K'ÇARI FRASER ISLAND MUSIC FESTIVAL 04 - 13 MAY 2026



Join us on beautiful, unspoiled K'gari Fraser Island for a unique music festival presented by our 6 fabulous artists in a World Heritage wilderness of idyllic white beaches and spectacular sunsets!

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42 Travellers

MEALS

All breakfasts 2 Morning Teas 2 High Teas 6 Lunches 8 Dinners



Moderate Tour



K'CARI FRASER ISLAND MUSIC FESTIVAL WITH THE 3 TENORS

SPECIAL FEATURES:

• 10-day music festival with 3 nights in Brisbane (1 night on arrival and 2 nights before departure) and 6 nights at Kingfisher Resort on K'gari Fraser Island.

• 6 nights at Kingfisher Bay Resort with all meals and special tours: 4WD Beauty Spots tour, Ranger Guided Bush Medicine Walk and Illumina light-show, an all-new light and sound experience, scenic cruise along the stunning coast, Aqua Oasis cruise with snorkelling, paddle boarding and giant inflatable slides, Bush Tucker talk and taste experience, all perfect ways to immerse yourself in the flavours of K'gari.

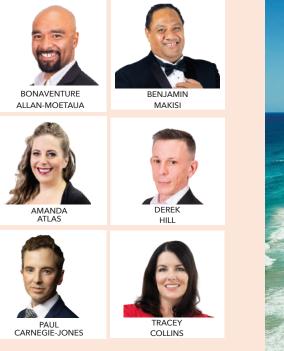
• 6 Operatunity concerts from our artists: our welcome dinner and a concert entitled *Love and Laughter*, a look at love, both passionate and irreverent, *La Dolce Vita* with themed music, wine and food to celebrate Italy, *With a Song in my Heart*, a celebration of famous love songs, ballads and music for inspiration, High Tea with *The Golden Era of Musicals* showcasing great musicals such as *Mary Poppins, The Sound of Music, South Pacific, Show Boat* and many more, *A Tribute to Mario Lanza* featuring songs and arias that the great Mario Lanza made famous and our finale, *Opera to Die For!*, a look at opera, with some tongue-in-cheek moments, famous arias and ensembles and a chance to really hear the glorious voices of our amazing artists.

• Free time to relax by the pool and enjoy the beautiful surroundings or join in any of the resort activities.

• 3 nights in Brisbane, one on arrival plus two after Fraser Island with activities including city tour, high tea in a historic house with tour of the meticulously restored building and a chance to wander the beautiful gardens, free time for shopping in Brisbane and a chance to meet up with family and friends for dinner.

• Leisurely drive from Brisbane to River Heads where we take the ferry to K'gari, stopping in Noosa and on the return, wander historic Maryborough and enjoy a tour of the Ginger Factory.

OUR HOSTS:







BRISBANE



KINGFISHER BAY RESORT



TRIP ITINERARY

Experience the Exceptional:

MONDAY 04 MAY 2026 (L, D) The Westin Brisbane (1 night)

Refreshingly unique The Westin Brisbane celebrates Brisbane City's air of laid-back sophistication. Located in the city centre near popular attractions like the Botanic Gardens, Queen Street Mall and Queensland Performing Arts Centre (QPAC).

Brisbane, capital of Queensland, is situated on the Brisbane River. Clustered in its South Bank cultural precinct are the Queensland Museum and the Queensland Gallery of Modern Art.

Highlights Include:

• Today we fly from Auckland to Brisbane, with lunch included on arrival before checking into our lovely hotel.

• Time to relax and freshen up or hit the shops.

• Tonight we enjoy a welcome dinner and a concert entitled *Love and Laughter*, a look at love, both passionate and irreverent with fun songs and love songs. A fun, lighthearted way to start our musical journey.

TUESDAY 05 MAY 2026 (B, D)

Kingfisher Bay Resort (6 nights)

This hotel is the premier eco resort on K'gari (Fraser Island). With its idyllic white beaches, endless sunshine, World Heritage wilderness to explore and spectacular sunsets across the bay, it's the perfect place to stay and unwind on island time.

Highlights Include:

• An early start today as we take our time driving north to River Heads with stops along the way.

• Free time for shopping and own lunch in Noosa.

• At River Heads we transfer by ferry to the magnificent Fraser Island - a World Heritage listed island, featuring complex dune systems that are still evolving and an array of rare and unique features including dune lakes and tall rainforests.

• Arrive Kingfisher Bay Resort with free time to freshen up and relax before a casual dinner at the hotel.

• *Illumina Return to Sky* light show. Using the surrounding native environment as an artistic platform, Illumina will captivate audiences with its ethereal beauty, casting vibrant hues and intricate patterns across the night sky as the narrative of the world's largest sand island unfolds.

ILLUMINA RETURN TO SKY LIGHT SHOW



CELEBRATE FAMOUS ITALIAN SONGS



GREAT SANDY STRAITS

WEDNESDAY 06 MAY 2026 (B, MT, L, D)

Highlights Include:

• Cruise this morning through the Great Sandy Straits, including an informative commentary, local knowledge and history.

