

## 2 DAYS / 1 NIGHT STAY

The Town of 1770 offers the perfect mix of relaxation, adventure, and history. Whether you're a couple looking for a peaceful retreat or a semi-retiree seeking new experiences, this two-day itinerary delivers stunning scenery, historical sites and unforgettable coastal adventures.



1770 Marina

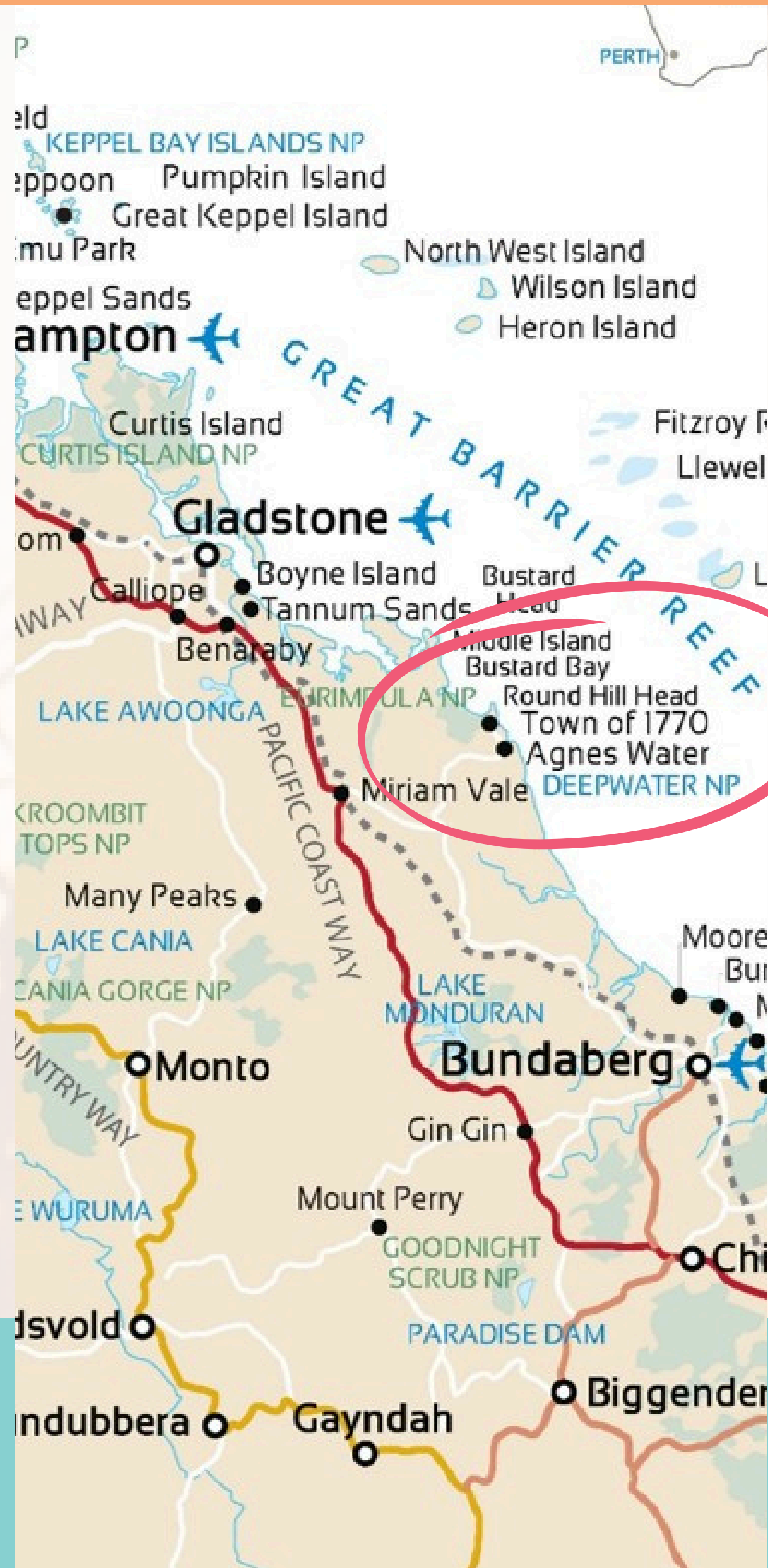
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AGNES WATER / 1770  
VISITOR INFORMATION CENTRE

