

## Field Visit to the Great Barrier Reef Marine Park

Friday 6 – Saturday 7 December 2019

### Draft itinerary



#### **Friday 6 December – Travel by bus from Townsville to Port Douglas**

Travel an unforgettable 6-hour journey along the coast of the Great Barrier Reef and through the Wet Tropics World Heritage Area – where the rainforest meets the sea.

9:00am	Depart Mercure Hotel
10:30am	Stopover at Hinchinbrook Lookout with talks by experts from the Great Barrier Reef Marine Park Authority and Traditional Owners
1:00pm	Stop at Innisfail for lunch
4:00pm	Arrive Port Douglas Check-in hotels
	Free time

### **Saturday 7 December – Visit to the Outer Barrier Reef**

Sail with [Sailaway](#), an accredited High Standard Tourism Operator, to the spectacular Coral Cays of Mackay & Undine Reefs where Sailaway has exclusive access.

7:30am	Depart hotel
7:45am	Board Sailaway VII
8:00am	Depart Port Douglas sailing to Mackay Cay Outer Barrier Reef Reef Interpretation Talk by Marine Biologist
10.15am	Arrive at protected mooring at Mackay/Undine Cay – 1st Reef site  Nature Activities commence: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Snorkel over the coral gardens</li><li>• Guided Snorkel Tour by Marine Biologist</li><li>• Transfer to the coral cay for exploring</li><li>• Relax and swim</li><li>• Glass Bottom Boat tour</li></ul>
12.45pm	Lunch on board  Move to 2nd reef site  After lunch, Nature Activities resume
2.15pm	Afternoon Tea & Coffee
2.30pm	Depart Mackay/Undine Cay. Set sail to Port Douglas  Relax on board
5.00pm	Arrive Port Douglas  Coach transfer to Port Douglas accommodation
	Free time