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YOUR GUIDE TO Celebrate **CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR EVENTS**

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Sunshine Coast Council is a major partner in bringing regional community carols events to our communities.

Carols at Cotton Tree

Cotton Tree Esplanade, Cotton Tree Saturday 8 December 2018 ₩: 4.30 – 8pm

Nambour Community Carols

Nambour Showgrounds, Nambour Saturday 15 December 2018 **¾** 3 − 8.15pm

Coolum Christmas in the Park

Tickle Park, Coolum Beach Saturday 15 December 2018 **∜** 7 − 9pm

Glasshouse Country Community Carols

Beerwah Sportsgrounds, Beerwah Saturday 15 December 2018

Carols on Kings Beach

Kings Beach Amphitheatre, Kinas Beach

Saturday 15 December 2018 ₩: 4.30 – 8pm

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Visit council's website or check out the My Christmas publication for more details.

Pet owners should ensure their pets are safe and secure during the fireworks displays.

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A Christmas message from your Mayor

The Sunshine Coast is a wonderful place for Christmas and New Year celebrations. There is always plenty to experience and enjoy, with events for all ages across our region.

In what is now an annual tradition, Sunshine Coast Council has partnered with the team at My Weekly Preview, who are great supporters of our healthy, smart, creative region, to publish all the event information you need in this special edition.

It's your most comprehensive guide to what's on in our region.

In these pages you will find a wide range of councilsupported Christmas and New Year events which reflect the lifestyle, cultural values and diversity of our Sunshine Coast

There are many highlights to look forward to, including:

- The spectacular Community Christmas trees and lighting in 20 locations.
- Community carols and Christmas-themed events along the coast and into the hinterland, including 15 funded by council's Community Grants program.
- Special council-sponsored Christmas events in Coolum, Nambour, Cotton Tree, Beerwah and Kings Beach.
- The spectacular, family-friendly New Year's Eve celebrations at Mooloolaba, Coolum and Caloundra.

As well as keeping this guide close by, you can visit council's website – sunshinecoast.qld.gov.au – to find out more about what's happening in your local community.

I invite you to share your celebrations and experiences on social media using #sunshinecoast and #healthysmartcreative.

Please stay safe over the holiday period, relax, keep cool, look out for each other and have fun.

On behalf of my family and our council, I would like to wish everyone a happy and safe holiday season and we look forward to sharing another memorable year in 2019.

Mayor Mark Jamieson

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Read the digital version of My Christmas 2018 online at myweeklypreview.com.au

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Alexandra Headland, Bunya pine, north-side of Alexandra Headland Surf Life Saving Club,

Alexandra Parade

Buderim, Jacaranda tree in front of Old Post Office, near the Burnett Street roundabout

Caloundra, Norfolk pine, The Esplanade, Bulcock Beach

Conondale, Boyle Park, Maleny-Kenilworth Road (next to pool)

Coolum, David Low Way (west side), near Park Street

Cotton Tree, Cotton Tree Park (west of swimming pool), Cotton Tree Esplanade

Eudlo, silky oak, Rosebed Street, opposite General Store

Glass House Mountains, Rotary Park, Reed Street and Bruce Parade

Kenilworth, swamp gum in Town Park, Elizabeth and Charles streets

Maleny, Maple and Coral streets roundabout

Mapleton, Flaxton Drive and Obi Obi Road, opposite Memorial Park

Marcoola, Norfolk Pine at Felix Parry Park, Marcoola Esplanade

Montville, fig tree at Village Green, Main Street (south of Memorial Close)

Mooloolaba, Norfolk pine, Brisbane Road roundabout along the Esplanade

Mudjimba, Power Park, Mudjimba Esplanade

Nambour, Town Square, corner Lowe and Queen streets

Palmwoods, Albizia tree, Margaret Street

Woombye, poinciana tree, 27 Blackall Street (opposite SPAR)

Wurtulla, Crummunda Park, Coongarra Esplanade

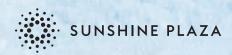
Yandina, Jacaranda tree, War Memorial Park, Stevens and Railway streets



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WHAT'S ON THIS CHRISTMAS

You can find choirs, Santa, carol singing and more at lots of community and family-friendly Christmas events taking place across the region. While most events are free, lookout for the \$\$ as tickets or entry fees may apply.



DECEMBER 1

Seaside Dusk Christmas Movie Night, 5-8pm

Glen Retreat Park, Merchants Parade, Town of Seaside, Marcoola, coolum.com.au

Includes a \$2.50 sausage sizzle, Santa's arrival with a lolly giveaway and the movie *Peter Rabbit* (PG). Gold coin donation. Weather permitting. \$\$

★ Montville Festive Tree Lighting Event, 5-8pm

Montville Village Green, Main Street, Montville, montvillecommerce.com.au

This great community event brings music, fun and festivities to Montville ahead of the holiday. Come and experience this family event showcasing the lighting of the spectacular Christmas Tree in the Village Green.

Nambour outdoor movie - *Arthur Christmas* (G), 6.30pm

Quota Park, Nambour, starrynights.com.au A free Christmas movie under the stars for the whole family to enjoy.

Woombye's Christmas on the Field, 6-9pm

Woombye Soccer Grounds, Palmwoods-Woombye Road

Fun family event with Santa, band, games and food.

DECEMBER 2

Kawana Waters Uniting Church turn on the Christmas Lights, 5.30pm

Thunderbird Drive, Bokarina, kawanawatersuc.com.au Sausage sizzle begins at 5.30pm and the Christmas lights will be turned on at 6.30pm.

Doonan Community Christmas Carols, 4-8pm

House with No Steps, Fellowship Drive, Doonan Enjoy an evening under the stars in a stunning bush setting while singing along to Christmas carols, presented by a host of talented local performers. The kids will love Santa and Mrs Claus arriving on the convoy of fire engines, courtesy of the Doonan Rural Fire Brigade.

Buderim Concert Band Open Day and Christmas Concert, 1-3pm

Buderim Village Park and Sound Shell, Church Street, Buderim

Bring an instrument and come to Buderim to play alongside the Buderim Concert Band. Beginners will be invited to play in the first 40 minutes and intermediate levels thereafter. The event will conclude with a Christmas concert.

Sunshine Coast Council has provided support to a number of events through sponsorship and its Community Grants program.

★ Look for the events with the stars



Event details correct at time of printing.



DECEMBER 5

★ Peregian Springs Christmas Spectacular, 4.30-8pm

Ridgeview Drive, Peregian Springs, anglicanchurchnoosa.org Food and market stalls, live music and entertainment with carols from 6.30pm.

DECEMBER 7

★ Bli Bli Community Carols, from 4.30pm

Bli Bli State School, blibli.qld.au A great community event for the whole family including free rides, food stalls, markets, animal farm, carols and fireworks. Don't miss it.

★ Light the Lights, 5pm

Mapleton Lilyponds Park, Delicia Road, Mapleton mapletonqueensland.com/organisations/mapletonand-district-community-association-inc/ The All Stars Show Band will perform, Santa will arrive with gifts and the Mapleton Lilyponds Park Christmas tree lights will be turned on. There will be a sausage sizzle and food vans available.

Ties and Tinsel Christmas Gala, 7-11pm

Maroochy RSL Events Centre, Maroochydore, maroochyrsl.com.au/events/tiestinsel18/ This is the easiest, glitziest Christmas party ever! Whether you're looking for a staff Christmas party, group party or a fabulous night out, come to the Ties and Tinsel Christmas Gala. The night will be hosted by Mix FM's Todd and Sami, there's food, drinks, entertainment and Santa. \$\$

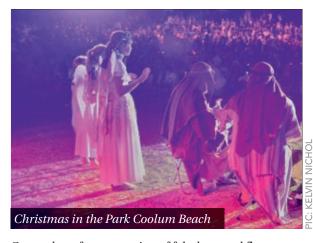
Aura Community Christmas Carols, 5-8pm

Baringa Civic Square, Edwards Terrace, Baringa Head along to the inaugural Aura Community Christmas Carols, with food trucks, entertainment and sing-along to carols from sundown.

