

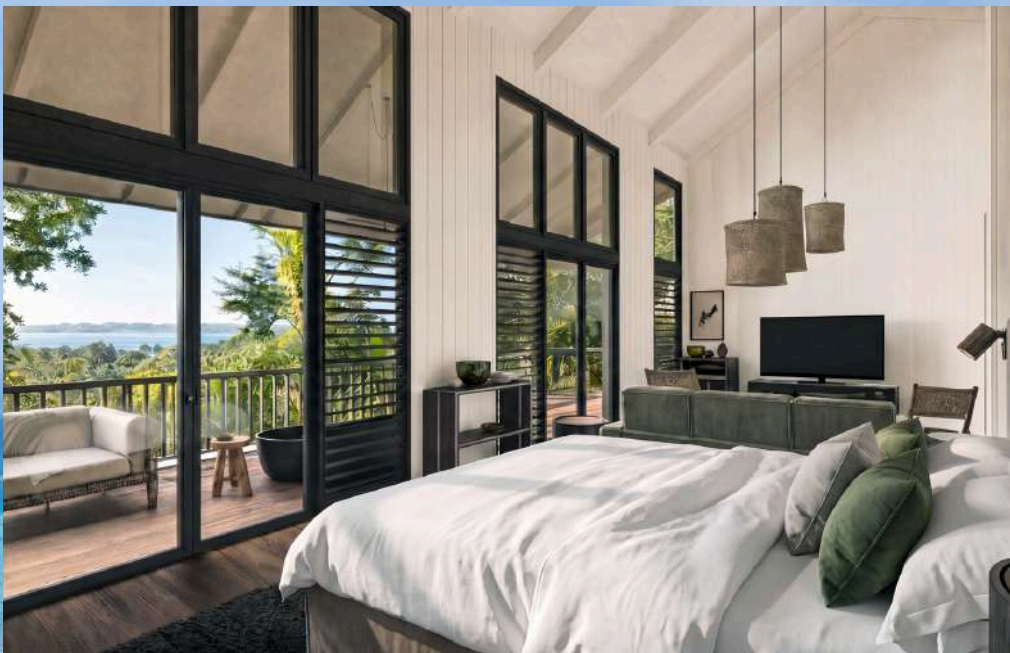


LODGE GUIDE 2026

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WHERE THE RAINFOREST MEETS THE REEF

Ever Bloomfield is an intimate lodge resting between two UNESCO World Heritage sites – the ancient Daintree Rainforest and the Great Barrier Reef – immersed in one of the most biologically rich regions in Australia. Fourteen bungalows and an open, light-filled heart of the lodge overlook the water, welcoming guests to gather, reflect and connect in view of nature. Every stay is shaped by care, culture and nature. Guided on land, sea and air, guests find clarity and connection while our team nurtures country, community and habitat through genuine partnerships and proven stewardship.



OPENING NOVEMBER 2026

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EXPERIENCES



MEANINGFUL JOURNEYS FELT DEEPLY

Across Australia's wild and beautiful landscapes, Ever Bloomfield creates expedition and experiences that move beyond the expected. Every journey is shaped by genuine connection – to place, to people, and to the quiet moments that linger long after they've passed. They are not about spectacle, but about immersion, about slowing down, noticing more, and allowing nature to lead the way.

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GUIDED BY PEOPLE GROUNDED IN PLACE

At the heart of every Ever Bloomfield journey is an intuitive storyteller whose care and insight bring the landscape to life. Our approach to guiding is deeply personal, anchored in expertise, humility, and the belief that true connection happens through shared experience.

Whether walking a rainforest trail, tracking wildlife across open plains, or preparing food over an open fire, our guests are invited to participate, not just observe. Every expedition and experience is designed to foster perspective, belonging, and a lasting connection to the land and its people.



WITHOUT A FIXED SCRIPT

No two stays at Ever Bloomfield are the same. Expeditions and experiences are curated in response to each guest's interests, mood and the conditions of the day, rather than following a fixed schedule. This allows the destination to guide the journey. Throughout the day and across the property, experiences unfold organically, inviting guests to take part as much or as little as they choose.

