



## LIVING & WORKING ON BEDARRA ISLAND

Bedarra Island caters for a select clientele. The emphasis for guests is heavily on relaxation and indulgence, with attentive, unobtrusive and friendly service.



Bedarra Island is a private hideaway. A place where guests can do as they wish, when they wish. Each villa is hidden in the rainforest and is only minutes from the beach. Bedarra Island is the perfect haven for those who desire a more civilised escape – exquisite cuisine and whatever they wish from the bar.

### GETTING THERE:

Bedarra is located about 7km off the coast of Mission Beach in Far North Queensland, approximately half way between Townsville and Cairns. It is 15 minutes by boat from nearby Dunk Island (a 45 minute flight from Cairns). Access to Bedarra is by Voyages private launch from Dunk Island. Resort employees are eligible for discount tickets. A weekly barge transports operating supplies from Cairns and staff can use this to transport belongings at no charge.

### CLIMATE:

Bedarra Island has a tropical climate with average year round temperatures of approximately 29°C. The winter months (July to November) are generally drier and less humid.

### GUESTS:

Bedarra attracts a mix of domestic and international guests seeking relaxed times in an exclusive environment. The resort does not cater for children less than 13 years.

### WORKING:

There are approximately 25 staff working and living on Bedarra Island. The most common opportunities are in Housekeeping, Restaurant and Kitchen. There are often opportunities for multi-skilling and extra learning.

### LEARN AND GROW:

There is commitment to the ongoing training and development of employees. There are regular training programs and partnerships through tertiary education providers with many staff taking advantage of accredited training across a large number of vocations.

### LIVING:

Bedarra offers staff furnished air-conditioned accommodation on a twin share basis with shared shower and toilet facilities. Managers are provided with single accommodation and private bathroom. A communal dining area offers, fridge, microwave and laundry. Other facilities include internet access, pool table and stereo. Accommodation charge is approximately \$48 per week. There is limited mobile phone coverage however, public phones are available.

### EATING:

Employee meals are served in the staff dining area offering a balanced selection of options. The staff shop opens twice a week for essential items. Meal charge is approximately \$82 per week. Due to the intimate nature of Bedarra Island employees are unable to dine or drink in guest areas.

### FREE TIME:

Employees can relax at the staff area of Wedgerock Bay, play tennis, snorkel, surf ski or take out the staff dinghy and explore the surrounding islands (boat license required). You can visit nearby Dunk Island where staff can participate in most activities at preferred rates.

### GETTING AWAY:

Frequent daily transfers from Dunk Island to Mission Beach for local services. Cairns is accessible by car, bus or plane with staff discount on flights and local hotels offering industry rates. Nearby options include Port Douglas and the Atherton Tablelands. An employee discount is available for accommodation at other Hideaway Resorts properties (after a 3 month qualifying period).

### APPLYING:

We look for people with initiative, who are well presented, have impeccable personal grooming, outstanding social skills and strong attention to detail. You need to bring relevant hospitality skills and experience having thought carefully about the realities of working and living in a remote environment. You'll be someone ready to provide outstanding guest service and enjoy an outdoor lifestyle. You can apply to positions advertised online after which we will contact suitable candidates and conduct initial interviews by telephone.

### EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES :

Go to [www.bedarra.com.au/careers](http://www.bedarra.com.au/careers)

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