

Cairns Aquarium/Dundee's Restaurant

For date availability and enquiries, please contact Cairns Aquarium at reservations@cairnsaquarium.com.au or (07) 4044 7300 Dundee's Restaurant dining only email events.ca@dundees.com.au



The Cairns Aquarium is a unique and captivating venue for any event.

Surrounded by the beauty and majesty of the creatures of the

Great Barrier Reef and the Daintree Rainforest, guests will enjoy

contemporary Australian cuisine and the highest level of personalised

service in a setting like no other.

Dundee's Restaurant at the Cairns Aquarium have extensive experience in providing exceptional catering and event services. With it's own 70,000 litre marine aquarium, the tank provides a mesmerising encounter of aquatic life, setting the backdrop for a truly unique and memorable dining experience.

Within the aquarium and the restaurant, there are a variety of venue spaces and menu options to suit every occasion and budget.

All prices are per person and based on a minimum of 30 guests. If your event is fewer than 30 guests, please enquire for a tailored quote.

Prices include venue hire, food, chefs and wait staff, use of existing equipment, set up, pack down and white linen tablecloths and napkins. For all other event components, please refer to our recommended supplier list.

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A complete sensory journey

Dundee's at the Cairns Aquarium offers a contemporary and innovative dining experience.

Recipes and ideas evolve from Tropical North Queensland's finest seafood and produce. Clean and conceptual, every plate on our menu begins with an idea, colour or memory, then we elaborate, add, subtract and reduce ingredients to their essence.

Our menus cater to all tastes and dietary requirements, with an emphasis on flavour, local produce, freshness and sharing.



OCEANARIUM / DEEP REEF

For a surreal, extra sensory dining experience, nothing compares to the magnificent 1.5 million litre Oceanarium. Linked by a 20m viewing tunnel and Australia's only 10m Deep Reef tank, this space takes 'WOW' factor to a whole new level!

Surrounded by sharks, giant rays and the tropical beauty of Coral Sea fish, your guests will be captivated by the most stunning underwater backdrop imaginable.

Seated 120 pax

(50 in Oceanarium, 60 in Deep Reef & 10 in 20m viewing Tunnel)

Cocktail 200 pax

(Roaming between the two rooms)



RIVER ROOM

Inspired by flooded billabongs and native gum trees on the nearby Tablelands, this event space is as enchanting and rare as the species that live there. Enjoy views of prehistoric Freshwater Sawfish, Whiptail Ray, Barramundi and Mangrove Jack through the 7m tank while you dine.

Seated 60 pax

Cocktail 100 pax



DUNDEE'S RESTAURANT

Dine under the pier at Dundee's second flagship restaurant. Dundee's Restaurant features the largest tank within a restaurant in Australia: a stunning 70,000 litre marine aquarium. The new decor creates a relaxed, coastal vibe, perfect for lazy Sunday a ernoons, and lends itself perfectly to intimate dinners and larger style corporate events. Sole use options available.

Seated 90 pax

Cocktail 130 pax



DUNDEE'S TERRACE

The outdoor Dundee's Terrace recreates the beauty and diversity of the Daintree Rainforest. With views of our shark tank, this really is where two World Heritage Listed areas meet to eat. Teamed up with an acoustic musician - it's time to try the most fashionable place in Cairns. Sole use options available.

inside Seated 90 + Terrace 80 total 170 pax

Cocktail 100 + Terrace 100 total 200 pax

FAR NORTH QUEENSLAND

Menu includes optional extra sensory experience



STANDING CANAPES

\$22.00 pp Dundee's Restaurant or Terrace

Select 4 canapes from the hot and cold canape menu below. Price includes use of restaurant equipment.

\$56 pp under the Sea "Inside the Aquarium"

Select 4 canapes from the hot and cold canape menu below. Price includes 1 hour's venue hire in an aquarium room of your choice, dry bars, set up, pack down and food service staff.

COLD CANAPES (SELECT 2)

Mini bruschetta with cherry tomatoes, red onion & basil pesto

Brie with fruit toast & Kakadu plum jam

Sand crab & avocado tart

Prawn, wakame & wasabi mayo nori roll

Bloody mary oyster shooters

Pulled peking duck breast & sweet corn salsa spoons with sticky soy

Prosciutto, balsamic onion & feta bruschetta

Smoked salmon on rye bread with dill sour cream

Pork belly & pear compote slider

Chicken parfait on toasted brioche with tomato relish

HOT CANAPES (SELECT 2)

Chilli dusted calamari with lime mayo

Crocodile spring rolls with Ooray plum sauce

Mini chicken or beef skewers

Mushroom truffle balls with basil aioli

Honey sesame chicken wings with

sweet chilli sauce

Assorted mini quiches

Tempura prawns with black sesame mayo

Balsamic beef sausage rolls with tomato relish

Soft taco with cider mackerel, coleslaw

& sriracha mayo

Vegetable samosa with soy dipping sauce





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STANDING COCKTAIL DINNER

\$73 pp Dundee's Restaurant or Terrace

Includes a selection of 6 canapes from hot and cold, 2 options from something bigger and 2 sweet canapes. Price includes use of restaurant equipment.