DECEMBER 7 AND 14

Fabulous Foodie Fare - Eumundi Markets, 5-9pm

eumundimarkets.com.au



Come along for an evening of fabulous and flavourfilled fare, with delectable food from around the globe. Grab your foodie loving friends and head along for the best in street food and live music.

DECEMBER 8

★ Community Christmas Movie Screening and Carols at Chancellor Park, activities start at 4pm, movie starts at 7pm

Chancellor State College, Primary Campus Oval, Scholars Drive, Sippy Downs

The kids will love this event. Activities include a jumping castle, bubble soccer, food trucks and carols. The movie Ferdinand (G) will be aired on the huge outdoor movie screen. Parking is available at the University.

Eumundi Christmas Carols, 6.30-8.30pm

Eumundi Amphitheatre, Memorial Drive, eumundihistoricalassn.org

A fabulous night of song and dance, comedy and thrills. A fabulous laser show and there will be special guest appearances by Elsa, Anna and Olaf. There will also be a special entrance by Santa. Eumundi Rotary will supply food. Come along and have some fun.

Christmas Concert, 2pm

Kawana Community Hall, sccb.org.au A Christmas concert with carols by the Sunshine Coast Concert Band. Families with children encouraged to attend. \$\$

★ Tramfest Christmas Celebration, 5-9pm

Howard Street, Nambour, tramfestnambour.com It's free, come and join us for an evening of great music, food and fun for all ages at this year's Christmas Tramfestic.

Carols at Cotton Tree, 4.30-8pm

Cotton Tree Park, The Esplanade, Cotton Tree, carolsatcottontree.com.au

Come and enjoy a wonderful Christmas celebration with entertainment, food, fun and a special visit from Santa. Bring a blanket or chair and join us for a night of great local talent, singing much-loved Christmas carols.

Eumundi Drive-in, 6.30pm

Eumundi Showgrounds, starrynights.com.au Enjoy a movie under the stars! A double feature including Christmas Vacation (M) and Life of Brian (M). Entry fee is \$25 per car or \$10 for walk-ins. \$\$

DECEMBER 9

★ 5th Annual Treehouse Kids Christmas Party, 9am-2pm

Field 1, Kawana Sports Precinct, Nicklin Way, Bokarina, stepsautismtreehouse.org.au

An inclusive Christmas event for young people living with autism and other disabilities. Everyone can enjoy a selection of rides, activities and entertainment. So grab your family and friends and head to this event for a fun day fundraising for STEPS Autism Treehouse.

A Heritage Christmas, 4-9pm

Palmwoods Memorial Hall, 1 Main Street, palmwoodshall.org.au

Live entertainment, activities for kids, food, carols and Santa.

Christmas in Alex, 4-8pm

Buhk Park, Alexandra Parade, alexandraheadland.qld.au Family Christmas celebration in Buhk Park with free entertainment and minimal cost rides for children.







★ Lights on the Lake, 4-8pm

Crummunda Park, Coongarra Esplanade, Wurtulla, currimundicatchment.org.au/lights-on-lake/
Community festival on the banks of Currimundi Lake.
Music, supervised children's activities, food, parade of decorated canoes and kayaks and laser light show.
Fun for all the family.

★ Buderim Community Carols, 6-8.15pm

Buderim Village Park, corner King and Church streets, buderim.com/carols-by-candlelight OR facebook.com/ buderimwarmemorialcommunityassociation
Celebrate the festive season of peace and goodwill by joining your local community in singing traditional carols in the beautiful Buderim Village Park. Special guests include ukulele band, Uka-lalians, the talented Suzie Keenan and Friends and the energetic team from Buderim Youth Theatre of Excellence. Santa has promised to join in the fun. The wet weather alternative is the Buderim War Memorial Hall.

★ Yandina Community Christmas Carols, 6.30-8.30pm

Yandina Historic House, Pioneer Road, yandina.org A traditional carols event with plenty of carol singing, guest artists and a visit from Santa. Food available for purchase. Wet weather alternative venue at Yandina State School.

DECEMBER 12

Christmas with Karen Knowles, 11am-12.30pm

The Events Centre Caloundra, 20 Minchinton Street, theeventscentre.com.au

Join Karen for a wonderful selection of her hits and your favourite Christmas songs as her music moves you into the true spirit of Christmas. \$\$

DECEMBER 14

★ Maleny Street Christmas Carnival, 6-10pm

Maple Street, Maleny, facebook.com/ MalenyChristmasFestival

An exciting, family-friendly Christmas carnival event with dancing in the street, rides, stalls, great food, Santa, music and much more.

Christmas at Twilight in Caloundra 5-9pm

Esplanade, Minchinton and Bulcock streets, Caloundra, facebook.com/Christmas-At-Twilight-In-Caloundra
Christmas at Twilight in Caloundra will be a free event for the community, families and tourists alike. This event is an extension of the first Twilight Market for the holiday season. There will be markets, roving entertainment including illuminated artists and fun characters. Local traders will be open for late night shopping. Santa will be officially opening his workshop in Caloundra. Come on down for a free photo with Santa.

Nights on Ocean Street, 5-9pm

Ocean Street, Maroochydore, oceanstreet.com.au Find unique artisan gifts, clothes, food and jewellery at the Nights on Ocean markets alongside food stalls, live music and the precinct's many restaurants and bars.

DECEMBER 15

Mooloolah Valley Four Seasons Summer Market, 8am-1pm

Mooloolah Valley Public Hall, 42 Bray Road The perfect opportunity to do some Christmas shopping. Market stalls will include a variety of unique, homemade and living gift ideas.

★ A Family Christmas, 6.30pm

Kawana Forest Meeting Place, 60 Woodlands Boulevard, Meridan Plains Bring your family and have some fun with live music, carols and hear the story of the first Christmas. Supper will be provided. This event is suitable for children with ASD.

Nambour Community Carols, 3-8.15pm

Nambour Showgrounds,

facebook.com/nambourcommunitycarols/
The twilight markets will feature more than 40 stalls, free children's entertainment and a food court. The carols will kick off at 6pm followed by a visit from Santa. Fireworks at 8pm will conclude the event.

Carols on Kings, 4.30-8pm

Kings Beach Amphitheatre, Caloundra, carolsonkingsbeach.com.au
Come and enjoy a wonderful Christmas celebration with entertainment, food and fun.
Bring a blanket or chair and enjoy a night of great local talent, singing much-loved
Christmas carols. There will be a special visit from Santa.

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Glasshouse Country Community Carols, 4-8.30pm

Beerwah Sportsgrounds, Beerwah, facebook.com/ glasshousecountrycommunitycarols An awesome family-friendly event bringing the community together to celebrate Christmas Aussie style. Artists, dancers, choirs with Christmas carols, activities for children. food stalls and pre-show entertainment. It will finish with fireworks.

Coolum Christmas in the Park, 7-9pm

Tickle Park, Coolum Beach, ccfchurch.org.au Family-friendly carols under the stars. Bring your blanket and your best singing voice!

DECEMBER 16

★ Kawana Carols by the Beach, 4-7.30pm

Kawana Waters Surf Lifesaving Club, 99 Pacific Boulevard, Buddina, carolsbythebeach.kawanasurfclub.com.au Carols and fun by the beach with entertainment, rides, food stalls and Santa visit.

★ Twin Waters Residents' Association Christmas Carols, 6-7.30pm

Wandiny Room, Novotel Twin Waters Resort, twra.net A fantastic, all-weather event with traditional Christmas carols followed by a magnificent fireworks display over the Novotel Twin Waters Resort lagoon.

Diddillibah Community Christmas Carols, 5-7.30pm

Ash Road Park, adjacent to Diddillibah Hall, 658 Diddillibah Road Santa and Christmas carols in the park. Includes a free sausage sizzle. Santa will be there with presents.