Morning tea and light refreshments are served on board.
Free time for relaxing and enjoying a bush walk, swim or reading a book by the pool.

• This evening let us transport you to Italy with *La Dolce Vita*, a celebration of all things Italian with food, song and opera. Famous songs include *La Donna e mobile*, O Sole *Mio*, *Nessun Dorma*, Theme from the *Godfather*, *Arrivederci Roma*, *Neapolitan Serenades* and *That's Amore*!

THURSDAY 07 MAY 2026 (B, L, D)

Highlights Include:

• Full day 4WD Beauty Spots tour to see all of the iconic K'gari (formerly Fraser Island) sights.

• Visit the top natural attractions and cool off in watering holes - all from the air-conditioned comfort of custom-designed, four-wheel-drive coaches.

- Gorgeous Lake McKenzie.
- Central Station and Wanggoolba Creek.
- Pile Valley's awe-inspiring Satinay and Brush Box forests.
- 75 Mile Beach's famous highway.

• The Maheno shipwreck and the coloured sands of The Pinnacles.

- The relaxing fresh waters of Eli Creek.
- Casual dinner at the hotel after our full day and a chance to enjoy a relaxing evening.





A CELEBRATION OF LOVE SONGS!



ENJOY A GUIDED TOUR



SPEND TIME WITH BEN!

FRIDAY 08 MAY 2026 (B, L, D)

Highlights Include:

• Day at leisure with free time to explore the K'gari World Heritage Centre or relax by the pool.

• Take a dip in one of the four lagoon-style pools or revitalise the mind and body at the Island Day Spa, for a little holiday indulgence.

• Sunset drinks at the Sunset Bar - be sure to have your camera ready to capture an iconic Kingfisher Bay Resort sunset!

• Dinner and then our concert this evening, *With a Song in my Heart*, a celebration of song featuring famous love songs, ballads, music for inspiration, songs to move and to touch emotions.

SATURDAY 09 MAY 2026 (B, HT, D)

Highlights Include:

• A Bush and Tucker Talk and Taste Experience. Explore the Tastes of Australia program and experience the delights of native bush tucker ingredients.

• Nibble on native berries bursting with flavour, and relish in the refreshing citrus of lemon myrtle, as the Chef and Resort Ranger explain how these ingredients can be utilised in cooking.

• With an endless list of native bush tucker on our doorstep, the Chef will present a selection of ingredients in their natural, raw state, detail their origin, and pair them with a selection of three freshly barbecued meats.

• With many of the ingredients grown on K'gari, watch on as the Chef demonstrates how to use them, presents the cooked dishes for you to taste, and shares some recipe secrets.

• Bush to Coast High Tea and **The Golden Era of Musicals** showcasing great musicals such as *Mary Poppins, The Sound of Music, South Pacific, Show Boat* and many more.

• Tonight we continue our Australian culinary journey with a Native Australian buffet dinner.





OUR CONCERT, A TRIBUTE TO MARIO LANZA



HOME OF BELOVED MARY POPPINS



THE TASTE OF GINGER TOUR

SUNDAY 10 MAY 2026 (B, MT, L, D)

Highlights Include:

• Embark on a morning of waterfront bliss with the Aqua Oasis Cruise onboard QuickCat II - where every moment is a splash of fun, sun-soaked relaxation and laid-back island vibes!

• Surrounded by sparkling turquoise waters and incredible marine life including sea turtles, dolphins, fish, rays and more, this scenic cruise provides the perfect opportunity to swim & snorkel in the Great Sandy Strait!

• Have a go at stand-up paddle boarding, glide down inflatable slides, relax on floating mats, play a game of beach cricket, soak up some sun on the beach and much more.

•Time off for relaxing by the pool with a good book or a snooze this afternoon.

• Dinner with our special concert, **A Tribute to Mario Lanza** featuring songs and arias that the great Mario Lanza made famous.

MONDAY 11 MAY 2026 (B, L)

The Westin Brisbane (2 nights)

Back to stay at The Westin, the same hotel as on arrival so we know our way around here now.

Highlights Include:

• Check-out of Kingfisher Bay Resort and transfer by ferry to River Heads where we board our coach for our journey south to Brisbane.

• We break the journey in Maryborough, the birthplace of P.L. Travers, author of Mary Poppins.

• Maryborough was Queensland's industrial powerhouse in the final decade of the 19th century producing naval ships and railway locomotives. Today it's a lovely place to visit for its historic buildings.

• Free time to wander around the historic streets, and to grab a coffee.

• Continuing our journey south we arrive at the Ginger Factory where we have a light lunch and a tour of the factory with tastings of the world's finest ginger!

• Apart from learning about ginger, we can go for a ride around the ginger factory on a train or enjoy free time for shopping.

• Arrive Brisbane and check-in at our hotel.

• A free evening to catch up with family and friends for dinner or discover the culinary delights of the world-class dining scene, everything from casual eats and sweet treats to fine dining.



