

**AIRLIE BEACH
CRUISE SHIP SCHEDULE
APRIL 2026 – DECEMBER 2026**



MONTH	DAY/DATE	SHIP NAME	ITINERARY	ETA am	ETD pm	PORT
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APR 2026	WED 1	Carnival Encounter	4 Nights B/AB/B	7:00	5:30	Port of Airlie (CW)
	FRI 3	Discovery Princess	10 Nights S/WI/PD/YK/AB/B/S	10:00	7:00	Port of Airlie (CW)
	SAT 4	Viking Orion	77 Nights S/NC/B/AB/TSV...	7:00	6:00	Shute Harbour (SH)
	MON 6	Celebrity Solstice	14 Nights SIN/BAL/D/PD/YK/AB/S	10:00	6:00	Shute Harbour (SH)
	MON 13	Oceania Vista	18 Nights S/MOO/AB/TSV/C/D/II/BA/S	8:00	7:00	Shute Harbour (SH)
	THU 16	Carnival Encounter	7 Nights B/WI/C/AB/B	9:00	6:30	Port of Airlie (CW)

MAY 2026	FRI 1	Carnival Splendor	10 Nights S/AB/C/PD/WI/MI/S	7:00	4:00	Port of Airlie (CW)
	WED 6	Carnival Encounter	4 Nights B/AB/B	7:00	5:30	Port of Airlie (CW)
	THU 19	Carnival Adventure	9 Nights S/AB/C/WI/MI/S	9:00	6:00	Port of Airlie (CW)
	SAT 23	Carnival Splendor	10 Nights S/AB/C/PD/WI/MI/S	7:00	4:00	Port of Airlie (CW)

JUN 2026	MON 1	Carnival Encounter	6 Nights B/AB/C/WI/B	7:00	4:00	Port of Airlie (CW)
	SUN 7	Carnival Encounter	4 Nights B/AB/B	7:00	5:30	Port of Airlie (CW)
	WED 24	Carnival Encounter	4 Nights B/AB/B	7:00	5:30	Port of Airlie (CW)
	SAT 27	Carnival Splendor	9 Nights S/AB/C/WI/MI/S	7:00	4:00	Port of Airlie (CW)
	SUN 28	Carnival Adventure	10 Nights S/WI/C/AB/MI/S	9:00	6:30	Port of Airlie (CW)

JUL 2026	THU 9	Carnival Encounter	7 Nights B/WI/C/AB/B	9:00	6:30	Port of Airlie (CW)
	THU 16	Carnival Encounter	4 Nights B/AB/B	7:00	5:30	Port of Airlie (CW)
	TUE 28	Carnival Encounter	6 Nights B/AB/C/WI/B	7:00	4:00	Port of Airlie (CW)

AUG 2026	FRI 14	Carnival Adventure	9 Nights S/MI/AB/C/WI/S	7:00	4:00	Port of Airlie (CW)
	MON 17	Carnival Encounter	4 Nights B/AB/B	7:00	5:30	Port of Airlie (CW)

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SEP 2026	THU 3	Carnival Encounter	4 Nights B/AB/B	7:00	5:00	Port of Airlie (CW)
	WED 9	Carnival Encounter	6 Nights B/WI/C/AB/B	9:30	6:00	Port of Airlie (CW)
	SAT 12	Carnival Splendor	9 Nights S/AB/C/WI/MI/S	7:00	4:00	Port of Airlie (CW)
	WED 16	Carnival Encounter	4 Nights B/AB/B	7:00	5:30	Port of Airlie (CW)
	MON 28	Carnival Encounter	7 Nights B/AB/C/WI/B	7:00	4:00	Port of Airlie (CW)

OCT 2026	THU 15	Carnival Encounter	4 Nights B/AB/B	7:00	5:30	Port of Airlie (CW)
	TUE 27	Carnival Encounter	6 Nights B/AB/C/WI/B	7:00	4:00	Port of Airlie (CW)

NOV 2026	THU 5	Carnival Encounter	4 Nights B/AB/B	7:00	5:30	Port of Airlie (CW)
	WED 11	Quantum of the Seas	4 Nights B/AB/B	7:00	6:00	Shute Harbour (SH)
	FRI 13	Celebrity Edge	10 Nights S/B/AB/YK/PD/WI/S	7:00	4:00	Shute Harbour (SH)
	TUE 17	Carnival Encounter	4 Nights B/AB/B	7:00	5:30	Port of Airlie (CW)
	TUE 17	Viking Venus	16 Nights BA...C/TSV/AB...S	8:00	6:00	Shute Harbour (SH)
	SUN 22	Quantum of the Seas	7 Nights B/AB/YK/WI/B	7:00	6:00	Shute Harbour (SH)
	TUE 24	Carnival Encounter	6 Nights B/AB/C/WI/B	7:00	4:00	Port of Airlie (CW)
	WED 25	Celebrity Solstice	13 Nights S/AB/YK/PD/D/SIN	8:00	5:00	Shute Harbour (SH)
	SAT 28	Royal Princess	10 Nights S/AB/YK/PD/WI/B/S	7:00	4:00	Port of Airlie (CW)
	SAT 28	Oceania Riviera	16 Nights BA...C/TSV/AB/NTL/S	7:00	5:00	Shute Harbour (SH)
	SUN 29	Azamara Pursuit	20 Nights SIN...D/C/AB/MOO/S	8:00	6:00	Shute Harbour (SH)
MON 30	Silver Moon	18 Nights SIN...D/C/AB/MOO/S	7:00	5:00	Shute Harbour (SH)	