Moments may include fishing from the jetty, visits to a local rare tropical fruits plantation, guided beach foraging, coastal cruises offering a new perspective of the rainforest, or hikes through rainforest to secluded beaches for chef-prepared meals. Weather and timing may also shape pop-up reef or sand cay experiences, while evenings may include storytelling and shared moments with local Kuku Yalanji community members.

Our team builds authentic relationships with guests, welcoming them into the rhythm of Bloomfield so experiences feel personal, unforced and deeply memorable.

MEANGINGFUL JOURNEYS FELT DEEPLY



EXPEDITIONS

Some journeys ask more of you. Ever Expeditions are full-day guided experiences designed to take guests deeper - into the rainforest, along the coast, and into themselves. Physically engaging and emotionally resonant, they're built for those who want to return home changed, not just rested.

EXPERIENCES

Not every remarkable moment requires a full day. Ever Experiences are half-day encounters that bring the Tropical North to life through close observation, local knowledge, and genuine interaction. Informative without being instructive, and social without being performative - they're the kind of thing guests find themselves still talking about at dinner.

SIDE QUESTS

Curiosity doesn't keep to a schedule. Side Quests are short, nimble adventures - sometimes planned, sometimes not - that invite guests to wander a little further when the mood strikes. Themed around a single activity or place, they're the perfect punctuation between longer days, or a reason to leave the deck chair behind entirely.

SIGNATURE EXPEDITIONS



A journey through two of the world's great living systems, where ancient rainforest and coral reef meet. Guided by those who know this place intimately, guests explore the Daintree's evolving ecology on foot, by sea and on wheels, with access to remote sand cays, freshwater streams and tropical landscapes.

Connection to Country is central to Bloomfield, with opportunities to engage with local Indigenous community members who share cultural knowledge and stories that reveal the deep relationship between people and place.

The expeditions outlined below are included as part of a stay at Ever Bloomfield. The expeditions are curated around guest interests and the rhythm of each stay, allowing our team to introduce the best of Bloomfield based on time, conditions and personal preference.

GREAT BARRIER REEF SEA SAFARI

EYE OF THE REEF

A science-led day on the outer reef, guided by experts who bring the underwater world into sharp focus. Guests are briefed before departure on the marine life, habitats, and ecosystems they are likely to encounter, then spend extended time in the water snorkelling and identifying species - contributing observations to active citizen science programs that monitor and protect this section of the reef. Lunch is served on board, and where conditions allow, a freshly prepared ceviche made from the day's catch. An encounter with the reef as a living, working system, and a rare opportunity to be part of the effort to understand it.

CORAL & CAYS

A day built around the pure pleasure of being on the Great Barrier Reef. The journey begins with a scenic coastal cruise where rainforest meets reef, watching for turtles, rays, and dugong along the way, before heading out to a deserted sand cay. Snorkelling, fishing, beach games, and a long, unhurried lunch - white tablecloth on the sand, chef-prepared, with nowhere else to be. An afternoon that feels like the best possible version of a day at the reef.

CHASING WATERFALLS

Follow the water through the Shipton Flats region, moving through dry savannah and fringing rainforest to Parrott Falls, Annan Falls, and - for those who want to push further - Tri Falls and the creeks beyond. The route passes through the Roberts Brothers property, a reliably good ground for spotting Tree Kangaroo and Striped Possum, and the creek systems carry a strong chance of platypus alongside varied birdlife throughout.

The day is tailored to the group - fitter guests can chase the waterfalls upstream through largely untouched forest toward the headwaters; those after a gentler day can access Parrott and Annan Falls via existing tracks. The day is yours - swim, explore, or simply sit listening to the cascading water and the call of the rainforest creatures.

SIGNATURE EXPERIENCES



TREVATHAN FALLS - RIDE & DISCOVER

The ride to Trevathan Falls is half the experience. Guests take to e-bikes along a flat dirt track that threads through rainforest, wetland and woodland savannah - witness the changing environment and keep watch for wildlife.

Trevathan Creek flows year-round, and above the main cascade a series of secluded pools look north across the escarpment toward Cooktown. Enjoy a mid-morning picnic basket snack. The day is yours - swim, explore, or simply sit with a view very few people ever find themselves in front of. On route back to the lodge, stop in a The Lions Den Hotel for a classic pub lunch.