Kawana Waters Uniting Church Street Carols, 6pm

Surrounding streets of Kawana Waters Uniting Church, Bokarina, kawanawatersuc.com.au The church congregation and friends and family will walk the surrounding streets singing everyone's favourite carols. Members of the community are invited to join.



DECEMBER 19

Carols on the Green, 5.30-8pm

The Montville Village Green, Main Street, Montville, montvillevillageassociation.org.au Carols on the Green featuring the Salvation Army Band. Bring a picnic and sit on the grass under the twinkling lights.

★ Witta Carols by Candlelight, 7-9pm

Good Shepherd Lutheran Church, 295 Witta Road, Witta Everyone is welcome to celebrate Christmas by singing carols in the grounds of this small rural church in the hinterland. Bring your own candle or torch and something to sit on.

DECEMBER 21

★ Eumundi Night Markets, 5-9pm

Eumundi Markets, Memorial Drive, eumundimarkets.com.au Retail therapy under the stars with a fabulous selection of art and craft stalls and delicious fare. Enjoy live music and roaming entertainment. Santa will arrive on the Eumundi firetruck and be available for photos. There will be free Christmas cookie decorating for the first 300 children, balloon twisting and face painting, a petting zoo and plenty more.

Carols on the Village Green, 5pm

Kawana Waters Uniting Church, kawanawatersus.com.au Everyone is welcome to the Carols on the Village Green service. There will be a sausage sizzle, children's games, craft stall, children's impromptu nativity play and carols to be enjoyed by all. This is a family-focused church and everyone is welcome to join the celebrations.

DECEMBER 22

Mooloolaba Christmas Boat Parade, 6.30-8.30pm

The Wharf Mooloolaba, Parkyn Parade,

christmasboatparade.net

The colourful parade starts in front of The Wharf Mooloolaba before heading along the main canals of Mooloolaba, Kawana and Buddina before finishing back in front of The Wharf where the boats are judged for the Best Dressed Boat Competition.

DECEMBER 22 & 29

Coolum Beach Movies in the Park, 6.30-8.30pm

Tickle Park, Coolum Beach, coolumbusinessandtourism.com.au Bring along a rug and enjoy a free movie under the stars with your family and friends at Tickle Park.

DECEMBER 24

Mooloolaba Christmas Celebrations, 6pm

Mooloolaba Beach, directly in front of The Surf Club, Mooloolaba, thesurfclub.com.au

A Christmas celebration for the whole family. Santa will arrive in traditional Mooloolaba style by surf boat and spread his Christmas cheer along Mooloolaba Beach and into The Surf Club Mooloolaba. Then wait until the sun sets and enjoy the spectacular Christmas firework display.

Kenilworth Community Christmas Eve Event, 4.30-9pm

Kenilworth Hall and Showgrounds, 7 Maleny-Kenilworth Road, facebook.com/KenilworthChristmasEve A free, all-ages community event celebrating the magic of Christmas. Food and drinks for sale, rides and entertainment for the kids.



THROUGHOUT DECEMBER

DECEMBER 10 - 14

School holiday workshops, 10am-12pm and 2-4pm daily

Venue 114, 114 Sportsman Parade, Bokarina Bookings available via the gallery website: gallery. sunshinecoast.qld.gov.au

Kim Schoenberger's Brightest Star workshop costs \$5 per person and will explore traditional origami – the Japanese art of paper folding – and contemporary design techniques to create colour and texture on paper. Each participant will have the opportunity to create their own original design on paper using paint transfer and frottage techniques, and make two origami stars – one to take home, and one to hang on the Installation wall for the *You're the Brightest Star* exhibition. Presented by Caloundra Regional Gallery. \$\$

DECEMBER 14 - 16

Christmas Festival, from 6pm

Suncoast Church – Corner Kiel Mountain and Schubert Road, Woombye, suncoast.org.au Join in a fantastic evening to celebrate the Christmas season with food stalls, children's entertainment, jumping castles, gift stalls and much more. A family-friendly festive show starts at 7pm and features the best of song, dance, drama and media.

DECEMBER 15 - 23

Christmas at Lifepointe, 6-9pm

Lifepointe Baptist Church, 186 Wises Road, Buderim, sunshinecoastchristmaslights.com.au
Free community Christmas event. Musical production, carols, an animal farm, kids area, markets, food court and Christmas lights.

DECEMBER 19 - 24

Maleny Christmas Tree Festival, December 19, 20 and 21, 2-8pm. December 22, 10am-8pm, December 23, 12-4pm and December 24, 12-7pm.

Uniting Church Maleny, 1290 Landsborough/Maleny Road, malenyuniting.com.au

Decorated trees by community groups will be on display and there'll be activities for the kids. Donations are welcome for Maleny Neighbourhood Centre.



DECEMBER 8 & 22

Mooloolaba Summer Movie Series, Start at sunset (6.30-7pm)

Loo with the View, Mooloolaba Beach Head down to the beach for movies under the stars. *Mamma Mia* (PG) (December 8) and *The Jungle Book* (PG) (December 22).

Coolum Twilight Markets, 4-8pm, every Friday between November 23 and January 18

Tickle Park, Coolum Beach, coolum.com A vibrant market at a beautiful location. These beachfront markets, which feature about 60 stalls, are held every Friday for nine weeks during the Christmas and New Year period.

Bulcock Beach Twilight Markets 5-9pm, every Friday between December 14 and January 25

Bulcock Beach Esplanade, caloundrastreetfair.com.au The place to be on Friday nights in school holiday season. This family-friendly market takes place on the waterfront at Bulcock Beach. Definitely the place to enjoy live music, delicious food, unique arts and crafts, and much more. Come and enjoy a great night out at the Twilight Markets in the heart of Caloundra. Shops and restaurants on The Esplanade will be open for late night trading on the market nights.

Caloundra Street Fair, 8am-1pm, every Sunday

Bulcock Street, Caloundra, caloundrastreetfair.com.au Featuring 200 stalls, there is something for the whole family with activities for kids, handcrafted locally made products and art, live entertainment and street theatre. Enjoy fresh local food and flowers, fresh juices, tasty breakfasts, coffee, lunch and delicious sweet treats. Set under the beautiful canopy of the tree-lined main street surrounded by cafes, boutiques and specialty shops and only two blocks from beautiful Bulcock Beach.







NYE - Mooloolaba, 4pm-midnight

The Esplanade Mooloolaba sunshinecoast.qld.gov.au

Two spectacular fireworks displays will ignite at 8.30pm and midnight. Gates open at 4pm with free family activities, roving entertainment and food stalls. This event is a safe, secure, fully fenced, alcohol and glass-free zone.

Beach Terrace is where you will find all the fun of a giant slide, live music by locals and a mix of food and market stalls.

The Sea Stage will feature live music by locals Alfanant, Andrea Kirwin and Bearfoot, before the early fireworks followed by energetic DJ sets on the beach to keep people dancing 'til midnight.

The Kids Zone near the playground (adjacent The Surf Club) will be the place for kids face painting and activities, jumping castle and the opportunity to meet and greet the four Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles and Peter Rabbit.

To reduce our impact on the environment, BYO empty water bottles and refill at the hydration stations. Chemical glow sticks and glow products will not be allowed into the event (battery operated LED products are acceptable).

Presented by Sunshine Coast Council in partnership with Emergency Services and sponsors 91.9 Sea FM and The Surf Club Mooloolaba.

NYE - Caloundra, 4-9.30pm

Kings Beach Amphitheatre and Lions Park cesc.com.au

Bring the family to New Year's Eve at Kings Beach Caloundra - a family affair! Children's rides, food stalls, fireworks, music and dance, heaps of fun things to do. Movie - Ferdinand (G) screens from 7.30pm, and fireworks at 9.15pm. Presented by Creative Events Incorporated and supported by Sunshine Coast Council.

NYE - Coolum, 5-9pm

Tickle Park, Coolum Beach

coolum.com.au

New Year's Eve in Coolum will be huge, with rides, sausage sizzle, popcorn, fairy floss and more, so bring the whole family along and enjoy a fantastic fireworks display at 8.30pm. Presented by the Lions Club of Coolum and supported by Sunshine Coast Council.