EXPLORE THE CITY WITH AMANDA



BRISBANE

TUESDAY 12 MAY 2026 (B, HT, D)

Highlights Include:

• Driving tour of Brisbane including Mt Coot-tha Lookout, the highest point in Brisbane with remarkable panoramic views of the city and well-known Brisbane landmarks.

• Visit historic Ormiston House which was the home of Australian sugar industry pioneer, Captain Louis Hope. It is regarded as one of the finest examples of colonial architecture in Queensland. The house dates back to 1862, has spacious grounds and gardens, and expansive views overlooking Moreton Bay. Ormiston House has been meticulously restored and furnished with authentic period pieces. We will enjoy high tea on the verandah.

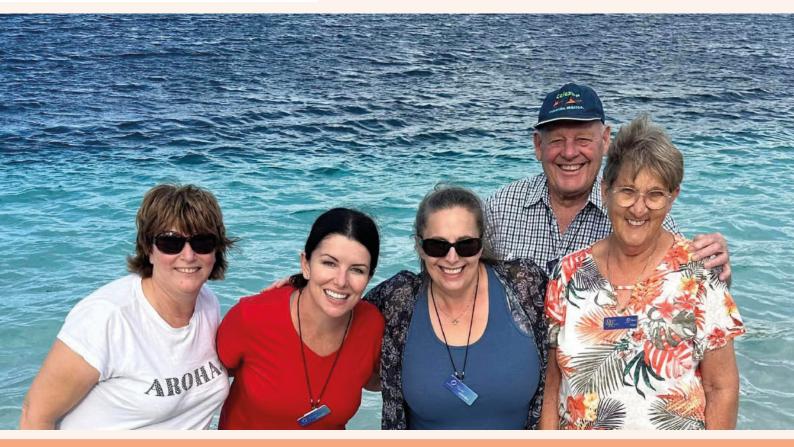
• Free afternoon for last minute shopping.

• Our final night dinner plus concert, **Opera to Die For!** This is a look at opera, with some tongue-in-cheek moments, famous arias, duets and ensembles and a chance to hear the glorious voices of our amazing artists.

WEDNESDAY 13 MAY 2026 (B)

Highlights Include:

• Today we fly home following a magic, musical immersion into Queensland, filled with wonderful memories, music and new friends.



\$7985 PER PERSON SINGLE ROOM SUPPLEMENT ADD \$1830 UPGRADE TO A KING BAY VIEW AT FRASER ISLAND \$410 PER PERSON INITIAL DEPOSIT ON BOOKING: \$1500 SECOND DEPOSIT DUE: O7 NOVEMBER 2025 \$2500 FINAL BALANCE DUE: 15 JANUARY 2026

THIS TRIP INCLUDES:

• Return Economy Airfares: Auckland to Brisbane with Air New Zealand, including all taxes.

10-day tour, staying 3 nights at Westin Brisbane and 6 nights at Kingfisher Bay Resort on K'gari (Fraser Island).
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• Numerous tours as listed in the itinerary including 4WD Beauty Spots tour, a guided Bush Medicine walk, Brisbane City tour and ginger factory tour.

• Numerous special experiences including Illumina Return to Sky light show, Bush Tucker talk and taste experience, scenic cruise along the coast, Aqua Oasis cruise with water-sports, sunset drinks, high tea at a historic house, Noosa and Maryborough visits and free time to relax!

- All breakfasts, 2 morning teas, 2 high teas, 6 lunches, 8 dinners included.
- All tours, transfers, tips, concerts, taxes, as listed in the itinerary are included.

• Escorted by Bonaventure Allan-Moetaua, Derek Hill, Benjamin Makisi, Amanda Atlas, Paul Carnegie-Jones and Tracey Collins.

MODERATE TOUR

All our trips are specifically designed for our core market, but this trip does contain travel challenges, either because of the region visited or the walking distances or uneven surfaces that arise at some sites. We do advise that you evaluate your level of fitness with your doctor before you consider booking this tour.

This trip has a little more walking than an easy tour. It is a moderate tour for one of the following reasons - you may need to walk with ease for up to one hour at a slow pace or be able to climb stairs or be able to get on and off boats, trains and buses.

This tour does include a 4WD tour over rough terrain. This trip will not suit those on walkers and a moderate level of mobility is required.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

- All itinerary details are subject to change, but changes will be replaced with a comparable or better option.
- Initial & Second deposits are fully refundable up until final balance due date, minus an administration fee of up to \$500 plus any non-recoverable costs.
- All monies are non-refundable at final balance due date. This becomes an insurance claim.
- Bank transfer payments incur no surcharge. Credit card payments incur surcharge of 1.5%.
- Travellers need to be independently mobile and fit to travel.
- Bookings will only be accepted with initial deposit & booking form.
- All travellers must obtain comprehensive travel insurance for international travel and insurance for domestic travel is recommended.
- Please refer to our terms and conditions on booking form.

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