CATCH & COOK

The Hope Islands sit within fringing reef and mangrove, holding the kind of seafood larger that rewards patience and a little luck. Guests head out by boat to fish the reef or hunt mud crabs before turning their catch into a beach cook - fire lit, fish cleaned, the whole unhurried sequence from sea to plate. For those who prefer it, the catch travels back to the lodge kitchen instead.

The experience can also fold into a day at Cedar Bay, where the catch becomes the centrepiece of a more elevated lunch on the beach - guests arriving with the ingredients, the chef arriving with everything else.

BLOOMFIELD RIVER CRUISE

As the afternoon light softens, drinks in hand and eyes on the banks, the Bloomfield River reveals what the rainforest keeps close to the water's edge. Birds work the shallows, mangroves crowd the banks, and eyes stay peeled for the elusive crocodile. The river at dusk is a different world entirely.

KANGAJI BEACH HIKE

Departing from the lodge, an hour through the rainforest brings guests to Kangaji - a secluded bay with the particular quality of feeling entirely undiscovered. Time here is unstructured: beach combing, swimming, or doing very little at all. A picnic lunch arrives from the lodge kitchen. The return can be made on foot or by boat, depending on the tide and the mood.

ON COUNTRY

By invitation of the Kuku Yalanji people, guests have the opportunity to spend time with members of the Wujal Wujal community in experiences led entirely by them - on their terms, in their time.

This might mean sitting at the Yarning Circle as Elders share stories of Country and Culture, or walking to Bloomfield Falls with Auntie Cathleen. These are genuine exchanges, not performances. Guests are asked to come with curiosity, respect, and an openness to listening.



PRIVATE EXPEDITIONS

A selection of privately hosted expeditions are available at an additional cost, offering deeper access and a more personalised exploration of the region. These experiences are tailored to individual interests and arranged in consultation with our team.

HELI SAFARI - QUINKAN ROCK ART & REEF

Fly deep into country rich with ancient stories and living culture. Landing near Quinkan rock art site, listed by UNESCO as being among the top 10 rock art sites in the world. Meet with Traditional Owners who share the art's meaning and its enduring connection to their ancestors. A profound journey through 30,000 years of both time and place.

On your return journey, fly over the Great Barrier Reef and that in the impressive reef system from the air. Should time allow, land on a deserted sand cay for a swim and snorkel or picnic.

PRIVATE REEF SAFARI

A full-day, privately hosted marine experience exploring the Great Barrier Reef and surrounding islands. The day may include snorkeling, stand-up paddleboarding, fishing and wildlife spotting, with a chef-prepared lunch enjoyed on Hope Island. Experiences are shaped by conditions and guest interests.

HELICOPTER SAFARIS

Full-day tailored aerial adventures to remote locations including Roaring Meg Falls, sand cays, and Botanical Ark. Includes cultural guiding and optional chef-prepared meals.



PRIVATE RIVER & REEF FISHING EXPEDITIONS

Privately chartered fishing experiences are available with an experienced local skipper, tailored to guest interests and seasonal conditions. Options range from barramundi fishing in river and mangrove systems to full-day offshore expeditions targeting reef species. Each charter offers an informed, hands-on exploration of the region's diverse marine environments.

Blue water sport fishing charters also available for a full-day offshore fishing targeting pelagics.

WELLNESS EXPERIENCES

In-room self-guided rituals and wellness therapies featuring La Gaia Unedited.

STAY

Accommodation at Ever Bloomfield is designed to blur the boundary between shelter and surroundings. Each room is immersed in lush tropical foliage and shaped by natural materials including local timbers, stone and a colour palette drawn from the rainforest itself. Layered with artwork and objects that reflect the people of the Daintree, the spaces create a deeply immersive sense of place - thoughtful, tactile and quietly connected to the landscape.

QUEENSLANDER

Positioned higher across the site, four Queenslanders offer the most expansive outlooks and a heightened sense of privacy. Large outdoor decks extend the living space into the landscape, creating an elevated retreat defined by openness, light and quiet separation from the rest of the property.

CABINS

Designed as intimate, private retreats, Bloomfields's five Cabins sit within the heart of the guest quarter and offer a quiet sense of seclusion. Thoughtfully composed and intentionally simple in form, they enjoy water views and an outdoor deck, creating a calm and cocooned space to slow down and settle in.

