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White sand, crashing waves and glorious sunshine have been luring beach bunnies to the Byron Bay region for decades. In recent years Byron Bay has had an injection of urban sophistication adding art galleries, chic cafes,

luxurious spa retreats and boutique shopping to the region's assets. With these additions Byron Bay has retained its laid-back vibe and natural beauty, making it an ideal holiday destination for everybody.



Black Dog Surf School

Learn to catch, stand and surf a wave at one of Australia's most iconic beaches – Byron Bay. Keep an eye out for the school's mascot George – a dog who loves to surf. blackdogsurfing.com

Byron at Byron

Relax, rejuvenate and revive at Byron and Byron – a stunning eco-resort set beneath the canopy of lush rainforest just five minutes South of Byron Bay township. thebyronatbyron.com.au



Bangalow Market

Offering alternative arts and crafts, eclectic entertainment and fabulous fresh local produce, Bangalow Market is nestled in historic Bangalow Village in the hills of the New South Wales North Coast. bangalowmarket.com.au

Crystal Castle

Enrich your spirit at Crystal Castle. Walk the ancient labyrinth, discover the gardens and rainforest, and wonder the famous Buddha Walk. crystalcastle.com.au



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Gold Coast

With beautiful beaches, great shopping and more activities that you can shake a stick at, it's no surprise that the Gold Coast is one of New Zealander's favourite holiday destinations.

But how much of this region do we really know? Go beyond the glitz and glamour and discover delectable food and wine trails, farms, rural plantations, national parkland and bushwalking trails through spectacular rainforest scenery. With such tranquil surrounds, it's no wonder the region has become popular for soul seeking and relaxation.

Currumbin Wildlife Sanctuary

With hundreds of native Australian animals on display in natural bushland and rainforest settings, Currumbin Wildlife Sanctuary provides a rare opportunity to see and experience Australia's amazing native wildlife.

cws.org.au



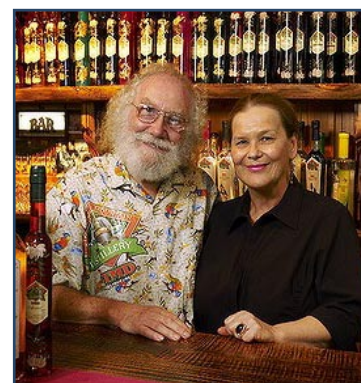
O'Reillys Rainforest Retreat

Superb hospitality in a spectacular natural setting. At O'Reillys, guests are spoiled for choice when it comes to activities, or they can simply relax and enjoy the beautiful mountain surrounds of World Heritage Lamington National Park.



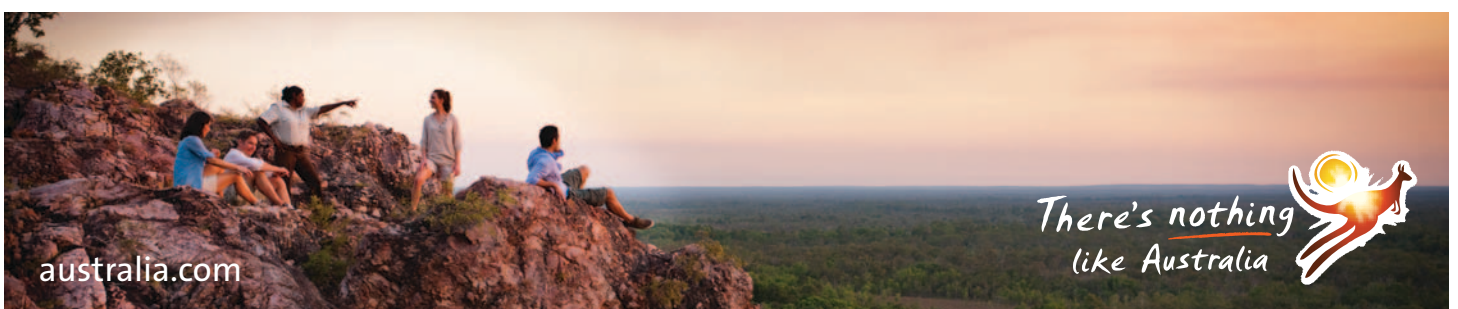
Gwinganna Lifestyle Retreat

Explore new activities, nourish your body and nurture your spirit. This unique eco-retreat offers superb facilities, delicious certified organic cuisine, stylish accommodation and the unique Spa Sanctuary. gwinganna.com



Mt Tambourine Distillery

This small yet impressive family run distillery attracts visitors from far and wide who come to taste the impressive range of liquors and meet the eccentric owner Michael who always has a tale to tell. tamborinemountaindistillery.com



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