Fraser Island
ULTIMATE CREATIVE

PHOTO WORKSHOP
August 26/31, 2018 - updated 3/18

Enjoy challenges, for all levels to new creative heights...

PLUS...
you could win an amazing Epson P800 printer, simply by booking this event.

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Join the teams from WPA and Australian Photography Magazine on World Heritage listed Fraser Island – one of the most photogenic locations on earth! You can join this tour with regular flights to Hervey Bay via Sydney or Brisbane.

‘Fraser offers a bit of Africa in Australia. I say this as we use 4WD’s as mobile hides and ‘get up close’ to all sorts of birds from eagles to feeding oystercatchers. We also enjoy magic sunrises on the eastern beach - amazing shoot opportunities! At times dingo’s are a special shoot and our many stops allow photographers to enjoy the challenge of shooting everything from ship wrecks to weird patterns, shapes and forms - the chance to learn ‘how to tell a story’. We are the most experienced photo tour operator on Fraser Island as we have been working with Kingfisher Bay Resort for over 15 years. After visiting the island numerous times, I can say that it is one of the world’s best locations to improve your photography and have a lot of fun. You will be challenged each day to new creative levels!'  Darran Leal

Note that we offer 6/7 photographers per tutor. Further tutors will be announced closer to the event. Mike O’Connor, the editor of Australian Photography Magazine will be joined by Mark Galer. (Subject to numbers.)

WHAT’S INCLUDED?
We include 3 nights accommodation at Eurong Beach Resort on the eastern beach and 2 nights accommodation at the multi award winning Kingfisher Bay Resort - world class photo tuition, breakfast lunch and dinner each night, plus island transport, ferry transfers and transport to and from Hervey Bay airport. We limit 3 photographers per vehicle on the eastern beach! This offers you loads of space and a great shoot experience. Julia can book extra accommodation to suit your interests, plus assist with your other travel needs.

THE ADVENTURE ...
Immerse yourself in the heartland of uniquely captivating images. In 2018 we invite you to photograph this stunning locations through your choice of three magnificent linked events:

1. Book Making Workshop - Fraser Island - August
2. Ultimate Creative - Fraser Island - August
3. Carnarvon Gorge - Central Queensland - September

Join us for the holiday of a lifetime ...
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DAY 1 - Eurong Beach Resort
Sunday, August 26
We meet at Kingfisher Bay Resort at 3pm and drive to Eurong Beach Resort (45 minutes) on the east coast of Fraser Island and undertake a workshop to answer those nagging photographic questions and cover digital technique/equipment questions. This will set you up for the rest of the week. We include a group dinner tonight. (D)

DAY 2 & 3 - Eurong Beach Resort
Monday/Tuesday, August 27/28
We are up for sunrise and that fantastic light that can offer the best look to your images. Morning beach shoot studying creative subjects from shells, to sand patterns and perhaps a dingo. We return for breakfast, followed by a workshop on Visualisation and Creative shooting. Afternoon drive north targeting eagles, dingo and a ship wreck. A magic two days exploring the wonders of a white sand surf beach. (B,L,D)

DAY 4 - Eurong Beach Resort to Kingfisher Bay Resort
Wednesday, August 29
We shoot another sunrise at a new location on the beach and new subjects. After breakfast, we start to drive west to Kingfisher Bay Resort, stopping at Central Station for a rainforest shoot. We also enjoy lunch at this location. Late workshop on processing your images via Lightroom and Photoshop. We meet for dinner – a chance to talk about the days adventures. (B,L (Picnic), D)

DAY 5 - Kingfisher Bay Resort
Thursday, August 30
Group morning walk with nature the key target. After breakfast, we meet at 9am for a workshop on using your images beyond processing. Afternoon shoot around the resort – birds, flowers, crabs and creative patterns are all available. Your photo guides will offer a unique subject or two! We shoot sunset at the jetty hut, with Darran shouting the group a drink. Final group dinner tonight. (L,D)

DAY 6 - Kingfisher Bay Resort - Tour Ends
Friday, August 31
We meet at 8.00am for a final overview and the chance for you to ask more questions. Everyone shows their favourite images from the week. You will be amazed at the diversity of images. You are sure to notice an improvement in your own photographic skills. We finish at approximately 9.30am.

Interested in more adventures? Join our Book Workshop linked to this event!
Itinerary and price is subject to change.

PRE WORKSHOP
Accommodation starts Day 1. We suggest you arrive, at least 24 hours before the tour starts and add an extra nights accommodation in Hervey Bay, or at Kingfisher Bay Resort. Julia can book this for you. This will allow you to be fresh to start your adventures.

We generally commence booking pre/post accommodation and flights approximately 6/7 months prior to departure, this optimising your travel interests.

