



TREE CHANGE

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Your retreat to nature awaits...

DISCOVER THE ICONIC SCENIC RIM REGION

Are you ready for a Tree Change?

Reconnect with nature with a holiday to the beautiful Scenic Rim, Queensland.

Whether you choose to go for a stroll along hundreds of kilometres of wheelchair accessible walking tracks, go hot air ballooning, hire a kayak or fish on a fresh water lake, taste award-winning wines, enjoy fresh seasonal produce or simply explore the local art galleries and cafés – there is something for everyone at this world heritage location.

This beautiful region is big, bold and knows what it is about. One of the great food bowls west of Brisbane, the area has a rich agricultural history and is home to six national parks making it the perfect escape if you enjoy spending time outdoors, amongst mother nature.

From stunning waterfalls, to breath-taking canopies, Rural Lifestyle Options Australia will be with you every step of the way to help you make the most of your holiday in this amazing destination.

Our Emerald House is the perfect place to stay while visiting the Scenic Rim and with 200kms of included travel with your stay, no attraction or activity is out of reach.

Our location is less than 60 minutes drive from Brisbane and the Gold Coast, and a short distance to local shops and attractions within the Scenic Rim itself.

If you are looking for a break, consider a Tree Change and discuss your options with one of our friendly team members today!

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About this brochure

Rural Lifestyle Options Australia's guide to all you need to know.

Since 1993, Rural Lifestyle Options Australia (RLOA) has been enriching the lives of people with a disability by creating choice, opportunities and skills for life.

If you need a break among nature, want to try new activities or meet new friends, our **Tree Change Short-Term Accommodation (STA) package is for you!**

During your stay, you will be residing at our Emerald House, a fully accessible facility boasting large open living areas, a generous undercover outdoor space with table tennis and a basketball hoop, gaming console, on-site computers and a dedicated media room with Netflix, among other amenities.

Our friendly and experienced Lifestyle Support Workers will be with you every step of the way, providing 24-hour support to ensure your individual needs are taken care of.

Over the next few pages you will learn more about the vast experiences that will be at your doorstep, while on your next getaway with Rural Lifestyle Options Australia.



PHOTO: Engage your senses at our fully equipped Sensory Room, during your stay at Emerald House.

Welcome to Emerald House...

Your getaway with us begins here...

Our charming Emerald House is nestled in the heart of the spectacular Scenic Rim, Queensland.

Our place is the perfect getaway for nature and animal lovers and for those who want to escape the hustle and bustle of city life. Here, natural beauty meets country charm and welcoming smiles stretch as far as the breathtaking vistas.

The Scenic Rim is a region of great abundance. From iconic Tamborine Mountain to beautiful Lake Moogerah, rugged Mount Barney to welcoming Boonah and every spectacular space in between. With ancient rainforests, historic national parks, charming towns and villages, adventure parks, craft breweries, boutique wineries, galleries, festivals, and more, there's always something new to discover!

After a busy day exploring all the sights and sounds that the Scenic Rim has to offer, unwind and relax by utilising the vast amenities at Emerald House...

Amenities during your stay include:

- > Your choice of one of four private themed bedrooms
- > All linen, pillows, blankets and towels provided
- > Generous common room area with board games and books
- > Computer stations and printers available for use
- > Generous living room space with Smart TV and complimentary streaming services
- > Fully equipped Sensory Room
- > Large undercover outdoor space with Table Tennis and Basketball Hoop
- > A range of different hoists catering to individual needs available



Wheelchair Accessible
Bathroom and Shower



Delicious food options
through our Menu



Airconditioned
Rooms



Complimentary Wireless
Internet

NETFLIX

Complimentary
Netflix Access

How long can I stay?

Most people stay a week at a time, but shorter and longer stays are available depending on your needs. Each stay caters to a maximum of two guests at a time to ensure you get the tailored support you deserve, during your holiday.

TREE CHANGE



Safari Room

For those who love adventure. Our decor allows you to take in the beauty of Africa when you stay in our Safari Room.



Balinese Room

Find your zen. Unwind in our Balinese Room with decor inspired by Balinese culture.



Rainforest Room

Reconnect with nature. Our Rainforest Room inspires creativity and imagination through its friendly feel and tropical decor.



Beach Room

Surfs up! Our Beach Room offers coastal vibes through its ocean inspired decor!

GETTING AROUND

The transport is on us*

From hikes through some of Australia's most envied national parks to long lunches in beautiful country townships; leisurely strolls through the markets to high-flying zipline adventures through the treetops; there is no activity out of reach with 200km included travel in your stay!

