



LINDSAY AUSTRALIA BUNDABERG CUP | STAY | TASTE | PLAY |

Our Story

The Bundaberg Race Club Incorporated is a non-profit organisation, managed by volunteers and two part-time admin and grounds staff, hosting seven community race days a year. The Bundaberg Race Club is the home of thoroughbred racing in the Wide Bay, and is an important and leading non-TAB race club of the South East Country Racing Association.

The Bundaberg Race Club plays an important role in connecting the community in regional racing. Trainers and jockeys travel from Wondai, Eidsvold, Nanango, Gayndah, Gympie, Sunshine Coast, Toowoomba, and Brisbane to compete at Thabeban Park. As a training track, the racecourse also encourages local engagement in horse racing—allowing trainers to live, work, and compete locally. Bundaberg is a proud sporting community, with many patrons supporting our local racing events.

As well as promoting the racing industry, the Bundaberg Races have become popular community events with the Club's facilities and hospitality providing an environment for people to socialise with friends or network with colleagues and clients.

The Bundaberg Race Club partners with local suppliers and sponsors to produce community events for spectators to enjoy the excitement of a day at the races. The club provides a range of ticket packages from celebrating socially to hosting premium corporate functions.

All sponsorship and income generated from the Bundaberg Race Club events goes back into maintaining and improving our facilities and helps to boost the event budget for future community race days.



Racing Carnival Overview

The annual Bundaberg Cup Racing Carnival is three days of entertainment, food, fashion, and fun built around the **Lindsay Australia Bundaberg Cup Race Day**.

Guests indulge in Bundaberg's iconic flavours, characters, and venues, and celebrate regional racing at its best.

Of the seven local race days held each year, Bundaberg Cup Carnival is the Club's premium event. From the moment guests arrive, we want to build an atmosphere of excitement towards the main event: **Lindsay Australia Bundaberg Cup Race Day**.

The Bundaberg Cup three-day Racing Carnival began in 2018 and has grown each year to become a much-anticipated event on the regional racing calendar.

Day 1 – Golf Day

Day 2 – Calcutta Luncheon

Day 3 – Race Day

The Bundaberg Cup Racing Carnival is the only three-day racing carnival in Queensland hosted by a non-TAB regional racing club, and has boasted a list of high-profile racing industry guests including Black Caviar trainer Peter Moody, Group 1 winning jockey Jim “Pumper” Cassidy, Melbourne Cup Race Caller and Broadcaster Matt Hill, and Australian Hall of Fame Trainer David Hayes. Tickets to all events are strictly limited.



Bundaberg Cup Race Programme – 23 July

Race 1 Maiden Plate (2YO & Up – Set Weights) 1090m

Of \$8,500: 1st \$6,000, 2nd \$1,500, 3rd \$750, 4th \$250

Race 2 Class B Handicap 1090m

Of \$8,500: 1st \$6,000, 2nd \$1,500, 3rd \$750, 4th \$250

Race 3 BenchMark 60 Handicap (QTIS bonuses available) 1212m

QTIS registered Fillies & Mares : Of \$16,000: 1st \$11,250, 2nd \$3,000, 3rd \$1,500, 4th \$250

QTIS registered Colts, Geldings & Entires : Of \$13,500: 1st \$9,500, 2nd \$2,500, 3rd \$1,250, 4th \$250

For non-QTIS horses: Of \$8,500: 1st \$6,000, 2nd \$1,500, 3rd \$750, 4th \$250

Race 4 LIGHTNING OPEN HANDICAP 850m

Of \$12,000: 1st \$7,800, 2nd \$2,400, 3rd \$1,200, 4th \$600

Race 5 BUNDABERG GOLD CUP OPEN HANDICAP 1380m

Of \$17,000: 1st \$11,050, 2nd \$3,400, 3rd \$1,700, 4th \$850

Nominations close Tuesday 19 July 11:00 am

Acceptances close Thursday 21 July 10:00 am



Melbourne Hotel Fashions on the Field – 23 July

Categories

1. Best Dressed Women's Racewear
2. Best Dressed Men's Racewear
3. Best Millinery

Prizes

- Winner - \$200 Melbourne Hotel Voucher + \$200 Cash + sash
- Runner Up - \$100 Melbourne Hotel Voucher + \$100 Cash + sash
- Third - \$50 Melbourne Hotel Voucher + \$50 Cash + sash

Criteria

- Style and originality
- Suitability of the outfit for individual, climate, and season
- Attention to detail and coordination of accessories and millinery
- Understanding and interpretation of current fashion trends
- Incorporation of race day theme (if applicable)
- Overall grooming and deportment

Fashions on the Field is open to anyone over the age of 18. There is no theme for this event.



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STAY – Bargara Accommodation

You are spoiled for choice when it comes to incredible places to bask in the sun or relax in the shade while taking in the ambience of the majestic Southern Pacific Ocean. Stay within metres from the ocean and drift to sleep with the sounds of waves crashing in the distance.

Kacy's Bargara Beach Motel

Kacy's Bargara Beach Motel offers perfectly located accommodation in the heart of Bargara village overlooking Bargara Beach. At Kacy's they have rooms, suites, penthouses, and serviced apartments to meet a variety of accommodation needs. Guests can also enjoy a quality dining experience at Kacy's Restaurant & Bar where scenic views and amazing cuisine await you.