NYE Maroochydore

Ocean Street Precinct oceanstreet.com.au



From blues and salsa to kicking DJ beats across Ocean Street's many bars and restaurants, the precinct is a great place to be this New Year's Eve. Free live music from early 'til late and no entry charge at party venues. Check the new website for all the latest details.

















Sing along

It wouldn't be Christmas on the Sunshine Coast without a Christmas Carols' event or two. Here are three of our favourite songs to get you in the spirit.

RUDOLPH THE RED-NOSED REINDEER

Rudolph the red-nosed reindeer had a very shiny nose. And, if you ever saw it you would even say it glowed.

All of the other reindeer used to laugh and call him names. They never let poor Rudolph join in any reindeer games.

Then one foggy Christmas Eve, Santa came to say: "Rudolph with your nose so bright, won't you guide my sleigh tonight?"

Then all the reindeer loved him as they shouted out with glee: "Rudolph the red-nosed reindeer, you'll go down in history."

AWAY IN A MANGER

Away in a manger, no crib for a bed, the little Lord Jesus laid down his sweet head. The stars in the bright sky looked down where he lay, the little Lord Jesus asleep on the hay.

The cattle are lowing, the baby awakes, but little Lord Iesus no crying he makes. I love you, Lord Jesus; look down from the sky, and stay by my side

until morning is nigh.

Be near me, Lord Jesus, I ask you to stay close by me forever, and love me, I pray. Bless all the dear children in your tender care, and take us to heaven

to live with you there.

SANTA CLAUS IS **COMING TO TOWN**

You better watch out You better not cry You better not pout I'm telling you why Santa Claus is coming to town.

He's making a list And checking it twice He's gonna find out Who's naughty or nice Santa Claus is coming to town.

He sees you when you're sleeping He knows when you're awake He knows if you've been bad or good So be good for goodness sake.

You better watch out You better not cry You better not pout I'm telling you why Santa Claus is coming to town.

He sees you when you're sleeping He knows when you're awake He knows if you've been bad or good So be good for goodness sakes!



Celebrate Christmas

There are many church services that are taking place across the Sunshine Coast these holidays.





C3 Church Kawana Waters

Christmas carpark party and carols service, Sunday, December 9, 4.30pm; Christmas carpark party and carols service, Sunday, December 16, 4.30pm.

Caloundra Catholic Church (Our Lady of the Rosary)

Christmas Eve service, 10pm; Christmas Day service, 6.30am, 8am and 9.30am.

Caloundra Church of Christ

Christmas carols service, Sunday, December 23, 7pm; Christmas Day service, 8am.

Caloundra Uniting Church

Christmas Eve service, 7pm; Christmas Day service, 8am.

Goodlife, Buderim

Christmas Day celebration, 9am.

Immanuel Lutheran Church

Christmas Eve children's event, 5pm; Carols, 7pm; Service, 11pm; Christmas Day Holy Communion, 9.30am.

Kawana Life Baptist

Christmas Eve service (Free barbecue and carols), 6pm; Christmas Day Service, 8am.

Lifepointe Baptist Church

Christmas at Lifepointe, Saturday, December 15, 5.30pm; Christmas at Lifepointe, Sunday, December 23, 9pm.

Maroochydore Presbyterian Church

Maroochydore Presbyterian Church carols event, Sunday, December 16, 4.30pm; Christmas Day services, 8am & 9am.











So much to see every year!

- Lights
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 - Bethlehem Show
 - Animal Farm
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15TH - 23RD DECEMBER
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Christmas Day Service

8am, CHRISTMAS DAY 186 WISES ROAD, BUDERIM



www.lifepointe.org.au

The Sunshine Coast has become a hub for foodies, and for good reason – this region is abundant with fresh produce that finds its way from the ocean and paddocks, to our plates. Embark on a gourmet journey with us as we explore the Coast's market trail...

1. CALOUNDRA COUNTRY & FARMERS MARKET

17 Buderim Street, Currimundi, every Sunday, 6am to noon Stock up on fruit, vegetables, honey and eggs, then head undercover for coins, collectables, books and handcrafts.



2. CALOUNDRA STREET **FAIR**

Bulcock Street, Caloundra, every Sunday, 8am to 1pm Enjoy breakfast or a juice before picking up some fresh flowers, handmade products and local art from this huge market.



EUMUNDI MARKETS

80 Memorial Drive, Eumundi, every Saturday, 7am to 2pm; Wednesday 8am to 1.30pm.

The Original Eumundi Markets is the granddaddy of all markets with delicious food, arts, crafts, fashion, health products, homewares, music and, of course, fresh produce. Renowned for its locally made artisan treasures, there's no other market quite like it. Mark it in your diary - open rain, hail or shine every Saturday and Wednesday.

3. KAWANA WATERS **FARMERS' MARKET**

Sportsmans Parade, Bokarina, every Saturday, 7am to midday Kawana offers a relaxed vibe with food stores and produce plus yummy breakfasts, cheeses, breads, olives and seafood.



Discover a 6AM-12PM EVERY SUNDAY SUNDAY TRADITIO Cnr Fishermans Rd and David Low Way, Maroochydore Explore over 120 stalls offering a huge variety of gifts, treats, fresh food and homewares. Enjoy breakfast and delicious freshly brewed coffee as you grab a bargain - and with face painting and a jumping castle for the kids, it's an experience the whole family will enjoy!

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For more information phone 0459 115 078 or for stall space email; bookings@fishermansroadmarket.com



Fishermans Road Market

Our weekly regular stall holders provide value products/gift ideas and more to 5,000 plus shoppers every week.

4. COTTON TREE MARKETS

King Street, Cotton Tree, every Sunday, 7am to midday.

Support local artisans, grab a coffee, then go for a stroll by the river.



5. BIG PINEAPPLE MARKETS

76 Nambour Connection Road, Woombye, every Saturday, 6.30am-1pm Once a global icon, the Big Pineapple now plays host to a weekly Saturday market overflowing with fresh local produce and fresh flowers.

6. MALENY SUNDAY MARKET

RSL, Bunya Street, Maleny, every Sunday, 8am to 2pm.

Fresh produce, an organic fair trade café, arts, crafts, candles, crystals, books and collectables. Plus, you can indulge in a massage.



7. NIGHTS ON OCEAN

Ocean Street, Maroochydore, second Friday each month and every Friday in

Nights on Ocean are back with a bang, bringing an eclectic new mix of market stalls, performers and the best street food to the entertainment hub of Ocean Street. Find Sunshine Coast designers, foodies, artists, performers, producers and providores alongside pop culture, vintage clothes and retro collectables.

8. SUNSHINE COAST COLLECTIVE **MARKETS**

Coolum State Primary School, School Road, Coolum Beach, every second and fourth Sunday of the month. With a great community feel, these markets bring together musicians, artists, foodies, creators and vintage wares.



FISHERMANS ROAD **SUNDAY MARKETS**

Fishermans Road, Maroochydore, every Sunday, 6am to noon. Fishermans Road Markets has been operated and managed for the past 19 years by the Lions Club of Mooloolaba. There are up to 128 stalls offering a huge variety of items for sale including local and market fruit and vegetables, clothing, pet treats, hand tools, books, fresh seafood, baby goods, plants, seedlings, homemade toys and food.







"The kids will be having so much fun they won't even realise they are learning"

AQUARIUM: THE THING TO DO ON THE SUNSHINE COAST

Sea Life Sunshine Coast is a multi-award winning visitor attraction for a reason. There's no other place on the Sunshine Coast that can take you on an amazing journey from the coast to the depths of the ocean and get you up close to more than 10,000 creatures. Spread over three storeys, there is plenty for everyone to enjoy while escaping the summer heat. You'll be mesmerised as you walk through Jellyfish Kingdom and entertained by the playful

residents at Seal Island. Sea Life is the place to see the grey nurse sharks in the Ocean Tunnel. The best part is, the kids will be having so much fun they won't even realise they are learning! There is so much to see and do that will stimulate your little one's minds, you're sure to have a fun-filled day and create lasting family memories.