FINAL ITINERARY
Note that a final itinerary will be sent to you about one month before departure.
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FRASER ISLAND ULTIMATE CREATIVE PRICE

AU$5,500 Twin Share per person

As per itinerary, with small group size per photo tutor.

EVENT DEPOSIT REQUIRED - AU$1,500 pp.

Please read our terms & Conditions and fill in our online booking form. At this time we recommend Travel Insurance, which includes deposit protection cover. Most credit card companies offer complimentary travel insurance. Travel agents offer travel insurance or, you can Google - Travel Insurance.

Bookings are as per our terms and conditions.

SINGLE SUPPLEMENT - AU$795 pp.

We will try our best to find someone to share with you. However, part of the booking conditions is that a single supplement is applicable if no one is available to share.

TO BOOK: Please use our online booking form:

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The Epson P800 will be drawn on the final dinner night, with the first person drawn as the winner. It can not be redeemed for cash. It will be couriered to the winner within 2 weeks of the drawing.

THE COST INCLUDES

• All land tour costs as per itinerary
• Accommodation in 3/4 star hotels based in double-room occupancy
• Single accommodation as per Single Supplement cost
• Private group transportation
• Entrance fees to national park
• Local English-speaking expert guide
• Professional photo guide

NOT INCLUDED

• Air tickets
• Personal expenses
• Items not included in the itinerary

FLIGHTS
We do not include your flights.

We are happy to help you!

IMPORTANT
To make sure you book the correct dates and times, we would request the following:
1. Don’t purchase any air tickets, until our guides flights have been booked, which we will do approximately 6/7 months prior to the workshop departure. We will advise you when the guides flights are booked and you can then use this itinerary, to help you use points or similar. This will also coincide with confirming the tour departure, making sure we have met minimum passenger numbers for the tour and the logistics of the tour have not changed.
2. We suggest you arrive a minimum of 24 hours prior to the tour departure.
There are many reasons our tours are so successful. Here are just a few ...

**UNTAMED QUALITY AND EXPERIENCE**
With over 70 years of combined experience in tailoring premium travel quests, our team ensures you never settle for less than the best. We offer lovely 3/4 star accommodation for your comfort and enjoyment.

**EXCEPTIONAL END-TO-END EXPERIENCE**
We work towards delivering the time of your life. Our office gem Julia, helps you with all your pre- and post-tour needs. Once you are 'out in the field' our professional local drivers and guides are right by your side. Your personal photo guides are the best in the world! World Photo Adventures and its expert team know this captivating land better than anyone.

**GREAT TOURS COME IN SMALL GROUPS**
Small group travel gives you flexibility and the ability to follow your interests. That's why we keep tour group sizes small so you can savour your travel experience.

**FIRST TIME ON TOUR WITH US?**
We'll happily answer your questions, offer advice or connect you with the experiences that will satisfy your wanderlust. Contact Julia at: julia@worldadventures.com.au.

**SAFETY AND SECURITY**
Your safety and security is very important to us. Apart from the experience of your WPA guides, our local operators are outstanding and very experienced to local cultures and customs. Our itineraries, accommodation and tour information all add's up to helping you enjoy a great adventure, with peace of mind.

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**OUR UNIQUE QUALIFICATIONS**

**Darran and Julia** have a combined 70+ years of working in the travel and tour industry. Son's Pearce and Frazer also offer unique experience with Pearce guiding and working in over 50 events and Frazer working at many events and covering the businesses IT requirements. We are a family business...

Julia became a professional travel agent in 1983. Julia has worked for travel retailers and wholesalers, plus of course many years as the office manager for our business. Julia is very travelled, having visited every continent and many islands.

Darran first guided a group while working at Carnarvon Gorge in Central Queensland in 1981. He has a huge portfolio of photography work and accomplishments from guiding for several companies, to commercial shoots, books and to this day supplying articles for publications like Australian Photography Magazine. Darran has been involved with over 400 photo events around the world.

Finally, World Photo Adventures is fully covered by Tour Operator Insurance. This is not standard travel insurance and is not available until a rigorous check of a businesses procedures and use of travel operators is made.
MEET THE WPA TEAM

MIKE O’CONNOR
Editor Australian Photography Magazine & Photographer
Before taking up the mantle of editor of Australian Photography, Mike O’Connor worked for 3 years as a photographer and writer for WWF, the World Wide Fund for Nature, in New Zealand. He has travelled, written and photographed around the world, with his writing and photographs appearing in every major broadsheet newspaper in NZ as well as a number of travel publications. In 2012 he lived and worked in Chennai, India as a journalist with the New Indian Express newspaper.

www.australianphotography.com

DARRAN LEAL
Professional photographer/guide
With over 400 successful photo tours/workshop and seminars worldwide and counting, Australian-born Darran’s lifetime loves are travel and outdoor photography. He combines these with vast experience in delivering global photo tours, workshops and seminars. Darran is one of the world’s few full-time professional photo guides. He leads photographers of all levels to many of the world’s most captivating locations. As a natural born photographer, educator and adventurer, Darran’s career inevitably led him to help others explore and capture their world. Now Darran spends his time up to his arm pits in crocodiles, cuddling gorillas or herding photographers.