\$107 pp under the Sea "Inside the Aquarium"

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Price includes venue hire in an aquarium room of your choice, dry bars, set up, pack down and service staff.

COLD CANAPES (SELECT 3)

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SOMETHING BIGGER (SELECT 2)

Tempura fish with sweet potato fries & lime mayo

Ricotta spinach ravioli with basil pesto

Cajun lamb cutlets with coriander labneh

Chicken Penang coconut curry with jasmine rice & poppadoms

Seared scallops with sweet corn rocket risotto & chilli oil

Rump steak, caramelized onion, tasty cheese, pickle & tomato relish milk roll (mini steak sandwich)

SOMETHING SWEET (SELECT 2)

Lemon meringue

Orange almond cake

Mini Pavlova with berry compote

Caramel slice

Rum balls

Variety of macaroons

Mini choc topped eclairs

White chocolate and raspberry cake

Chocolate brownies

Mixed mini muffins

Gelato cups

Tropical fruit platters





\$55.00 pp Set Menu Dine in Dundee's Restaurant or Terrace \$95 pp Set Menu Dine under the Sea "Inside the Aquarium"

Crusty bread roll with whipped butter

ENTRÉE CHOICE

Grilled Haloumi (V)(GF

Locally made Gallo Haloumi, baby spinach, cherry tomato, chopped Macadamia nut and red onion salad with honey syrup

Chilli Calamari (GF)

Dusted Calamari in chilli seasoning served with lime mayo

Crocodile Spring Rolls

Crocodile mince, rice noodles and julienne vegetables in spring roll pastry with Ooray plum sauce

MAIN PLATE CHOICE

Black Angus Sirloin,

Creamy mashed potato with sautéed leek, spinach, wild mushroom, Shiraz jus and truffle mayo

Chicken Supreme

Chicken breast pocketed with soft cheese on sweet corn polenta, green pea puree and pink peppercorn cream

Barramundi

Pan seared with potato galette, broccolini and champagne sabayon

Pumpkin Penne (V)

Roast pumpkin, balsamic onion, semidried tomato, black olives and baby spinach tossed with penne pasta and pesto

Kangaroo

Native peppered kangaroo loin on pumpkin, wilted spinach, dried prosciutto, Davidson plum jam and Shiraz jus

DESSERT

Mango Sorbet

Chocolate Mudcake - With vanilla ice cream, berry compote and chocolate sauce
Pavlova - With berry compote & passionfruit syrup





\$65.00 pp pp Set Menu Dine in Dundee's Restaurant \$105.00 pp Set Menu Dine under the Sea "Inside the Aquarium"

ENTRÉE CHOICE

Quinoa Beetroot Salad

Organic mixed quinoa, poached beetroot, pepita seeds, and feta tossed with rocket leaves and coated in a citrus & extra virgin olive oil dressing.

Chilli Calamari (GF)

Dusted Calamari in chilli seasoning served with lime mayo

Crocodile Spring Rolls

Crocodile mince, rice noodles and julienne vegetables in spring roll pastry with Ooray plum sauce

Chicken Liver Parfait

Creamy smooth chicken livers with port wine and thyme jelly, balsamic onions & brioche crisp

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\$70.00 pp Set Menu Dine in Dundee's Restaurant \$110.00 pp Set Menu Dine under the Sea "Inside the Aquarium"

ENTRÉE CHOICE

Share platter between 4

Prosciutto, salami, chicken liver parfait, macadamia cheese, feta, roast capsicum, semi dried tomato, olives, brioche crisp, Vienna sourdough and grissini sticks

Chicken Liver Parfait

Creamy smooth chicken livers with port wine and thyme jelly, balsamic onions & brioche crisp

MAIN PLATE CHOICE

Black Angus Eye Fillet

Delicious and rich full-flavoured Certified MSA premium Black Angus beef on creamy mashedpotato with sautéed leek, spinach, wild mushroom, Shiraz jus and truffle mayo+ sautéed creamy prawns (3)

Pork Belly

Twice cooked pork belly on creamy mashed potato with chilli sautéed green beans,v anilla pear crush and red wine jus

Char Sui Duck Breast

Chinese BBQ marinated duck breast on kipfler potato, sugar peas and chilli with seared scallops and sticky orange soy

Barramundi

Pan seared with potato galette, broccolini and champagne sabayon

Kangaroo

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DESSERT

Share plate Dessert | Sharing between 4

Mini chocolate topped eclairs, mini pavlovas, lemon meringue tarts & orange almond cake





