



Invitation

We are pleased to announce that planning has commenced for the this years running of our Driving Events Tour of Targa Great Barrier Reef. What better place to combine the exhilaration of driving some unbelievable roads in a relaxed holiday environment than Cairns. Your tour leader and pace setter this year will be none other than our Targa Tasmania & 2 x Australian Targa Champion - Paul Stokell.. So come and join us as we take on some of the best roads in Australia without the hassle of competition.

What's required to join in? - The Great Barrier Reef Tour

All that's needed to join in is a performance road car and two people (driver & co-driver) with a passion for driving and keen sense of adventure. The tour adheres to a 110km/h speed limit, although there is still plenty of opportunity to enjoy your car in a very "spirited" manner- the way they were designed. The Targa Tour follows the same course as competition vehicles, on closed roads using both sides of the road, ensuring you feel every twist and turn of the event. Getting to drive some of the twisty highways around Cairns has proven so popular that Targa GBR is well on the way to becoming a world recognised iconic event and as such will be a sell out!

Other requirements: -

- Minimum CAMS Level 2 Non-Speed Licence
- First aid kit
- An oil spill kit (1kg of kitty litter will suffice)
- 2 x Safety triangles

Roll cages, harnesses, special tyres and extensive modifications "are not" required.

Joining Driving Events tour is truly a unique experience. Not only for the fact that you get to be part of one of the largest Tarmac rallies in the world but you also get to rub shoulders with some sporting legends and follow in the wheel tracks of back to back Championship Targa Champion Paul Stokell.

Our group will consist of between 8 – 12 cars with our Tour Leader taking you through each stage. As the tour precedes the start times of the competition cars some early starts can be expected - often before 7.00am. After returning to your accommodation in Cairns relatively early each day you will have the opportunity for service work ahead of relaxing into your evening. We have selected the newly renovated Bensen Hotel as our base plus our Targa guides will help make this a





stress free and guaranteed fun event.



The Course

Targa Great Barrier Reef will travel through unique landscapes around Cairns as diverse as lush rainforest, wide open farmland, rugged coastlines and amazing mountain passes. The most picturesque parts the reef meeting the rainforest have become some of the most iconic rally stages in Australia. Some of the iconic roads and mountain ranges closed especially for this rally include the Gillies Range, Kuranda Range, the amazing tight and twisty road to Lake Morris, plus many great roads around the countryside of Millaa Millaa.

Itinerary

Day 1 | Thursday 31st August Documentation, Scrutiny, Welcome Party (Overnight in Cairns)

Day 2 | Friday 1st September Event Day 1 (Overnight in Cairns)

Day 3 | Saturday 2nd September Event Day 2 (Overnight in Cairns)

Day 4 | Sunday 3rd September Event Day 3 - Official Finish Departure

Day 5 | Monday 4th September Optional Extra night stay over (Return home)

Tour Inclusions & Pricing

Inclusions

Event Entry covering participation of each stage of the event for 2 people – Driver and Co-Driver
3 night Gold Suite accommodation at the newly refurbished Bensen Hotel
Dedicated Tour Leader and Guide to travel with and assist if required
Celebration dinner for 2 at a very special venue (food only)
Commemorative shirts & cap
Exclusive Tour Highlights post event Video package
Competitor briefing
Road books for all stages and touring stages
Rally Safe unit
Competitor lanyards and official 'Invitation to compete'
Complimentary entry ticket to the official Welcome Party for Driver and Co - Driver
Lunch on each full day of the competition for Driver and Co-Driver
Finishers Medallion for Driver and Co-Driver (upon completion of the event)

Pricing

3 nights - \$5590.00 inc GST (Twin Share)
3 nights – Suite accommodation \$6015.00 inc GST (Twin Share)
Local's resident pricing - \$4665.00 inc GST (NIL Accom)

Transport

We have secured some great rates in fully enclosed race transporters providing a premium option to freight your precious cargo up to Cairns and back. Return trip BNE – Cairns – BNE \$3450 inc GST, One Way \$2100 inc GST.



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