Caloundra warmly welcomes the National Riley Event



Monday 7th May - Friday 11th May 2018





As a proud Riley owner, we look forward to welcoming you to the Sunshine Coast and invite you to stay a little longer and experience our region, outside of the event program.

Wonders of nature, beachside culture, fresh local food, immersive encounters and world-class events – the Sunshine Coast is one of the most vibrant regions in Australia; renowned for its natural environment, diversity and world-class sporting, tourism and leisure activities.

Ever since James Moffat built a beach shack 130 years ago on the headland that now bears his name, this stretch of Pacific Ocean has been a favourite for people seeking a relaxing beachside destination. Long curves of sand, headland cliffs, historic sites, nature reserves and picturesque esplanades make this an aquatic playground and adventure paradise. The Pumicestone Passage, with views of the Glass House Mountains, dominates the Caloundra landscape popular for guided eco kayak tours and just a short distance from famous attraction, Australia Zoo.

Soak up the scenery

The Pumicestone Passage consists of 24 islands and 240 kilometres of shoreline and with 80 percent of the waterways measuring under two metres deep, it is the perfect place to explore on a stand up paddle board, kayak or escorted jet ski tour.

We recommend you experience the iconic beach vibe by mixing with the locals and soaking in views of sand, surf and salt from the best vantage point over a meal or cold beverage, at one of the many surf clubs.

Active pursuits

There's no better way to soak up the beauty of the Caloundra region than by strolling or cycling along the coastal trail. Take on the entire 25 kilometre stretch from Golden Beach in the south to Point Cartwright in the north or enjoy strolling along sections of the walk at a leisurely pace.

Experience tenpin bowling at the new Spinners Bar & Bowl with high tech lanes and old fashioned fun. Moffat Beach has its own famous craft brewery. Try some award winning ales and chat with Matt the brewer.

Additional water pursuits include boating, fishing or you can skim the waterways on an eco or sunset cruise.

Other must dos include a visit to the Queensland Air Museum boasting over 65 aircraft on display, hitting a round at a champion golf course or cook up a storm with a class.





Retail therapy

You will find a range of retail outlets along the tree lined Bulcock Street or along the retail strips by the beaches.

For all your favourite fashion chain stores, head to Stockland Caloundra or Kawana Shoppingworld, both have a great selection of independent and department stores.

Local markets

Caloundra Street Fair (Sunday) Kawana Waters Farmers Market (Saturday)

Events

With some of the largest events calling the Sunshine Coast home, you can join the action or soak in the atmosphere at the Caloundra Music Festival, Sunshine Coast Fashion Festival, Caloundra Film Festival, Open Cockpit Weekend or the Ignite Chilli Festival. Several other national competitions are staged at the nearby Sunshine Coast Stadium and Lake Kawana precinct.

To see a list of Sunshine Coast events, CLICK HERE

Wining & Dining

A natural food bowl, the Sunshine Coast is one of Australia's favourite taste destinations. Courtesy of its distinctive coast and country geography, the region has an appetising variety of producers, waterfront restaurants, food festivals, cooking schools and farmers markets.

Restaurants, cafes and markets are supplied daily with a stunning array of fresh, nutritious and tasty produce. There is no shortage of fabulous establishments to try during your stay in Caloundra.

Recommended restaurants
Alfie's Mooo Char & Bar Restaurant
Amici Cafe
Pablo's Tex Mex
Mets on Kings at Caloundra Surf Club
Drift Bar
Fortyfive 51
Golden Beach Tavern
Indiyum Restaurant
26 Degrees at Rumba Beach Resort
Sandbar Cafe and Kiosk
Three Bar & Grill
Beaus at Kings Beach
Tides Waterfront Dining







Aver	rage temperatures			
	Summer (Dec - Feb)	Low 17c	High 28c	
*	Autumn (Mar - May)	Low 13c	High 25c	
*	Winter (Jun - Aug)	Low 7c	High 22c	
\$	Spring (Sept - Nov)	Low 13c	High 25c	

Further afield

The Sunshine Coast is home to myriad activities, ideal for pre and post conference stays and partner programs.

For a full list of what to see and do on the Sunshine Coast **CLICK HERE**

Attraction	Recommended time allocation	Drive distance from Caloundra	Map ref.
Australia Zoo	Full day	20 minutes	1
Aussie World	Half day	15 minutes	2
SEA LIFE Mooloolaba	Half day	25 minutes	3
The Ginger Factory	Half day	30 minutes	4
Big Kart Track	1-2 hours	15 minutes	5
Original Eumundi Markets (Wed & Sat only until 2pm)	Half day	35 minutes	6
Montville shopping village	Half day	35 minutes	7





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