The Wharf Mooloolaba, sealifesunshinecoast.com.au





Open 7 days from 10am to 5pm. PHONE: 1800 287 333

Nambour Connection Road, 2km North of The Big Pineapple thrillhillwaterslides.com





99 AIRCRAFT ON SITE

Queensland Air Museum recently acquired its 99th historically significant aircraft, a Macchi Trainer operated by the RAAF from 1971 and delivered to the Caloundra museum in early October. This acquisition follows quickly after the Orion P3, which rests at the Sunshine Coast Airport pending disassembly, transport to Caloundra, and reassembly - a huge challenge for the a 60-tonne aircraft with a

30-metre long wingspan.

There has been a lot going on at the QAM recently with acquisitions and restoration works.

And, with 99 historic aircraft and many other displays, the museum is the ideal spot to spend several memorable hours these school holidays.

7 Pathfinder Drive, Caloundra, gam.com.au

SEE MOOLOOLABA FROM A NEW PERSPECTIVE

If you want to see Mooloolaba in a new light, then Sunreef Mooloolaba's new Shoreline or Sunset Cruises aboard Whale One are for you. The shoreline cruise meanders up the Mooloolah River and out along the gorgeous Sunshine Coast beaches and shoreline. If you keep your eyes peeled, you can even see resident wildlife including sea turtles, birds and even the occasional dolphin. The two-hour cruise is a great way to spend time with friends and family onboard the luxury catamaran Whale One. Sunset Cruises travel through the Mooloolah River waterways, with the opportunity to see the sun set over Mooloolaba from the river mouth while listening to great live music from local musicians. For all cruises you can pre-order gourmet food boxes created by The Dock Mooloolaba and choose from meat or vegetarian antipasto platters for two, oysters or Mooloolaba Prawns. There

is also a licensed bar onboard. All cruises are just \$25 per person plus your selection of food. Check out the website for cruise times.

Shop 11 and 12, 123 Parkyn Parade, Mooloolaba, sunreef.com.au





Holiday fun



EXPERIENCE THE THRILL OF THE HILL

There's nothing like the thrill of racing down the twists and turns of a water slide and the anticipation of the splash that awaits at the bottom. And, there is only one place on the Sunshine Coast where you can experience the rush of a 120-metre dynamic hydro slipslide - Thrill Hill. Operating since 1979, Thrill Hill has built a reputation as one of the Sunshine Coast's best days out.

Not only can you enjoy non-stop sliding action, but the venue has covered barbecue and picnic facilities and a kiosk full of delicious snacks to keep you energised. If you want to take the thrill to the next level, enquire about night sliding or bring along the whole group for a birthday or Christmas party.

74 Schubert Road, Woombye, thrillhillwaterslides.com

TIME TO STRIKE OUT

If you want to live your holidays in the fun lane, get down to Suncity Ten Pin. It's the venue where vou can cool down when the summer sun is beating down on the Coast and where you can stay dry when those storms come rolling in. Learn a new skill or simply have some fun challenging your friends and family to see who the ultimate 10 pin champion is. With a kiosk for sustenance and hydration and other games machines to give your bowling arm a break, there is plenty to keep you entertained for hours. Bumpers are available for the young ones so they can be a part of the action too and give everyone the opportunity to nail the coveted strike.

Mari Street, Alexandra Headland, suncitytenpin.com.au



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The Wharf Mooloolaba is the place to meet, eat and explore

With a vibrant collection of restaurants, bars and cafes, plus fashion and homeware retailers, the picturesque Wharf Mooloolaba really is the place to explore, shop and dine these summer holidays. Read on for all you need to know.

The Wharf is the best place to meet, eat and explore this summer with the popular open-air dining and lifestyle precinct boasting boutique fashion and homewares retailers like the flagship Bedouin Traders store and award-winning tourism attractions on and off the water from Sunreef Mooloolaba, Whale One, Mooloolaba Canal Cruises and interactive oceanarium SEALIFE.

A vibrant collection of restaurants, bars and cafes call The Wharf Mooloolaba home, with a wide variety of appetites and budgets catered for at 15 different eateries and bars including Saltwater Bistro and Fish and Chippery, Asian street food sensation Rice Boi, Latin street food specialists El Bigoton, The Dock Mooloolaba and

artisanal gelataria Fior Di Latte alongside longtime tenants like See Restaurant. Also, opening in December, will be burger sensation Ninth Street.

These venues, and many more, along with The Wharf Mooloolaba's wide riverfront setting, all make for an ideal vantage point to take in the Mooloolaba Yacht Club's annual Christmas Boat Parade – a truly magical sight – on again this year on the evening of Saturday, December 22.

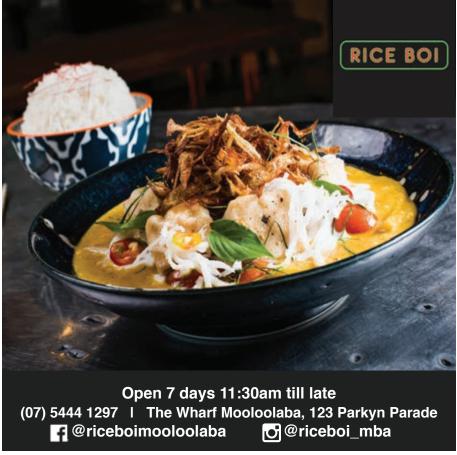
Whether you want to make a day, a night, weekend, or whole week of it, Holiday Mooloolaba can find you the perfect holiday accommodation for your Sunshine Coast sojourn, so that you too can meet, eat and explore at The Wharf Mooloolaba.



















SALTWATER BISTRO

Taking pride of place on the absolute waterfront at The Wharf, Saltwater Bistro is a fully licensed, family-owned and operated seafood restaurant. With luxe indoor and outdoor seating, Saltwater is suitable for groups, kids or a special date. If you'd prefer to take away your fi sh and chips, they have a dedicated kiosk adjacent to the restaurant selling portions of piping hot fresh seafood and classics like the humble but oh so satisfying chip butty.

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COME AND EXPERIENCE A DAY AT THE WHARF!



RICE BOI

You could be forgiven for feeling like you've been transported to a Melbourne laneway when you step inside The Wharf Mooloolaba's Asian street food sensation Rice Boi. This is inventive Asian fusion fare at its most accessible, think 10-hour coconut braised beef in a sweet fragrant curry, katsu curry fries and crispy eggplant chips in a black vinegar caramel. Great for groups, Rice Boi is packed for lunch and dinner and accepts walk-ins only. Hot tip: beat the queue and head to their upstairs bar and relax on the deck with a cold brew while you wait for a table.

SUNREEF & WHALE ONE

Pioneers of the ocean recreation scene. Sunreef Mooloolaba are the scuba diving and snorkelling experts and were the first in Australia to offer the swimming with humpback whales experience in addition to its popular whale watching tours and scuba diving expeditions to the wreck of the HMAS Brisbane. Dedicated to delivering each guest an unforgettable water-based experience, the team at Sunreef are the best in the business and while it's hard to go past a shoreline or sunset cruise on Whale One, they also have jet skis, kayaks, SUPS, bikes and fishing gear for hire.





MOOLOOLABA CANAL CRUISES

Cruising the Mooloolah River and canal system for more than 27 years, the MV Mudjimba is, like The Wharf Mooloolaba, an icon of the region. Built in 1963 as a Brisbane Cross River ferry, this vessel boat is the only timber ferry of its kind still in operation on the Sunshine Coast.

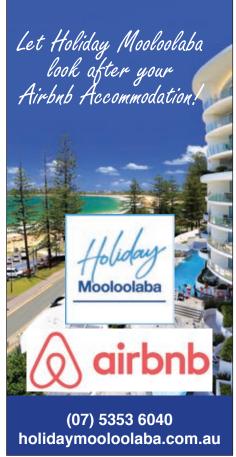
During the one-hour cruise you'll learn some of the local history of the area, discover points of interest and feed the local pelicans. You can also catch a glimpse into the luxury homes and yachts lining the river and be entertained with the best live commentary on the water from friendly and experienced skippers who will even let your children steer alongside them.

