

DISCOVER THE MAGIC

Get married on an island and celebrate your special day in the ultimate unique location. The Mackerel Islands are situated off the mid-coast of Western Australia, 22km from the mainland of Onslow in the spectacular Pilbara region. The destination is easy to get to via a 2-hour flight from Perth, or a 3 to 4-hour drive from Exmouth and Karratha.

You'll find a romantic, adventurous experience here with two islands to choose from – Thevenard or Direction – and a selection of beaches and bays. You can even hold your ceremony on the jetty or airstrip for something a little unconventional.

Our restaurant, the Flying Fish Bar, caters for small to medium events, to help create your perfect day. Hold your reception in the main poolside alfresco undercover area, or outdoors and under the stars in the beach sand with the sound of the ocean waves as your backdrop. Function setups can be designed as stand-up cocktail, or sit-down banquet with long tables, square, u-shape or cabaret style. For a more intimate reception, charter our boat Island Escape, and cruise along the bays fringing the island at sunset while you enjoy canapes.

HOW TO GET HERE

Arrive by our ferry service, take your own boat across, or book a local scenic flight and land on Thevenard Island. We have secure parking on the mainland in Onslow.

ACCOMMODATION & FACILTIIES

Thevenard Island – Stay in a choice of beachfront cabins overlooking the bay with stunning ocean views, or budget single and double rooms, for up to 80 guests. Facilities include a general store, swimming pool, activity hire centre, gym, guest laundry, BBQs, airstrip, boat moorings and boat fuel facilities. The island is powered by a solar and desalination plant.

Direction Island – Rent your own island with a sole beach shack for up to 8 of your family and friends. You'll have the entire untouched island to yourself to explore. The rustic shack is solar powered with a generator backup and freshwater supply.

ACTIVITIES

Nestled among coral reefs and visited by sea turtles, dolphins, whales, colourful fish and stingrays, you can experience true relaxation or be as active as you like, surrounded by sand, water and nature. Go fishing, snorkelling, kayaking, SUP boarding, beachcombing, reef walking and stargazing, or enjoy lazy days in your hammock, soaking up the tranquillity.



tie-the-knot packages

≈ for your ceremony ≈

ISLAND CEREMONY

\$1,500 Includes:

- 30 chairs
- Aisle runner
- Wedding arch or flags
- Signing table with 2 chairs
- Ceremony directional signage
- Small PA system (1 microphone and 2 speakers)
- Access to room for bridal party to refresh and relax prior to ceremony
- Ceremony set up and dismantle

ELOPEMENT

\$750

Includes:

- Return ferry tickets for 5 people (bride, groom, celebrant and 2 witnesses)
- Wedding arch or flags
- Signing table with 2 chairs
- Ceremony set up and dismantle

RENEWAL OF VOWS

\$300

Includes:

- 10 chairs
- Aisle runner
- Wedding arch or flags
- Ceremony set up and dismantle

\approx for your reception \approx

COCKTAIL FUNCTION – Up to 80 guests \$45 per person

Includes:

- Selection of 4 hot canapes
- Selection of 4 cold canapes

\$50 per person

Includes:

- Selection of 5 hot canapes
- Selection of 5 cold canapes

\$55 per person

Includes:

- Selection of 4 hot canapes
- Selection of 4 cold canapes
- 1 grazer
- 1 mini dessert

SIT DOWN LUNCH OR DINNER - Up to 40 guests

2-Course Menu - \$55 per person

Includes:

- Alternate drop
- 2 main options
- 2 dessert options

3-Course Menu - \$65 per person

Includes:

- Alternate drop
- 2 entrée options
- 2 main options
- 2 dessert options

BUFFET LUNCH OR DINNER – Up to 40 guests \$45 per person

Includes:

- 3 mains
- 2 sides
- 3 salads
- 4 desserts

\approx exclusive boat charter \approx

ISLAND ESCAPE \$2,500

Includes:

- A 4-hour cruise around the Mackerel Islands
- Capacity for up to 12 guests
- Experienced skipper & deckhand
- All safety equipment



MENUS (sample only)

COCKTAIL PLATTERS

Cold Canapes

Sweet potato, caramelised onion and goats cheese tart Smoked salmon, dill and cream cheese Peppered beef crostini Tomato, basil and bocconcini Prawn, avocado and tomato Crispy lamb and orange cream Smoked salmon, avocado and horseradish mousse

Grazers

Pulled pork sliders Salt and pepper calamari Mini assorted pizzas Mini beef burgers Prawn and papaya salad

2-COURSE LUNCH OR DINNER

Alternate drop

Main

Grilled barramundi, seasoned vegetables Crispy pork belly, vanilla cauliflower purée and broccolini

