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COOK ISLANDS 2027

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Thursday 22 to Friday 30 July 2027 – From $6290 per person

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A holiday where someone else worries about the details — while you enjoy the view.

DAY 1 | FLY INTO PARADISE – THURSDAY 22 JULY 2027



Your driver will pick you up this evening from your home address (Brisbane Metropolitan area) and transfer you to Brisbane International Airport. At the airport you will meet your Oh Travel Tours host and fellow passengers. There will be plenty of time to go through Customs before your Jetstar flight, departing at 10-20 p.m. Day 1 – Today's itinerary is subject to change.



DAY 2 | WELCOME TO RAROTONGA – THURSDAY 22 JULY 2027

After a 5 ½ hr flight we land in Rarotonga on Thursday 22 July at 7-45 a.m. The Cook Islands are located just on the other side of the international dateline which means we arrive before we leave! Disembarking at Rarotonga Airport feels like what you imagine arriving in Hawaii in the 1950's would have been like. After clearing customs, we will be greeted by a representative from the Edgewater Resort & Spa and transferred to the hotel. On our drive to the resort, we will notice that there is only one paved road, no traffic lights, lots of churches, heaps of wandering chickens and coconut palms everywhere. Our garden view rooms will be ready when we arrive. After settling into our home away from home, a tropical breakfast will be waiting. There is plenty of time to unwind before 4 p.m. when we meet the activities staff for an orientation of the resort. Following our orientation, welcome cocktails will be served at the Heta Hut followed by a 2 course poolside dinner. Day 2 – Tropical Breakfast & 2 Course Dinner

Today's itinerary is subject to change.

DAY 3 | DISCOVER RAROTONGA – FRIDAY 23 JULY 2027

This morning your tropical buffet breakfast consisting of island fruits, homemade yogurt, fresh baked pastries, cereals,

toast and a selection of juices, tea and coffee will be served between 7 and 8-30 a.m. Our tour departs at 9 a.m. with a local informative guide showing us Rarotonga's historical and scenic sights. Learn all about the growth and cultivation of the black pearls and enjoy special demonstrations of unique aspects of Cook Island life. A light lunch is included on tour. Free time this afternoon where you might like to take a ride on the clockwise / anti clockwise bus into the main shopping centre of Rarotonga for some souvenirs, or maybe a black pearl. The public bus service offers only 2 routes, clockwise and anticlockwise, which operate on Rarotonga's Circular Main Road. It is impossible to get lost! Complimentary activities at The Edgewater Resort & Spa include: snorkelling in the marine reserve filled with tropical fish, hand feeding the reef fish, tennis, guided village and nature walks and much more. Around 6 p.m. transfer to Tamarind House for a 2 course dinner. This delightful eatery is owned by former Flame Tree restaurateur and cookbook author, Sue Carruthers and is housed in a colonial building on the Pacific Ocean foreshore at Tupapa. Day 3 – Tropical Breakfast, Light Lunch & Dinner - Today's itinerary is subject to change.



DAY 4 | MARKETS, SUN & ISLAND NIGHT – SATURDAY 24 JULY 2027

Today's tropical breakfast will be served from 7 to 9 a.m. At 9 a.m. we're off on an escorted excursion to the local markets which are only about 20 minutes away. Rarotonga's Saturday Punanga Nui Market offers a wide range of island gifts and handicrafts, black pearls, pearl shells, jewellery, pareu fabrics (vibrant, lightweight, printed fabric traditionally used as a Polynesian sarong), clothing and local produce. It is a great place to sample homemade delicacies or just to pass the time meeting and chatting with the locals.



Free time this afternoon to choose from a complimentary activity at the Edgewater or enjoy the resort's pool with a cocktail. Maybe book into the resort's day spa for a massage or body treatment.

This evening we are treated to a traditional island BBQ dinner and dance show.

Day 4 – Tropical Breakfast – BBQ Dinner - Today's itinerary is subject to change.

DAY 5 | SUNDAY IN THE ISLANDS – SUNDAY 25 JULY 2027

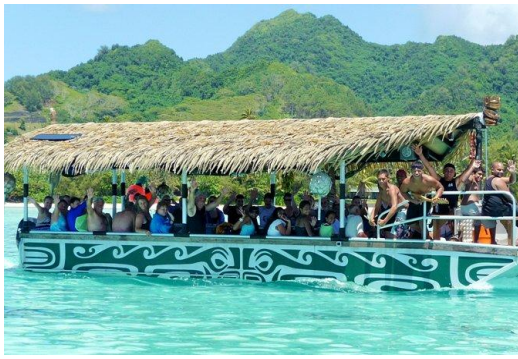
Following breakfast we are off to church for a local Cook Island Christian Church service. This will be a moving experience as we listen to the harmonies of the choir and congregation singing hymns within a beautiful limestone and coral church. After the service we are invited for morning tea. Following a wonderful morning we head back to the resort and have a free afternoon to indulge in the resort's optional and complimentary activities, including snorkelling in the marine reserve.