BOSTON SHAKER BAR

Named for the iconic two-piece cocktail maker, Boston Shaker Bar is an intimate cocktail and live music lounge hidden away in the heart of The Wharf Mooloolaba.

Channel the spirit of the prohibition-era 1920s with a classic or signature cocktail expertly crafted from a top shelf selection of premium spirits and liqueurs as you lounge in a plush velvet lined booth. The soulful strains of the Sunshine Coast's best live musicians ensure every visit is a memorable one at the Coast's sexiest new cocktail bar.









The Wharf Mooloolaba,

123 Parkyn Parade







EL BIGOTON

Headed up by Brazilian husband and wife team Alexsandro Arpini and Ana Souza since 2017, El Bigoton is a casual eatery and takeaway specialising in Latin American Street Food. Since taking over El Bigoton last year, Alex and Ana have expanded the menu to include not just the Mexican food people love, but new flavours from other Latin American countries, like arepas from Venezuela and popular Argentinean and Brazilian snacks.

FIOR DI LATTE

From one of the chefs behind award-winning Peregian Beach restaurant Pitchfork, Fior Di Latte is an artisanal gelataria already gathering a cult following at The Wharf Mooloolaba for flavours like Fairy Bread, Campari and Orange, Turkish Delight and Salted Caramel, as well as instaworthy décor.





CHRISTMAS BOAT PARADE

The Mooloolaba Christmas Boat Parade organised by Mooloolaba Yacht Club is an institution in these parts. The flotilla of elaborately decorated vessels begins at The Wharf Mooloolaba and

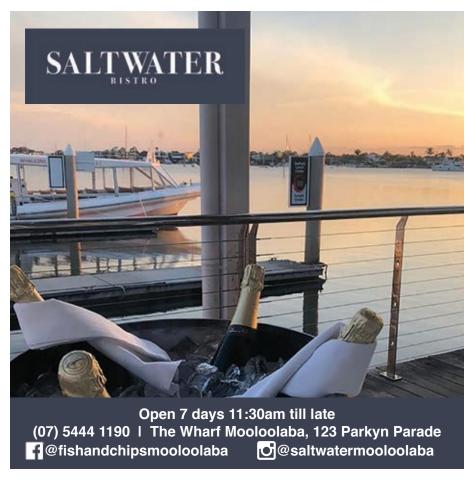
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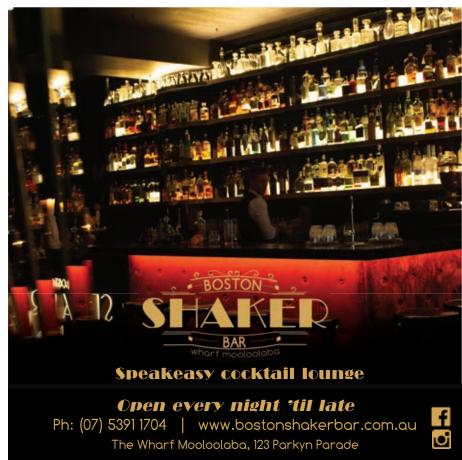
cruises the waterways and canals of the Mooloolah River offering thousands of on-lookers the chance to revel in the Christmas spirit. Later than usual this year because of tides, the Christmas Boat Parade on Saturday, December 22 is the perfect chance to relax with family and friends and ease into the Christmas festivities. The cruise boats at The Wharf Mooloolaba all have opportunities to join the parade or why not make a booking at one of the great restaurants, so you can catch parade and enjoy this festive time. Just be warned - book early to secure your place.

HOLIDAY MOOLOOLABA

Specialising in beachfront and riverside apartments and houses located in and around Mooloolaba, Alexandra Headlands and Maroochydore, you'll find the perfect holiday accommodation for your Sunshine Coast sojourn at Holiday Mooloolaba.









HARRY'S ON BUDERIM

Dine in at Harry's on Buderim and have a quintessential Queensland experience. The wide verandah offers pretty views of the lush Buderim Forest Park, which makes you feel a world away from the hustle and bustle of everyday life. Two-hatted chef Stuart Bell serves up dishes created with fresh, local produce, sure to tantalise your taste buds. The French-English trained chef delivers culinary treats with a modern Australian twist. He strives to create a producedriven menu with great flavour combinations. Book a table and experience Harry's lunch special. For \$49 enjoy a two-course lunch including a glass of house wine, standard beer or softdrink.



THE GOOD BAR

American comfort food done right specialising in burgers, poboys, wings, brisket and ribs.

When it comes to burgers, The Good Bar team knows their stuff. With 15 to choose from, plus the monthly Dreamtime burger that tests the limits in both size and flavour, there is something for all tastebuds. Don't miss the great \$30 all you can eat ribs, wings and slider plates on Mondays. And, get into the venue on Tuesday for trivia hosted by Drew Cantle. Wednesday's special is 24 wings for \$15, while there are \$10 burgers on Thursdays. If live music is your thing, don't miss Friday, Saturday and Sundays at the venue.



JUAN FIFTY ALEXANDRA HEADS

This new offering is all about bringing modern Mexican food to the table by using traditional techniques.

The team creates all of their tacos in house – from the tortilla right through to the fresh salsa. Their creations are whipped up from imported Mexican masa flour and the freshest local produce – delicioso! The menu boasts everything from breakfast to Mexicaninspired snacks through to make-yourown burrito bowls. Monday is vegetarian/vegan night, there is also Taquito Tuesday and \$10 bowls on Thursdays. And, you can wash these sumptuous treats down with a thirst-quenching margarita or mojito.



CELLAR DOOR

Lavish, luxe and affordable – these words perfectly sum up this venue. Using locally sourced produce where possible, chef Nathan Rumble has created a contemporary menu that is fresh and fragrant, yet also deeply satisfying and affordable.

With a warm and sultry interior, the vibe is smooth and moody and the venue is known for its extensive wine list and hosts regular Winemaker Masterclass events featuring winemakers from different wineries.

Cellar Door is open for lunch and dinner from Tuesday through to Saturday and it is also the ideal venue for functions and Christmas parties.











THE PIANO BAR MAROOCHYDORE

Jazz, wine, cocktails and tapas – what more could you want for a good night out? This gorgeous Mediterraneaninspired bar (think Spain, France, Monaco, Malta, Italy, Croatia...) with live music almost every night of the week, is the place to socialise in style. Sip on a cocktail under the mood lighting as tummy-tempting scents waft from the kitchen and smooth music entertains. December will bring piano soloists, flamenco music and funky jazz.

And, be sure to mark New Year's Eve in the diary as The Piano Bar hosts a Gatsby-themed celebration. Guests can dress up and enjoy live music by BB & The Kings at the ticketed event.





RED SEA MAROOCHYDORE

What would the Christmas holidays be without a delicious meal made from fresh and local seafood?

Red Sea has been operating on the Sunshine Coast for six years and is known for its steak and seafood specialties.

All seafood is locally sourced, while the meat eaters will be pleased to learn that the beef featured on the menu is grass fed.

Of course, no visit to Red Sea is complete without sampling the Coast-famous seafood platter – delicious!

All meals are available takeaway and the venue specialises in functions.



LA CANTEENA MAROOCHYDORE

A secret slice of Mexico, hidden down an alleyway off Ocean Street, La Canteena is the perfect spot to unwind in the sunshine or enjoy a cerveza under the stars. From killer cocktails to contemporary Mexican feasts, it's no wonder this little nook has become a favourite hangout for locals to chill-out and fill-up.

On Wednesdays they offer \$3 tacos, on Thursdays they throw a 50 cent wings deal, Fridays are two-for-one lunch, and on Sundays there's a \$5 menu until 5pm, with live music every Sunday evening. With prices like that, there'll be lots of change leftover for a cheeky margarita or three!