71 Springs Road  
Agnes Water  
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Open 7 days

# GETTING HERE



**Reaching the Town of 1770 is easy, whether you prefer a scenic road trip, a quick flight or even a train ride.**

**By Road:** Take the turnoff from the **Bruce Highway** at **Miriam Vale** and enjoy a picturesque drive through the Discovery Coast. This route leads you to our hidden coastal paradise, known for its pristine beaches, lush national parks, and endless outdoor adventures. Located in the **Gladstone Region**, Agnes Water and the Town of 1770 are just 1.5 hours south of Gladstone and north of Bundaberg or a 5.5 hour drive from Brisbane.

**By Air:** Fly into Gladstone Airport, where car hire is available for a seamless 1.5 hour drive to the coast. Before you know it, you'll be unwinding by the water, soaking in the natural beauty of 1770.

**By Rail:** Travel in comfort aboard the Tilt Train, which stops daily at Miriam Vale. From there, the 1770 Shuttle provides convenient transfers to the Town of 1770 (via bookings only), making it easy to reach this coastal paradise without a car.

**TOP LOCAL TIP:** Before making the final 40 minute stretch from Miriam Vale to the Town of 1770, treat yourself to a locally loved crab sandwich—it's a delicious way to break up the trip and get a taste of the region!

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*We recognise the Bailai, Gurang, Gooreng Gooreng, and Taribelang Bunda peoples as the Traditional Custodians of this land. We honour their deep and enduring connection to Country and pay our respects to their Elders, past and present. Their wisdom, culture, and stories continue to inspire and guide us, and we are grateful for the opportunity to walk together toward a shared future.*



# DAY ONE

## LUNCH

Begin your 1770 journey with a delightful lunch at **Barraca by the Sea**, a family-run treasure nestled at the **1770 Marina**. Their menu showcases fresh, Mediterranean-inspired dishes, from mouthwatering seafood to delectable tapas. Enjoy the relaxed ambiance and scenic waterfront views, making it the perfect spot to savour the coastal charm of 1770. Pair your meal with a refreshing cocktail or a locally sourced beverage as you soak in the laid-back atmosphere, an ideal way to ease into your adventure in this stunning seaside destination.



## MID AFTERNOON

Take a scenic stroll along the **1770 Headland Lookout** & Foreshore Walk, where panoramic views of Bustard Bay stretch before you. This must-do walk offers a chance to spot sea eagles soaring overhead and during migration season, catch a glimpse of whales breaching offshore. After soaking in the coastal beauty, settle into your stay with Jan and Dave at **1770 Beach Shacks**, a charming retreat where ocean breezes and stunning sunsets complete your perfect escape.

**TOP LOCAL TIP:** If you're visiting between April and June, keep an eye out for the beautiful Blue Tiger Butterflies as they pass through the area during their seasonal migration.



## AFTERNOON

Unwind with the **1770 Sunset Cruise**, where you'll glide across calm waters as the sun dips below the horizon—one of the few places on the east coast where this magic happens. Savor Jodi's delicious platters while soaking in the breathtaking scenery. Prefer adventure? Hop on a **1770 Liquid Adventures** guided kayak tour, paddling through pristine waterways rich with marine life and mangrove forests. Whether you choose relaxation or exploration, this is an unforgettable way to experience 1770's natural beauty.



## EVENING

For a refined dining experience, head to **Drift & Wood** Restaurant, where woodfired pizzas, fresh local seafood, and a warm, welcoming atmosphere await. Enjoy Gracie's expertly crafted dishes that highlight the best of the region's produce.

Prefer something more laid-back? Grab classic fish and chips from **Rusty Pelican**, a beachfront favourite where you can dine with your toes in the sand and the sound of the waves as your soundtrack. Either way, your evening ends with delicious flavours and coastal charm.



## Fun Facts

- ★ One of the few places on Australia's east coast where you can watch the sun set over the ocean.
- ★ Early risers can head to the 1770 Headland to witness an unforgettable coastal sunrise.