STAY – Bundaberg City Accommodation

With the conveniences of a large regional centre and all the charm of a country town, Bundaberg caters to all accommodation needs.

Burnett Riverside Hotel

Located in the heart of the Central Business District, on the banks of the tranquil Burnett River, is one of Bundaberg's finest and most prestigious hotels. The Burnett Riverside offers an array of luxury suites, riverfront rooms, and one- and two-bedroom apartments. This hotel also offers guests on-site river deck fine dining in the H2o Restaurant and Bar.

Visit the Bundaberg Region website for other Accommodation options (or see pages 13 and 14)



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TASTE – Bundaberg City Restaurants

- **Water Street Kitchen** - One of the City's most acclaimed fine-dining restaurants
Wed & Thurs 11:00 - 3:00 | 5:30 – 9:00 | Friday & Saturday 9:00 – 3:00 | 5:30 – 10:00
- **Grunske's By the River** – Unique Seafood Restaurant overlooking the Burnett River
Mon-Wed 10:00 am – 4:00 | Fri 10:00 am – 8:00 pm | Sat 10:00 – 8:00 pm | Sun 10:00 – 4:00 pm
- **Bert's Restaurant** – A small but fine selection of worldly cuisine and expertly mixed cocktails
Tues – Thurs 5:00 – 8:30 pm | Friday & Saturday 5:00 pm -late | Lunch Wed to Sat 12 – 2:30

TASTE – Bargara Cafés & Restaurants

- **Windmill Café** – Award-winning café offering an abundance of local produce and treats
Café open 7 days 7:00 am – 2:00 pm
- **Bargara Golf Club** – Treat yourself to a meal in the welcoming clubhouse overlooking the ocean
Bistro open 7 days 11:30 am – 8:00 pm
- **Kacy's Restaurant & Bar** – You'll feel spoilt at Bargara's premier dining destination
Breakfast 6:45 – 9:45 | Lunch Fri & Sat 12:00 – 2:00 pm | Dinner Tues – Sat 5:30 – 8:00 pm

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TASTE – Bundy’s Best Brews Worth Travelling For

The region is filled to the brim with local brewers, artisan distillers and master blenders. See behind the scenes at Bundaberg’s iconic drinks experiences. No matter your drink of choice, Bundaberg has something for everyone.

- [The Bundaberg Barrel - Bundaberg Brewed Drinks](#) – Learn about your fizzy favourites
- [Bundaberg Rum Visitor Experience](#) – Birthplace of Australia’s Favourite Rum
- [Kalki Moon Distilling and Brewing Company](#) – Learn all about the local award-winning Gins
- [Ohana Tropical Winery and Cheeky Cider House](#) – Discover the flavours of Bundaberg
- [Ballistic Bargara \(The Brewhouse\)](#) – Sample the craft beers and Ballistic Brew range

If you’ve got some extra time up your sleeve on your Bundaberg Cup trip, consider venturing 45km from Bundaberg to the Hinterland town of Childers and sip on smooth fruity blends.

- [Vinters Secret Vineyard](#) - Enjoy refreshments and snacks in the alfresco area and view the art gallery
- [Hill of Promise Winery](#) – Boutique winery and cellar door, offering ‘grape to glass’ experience



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PLAY – Fun-filled Attractions and Activities

Come discover where great begins and play in the Bundaberg Region.

- [Amendine Lavendar](#)
- [Bargara Berries](#)
- [Bundaberg Botanic Gardens](#)
- [Fairymead House Sugar History Museum](#)
- [Hinkler Hall of Aviation](#)
- [Macadamias Australia](#)
- [Regional Art Gallery](#)
- [Splitters Farm](#)
- [Tinaberries](#)

The Bundaberg Race Club respectfully acknowledges the Taribelang Bunda, Gooreng Gooreng, Gurang, Bailai, Wakka Wakka, Wulli Wulli, Djaku-nde, Jangerie Jangerie, and Kabbi Kabbi Peoples as the Traditional Custodians of the precious land, water and sea country on which we all love to work, live and play.

And we pay our respects to Elders past, present, and emerging.

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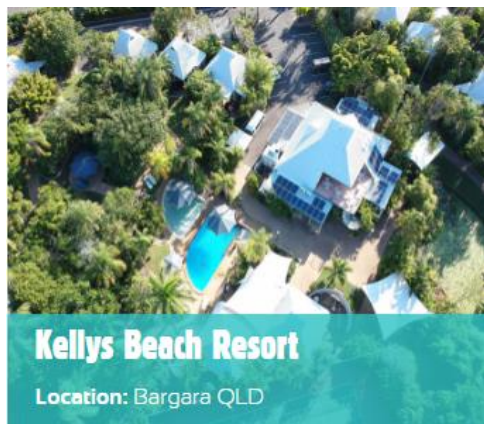


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STAY - BARGARA ACCOMMODATION



STAY – BUNDABERG CITY ACCOMMODATION



TICKETS

Bundaberg Race Club bookings have now moved online to **Bundaberg Tickets**.

This allows patrons to easily make bookings with their credit card and have their tickets sent straight to their e-mail or phone. *Booking and merchant fees apply.*

Lindsay Australia Bundaberg Cup Tickets will be on sale by Friday 27 May, 2022 (8 weeks prior to event)

CONTACT

If you require any further information about the Lindsay Australia Bundaberg Cup Carnival, please don't hesitate to contact the Bundaberg Race Club office.

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