, Brisbane’s biggest and longest running Halloween event attracts hundreds of costumed characters like ghosts, ghouls and fairies. Join bands, entertainers and classic cars in the famous street parade as it winds its way down Cambridge Parade. Family friendly with free entry. On-water displays, markets, fireworks and an Harbourside Eat Street.

SHOP

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**MORETON BAY REGION**

Escape to the Moreton Bay Region with its laidback bayside lifestyle and picturesque hinterland villages. Sample the local produce from bay to farm at one of the upcoming foodie festivals for a taste of Moreton Bay.

**MUST DO**

- **ABBOT MEDEIVAL FESTIVAL**

- **STRAWBERRY & DESSERT FESTIVAL**

- **MORETON BAY FOOD & WINE FESTIVAL**
  Visit moretonkidsfestival.com.au

- **BIG4 HOLIDAY RESORT**
  On the glistening shores of Pumicestone Passage, near Bribie Island sits the new Big4 Sandstone Point Holiday Resort. Located in between the Brisbane CBD and the Sunshine Coast, there is plenty to do with magnificent beaches and scenic bushland. Make the most of the resort’s facilities including the 500sqm pool, the playground, jumping pillow and tennis court. 1820 Bribie Island Rd, Sandstone Point 07 3450 0732 big4.com

- **OYSTER & SEAFOOD FESTIVAL**
  Oysters, seafood and wine at the Sandstone Point Hotel. 17 October 2020. visitmoretonbayregion.com

**DISCOVER**

- **HINTERLAND HIKING**
  From bayside strolls to adventure-packed hiking trails through D’Aguilar National Park bushlands, discover hidden gorges and stunning views only 31km northwest of Brisbane. visitmoretonbayregion.com

- **G’DAY ADVENTURES**
  For true-blue adventures worth remembering book yourself a fun, friendly and relaxing, fully-guided 4WD beach tour of stunning Bribie Island and a national park tour courtesy of G’day Adventure Tours. To ensure that your adventure takes in all of island life and all skill levels, each 4WD tour includes other island activities like SUPs, kayaking, sand boarding and of course snorkelling through the crystal clear waters. 0403 728 261 | gdayadventuretours.com

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- **STAY**
  DO INTO THE WILD
  Dolphin Wild Tours caters to wide interests - spot marine creatures on an eco-cruise, go snorkelling or even get towed behind the vessel on a net! 158 Griffith Rd, Scarborough 07 3880 4444 dolphinwild.com

- **PLAY**
  MEET HANDFEED A WILD DOLPHIN
  Every evening in the water off Tangalooma Island Resort you can meet some of the sea’s friendliest creatures as they come in for their daily visit. Under the guidance of marine biologists and resort staff, guests can wade into the shallows and feed wild bottlenose dolphins by hand. Watch these playful mammals from two tight-knit family groups interact with the crowd - they put on quite a show! 1300 652 250 | tangalooma.com

- **ON THE DEEP**
  Discover paradise on a full-day cruise from Brisbane with See Moreton - snorkel sunken shipwrecks, witness dolphins in the wild, and delight in pristine golden beaches. 07 3153 1069 seemoreton.com

**MORETON ISLAND**

Your camera will get a workout on Moreton Island, where spectacular sunsets, crystal-clear lagoons and sweeping starry nights are part of each day. Relax on the sandy white beaches, explore the island on foot or four wheels.

**MUST DO**

- **SHIPWRECKED**
  Snorkel or scuba dive at the wrecks and be spellbound by numerous corals and tropical fish. tangatours.com

- **MAKE TRACKS**
  From Cape Moreton Lighthouse to Blue Lagoon and Eastern Surf Beach, a Sunlover 4WD tour will reveal breathtaking wilderness a photographer’s paradise. sunlover.com

- **LET’S GET LOW**
  Hit up the world famous Gutter Bar for an ice-cold brew and a kilogram of fresh local prawns with a view that will take your breath away. thegutterbar.com

- **SECRET BEACH**
  Enjoy a picnic on the beach and explore the magical hidden caves at the secluded half-moon shaped Honeymoon Bay.
CITY OF LOGAN
You don’t have to travel far from Brisbane to find incredible fresh local produce. The City of Logan is brimming with growers, farmers and producers. Sample everything from picking your own strawberries to sipping distilled rum.

