



Lady Elliot Island
The Great Barrier Reef

Snorkelling at Lady Elliot Island, Great Barrier Reef 'Home of the Manta Ray'

Lady Elliot is a coral cay island and is located in a declared Marine National Park 'Green Zone' (No Take) – one of the most pristine and untouched sections of the Great Barrier Reef. It is one of the few islands where you can access the reef straight off the beach and be surrounded by over 1,500 species of marine life including fish, coral, turtles, dolphins and manta rays.

You don't need to be a diver to experience the underwater magic on Lady Elliot Island. Snorkelling is a great way to get up close and personal with the amazing marine life and explore the wonders of the Great Barrier Reef.

Each guest will receive a complimentary glass bottom boat/guided snorkel tour during their stay on Lady Elliot Island and our Dive Shop staff will assist with all of your snorkelling gear requirements. Floatation devices and wetsuits are available for hire if needed. Daily snorkelling lessons are held in the Manta Pool, free of charge for beginner snorkellers to develop confidence in the water.

Snorkelling Sites

Always see the Dive team to discuss current conditions, tide times and designated snorkel sites before entering the water. The Lagoon, Fish Pool and Channel One are recommended for children and beginners. There are two entry sites on the western side of the island, the Lighthouse and Coral Gardens for advanced snorkellers. Lady Elliot Island has developed a range of snorkelling trails so please talk to one of our friendly team members for a trail guide map.

The Lagoon area is tide dependant so the best time to snorkel in this area is 2 hours prior to or after high tide. If you are looking for other activities, why not join a guided reef walk, visit the Reef Education Centre or talk to one of the Activities team to see what is scheduled for the day.

Before you venture into the water:

Be aware of your own physical limitations and swimming ability and don't try to exceed them. If you suffer from the following conditions please inform Dive staff before entering the water:

- Heart disease and high or low blood pressure
- Asthma, emphysema or epilepsy
- Diabetes, shortness of breath or feeling faint
- Always snorkel with a buddy
- Never snorkel after consuming alcohol

Snorkel Equipment Hire (per day)

Mask, Snorkel and Fins	Free of Charge
Full Wetsuit	\$20.00
Half Wetsuit	\$15.00
Child Wetsuit	\$10.00
Buoyancy Vest	\$ 5.00
Glass Bottom Boat / Guided Snorkel Tour	\$30.00 (Adult) \$15.00 (Child 3-12)
Night Glass Bottom Boat	\$30.00 (Adult) \$15.00 (Child 3-12)
Snorkel Safari	\$30.00 (Adult) \$15.00 (Child 3-12)

*Prices current as at 1 January 2014, subject to change.
All activities are subject to weather conditions.*