The rest of our day is free until joining other Edgewater guests for a Sunday BBQ under the stars with entertainment by Ru's Band.

Day 5 – Tropical Breakfast – Dinner – Today's itinerary is subject to change.

DAY 6 | KOKA LAGOON CRUISE - MONDAY 26 JULY 2027



Our fantastic day with Koka Lagoon cruises and their multi-talented crew will ensure an experience we won't forget. We will view the wonderful marine life in Rarotonga's lagoons from the glass bottom boat, snorkel with fish and relax with a beach BBQ on a tiny uninhabited island. The crew will entertain us with ukulele playing, pareu tying demonstrations and coconut tree climbing. Tour will return to the Edgewater about 3 p.m. Italian dinner tonight at the Spaghetti House located on site at our resort.



Day 6 – Tropical Breakfast – Lunch – Dinner – Today's itinerary is subject to change.

DAY 7 | OPTIONAL EXPERIENCE
UNFORGETTABLE AITUTAKI DAY – TUESDAY 27 JULY 2027

This is an experience no visitor to the Cook Island should miss. Our tour starts at 7 a.m. for the short trip to Rarotonga International Airport from where our 40 minute 8 a.m. flight to Aitutaki will depart. The breathtaking views from our flight will give the first impression of

what lies ahead. On arrival experience an organised 1 hour 'le truck' ride around town before boarding our boat, a 27-metre Polynesian style catamaran. Our catamaran has comfortable covered seating as well as deck sun lounges, well appointed bathrooms and a cash bar. Access to the vessel is easily negotiated. There is time for snorkelling and swimming before stopping for lunch which is cooked on board. The cruise stops at several tiny islands including One Foot Island before passing by Akaiami once a stopover for Tasman Empire Airways Limited flying boats enroute from Fiji to Tahiti on the famous weekly Coral Route. Arrival time back at the Edgewater is around 6 p.m.
Day 7 – Tropical Breakfast – Lunch – Today's itinerary is subject to change. **Aitutaki Optional Experience – Add $650 per person.** Day 7 (without Aitutaki Option) – Breakfast Included

DAY 8 | COMMUNITY & FAREWELL – WEDNESDAY 28 JULY 2027

Following breakfast we travel to the Creative Cultural Centre for a get together with locals. The Creative Centre is a special initiative that offers more than just support for those with disabilities or require full time care. It provides a safe and supportive environment where people can work on their creativity, design skills and feel a sense of accomplishment. Members create beautiful pareus, paintings and other handicraft. It is a genuine, feel-good taste of the Cook Island community. Donations of coloured pencils, books etc are greatly appreciated. Visit time is about 1 ½ hrs. This evening we enjoy a farewell progressive dinner where we have the opportunity to visit three local homes, enjoying a different course at each home. `
Day 8 – Tropical Breakfast – Dinner - Today's itinerary is subject to change.

DAY 9 | FAREWELL, RAROTONGA - THURSDAY 29 JULY 2027

Breakfast will be served early this morning before checking out of accommodation. Transfer to Rarotonga Airport for our Jetstar flight home, departing at 9-10 a.m. local time.
Day 9 - Tropical breakfast – Today's itinerary is subject to change.

DAY 10 | HOME AGAIN – FRIDAY 30 JULY 2027

Cross the international dateline and arrive back in Brisbane just after midday, with your transfer driver meeting you for the journey home.
Day 10 – Today's itinerary is subject to change.



WHAT'S INCLUDED - Itinerary & prices are subject to change.

- ✓ Return home/airport transfers within the Brisbane metropolitan area
- ✓ Return Jetstar flights with 20kg checked baggage + 7kg hand luggage
- ✓ Oh Travel Tours host, based on minimum numbers
- ✓ Return Rarotonga airport transfers
- ✓ 7 nights at The Edgewater Resort & Spa – Garden Superior Room
- ✓ Daily tropical breakfast • 6 dinners • 3 lunches • welcome sunset cocktails
- ✓ Rarotonga orientation/discovery tour
- ✓ Koka Lagoon Cruise
- ✓ Cook Island church service & Creative Centre visit
- ✓ Complimentary Edgewater activities including snorkelling equipment, snorkel lesson, tennis equipment/lesson, reef fish feeding, guided nature & village walks

Add $650 pp for optional Aitutaki Tour – Includes Lunch

TWIN / DOUBLE: $5,990 pp | SINGLE SUPPLEMENT: +$1,420 | BEACHFRONT ROOM UPGRADE: +$180

EARLY BIRD

SAVE $200 PER PERSON — BOOK BY 1 DECEMBER 2026

Deposit $750 pp within 10 days of booking • Progressive payment $850 pp due 18 March 2027 • Balance due 8 June 2027

All tours need a minimum number of passengers to operate. In the unlikely event that passenger numbers are not met, any money paid will be refunded.

Exclusions: meals not shown, optional extras, drinks, travel insurance, passport fees, airline meals and airline entertainment. Itinerary is subject to change. A valid Australian passport is required and must be valid for at least 6 months after returning to Australia.

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