*Rural Lifestyle Options Australia include 200km of Transport with your stay.

Don't have NDIS funding?

In addition to guests funded through the NDIS, RLOA offer private supports to guests at Emerald House, with the same rates to stay.

Talk to our friendly staff members to book your Tree Change holiday today!

WHATS ON

Monday

Welcome BBQ

Kick off your week with a Welcome BBQ! Get settled into your accommodation and meet new friends over dinner.

Tuesday

Pizza Tuesdays

Make your own pizza for dinner with your Lifestyle Support Worker. Choose to make a classic recipe or decide to create your own! Either way, we are sure it'll be love at first slice.

Wednesday

Mid-week Movies

Grab a cup of popcorn, pop on your favourite movie on Netflix or TV and relax in the Media Room.

Thursday

Taco Thursdays

Bust out your sombrero! Thursdays see RLOA bring a little taste of Mexico to your stay! Make your own tacos with your Lifestyle Support Worker.

Friday

Fun Fridays

Yahtzee! On Friday nights, we pull out all your favourite board games for a night you'll be sure to remember!

Saturday

Karaoke Saturdays

Sing your heart out at Karaoke Saturdays! Sing all your favourite hits and dance the night away...

Sunday

Sunday Sesh

Kick back and relax after a busy week with a Sunday Sesh. Mix your favourite Mocktails and reflect on your exciting week away.

THINGS TO SEE & DO

OUR TOP 6

Delving deep into nature is one of the Scenic Rim's biggest drawcards. From exploring the majestic national parks, to viewing the inspiring waterfalls, nature lovers will be in heaven. Below you will find our top 6 handpicked favourite activities to do during your stay with Rural Lifestyle Options Australia.



PHOTO: Watch the sunset from the Mount Tamborine Lookout.

01

Cool down at the scenic lakes, waterfalls and swimming holes

When the weather heats up and it's time to cool down head to our fabulous Scenic Rim swimming holes, country creeks and lakes.

02

Explore the bush

One of the best ways to explore this stunning region is on foot. The Scenic Rim is home to six National Parks and really does have a walk to suit most abilities.

03

Discover a range of experiences for lovers of good food and wine

The Scenic Rim offers food and wine lovers a range of experiences, from casual, relaxed café dining, to a five-star gourmet restaurant experience.

04

Play golf at one of five courses, each with a unique history and offering

Two of the courses are 18-hole layouts with the other three offering 9 holes, but 18-holes can be played from different tee boxes. They are suited for players of all levels to enjoy.

05

Learn about the region's rich history by visiting our local Galleries and Museums

The Scenic Rim has a rich and fascinating history. Learn more about our ancestors at the region's galleries, museums and heritage homes.

06

Stock up on handcrafted goodies and local art and craft at the Markets

From Beechmont to Mount Tamborine, there is a Market on every week if you want to discover country shopping at its finest.

NATURE & WILDLIFE

The Scenic Rim is a spectacular hinterland which is home to six national parks and a World Heritage rainforest.

Lamington National Park is a world of ancient rainforest, crisp mountain air, dozens of walking trails, and more than 500 waterfalls and 250 species of Australian wildlife. Kangaroos, koalas, platypus, kookaburras, cockatoos and colourful parrots are amongst some of the wildlife that call the Scenic Rim home.

The Scenic Rim is a birdwatcher's paradise and offers visitors the chance to sight a great variety of birds. Most of the native Australian bird families can be found here and our National Parks are the best place to see them. Some of the birds you may see include the Wedge-tailed Eagle, the Glossy Black Cockatoo, the Pale-headed Rosella, the Regent Bowerbird, the Albert's Lyrebird and the Noisy Pitta.

Talk to our friendly staff members about booking your next holiday with us today!



FOOD & WINE

Quickly building a reputation as a food lovers paradise, the Scenic Rim offers casual, relaxed café dining, to a five-star gourmet restaurant experience featuring produce grown here in the Scenic Rim.

Look for traditional pubs with big hearty meals and family friendly beer-gardens, be tempted by the new cozy art and book cafés with their appetising treats or carefully plan your visit to include one of our many sensational vineyard restaurants, with their special signature dishes.

The hardest part is figuring out which Scenic Rim dining experience suits your mood and budget – or perhaps you'd like to keep it simple, with a picnic at one of our great lookouts or dinner under the stars at some of our great places to stay.

Talk to our friendly staff members about booking your next holiday with us today!



Discover several world class wineries during your stay.

Learn More

To learn more about this package...

Simply click, call or visit us at one of our office locations today!

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