\$75.00 pp Set Menu Dine in Dundee's Restaurant \$115.00 pp Set Menu Dine under the Sea "Inside the Aquarium"

ENTRÉE CHOICE

BBQ Prawns - BBQ tiger prawns, marinated wakame coleslaw, black sesame mayonnaise

Crocodile Spring Rolls - Crocodile mince, rice noodles, & julienne vegetables rolled in spring rollpastry w Ooray plum sauce

Grilled Halloumi - Locally made Gallo holloumi, baby spinach, cherry tomato, macadamia & red onion salad w honey syrup

Chilli Calamari - Calamari dusted in chilli seasoning w lime mayonnaise

MAIN PLATE CHOICE

Black Angus Sirloin,

Creamy mashed potato with sautéed leek, spinach, wild mushroom, Shiraz jus and truffle mayo

Char sui Duck Breast

Chinese BBQ marinated duck breast on kipfler potato, sugar peas and chilli with seared scallops and sticky orange soy

Coral Trout

Pan seared with potato galette, broccolini and champagne sabayon

Pumpkin Penne (V)

Roast pumpkin, balsamic onion, semidried tomato, black olives and baby spinach tossed with penne pasta and pesto

Pork Belly

Twice cooked pork belly on creamy mashed potato with chilli sautéed green beans, vanilla pear crush and red wine jus

DESSERT

Chocolate Fix

Salted dark chocolate cookies layered with chocolate gelato, cascading chocolate ganache and praline

Sticky Date and Ginger Pudding

Dundee's sticky date and ginger pudding, with toffee sauce and vanilla bean gelato

Baileys Lamington Trifle

Lamingtons soaked in Bailey's layered with white chocolate custard mousse and strawberry compote



Menu includes optional extra sensory experience

Dine Under the Sea

\$80.00 pp Set Menu Dine in Dundee's Restaurant \$120.00 pp Set Menu Dine under the Sea "Inside the Aquarium"

ENTRÉE CHOICE

Share platter between 4

Prosciutto, salami, chicken liver parfait, macadamia cheese, feta, roast capsicum, semi dried tomato, olives, brioche crisp, Vienna sourdough and grissini sticks

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Dine Under the Sea

\$100.00 pp Set Menu Dine in Dundee's Restaurant \$140.00 pp Set Menu Dine under the Sea "Inside the Aquarium"

Trio Dip Platter on Arrival

Beetroot & feta, basil & spinach, sweet corn & chive served with vienna sourdough and grissini sticks

ENTREE CHOICE

Quinoa Beetroot Salad – Organic mixed quinoa, poached beetroot, pepita seeds, and feta tossed with rocket leaves and coated in a citrus & extra virgin olive oil dressing.

Bugtail Mango Salad – Chilled bugtail meat tossed through a light salad of mango, mixed salad leaves, c hilli,cherry tomatoes and shaved coconut coated with lime mayo.

Crocodile Spring Rolls – Mince, rice noodles and julienne vegetables in spring roll pastry with Ooray plum sauce

Chilli Calamari – Dusted calamari in chilli seasoning served with lime mayo

Crab and Avocado tart – Sand crab meat with dill mayo and avocado salsa in a pastry case, with pearl caviar OYSTERS - natural oysters w nam jim (4)

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Pineapple and Coconut Tart – Chilled creamy pineapple and coconut filled short crust pastry topped with mini marshmallow meringue, creme Anglaise and coconut sorbet



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Dine Under the Sea

BANQUET MENU

\$90.00 pp Set Menu Dine in Dundee's Restaurant or Terrace \$124.00 pp Set Menu Dine under the Sea "Inside the Aquarium"

Crusty bread roll with whipped butter

SELECT 3 SHARED MAINS

BARRAMUNDI

Pan seared w potato galette, broccolini & champagne sabayon

PORK BELLY

Twice cooked pork belly on creamy mashed potato w chilli sauteed green beans, vanilla pear crush & red wine jus

CHICKEN SUPREME

Chicken breast pocketed w soft cheese, sweet corn polenta, green pea puree & pink peppercorn cream

STEAK

Black angus sirloin fillet, Creamy mashed potato w sauteed leek, spinach, wild mushroom, shiraz jus & truffle mayonaise

PUMPKIN PENNE

Roast pumpkin, balsamic onion, semidried tomato, black olives & baby spinach tossed w penne & pesto

SIDES 3 SHARED SIDES

Sweet potato fries with basil aioli

Fries with lime aioli and tomato sauce

Mashed potato

Steamed green vegetables

Onion rings

Mixed leaf salad

Rocket & pear salad

Roast beetroot salad

Roast pumpkin Caesar salad

SELECT 3 SHARED DESSERTS

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1 hour \$22 | 2 hour \$35 | 3 hour \$45 | 4 hour \$55 | 5 hour \$60

Includes a sparkling wine, 2 white wines, 2 red wines, 3 beers, 1 cider, soft drinks and juice.