# DAY TWO

## History & Lighthouse Adventures

### BREAKFAST

Wake up to great coffee and a hearty breakfast at **1770 Marina Café**, a cozy waterside spot with stunning views. Choose from wholesome classics like eggs and bacon or fresh, locally sourced options to fuel your day. Feeling indulgent? Skip the usual and treat yourself to Australia's famous Vanilla Slice, because life's too short to say no to dessert for breakfast! With a relaxed vibe and friendly service, it's the perfect way to start your morning in 1770.



### MORNING

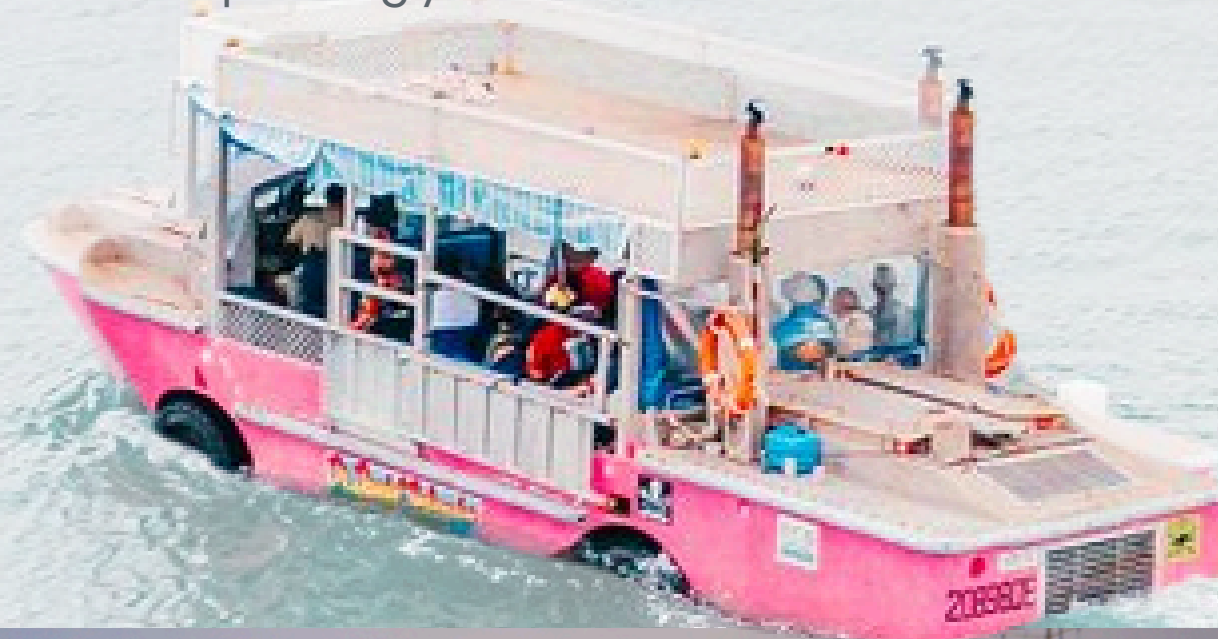
Hop aboard the iconic pink LARC with **1770 LARC! Tours** for an unforgettable journey through national parks, rolling sand dunes, and pristine estuaries. The Paradise Tour takes you to **Bustard Head Lighthouse**, Queensland's only publicly accessible operating lighthouse, where rich history and breathtaking coastal views await.

**TOP LOCAL TIP:** The **LARC! & Lunch Tour** is a fantastic alternative, offering a taste of adventure with a delicious lunch, all while ensuring you're back at the 1770 Marina by 1pm.



### AFTERNOON

Before hitting the road, take a step back in time at the **Agnes Water Museum**, where you can explore the area's rich history, just be sure to visit before 2pm closing. If you have extra time, stop by the **Agnes Water Visitor Information Centre** to pick up a souvenir, gather insider tips, and grab some inspiration for your next trip to 1770. It's the perfect way to wrap up your coastal adventure and start planning your return!



### Fun Facts

- ★ The Town of 1770 is a historic landing site of Lieutenant James Cook in May 1770
- ★ The only town in Australia with numerals in its name!