SOLBARMAROOCHYDORE

Solbar's known on Ocean street for great pub grub with an international flare. With influences from a multicultural team of chefs, the menu is big on variety, value and flavour. While there's loads of fantastic pubstyle fare to choose from, Solbar's pretty famous for their pizzas, making it an alfresco hot-spot for group dining. They also serve a mean breakfast Friday through to Sunday. Be sure to check the blackboard for specials as the chef's love to surprise regular diners with unexpected dishes from around the world. Be sure to check out this cool venue - you won't regret it.



36-38 Duporth Avenue, Maroochydore 5452 7662 restaurantsnapshot.com/RedSea







OCEAN ENDED MAROOCHYDORE

Set on the ever-changing waters at the mouth of the Maroochy River – where the ocean ends – Ocean Ended provides guests with a friendly, relaxed and elegant dining experience featuring the winning trifecta of stunning views, outstanding coastal cuisine and memorable service.

Talented chef Matt Dearing has created a summer menu full of flavours to delight all guests – from lovers of seafood, to the red-meat types, right through to vegetarians.

Menus can be individualised for Christmas and end-of-year celebrations, which can cater for up to 50 guests seated or 100 cocktail-style.





SEE RESTAURANT

Summer has started and Mooloolaba foreshores are abundant with fresh and delicious delights!

We're thinking of king prawns, Spanish mackerel, yellow fin tuna and the delectable sweet and plum crabs – fresh from the ocean.

See Restaurant is located at The Wharf and with spectacular food and views to match, it's the ideal place to enjoy a lazy lunch or summer night out.

It is said to be the only restaurant in Mooloolaba that offers over-water dining. Is there any better way to relax?

Be sure to book your dinner table, or better yet, why not enjoy a degustation experience?



PIER 33 MOOLOOLABA

Located on the edge of the Mooloolaba Marina, overlooking the blue ocean and taking in views of the blue sky, swaying palms and bobbing boats, is Pier 33. Park yourself on the lush lawn or at one of the outdoor settings and order from the panoramic island bar – bliss!

Pier 33 will be the place to visit these holidays. Book a table and take advantage of the view as the annual Christmas Boat Parade sails by on December 22.

Pier 33 is closed Christmas Day, but will be in full swing on Christmas Eve. There will be regular dinner trade on New Year's Eve and the bar will be open late to help you bring in 2019 in style.



CENTRAL BAR & BISTRO MAROOCHYDORE

Santa's Little Helper is a special Christmas cocktail created to take away your party season stress while you relax in the plush surroundings of Central Bar and choose from the new summer Bistro menu created by executive chef, Gareth Collins. The summer menu features authentic Asian-inspired dishes like Kung Pao Beef Salad, classic favourites from the grill and a selection of decadent desserts created daily by hand. Book now for Maroochy RSL's limited corporate lunch special - just \$25.90pp for a choice of three carvery meats, sides, dessert and a glass or wine, beer or soft drink with Christmas table decorations.



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BEERWAH HOTEL

For a country-style Christmas, head to the relaxed and laid-back Beerwah Hotel. The venue caters for any size function and has a special Christmas menu to suit all taste buds.

The venue, popular with locals and visitors alike, boasts live music every Friday and Saturday night, including country music on the second Saturday of every month. Be sure to stay and dine as the hotel has just launched its new menu including a chef's special steak, priced at \$38. The 350-gram Manning River Angus grass-fed New York sirloin is cooked to your liking and served with Caesar salad, onion rings, beer-battered chips and your choice of sauce.





COOLUM SLSC

Coolum Surf Club's restaurant offers uninterrupted views of the ocean from both their air-conditioned restaurant and expansive deck. Their experienced chefs have been working hard to produce a mouth-watering new summer menu featuring a huge selection of fresh local seafood, pizzas, premium woodfired steaks, fresh salads and a tapas selection. To match their delicious food and absolute beachfront views they also offer an extensive range of craft beers, cocktails and wines to enjoy while listening to the waves crash in, so whether you want to enjoy a tasty meal or a refreshing drink you won't be disappointed with what's on offer.





THE DOCK MOOLOOLABA

The Dock Mooloolaba is the perfect location for your celebration this summer. Located right on the Mooloolah River at the vibrant Wharf Mooloolaba, the venue can seat up to 300 people and can cater for all sizes and styles of functions, with the River Bar already a favourite venue for drinks and canapes as the sun sets. Also for summer. The Dock has introduced live music from great local artists on weekends. This venue is gaining a reputation for having amazing meals such as smoked meats, char grilled steaks and seafood, as well as delicious classics and finger food. If that isn't enough, there are 52 beer taps across three bars, with 16 beers on tap all the time.





PALMWOODS HOTEL PALMWOODS

The Palmwoods Hotel is known for its live music scene and with a mix of local and interstate acts taking to the stage every Friday and Saturday night, there is always plenty of entertainment.

Plus, the venue has recently launched its new menu, which includes a fish special. Sit back and enjoy the Western Australian Cone Bay barramundi served crispy skinned with sweet potato mash, steamed greens and a Mooloolaba coconut prawn and hollandaise sauce. Yum! Christmas and New Year's haven't been forgotten with function packages available. There will also be an RnB dance party to bring in 2019. Grab your friends and have a great night out.



festive recipes ...

There is something special about getting into the kitchen and bringing a Christmas menu to life. Christmas food is about fresh, festive ingredients, and love!



GLAZED HAM WITH ROASTED APPLES

This recipe is great for any sized ham.

Ingredients

- 1 smoked ham
- ¾ cup apple sauce
- ½ cup dijon mustard
- ¼ cup packed light brown sugar
- ¼ cup apple cider vinegar
- 1/4 tsp ground cloves
- 1 tbsp chopped rosemary
- 8 small apples, halved

Method

Preheat the oven to 170 degrees, or fire up the barbecue. Remove skin from ham if there is one. Score the top of the ham in a crosshatch pattern. Place the ham, fat facing upwards, in a large roasting pan. Combine the apple sauce, mustard, brown sugar, vinegar, rosemary and cloves in a bowl until smooth. Brush the ham with some of the glaze and bake for 20 minutes. Add the apples to the pan, cut-side up, and return to the oven/barbecue. Be sure to turn the apples over in the last 20 minutes. Bake for one hour for a small ham and one to two hours for a large ham, glazing every 20 minutes. Remove from the heat when the glaze is golden and sticky. Transfer the ham to a cutting board and let it rest for 15 minutes before carving. Serve with the roasted apples.

Recipe supplied by IGA Marketplace on Wises Road.

ROLLED PORK WITH APPLES AND CRANBERRIES

Serves 6 Ingredients

- 1.7kg rolled pork loin
- 1 large chopped apple
- 1/3 cup dried cranberries

Method

Untie the pork and roll out, Place the chopped apple and cranberries on the flesh along the centre, length ways.

Season. Roll back up and tie with butcher's string. Preheat oven to 240 degrees. Rub the skin with sea salt. Place in a roasting pan and roast for 30 minutes. Reduce the heat to 200 degrees and roast for a further 50 to 60 minutes, or until juices run clear when pierced. Allow to rest before serving.

Recipe supplied by Fresh Meats, Wises Road.



Season with fresh sage for a festive flavour

CHRISTMAS PORK WITH CRACKLING

Serves 6-8 Ingredients

• 2kg boneless or bone-in pork shoulder

Method

Preheat oven to 240 degrees. Season meat and skin generously with cracked pepper, sea flakes and dried sage. Transfer pork to a roasting dish and roast for 50 minutes. Reduce temperature to 160 degrees and roast for a

further 90 minutes. Increase the temperature back up to 230 degrees and roast for a final 10 minutes, or until the rind has turned into a golden crackling and the pork is cooked through. Remove from the oven and allow to rest for 15 minutes before carving.



TIPS FOR Crackling

Place pork, uncovered with the rind facing upwards, in the refrigerator for at least one hour, or overnight if time allows. Allow pork to come to room temperature one to two hours before roasting. Use a sharp knife to score the rind in one-centimetre intervals. Thoroughly pat the skin dry with paper towels before seasoning.