SUITES

The two free standing Suites, which are interconnected, are defined by space and ease, with expansive living areas that open onto a deck with garden surrounds. Their suite-style layout allows for relaxed, unhurried living, making them well suited to guests who value generous interiors and a strong connection to the property's gardens.

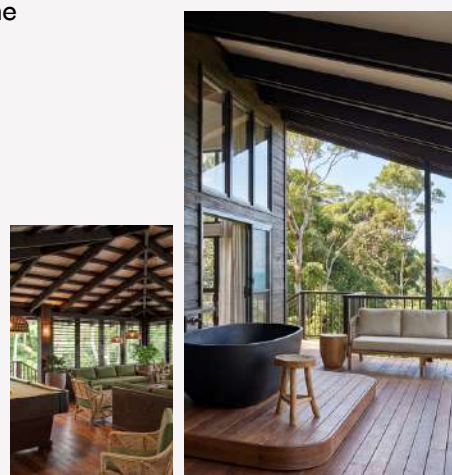
Connected to the main lodge, the Lodge Suite offers a private and convenient stay within easy reach of communal spaces.

Thoughtfully designed and fully accessible, the suite features a small outdoor deck and a sense of quiet separation despite its central location with a separate living area for added space and comfort.

LODGE ROOM

Connected to the main lodge, the Lodge Room offers a private and convenient stay within easy reach of communal spaces.

Thoughtfully designed, the room features a small outdoor deck and bathtub, offering a sense of quiet separation despite its central location.



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STAY

JALAN — QUEENSLANDER ROOM #4

JAH-lun (sea urchin)

SIZE

80m²

CAPACITY

2 guests



JUKARR — QUEENSLANDER ROOM #8

JOO-kah (white sand)

SIZE

62m²

CAPACITY

2 guests



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STAY

MILI — QUEENSLANDER ROOM #9

MIH-lee (jelly fish)

SIZE

58m²

CAPACITY

2 guests



KIRBAJI — QUEENSLANDER ROOM #10

kir-BAH-jee (dugong)

SIZE

62m²

CAPACITY

2 guests



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KANGKIJI — SUITE ROOM #2

KANG-kee-jee (Traditional Owner Surname)

SIZE

76m²

CAPACITY

3 guests

KIJA — SUITE ROOM #3

KEE-jah (moon)

SIZE

76m²

CAPACITY

3 guests

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STAY

WAWIRRA — CABIN ROOM #1

wah-WEER-uh (Traditional Owner Surname)

SIZE

61m²

CAPACITY

2 guests



YAWU — CABIN ROOM #6

YAH-woo (stingray)

SIZE

45m²

CAPACITY

2 guests



KIJU — CABIN ROOM #7

KEE-joo (crab)

SIZE

47m²

CAPACITY

2 guests



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STAY

MARUBU — CABIN ROOM #11

mah-ROO-boo (oyster)

SIZE

47m²

CAPACITY

2 guests



KAJARRBI — CABIN ROOM #12

kah-JAR-bee (clamshell)

SIZE

46m²

CAPACITY

2 guests



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MUYARR — LODGE SUITE ROOM #13

moo-YAR (wind)

SIZE
50.2m²

CAPACITY
3 guests

ADDITIONAL INFO
Accessible room

DALKAN — LODGE ROOM #14

DAL-kun (black palm)

SIZE
40.1m²

CAPACITY
2 guests

STAY LODGE MAP



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CULINARY PHILOSOPHY

FROM GARDEN, COAST & RAINFOREST

Dining at Ever Bloomfield is guided by generosity, simplicity and a strong connection to place. Open kitchens invite a sense of participation and shared experience, where meals feel relaxed, abundant and quietly celebratory. The culinary approach is grounded in regional produce, with a focus on seasonal ingredients, fresh local seafood, often caught by guests, and lesser-known rainforest fruits and vegetables that reflect the diversity of the surrounding landscape.

Meals unfold both on site and beyond, from communal tables to beachside picnics and rainforest dining. At every turn, guests are invited to explore new flavours in a way that feels nourishing and cared for - thoughtful, unhurried and deeply connected to Bloomfield.