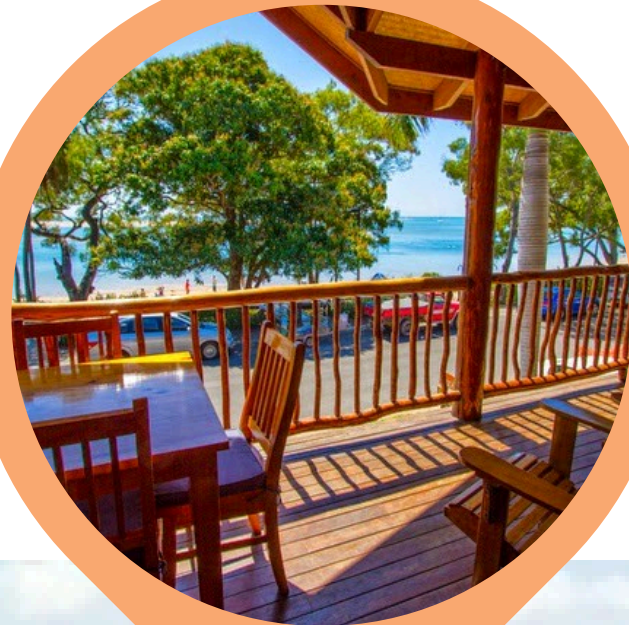
Round Hill Creek



# Serene Stays

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- ✓ Caravan & Camping
- ✓ Resorts both budget & Lux
- ✓ Self Contained Apartments
- ✓ Luxurious Holiday Homes
- ✓ Motels



## 1770 BEACH SHACKS

For a cozy coastal retreat, check in with Jan and Dave at 1770 Beach Shacks, where rustic charm meets absolute waterfront views. Nestled on the hillside overlooking the bay, these self-contained shacks offer a peaceful escape, perfect for unwinding after a day of exploring. Enjoy stunning sunsets from your private deck, wake to the sound of the ocean, and experience laid-back beachside living with all the comforts of home. A true hidden gem for your 1770 getaway.



## PAVILLIONS ON 1770

For a spacious and stylish retreat, Pavillions on 1770 offers the perfect balance of comfort and convenience between Agnes Water and 1770. These luxurious self-contained apartments provide modern amenities, fully equipped kitchens, and private balconies, ideal for extended stays or family getaways. Relax by the resort-style pools, take a short stroll to the pristine beach, or explore the nearby cafés and national parks. Whether you're seeking relaxation or adventure, Pavillions on 1770 is your home away from home.



## 1770 CAMP GROUND

Wake up to breathtaking waterfront views at 1770 Camping Ground, the ultimate beachside escape for caravaners and campers. Nestled right on the calm waters of 1770, this iconic campground offers powered sites, direct beach access, and a laid-back atmosphere perfect for soaking up the coastal lifestyle. Enjoy stunning sunsets, fishing off the shore, or simply unwinding by the water. Whether you're in a new caravan or a trusty tent, this is seaside camping at its best.



## AGNES WATER STAYS

Agnes Water Stays is a tranquil, adult-only retreat nestled on 4 acres in Agnes Water, Queensland. Just a short drive from pristine surf beaches and the historic Town of 1770, this serene getaway offers five private, contemporary studio rooms with ensuites. Guests can unwind by the resort-style pool, enjoy the outdoor kitchen with BBQ facilities, and relax in various seating areas overlooking the pond or shaded by trees. Ideal for nature lovers seeking a peaceful escape.



## OCEAN RIDGE PROPERTIES

Since 2015, Ocean Ridge Property has been offering luxurious holiday accommodation in Agnes Water and the Town of 1770, QLD. As Airbnb Superhosts and recipients of the TripAdvisor Traveller's Choice Award from 2021 to 2024, they are renowned for genuine hospitality. Their curated selection includes properties like Alkira Ridge, boasting ocean views and a heated spa, and Drewhouse (The Pods), providing a unique "glamping" experience amidst native coastal forest. Committed to sustainable tourism, Ocean Ridge Property ensures guests enjoy the natural wonders of the region responsibly.