



MEDIA INFORMATION

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WEDDINGS, PARTIES OR.....ANYONE FOR GOLF???

For a marriage made in heaven, Paradise Palms Resort and Country Club is pure paradise.

As one of the region's most idyllic wedding destinations, Paradise Palms Resort and Country Club is world-class. From the impressive 'Queenslander' style clubhouse that has been significantly upgraded, to the verdant fairways and greens of one of Australia's leading golf courses. Add to this, a 96 room boutique resort opened at the beginning of 2009, contemporary event facilities and a brand new recreation precinct for all ages called Pelicans in Paradise.

Paradise Palms enjoys a picture perfect setting at the base of rainforest clad mountains with views of rolling fairways, lush greens and the Coral Sea. In the sea side suburb of Clifton Beach, just 20 minutes north of Cairns and 30 minutes south of Port Douglas, it is close to everything but miles away from the everyday.

With an accent on tailor-making a memorable event, the professional and experienced team at Paradise Palms Country Club will support both corporate and wedding clients with professional event coordination and quality catering overseen by executive chef, Matt Dye and his talented kitchen brigade.

When it comes to weddings, Paradise Palms Resort and Country Club offers a range of venues and options to cater for a diverse range of styles and occasions from an intimate gathering of 20 to a full scale celebration of 200.

Superbly landscaped gardens and immaculate golf greens provide a sophisticated and romantic setting for an outside ceremony of any size, before stylish pre-dinner drinks and canapés on the sweeping Ocean Breeze verandah.

An elegant, sit down wedding reception will take place in one of the 'Queenslander' clubhouse's well-appointed function rooms affording sensational views across the fairways and beyond to sea. The 400 square metre Mangano Room has the capacity to seat up to 120 people. This room has its own bar and can be configured or partitioned into two smaller rooms if required. An alternative venue is the Austin Room with amazing views of the course and gardens. This space is well suited to intimate celebrations seating up to 50 people comfortably with room for a dance floor and entertainment. Both venues 'break out' onto the Ocean Breeze verandahs.

When it comes to doing business, Paradise Palms Country Club offers a practical and picturesque setting which will add a certain spark to staging conferences, workshops and seminars of all sizes.

Paradise Palms Resort and Country Club guarantees modern, air-conditioned facilities in a peaceful setting that is so far removed from a client's everyday work environment it has the ability to heighten inspiration, motivation and productivity.

Paradise Palms event team caters to a variety of client needs from assisting with secretarial duties to arranging delicious and nutritious meals and snacks that suit all dietary requirements. In addition, an extensive range of audio-visual equipment is available for hire.

As an events destination, Paradise Palms Resort and Country Club has come into its own with the introduction of its first accommodation last month. Managed by Vision Hotels and Resorts – a name synonymous with sister property, the award-

winning Lakes Cairns Resort and Spa, the accommodation comprises a 96 room, 4.5 star resort incorporating both hotel room service and self-catering options.

Golf courses have become the idyll as a place to do business – and as the home to one of Australia’s best golf courses, Paradise Palms provides ample opportunity for clients and delegates to either ‘talk shop’ or ‘unwind’ over a round of golf. Added to this is a comprehensive range of recreation facilities that include swimming pool, tennis courts, saunas and massage facilities. Two years ago Pelicans in Paradise adventure park was unveiled –further enhancing the guest experience. Mini-golf, swimming and a 2000 square metre children’s playground with cubby houses, bouncing pillow and high ropes complete the Paradise Palms picture as a world-class destination.

For delegates wishing to venture further field, Cairns is a welcoming city and gateway to two of the world’s World Heritage listed treasures - the Great Barrier Reef and Australia's Tropical Rainforest.

For further information or to arrange an inspection of the facilities, please contact Paradise Palms Resort and Country Club’s Wedding and Conference Coordinator, Angie Schesser on tel: 07 4059 9919.

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