BOTANICAL STEWARDSHIP

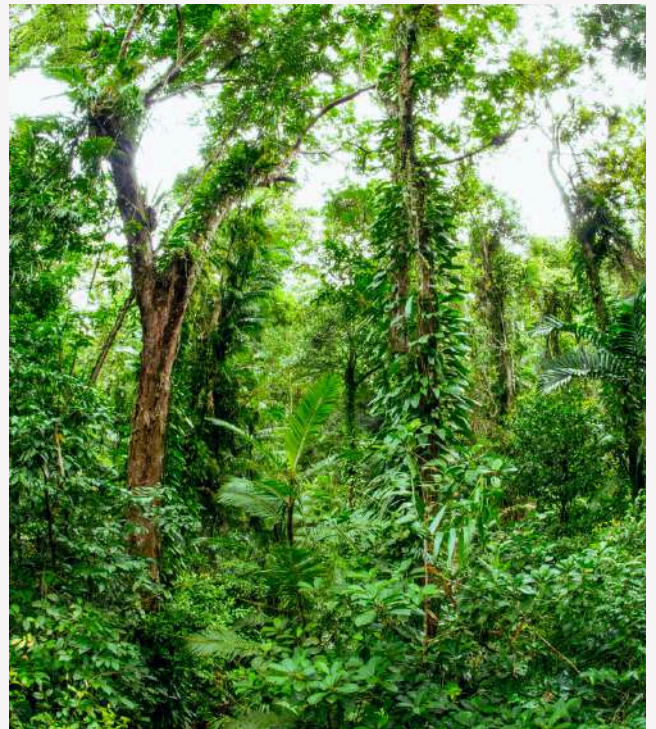
ALAN CARLE

Alan Carle is the founder of The Botanical Ark, a privately developed ethnobotanical garden established more than 35 years ago and dedicated to the relationship between plants, people and biodiversity. Working alongside his wife Susan, Alan has spent decades cultivating and protecting plant species used by indigenous rainforest cultures for food, medicine and everyday life. His work is grounded in long-term stewardship, regeneration and practical land management.

With nearly four decades of experience, Alan has worked across tropical regions of Africa, Asia, the Americas and Australia, leading projects from concept through to implementation. He is the founder and past President of the Rare Fruit Council of Australia and a former President of the Heliconia Society International, with international recognition for his approach to ecologically responsible landscape design.

LANDSCAPE & REVEGITATION

At Ever Bloomfield, Alan is leading the landscape design and revegetation across the property, building on an established garden that transitions into the surrounding Daintree Rainforest. More than 10,000 plants, each propagated by Alan, are being introduced, with a focus on rare and culturally significant species native to the region. A new creek and waterfall system flows from the central facility through the gardens, alongside a productive forage garden that supports the culinary experience. The landscape is designed to evolve over time, strengthening Bloomfield's connection to place.



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QUEENSLANDER — 4 ROOMS · MAX 2 GUESTS

Positioned higher across the site, the four Queenslanders offer the most expansive outlooks and a heightened sense of privacy. Large outdoor decks extend the living space into the landscape, creating an elevated retreat defined by openness, light, and quiet separation from the rest of the property.

CABIN — 5 ROOMS · MAX 2 GUESTS

Designed as intimate, private retreats, the five Cabins sit within the heart of the guest quarter. Thoughtfully composed and intentionally simple in form, they enjoy rainforest views and partial water views with an outdoor deck, creating a calm and cocooned space to slow down and settle in.

SUITES — 2 ROOMS · MAX 3 GUESTS

The two interconnected Suites are defined by space and ease, with expansive living areas that open onto a deck with garden surrounds and commanding water views. Their suite-style layout allows for relaxed, unhurried living, making them well suited to guests who value generous interiors and a strong connection to the property's gardens.

LODGE SUITE — 1 ROOM · MAX 3 GUESTS · FULLY ACCESSIBLE

Connected to the main lodge, the Lodge Suite offers a private and convenient stay within easy reach of communal spaces. Thoughtfully designed and fully accessible, the suite features an outdoor deck and a separate living area for added space and comfort.

LODGE ROOM — 1 ROOM · MAX 2 GUESTS

Connected to the main lodge, the Lodge Room offers a private and convenient stay within easy reach of communal spaces. The room features an outdoor deck and can be combined with the Lodge Suite with one entrance but two separate doors, making it the perfect place for families.