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DEC 2026	WED 2	Quantum of the Seas	4 Nights B/AB/B	7:00	6:00	Shute Harbour (SH)
	FRI 4	Grand Princess	9 Nights S/B/AB/C/WI/S	7:00	4:00	Port of Airlie (CW)
	FRI 4 – SAT 5	Celebrity Edge	11 Nights Overnight S/AB/YK/PD/WI/S	7:00 (4 th)	4:00 (5 th)	Shute Harbour (SH)
	SAT 5	Viking Orion	16 Nights BAL...C/TSV/AB/B/NTL/S	8:00	6:00	Port of Airlie (CW)
	MON 7	Oceania Riviera	12 Nights S/B/AB/TSV/C/S	7:00	7:00	Shute Harbour (SH)
	TUE 8	Carnival Encounter	4 Nights B/AB/B	7:00	5:30	Port of Airlie (CW)
	SAT 12	Carnival Luminosa	14 Nights SIN/BAL/C/AB/B	8:00	5:00	Port of Airlie (CW)
	MON 14	Seven Seas Explorer	16 Nights BAL...C/TSV/AB/B/S	7:00	5:00	Port of Airlie (CW)
	TUE 15	Viking Orion	31 Nights Circumnavigation	8:00	6:00	Shute Harbour (SH)
	WED 16	Carnival Luminosa	4 Nights B/AB/B	7:00	5:00	Port of Airlie (CW)
	THU 17	Carnival Encounter	6 Nights B/WI/C/AB/B	9:00	6:00	Port of Airlie (CW)
	SAT 19	Oceania Riviera	23 Nights S/B/AB/C...NTH	7:00	4:00	Shute Harbour (SH)
	THU 31	Carnival Luminosa	6 Nights B/AB/C/WI/B	7:00	4:00	Port of Airlie (CW)

Disclaimer: The schedule can change at any time with limited notice & cancellations. Any last-minute schedule changes will be notified via Facebook page: [Tourism Whitsundays corporate page](#).

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AB Airlie Beach	DRW Darwin	MOO Mooloolaba	TSV Townsville
BA Bail	FI Fraser Island	NTL Newcastle	VU Vanuatu
B Brisbane	I Indonesia	PD Port Douglas	VIE Vietnam
C Cairns	MI Moreton Island	SIN Singapore	WI Willis Island
	MLB Melbourne	S Sydney	

CRUISE SHIP DETAILS

Ships below listed in alphabetical order.

SHIP NAME	PASSENGERS AND CREW	SHIP NAME	PASSENGERS AND CREW	SHIP NAME	PASSENGERS AND CREW
Azamara Onward	672 pax 373 crew	Grand Princess	2,600 pax 1,150 crew	Radiance of the Seas	2,456 pax 858 crew
Brilliance of the Seas	2,580 pax 859 crew	MS Europa	516 pax 370 crew	Royal Princess	4,372 pax 1,350 crew
Carnival Adventure	3,174 pax 1,100 crew	MS Europa 2	516 pax 370 crew	Seabourne Odyssey	450 pax 330 crew
Carnival Encounter	3,115 pax 1,100 crew	MS The World	200 pax 280 crew	Seabourne Sojourn	450 pax 330 crew
Carnival Explorer	2,395 pax 924 crew	MS Westerdam	2,250 pax 800 crew	Seven Seas Explorer	829 pax 550 crew
Carnival Luminosa	2,260 pax 926 crew	Majestic Princess	3,560 pax 1,346 crew	Seven Seas Mariner	779 pax 440 crew
Carnival Splendor	3,012 pax 1,150 crew	Norwegian Sun	2,323 pax 906 crew	Seven Seas Navigator	490 pax 340 crew
Celebrity Edge	3,000 pax 1,500 crew	Oceania Regatta	684 pax 386 crew	Silver Muse	596 pax 408 crew
Celebrity Eclipse	3,000 pax 1,500 crew	Ovation of the Seas	4,819 pax 1,300 crew	Silver Nova	728 pax 556 crew
Celebrity Solstice	3,000 pax 1,500 crew	Quantum of the Seas	4,819 pax 1,300 crew	Voyager of the Seas	3,602 pax 1,200 crew
Coral Princess	2,000 pax 895 crew	Queen Anne	2,996 pax 1,225 crew	Viking Mars	930 pax 465 crew
Crown Princess	3,080 pax 1,200 crew	Queen Elizabeth	2,092 pax 996 crew	Viking Orion	930 pax 465 crew
Discovery Princess	4,402 pax 1,350 crew	Queen Mary 2	2,800 pax 1,253 crew	Viking Venus	930 pax 465 crew

Note: Pax shown is maximum with double occupancy, often, there are rooms empty and/or singles which reduces the number on board. Crew numbers can also vary. This document is prepared by the volunteer cruise ship ambassadors for and on behalf of Tourism Whitsundays.

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