Dessert

Tiramisu with shaved chocolate and persian floss Passionfruit panna cotta with lemon sorbet

BUFFET LUNCH OR DINNER

Mains

Stir-fried beef and hokkien noodles Grilled fish and pineapple salsa Braised pork belly

Sides

Broccoli, carrots and oyster sauce Fragrant rice

Salads

Moroccan chickpea Watermelon, olive and fetta Thai prawn

Desserts

Fruit platter Tiramisu Pavlova with fresh fruit and chantilly cream Chocolate mousse with berries



Hot Canapes

Lamb koftas Borek Mixed arancini – forest mushroom, blue cheese, pumpkin and sage Vegetarian spring rolls Grilled scallops Crispy pork belly and apple compote

Mini Desserts

Tiramisu Lemon meringue Vanilla brûlée

3-COURSE LUNCH OR DINNER

Alternate drop

Entrée

Octopus salad, pickled cucumber and onion purée Crispy duck and asian slaw salad

Main

Grilled barramundi, pineapple salsa, buttered kipfler potatoes and snow peas Sirloin steak, red wine jus, broccolini and dauphinoise potatoes

Dessert

Tiramisu with shaved chocolate and persian floss Passionfruit panna cotta with lemon sorbet

BEVERAGE PACKAGES

2 hours \$42	4 hours \$65
3 hours \$57	5 hours \$73

Wine

Glass of sparkling wine served on arrival and for the wedding toast Selection of house white and red wine

Beer Selection of house full strength and light beer

Something Soft

Selection of soft drinks and fruit juices





accommodation

The Mackerel Islands have a number of accommodation options for the bridal couple and guests to stay the night or longer. The beachfront cabins are designed for relaxation, spaced along the beach overlooking the bay and featuring panoramic ocean views. The Club Thev single or double rooms are a great budget option located further inland next to the central swimming pool, restaurant, bar and games room area. The Direction Island beach shack is available for up to 8 guests in total and is built in a rustic, simple A-frame style, giving you the opportunity to experience having an island all to yourself.

1 BEDROOM BEACHFRONT CABIN

From \$200 - \$295 per night. Rate includes up to 2 people. Bedding is 1 zip king bed. Only 1 cabin available specially for the bridal couple's wedding night or honeymoon. Features:

- Fully-equipped kitchen
- Air-conditioning
- Lounge and dining area
- Flat screen TV
- Private bathroom
- Shaded outdoor area with a Weber BBQ

2 BEDROOM BEACHFRONT CABIN

From \$250 - \$395 per night. Rate includes up to 4 people. Bedding is 2 zip kings or twin beds. 4 cabins available.

- Features:
- Fully-equipped kitchen
- Air-conditioning
- Lounge and dining area
- Flat screen TV
- Private bathroom + second toilet Shaded outdoor area with a Weber BBQ

3 BEDROOM BEACHFRONT CABIN

From \$400 - \$595 per night. Rate includes up to 6 people. Bedding is 3 zip kings or twin beds. 6 cabins available.

- Features: - Fully-equipped kitchen
- Air-conditioning
- Lounge and dining area
- Private bathrooms
- Flat screen TV
- Shaded outdoor area with a Weber BBQ
- **5 BEDROOM BEACHFRONT CABIN**

From \$600 - \$925 per night. Rate includes up to 10 people. Bedding is 5 zip kings or twin beds. 2 cabins available.

- Features: - Fully-equipped kitchen
- Air-conditioning
- Lounge and dining area
- Flat screen TV
- Private bathrooms
- Shaded outdoor area with a Weber BBQ

CLUB THEV SINGLE ROOM

From \$80 - \$110 per night. Rate includes up to 1 person. Bedding is 1 single bed. 18 rooms available.

- Features:
- Air-conditioning - Flat screen TV
- Mini-fridge
 - Private ensuite bathroom

CLUB THEV DOUBLE ROOM

From \$120 - \$155 per night. Rate includes up to 2 people. Bedding is 1 double bed. 16 rooms available.

Features: - Air-conditioning

- Flat screen TV

- Mini-fridae
 - Private ensuite bathroom

DIRECTION ISLAND BEACH SHACK

*Minimum 3-night stay applies for bookings on Direction Island. From \$395 per night. Rate includes up to 2 people. Extra person rate is \$60 per additional person, up to 8 people. Bedding is 2 queen beds and 2 bunk beds. The shack is not serviced so is self-clean and cleaning supplies are provided. Features:

- Fully-equipped kitchen
- Dining areas
- Private bathroom
- Ceiling fans
- Upstairs balcony deck with ocean views
- Shaded outdoor area with a Weber BBQ