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All Ever Bloomfield rates are all-inclusive and cover:

- Accommodation in the confirmed room category
- All chef-prepared meals – breakfast, lunch, and dinner
- Daily shared experiences program
- Complimentary in-room bar, replenished daily
- Selection of premium beverages including wines and spirits (alcoholic and non-alcoholic). Cellar list wines and spirits are available at an additional cost
- Guest laundry service (machine wash and dry) with 24-hour turnaround. Dry-cleaning facilities not available
- Return road transfers from Mount Louis Airstrip to Port Bloomfield (approximately 10-minute drive)
- Return 10-minute boat transfers from Port Bloomfield to the lodge



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PRACTICAL INFORMATION

LOCATION

Ever Bloomfield is located on the Tropical North Queensland Coast where the ancient Daintree Rainforest meets the Great Barrier Reef.

COMMUNICATION

Complimentary wireless internet is available throughout the property. There is limited cellular coverage at Ever Bloomfield and the surrounding region. The Telstra network provides the best cellular coverage.

No cash will be accepted at the lodge - all credit card fees will be waived.

OPERATING SEASON

Ever Bloomfield has a seasonal closure between 01 February to 15 March yearly.

WHAT TO BRING

Reflecting the adventurous nature of Tropical North Queensland, dress is relaxed at Ever Bloomfield. Solid walking shoes, comfortable clothes suitable for a tropical environment and sun protection are recommended. A detailed packing guide will be shared with guests ahead of their stay.

SEASONALITY

The Daintree Coast has a climate entirely its own. Learning to read it - the weight of the wet season air, the clarity that follows a tropical downpour, the dry season light that turns everything gold - is part of understanding this place.

	Average Daytime Temperature	Average Overnight Temperature	Average Water Temperature
Spring (September - November)	78-86°F (26-30°C)	66-74°F (19-23°C)	79-84°F (26-29°C)
Summer (December - February)	86-92°F (30-33°C)	75-79°F (24-26°C)	83-88°F (28-31°C)
Fall/Autumn (March - May)	84-88°F (29-31°C)	73-76°F (23-24°C)	81-85°F (27-29°C)
Winter (June - August)	75-82°F (24-28°C)	61-68°F (16-20°C)	75-80°F (24-27°C)

RAIN FALL AND HUMIDITY

— **Wet Season** (December – April): Most of the annual rainfall falls in these months due to tropical monsoon influences, with February often among the wettest.

— **Dry Season** (May - November): Markedly drier with far fewer rain days.

Humidity mirrors the rainfall pattern, with higher humidity in the wet season and lower, more comfortable humidity in the dry season.



PRACTICAL INFORMATION



THE JOURNEY IN

Some places are worth the journey. Ever Bloomfield is one of them.

Tucked into the Daintree Coast with no road access, reaching the property is your first encounter with just how remote - and just how remarkable - this part of Australia truly is. The adventure starts before you arrive.

The landscape that surrounds Ever Bloomfield is genuinely difficult to comprehend from the ground. From the air, it reveals itself - rainforest tumbling to a coastline that gives way to reef systems stretching further than the eye can follow, the Coral Sea shifting through colours that have no business existing in the same frame. However, you choose to arrive, we'd encourage you to consider the view.

BY ROAD

Route	Vehicle
Cairns to Port Bloomfield	3½ hrs
Cooktown to Port Bloomfield	1 hr

BY AIR

Route	Heli	Charter
Cairns to Mt Louis Station	40 min	25 min
Cooktown to Mt Louis Station	20 min	15 min

FINAL TRANSFER · BY BOAT

A short boat transfer of approximately 15 minutes connects Port Bloomfield to Ever Bloomfield. Road transfers between Mt Louis Airstrip and Port Bloomfield are included in the all-inclusive rate.

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At Ever, we begin by listening. We acknowledge the Traditional Custodians of the lands and waters that hold us, and we pay respect to Elders past and present. At Ever Bloomfield, we acknowledge the Kuku Yalanji people as the Traditional Custodians of this Country and recognise their enduring connection to land, sea, sky, and community. As guests here, we commit to walking gently, learning with humility, and caring for place and people through the way we host and share time on Country.