Tip: Save time and pre-score the skin the day before.



A LOCAL ALEXANDRA FAVOURITE

Book now for your end-of-year functions. Complimentary room hire, bottle of champagne or wine for bookings of 30 or more people. Tailored packages to suit your needs. Platter options available. Alexandra Headland Hotel, 5443 1811, thealex.com.au.



NEW YEAR'S EVE AT THE REEF

Celebrate at the black and white New Year's Eve party. Bistro open with all-day dining until 10pm - full bistro menu plus tasty chef's suggestions menu. There's entertainment for the kids and live music. Open until 5am for bars and gaming. Noosa Reef Hotel, 5430 7500, noosareef.com.au.







NEW YEAR'S EVE JAZZ & SHIRAZ

Join the Buderim Tavern this New Year's Eve for a family-friendly event! There will be a three-piece jazz band, full menu, face painting, bouncy castle and entertainment for the children.

Buderim Tavern, 5453 3777, buderimtavern.com.au.

NYE KIDS' WONDERLAND PARTY

Lots of fun for the whole family! Kicking off at 5.30pm, there will be a glow-stick party, face painting, games, music and dancing with fireworks at 8pm. Book in your Christmas lunch or dinner party, then sit back relax while we serve you. Pelican Waters Tavern, 5437 3622, pelicanwaterstavern.com.au.







A FAVOURITE AMONG LOCALS & VISITORS

Whether you're looking for relaxed afternoon cocktails on the water's edge, lunch or dinner with friends, or seeing the best entertainment on the Sunshine Coast, the Wharf Tavern has you covered.

The Wharf Tavern, 5444 8383, wharftavern.com.au.



THE CALOUNDRA HOTEL

There will be all-day dining and a full menu. Or try the seafood platter or surf and turf from the chef's specials board. Mr Perkins Live and Loud from 8pm through to midnight and DJ Braz on until 3am. Entry is free. New Year's Day Recovery – all-day dining with a bloody Mary and burger special, \$15. Caloundra Hotel, 5439 4555, caloundracbx.com.au.

festive recipes ...



PINEAPPLE AND BOURBON HAM JAM

This is perfect as an accompaniment to turkey, duck or cheese.

Yields approximately 2 x 250ml jars

Ingredients

- 2 large ripe pineapples, peeled, cored and chopped
- 2 cups orange juice
- 3 limes, juice of 3 and zest of 2
- 1 large red chilli, deseeded and sliced
- 2 slices raw ginger (to taste)
- 2 tsp dijon mustard
- 3 cups brown sugar
- 1 cup bourbon or dark rum (both give a distinctive tropical flavour and enhance the pineapple)

Method

Blend pineapple pieces in a food processor. Place pineapple, orange juice, lime zest, chilli, ginger, dijon mustard and brown sugar into a large saucepan. Bring mixture to a boil. Cook over medium to low heat for 40 minutes. Mixture should be slightly thickened. Add bourbon and lime juice and cook for a further 10 minutes. Remove ginger. Allow to cool. Store jam in airtight, sterilised jars. The jam will keep in the refrigerator for up to four months.

Recipe supplied by IGA Marketplace on Wises Road.



FESTIVE OYSTERS

Place oysters on a grill tray top. Top half of these oysters with half a teaspoon of readymade garlic butter, sprinkle with freshly grated parmesan and thinly sliced bacon. Top the other half with diced cherry tomatoes, fresh basil and a mix of parmesan and tasty cheddar. Place under heated grill or onto a barbecue with the hood down until the cheese is melted and bacon is crisp. Serve with lemon.









BARBECUE GARLIC BUGS

Spread garlic butter over bugs. Balance the bugs with the flesh facing up on barbecue grill with the hood down. Cook until butter is melted and slightly coloured. Alternatively, these can be placed under the grill.





festive recipes..

POSH PRAWN COCKTAIL

Serves 6 Ingredients

- 3 avocados
- 2 spring onions, finely sliced (save greener ends for garnish)
- 1 tomato, deseeded and finely chopped
- 12 cooked and peeled prawns, chopped
- Red caviar
- · Salt and pepper
- Lemon

Method

Cut avocados in half and remove stone, scoop out avocado and cut into small chunks. In a bowl gently mix avocado with chopped prawn meat, tomatoes and spring onions. Season



easy entree with salt and pepper and a squeeze of lemon to desired taste. It should have

a fresh zing to it. Serve in avocado

shells. Garnish with spring onions and a teaspoon of caviar
Tip: Filling can be made the day before.
Make sure that you place cling wrap directly on top of the mixture and gently press to remove all air pockets to prevent it from going brown.



Serves 2

- Ingredients60g quinoa
- 150g cooked prawn meat
- 1/2 cucumber, halved and sliced
- ½ red onion, finely sliced
- 50g watercress or rocket
- 100g cherry tomatoes, halved
- Handful coriander and mint chopped

For the dressing

- 1 lime, zest and juice
- 1 red chilli, deseeded and finely chopped

- 2 tbsp light soy sauce
- 1 tsp extra virgin oil
- 1 tsp honey



Method

Boil the quinoa in a small pan for 15 minutes until the grains are tender and look like they have burst. Drain well and tip into a bowl. Allow to cool. Mix dressing ingredients in a jar, store in fridge until required. Add salad ingredients and prawns. Toss gently. Toss through salad dressing 10 minutes before serving.







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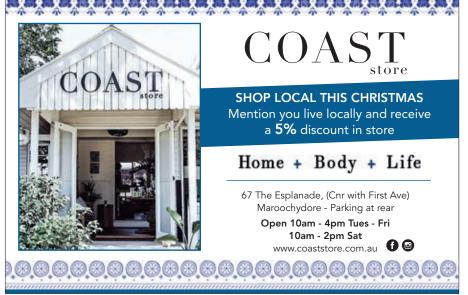


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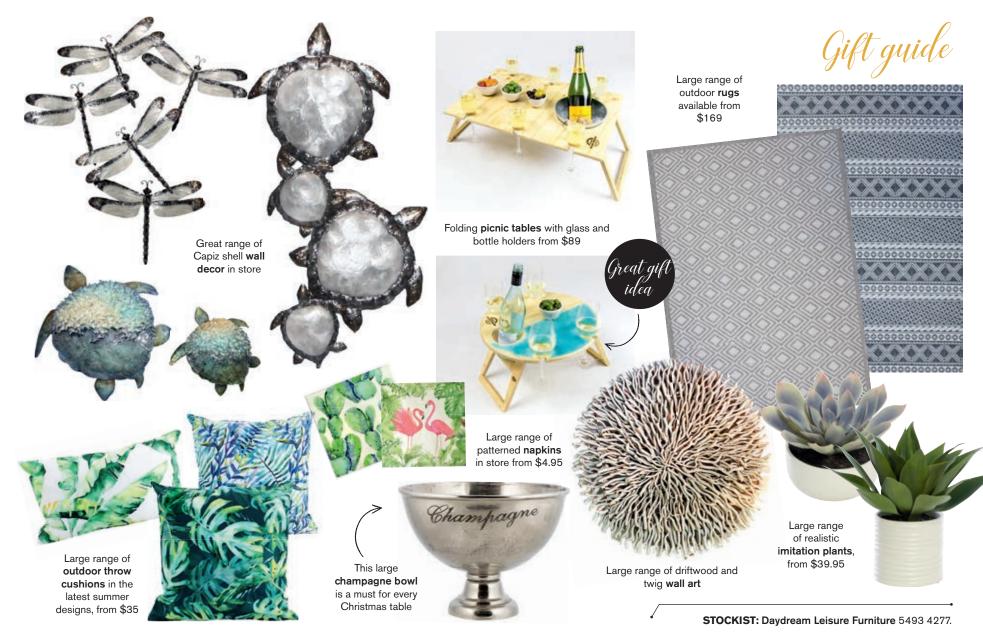


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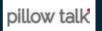












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