AUSSIE SPIRIT
Sip on some of the finest aged rum in the country and learn about the colourful characters that make it at the Beenleigh Artisan Distillery.

AWARD-WINNING ABORIGINAL THEATRE
Meaningful and mesmerising Spirits of the Red Sand is a first-of-its-kind Aboriginal theatre and dinner show that takes you beyond Dreamtime to the 1800s when the British and Aboriginal ways of life collided. The live theatre show, 3-course dinner and final meet and greet of the cast and crew make for an immersive and educational evening of indigenous theatre the whole family will enjoy and remember forever.

GET OUT THERE
ESCAPE TO NATURE
Hike or bike over Berrinba Wetlands’ paths and bridges, looking out for possums and native birds on your way.

EXPRESSO
Sample unique coffee blends from individual roasters or acclaimed cafes such as local fave ST Coco in Daisy Hill.

AROUND THE WORLD
Sample food from more than 200 different cultures at the Global Food Markets.

REV IT UP
Kingston Park Raceway is one heck of a ride – race formula karts against your mates or compete against the clock for the best lap time of the day.

EATS & BEATS
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HELICOPTER TOURS
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SPICERS HIDDEN VALE HOMAGE RESTAURANT
Just an hour’s drive out of Brisbane, head to Spicers Hidden Vale for a luxurious country retreat. On its 20,000 acre property, Spicers features the hatted restaurant Homage set in a century-old barn as well as Hidden Vale Adventure Park with its 120km of mountain biking trails. Choose from a range of suites, heritage cottages and timber cabins with outdoor tubs.

RAIL MUSEUM
Part of the Queensland Museum Network, The Workshops Rail Museum is the only museum with an active rail workshop. There are plenty of kids activities with a newly-opened Sciencentre including a hands-on Little Nippers area. The adults can hang out at the cozy Trackside Cafe while the kids go wild across 5000 square metres of interactive exhibitions and colourful, interactive rail displays.

STEAM RAILWAY
Experience our railway past on the historic Queensland Pioneer Steam Railway. Hop on the picnic train for local produce and entertainment. Or try the 15-minute loop, which is perfect for families.

IPSWICH
You need only venture 30 minutes from Brisbane to discover Queensland’s heritage region, packed with surprising new adventures. It’s where historic homes meet culinary cool. Where the open road leads to beautiful homesteads.

RAIL MUSEUM
Visit Woodlands of Marburg, a restored plantation-style 1890s mansion. Includes a church, grotto, resort-style accommodation, café and pool. It’s 250 acres of bliss.

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**REDLANDS COAST**

Redlands Coast is filled with wonderful villages and picturesque islands: a distinct world of wonder. Begin the day saluting the sun on a paddleboard while keeping an eye out for dolphins before a relaxed day of good food and wine.

**THE FINEST THINGS**

The Courthouse is steeped in old-world charm – treat yourself to a night of elegant cuisine, five-star table service and live piano music.
1 Paxton St, Cleveland
07 3286 1386
courthouserestaurant.com.au

**LAP OF LUXURY**

Cruise around Redlands Coast in style on one of Brisbane’s largest available sailing catamarans from Brisbane Yacht Charters.
Raby Bay Harbour, Shore St W Cleveland
0425 183 395
brisbaneyachtcharters.com.au

**A STAND-UP COMMUNITY**

If you’ve ever seen someone partaking in stand-up paddleboarding and wanted to have a crack, the Bay Island Stand Up Paddleboards & Kayak Company is a great place to start. Friendly and experienced instructors will show you the ropes in the calm waters of the Raby Bay Foreshore and can take you on a variety of paddles including sightseeing through the Raby Bay canals, past the Cleveland Lighthouse, mangroves and more. The company also offers a hire service for both kayaks and stand-up paddleboards if you want to DIY.
Raby Bay Foreshore Park Masthead Dr, Cleveland
0472 777 288 | bayislandsup.com.au

**GET OUT THERE**

**SITTING IN**

The Beer Bench is an ideal spot to ease into a bar crawl – think chilled vibes, plenty of craft brews and BYO food.
thebeerbench.com.au