Spirits available.

Beverages on consumption and bar tab options available.

SPARKLING Azahara Sparkling VIC

WHITE

Wild Rock Sauvignon Blanc Marlborough NZ La La Land Pinot Gris Central VIC Azahara Pinot Grigio Murray Darling SA

RED

Printhie Merlot Orange NSW Black Chook Shiraz Melbourne VIC

BEER

James Squire 150 lashes Pale Ale Hahn Super Dry Furphy Refreshing Ale

CIDER

James Squire Orchard Crush Apple Cider

Dundee'S

R E S T A U R A N T

@CAIRNS AQUARIUM

FAR NORTH QUEENSLAND

Dundee's at Cairns Aquarium



Degustation Menu

6 course + refresher with matching wines

6 Course with matching wine/beverage \$165.00 6 course without matching wine/beverage \$120.00 Including refresher

4 Course with matching wine/beverage \$115.00 4 course without matching wine/beverage \$85.00 Including refresher

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Dundee'S

R E S T A U R A N T

@CAIRNS AQUARIUM

FAR NORTH QUEENSLAND

Dine 'Under the Sea' (inside the Aquarium) Minimum pax 30



under the Sea at Dunde



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2019



FAR NORTH QUEENSLAND

6 course + refresher with matching wines

Course One

Bloody-mary oyster shooter. *cleansing apparitif (lemoncello)*

Course Two

Grilled haloumi, baby spinach, cherry tomatoes, macadamia nut and red onion salad with honey syrup.

Crabtree Hilltop Riesling

Course Three

Crab and Avocado tart

Keith Tulloch Semillion

Course Four

Refresher - Green apple sorbet

Herbal Green Tea

Course Five

Pan seared Barramundi, potato galette, broccolini, and champagne sabayon Giant Steps or Te Mata Estate Chardonnay

Course Six

Char grilled Eye fillet, creamy mashed potatoes, sautéed wild mushrooms, truffle mayo and jus Leeuwin Siblings Shiraz

Course Seven

Dark Chocolate and Kahlua mousse with macadamia biscotti

Campbells Topaque or Ramos Pinto Tawny



HIGH TEA MENU

72 Hours Advance Bookings are Essential All tables set with tablecloths & linen napkins



\$40.00 per person VALID 1/4/2019 - 31/3/2020 Minimum 30 Pax.



With a glass of bubbles on arrival \$46.00 per person



PLEASE SELECT ANY 12 ITEMS FOR YOUR GROUP

Pinwheel Wraps and Slider Rolls

Smoked salmon with baby capers, red onion & dill mayo wrap
Leg ham with paw paw chutney & balsamic onions wrap
Smoked chicken with avocado, tomato & fennel relish slider
Brie cheese with olive tapenade & wild rocket slider
King prawns with shredded cos leaves & lime aioli slider

Mini Savoury Bites

Ham and Swiss cheese croissant
Assorted mini quiches
Fish and chips basil aiolli
Chilli Calamari with lime mayo

Mini Sweets

Berry slice

Custard eclairs

Lemon meringue

Chocolate / blueberry muffins

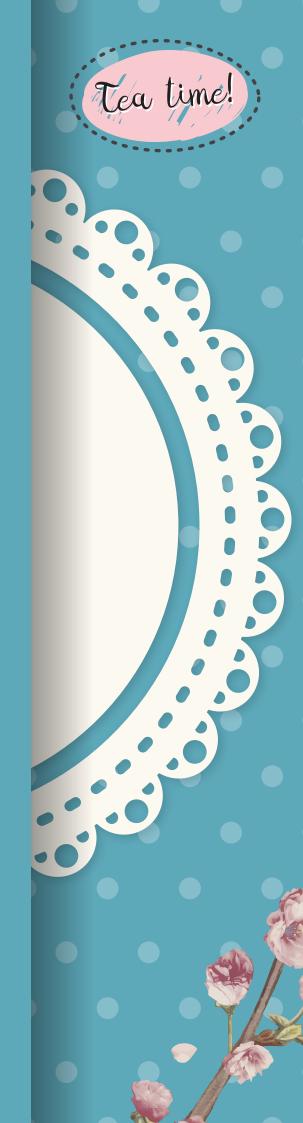
Scones with double cream & preserves

Orange & almond slice (g/f)

Tea or Filtered Coffee

Please indicate package at time of booking.

1 of each item per person





HIGH TEA UNDER THE SEA MENU

72 Hours Advance Bookings are Essential All tables set with tablecloths & linen napkins

\$80.00 per person VALID 1/4/2019 - 31/3/2020 Minimum 30 Pax.

With a glass of bubbles on arrival \$85.00 per person



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