PRIVATE ISLANDS INC.



GREAT BARRIER REEF · QUEENSLAND · AUSTRALIA

PELORUS

5 SUITES · 11 GUESTS · EXCLUSIVE USE ONLY · PRIVACY 86

THE ISLAND · GREAT PALM ARCHIPELAGO

400 Hectares, One Address

Pelorus is the northernmost island of the Great Palm archipelago — 400 hectares of forested wilderness and fringing reef inside the Great Barrier Reef Marine Park, off Townsville.

The residence is the island's only dwelling. There is no village, no road and no other hotel — just beaches, wilderness trails and the reef at the end of the sand.

400
HECTARES
OF WILDERNESS

5
SUITES
ONE RESIDENCE

11
GUESTS
AT MOST





STAY

The Residence

One residence of 913 square metres — whitewashed shiplap, cathedral ceilings and spotted gum verandas, designed by Melbourne studio Dubois for a single group at a time.

THE SUITES

King Suites	4 · 52 m² · ensuite
Triple-Share Suite	1 · 42 m² · ensuite
The Residence	913 m² · one group only

Freestanding king beds in Italian linen, bathrooms in Palladian limestone, a private ocean-view balcony for every suite — and kings that remake as twins on request.









LIFE AT PELORUS

Days Built Around You

THE TABLE

A private chef and no set menus — every meal is curated with you before arrival, from regional farms and hand-delivered reef fish, with the cellar stocked to your palate.

THE REEF

Snorkel or dive the fringing reef off the beach, ride Seabobs and jet skis, or take the boat out — to Hinchinbrook Island, the outer reef, or the underwater art at John Brewer Reef.

THE ISLAND

A solar-heated infinity pool on the beach, spa treatments and yoga mats in every suite, wilderness trails across 400 hectares — and nobody else's itinerary but yours.

THE REGION · NORTH QUEENSLAND

The Great Palm Archipelago

Sixteen islands rise off the coast between Townsville and Ingham — the Great Palm group, peaks of a drowned range standing in the Coral Sea inside the Great Barrier Reef Marine Park.

Pelorus is the group's northernmost island. Orpheus Island Lodge, its sister property, lies 800 metres south; uninhabited Hinchinbrook Island — Australia's largest island national park — fills the horizon north-west.



GETTING THERE

By Air or By Sea

30 MIN

FROM TOWNSVILLE

A private helicopter charter from Townsville Domestic Airport lands you on the island in about thirty minutes — the standard arrival, chartered by the reservations team.

90 MIN

FROM CAIRNS

The same charter from Cairns takes about ninety minutes down the reef coast. Private-jet connections into both gateways are arranged the same way.

4.5 HRS

THE YACHT

Sail from Townsville aboard a Morris Nautical yacht — about four and a half hours through the Palm Passage, with the reef on both sides.

Transfers are chartered separately from the island rate — there is no scheduled service, and check-in is whenever your charter arrives.





A PROTECTED ISLAND

Caretakers of a Wild Island

THE PARK

The island stands inside the Great Barrier Reef Marine Park, and its habitat is protected by both state and federal environmental laws.

THE WILDLIFE

Osprey, green treefrogs, bandicoots and lace monitors on land; turtles, manta rays and winter humpback whales on the surrounding reef.

THE LEASE

The Morris family acquired the island's only lease in 2017 and describe their role as caretakers of a fragile eco-wilderness.

THE SHORT VERSION

One residence on 400 hectares — held lightly, inside a protected reef park.



PELORUS ISLAND · QUEENSLAND

Great Palm Archipelago · Great Barrier Reef — straight-line distances

DISTANCES – STRAIGHT LINE

Orpheus Island	5 mi
Hinchinbrook Island	19 mi
Great Palm Island	15 mi
Ingham (mainland)	23 mi
Townsville	53 mi

THE ISLAND

The island	400 hectares · 2.9 km long
The residence	5 suites · 11 guests max
The reef	Fringing reef · Marine Park

ACCESS

30 minutes by private helicopter charter from Townsville; about 90 minutes from Cairns

About 4.5 hours by private yacht charter from Townsville with Morris Nautical

Transfers are chartered separately from the island rate — no scheduled service, no day-visitor access

Straight-line distances, approximate.
Island position: the operator's published position for Pelorus Island (-18.551774, 146.497191), printed on pelorusprivateisland.au and corroborated by the OpenStreetMap Pelorus Island named feature (-18.5490, 146.4952).
Place coordinates: OpenStreetMap named-feature data and published town positions, Nov 2026.

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HIGHLY PRIVATE

EXCLUSIVE USE

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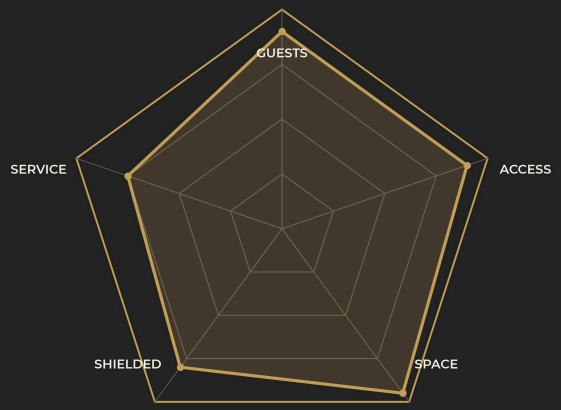

Gold fill — Exclusive Use: the only way Pelorus is ever sold.

PELORUS ISLAND

WHO ELSE IS THERE — 18 / 20

One group at a time, ever — the residence is the island's only dwelling, and the only other people are the resident host team.

WHO CAN GET IN — 18 / 20

No scheduled transport and no day visitors: the only ways in are a chartered helicopter or a chartered yacht, arranged in advance.

SPACE TO DISAPPEAR — 19 / 20

400 hectares of wilderness, beaches and trails for at most eleven guests — space here is measured in hectares per guest.

OUT OF SIGHT, SOUND & TRAFFIC — 16 / 20

The northernmost Palm island inside a marine park; Orpheus lies 800 metres south, and the passing traffic is the odd yacht.

INVISIBLE SERVICE — 15 / 20

A private chef, host team and guides build each day around your group and host from the background.

Current pricing is always on the listing

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