**LEVEL UP**

Elysium is your chance to get a bit fancy – take in tapas and tipples from an impressive and extensive range.
elysiumlakeside.com.au

**BACK IT UP**

Sample the award-winning pours from Bacchus Brewing Co, a microbrewery that thrives on innovative flavours.
bacchusbrewing.com.au

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**NORTH STRADBROKE ISLAND (MINJERRIBAH)**

North Stradbroke Island (Minjerribah) is a world of wonder for those who like to chill and adrenaline junkies alike. The scenery offers a stunning backdrop to adventure activities from snorkelling to bush walking.

**UNWIND**

**HOLE IN ONE**

Chill out with some family-friendly mini golf at North Stradbroke Island Golf Club – keep an eye out for kangaroos and koalas.
Alfred Martin Way, Dunwich
07 3409 9999 | northstradbrokeislandgolfclub.com.au

**EAT**

**FRESH FEAST**

Feast on a menu highlighting fresh seafood selected daily at Whales Way. Hot tip – the views of Moreton Bay are a great accompaniment.
21-25 Cumming Pde, Point Lookout
07 3415 3044
whaleswayrestaurant.com

**PLAY**

**STRADDIE SCOOTERS**

Keep it cool on Straddie by cruising around on a Straddie Scooter. Cute and easy to ride. Best way to get from beach to beach in style.
9 Sturt St, Dunwich
0497 777 933 | scootersonstraddie.com.au

**STAY**

**GOLDEN DAYS**

Minjerribah Camping offers easy access island camping and glamping on idyllic North Stradbroke Island (Minjerribah) just off the coast of Brisbane.
1 Junner St, Dunwich
07 3409 9668 | minjerribahcamping.com.au

**INDULGE**

**SANDBOARDING**

0433 171 477 | straddieadventures.com.au

**INDIGENOUS CULTURAL WALK & TALK NORTH STRADBROKE**

07 3821 0266

**SWIM WITH MAJESTIC MANTA RAYS**

07 3409 8888 | mantalodge.com.au

**ADVENTURE TIME**

MAKE THE MOST OF NORTH STRADBROKE’S NATURAL PLAYGROUND . . .

**BEACH YOGA STRADDIE**

0409 538 972
facebook.com/
beachyogastraddie

**FOUR-WHEEL DRIVE TOUR**

0409 123 586
straddiekingfisher
tours.com.au

**SURF SCHOOL**

0407 642 616
northstradbroke
surfschool.com.au

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SCENIC RIM

The Scenic Rim combines two of the best things in life: stunning scenery and mouth-watering local food. This is the perfect place to get out and about for a nature-themed adventure scenic drive followed by paddock-to-plate eats.

TREETOP CHALLENGE
Fly through the rainforest canyon of Tamborine Mountain on Australia’s largest guided zipline tour. The High Ropes Treetop Adventure Park has adventures for all levels.
CNR Tamborine Mtn Rd & Cedar Creek Falls Rd, North Tamborine | 1300 881 446 treetopchallenge.com.au

Cedar Glen Farmstay
Surrounded by beautiful mountain scenery in the Lost World Valley, stay in your own private historical cottage. Cedar Glen Farmstay is a real working farm at which the whole family can feed the farm animals, collect eggs and milk the cows.

EXPLORER

ADVENTURE

TAMBORINE | 1300 881 446 treetopchallenge.com.au

CNR Tamborine Mtn Rd & Cedar Creek Falls Rd, North Tamborine

TREES AND PLANTS

The Scenic Rim experience encompasses 200 unique plant species, including a range of native species and several cultivars. Discover the region’s natural beauty and learn about its flora and fauna.

EAT LOCAL

SAMPLE SOME OF THE BEST LOCAL PRODUCE OR STOCK UP AND TAKE HOME...

GREENLEE MACADAMIA FARM
07 5543 4021 greenleefarm.com.au

TOMMERUPS DAIRY FARM
07 5544 9269 tommerups farmstay.com.au

TAMBORINE MOUNTAIN COFFEE
tamborinemountaincoffee.com.au

FLINDERS PEAK WINERY
0456 031 165 flinderspeak winery.com.au

SCENIC RIM BREWERY
07 5463 0412 scenicrimb, brewery.com.au

KOOROOMBA VINEYARDS AND LAVENDER FARM
07 5463 0022 kooroomba.com.au

AWASSI CHEESERY

From being hands on in the milking parlour, to hand-crafting the finest 100% sheep milk cheeses under the watchful eye of the cheesemaker, a day at the Awassi Cheesery in the Helidon Hills is like no other. Appreciate the gentle pottering of the Awassi and perhaps a fluffy cuddle or two before sitting down to cheese tastings or a delicious Awassi shepherd’s platter. Naturally homogenised Awassi milk makes high-quality cheese. Call 0412 671 047 to book. awassiqueensland.com.au

SCOTTY’S & THE BARN

Scotty’s is a museum of automobile memorabilia, showcasing 50s and 60s cars, motorbikes and jukeboxes. Tours fill you in on each object’s fascinating history. Enjoy the 1950s diner attached to the museum. Hang out afterwards in The Barn, an Australian cafe brimming with everything from Victor mowers to rotary clothes lines. Sit by the wood-fire during winter and enjoy cakes, Devonshire tea and grills. thebarnandscottysgarage.com.au | 07 4697 5334

AWASSI CHEESE FROM THE AWASSI SHEEP

A day like no other at the Mulgowie Hotel (or Mulga to the locals) is a pub, community hub and accommodation all in one stunning spot.

MULGOwie MARKETS

Find local farmers at the Mulgowie Markets on the first Saturday of the month. Fresh produce as well as honey, arts/crafts, coffee and children’s workshops. 8am to 11am

FLOATING CAFE

Serving delicious home-baked cakes, pies and contemporary cafe food. The cafe’s name is a legacy of Grantham’s history.

ON THE SIDE

Pull over to the Forest Hill Farm Stall Wednesdays to Saturdays to pick up delicious farm-fresh neighbourhood produce.

JAK & MO TASTE CO

Bringing urban cafe vibes to Gatton, grab some real wholesome breakfast, lunch or a coffee and snack. The focus here is quality produce.

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Regent Theatre, 167 Queen Street Mall | 07 3000 6290 Mon–Thu 9am–5.30pm, Fri 9am–7pm, Sat 9am–5pm, Sun 10am–5pm visitbrisbanemarketing.com.au

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VISITOR ESSENTIALS
Helpful hints

SHOPPING
Trading hours vary but most shops in tourist and city areas are open seven days until 6pm, with late-night shopping on Thursdays in suburban areas and Fridays in Brisbane City.

LOCAL LAWS
Smoking is banned in all enclosed places and outdoor public spaces including all bars, restaurants and Brisbane City’s Queen Street Mall. The legal drinking age is 18 and identification may be required to enter licensed premises or to purchase alcohol. It is an offence to drink alcohol or possess an opened alcoholic drink in a public place.

BRISBANE GREETERS
Get to know Brisbane through the eyes of a local with the Brisbane Greeters. Our friendly Greeters are passionate volunteers who can show you Brisbane’s best spots on a 2-4 hour orientation tour. You can also opt for a custom ‘Your Choice’ Greet and choose your preferred areas of interest. We have more than 200 Greeters, who speak up to 25 languages. Choose your free Greet and book by calling 07 3156 6364 or at brisbanegreeters.com.au Please note at least two days’ booking notice is required.

SERVICE
If you have a disability, there is a variety of disability services in Brisbane to meet your needs nican.com.au

TRADING
During an emergency contact police, ambulance and/or fire brigade by calling Triple Zero (000).

GENERAL
Get the free City Loop and Spring Hill Loop bus services circle the city every 10 minutes, stopping at various locations. The CityHopper ferry service is also free and it travels along the river from North Quay to Sydney Street, New Farm.

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The Airtrain runs from Brisbane City and the Gold Coast directly to the airport.

Buy your tickets on board, at newsagents or selected retailers, or use your go card.

Taxi ranks are located throughout the city and at the domestic and international airports. There are two taxi providers.

Black and White Cabs | 13 32 22
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