Check out Darran’s work at: www.worldphotoadventures.com.au

MARK GALER
Professional photographer/guide
Mark Galer is a seasoned professional photographer, educator, author, and contributing editor for Australian Photography magazine. Mark is also the Adobe Photoshop/Lightroom Ambassador for Australia and all round Photoshop Guru. He has recently published his 30th book with Focal Press, has served as a Senior Lecturer and Program Director of the BA Photography course at RMIT University in Melbourne and is the Sony Alpha Ambassador.

Marks website is: www.markgaler.com

PEARCE LEAL
Professional photographer/guide
No photographer could wish for a better guide to getting remarkable destination shots than a fellow photographer. Pearce is the man to get you weaving incredible lens magic, with over 30 tours and workshops under his belt, Pearce has traversed incredible image opportunities in Africa, the USA, both polar regions, South America, Asia and Australia. In addition, his own photographic work has been featured in magazines and media around the globe. He has won several awards in the AIPP, to finalist in the BBC Wildlife Photographer of the year. His teaching skills and his dedication to help those on tour is outstanding.

Check out Pearce’s work first-hand at: www.pearcelealphoto.com

JULIA LEAL
Professional travel consultant
Exploring new territory is an adventure Julia has been savoring since childhood. Julia was born in Liverpool, England yet soon migrated to New Zealand with her family. She launched her travel career in 1979 in tropical Noosa, Queensland where she managed one of the first resorts in the region. Then it was back to Auckland, New Zealand to take up the role of travel consultant. Before long, Go International snapped Julia up as a travel rep. While leading an educational tour on Norfolk Island in 1989, Julia met Darran. Though her career remained trans-Tasman for several years after, Julia is now in her element as a travel consultant extraordinaire for World Photo Adventures. When it comes to securing an extraordinary photographic adventure tour founded on unrivalled service, Julia has it covered.
WHO BOOKS OUR PHOTO HOLIDAYS?
From animated ‘point and shoot’ amateur photographers to seasoned photographic veterans, we get a broad cross-section of photo enthusiasts on every tour. Not super keen on snapping? No problem. You are still guaranteed a great time. Whether your finger never leaves, or never hits a camera during a tour, you will have an unforgettable experience. Our unique locations, top guides and small travel groups make sure of it. While our clients vary in age and experience, all attend with the same goal — to have a fantastic holiday. We ensure every client gets exactly that.

WE OFFER YOU ...

- Fantastic land package ...
  That's right, we include everything from hand picked 3/4 star accommodation, plus meals as per itinerary, transport, entrance fees.
- Great guidance every step of the way ...
  A vibrant travel itinerary that never misses a beat. Local knowledge to fully immerse you in the richest offerings of the region. Professional photographic support is provided to ensure you secure superlative images. You will have it all thanks to our professional photographer and local guide. Both are with you throughout your tour.
- Small group sizes for big personal advantage ...
  You want to maximise your photographic and experiential opportunities. We want you to as well. So we keep tour groups small with a maximum of six travellers per guide. You will benefit from utmost flexibility and personal attention, with an experienced guide on-hand too.
- Fantastic accommodation ...
  Comfort is an important part of all travel. So we ensure a high standard of accommodation throughout your tour. That means you will always be well rested to make the most of every tour day.
- Marvellous meals ...
  Eating ‘on the job’ can only be planned to a certain extent. After all you would not want to miss incredible photographic and travel opportunities because you were busy dining. So we provide a selection of meals as detailed in your itinerary. Your guides will arrange all other meals to ensure you never miss a chance to enrich your tour memories and books or albums.

LIBERATE YOUR LENS AND YOUR SENSES
Our ‘end-to-end’ tour takes you on a journey of incredible discovery. So put yourself in the big picture with prime travel information and inspiration ...

GET TO KNOW THE DESTINATION
You can begin your exploration of the tour destination without leaving home. Visit www.maps.google.com.au. Simply type in the locations on your itinerary and explore to your heart’s content. It’s a great idea to embark upon your adventure well informed on this rich natural wonderland.

WEATHER
Please google temperatures for that time of the year at the destination. We will offer more information in our - Final Itinerary.

WHAT IS NOT INCLUDED IN OUR TOUR PRICE
We aim to provide a convenient price for almost all your travel and tour arrangements. Yet some additional costs do fall outside our tour prices. Your airfares are an extra cost unless your itinerary specifies otherwise. All transfers, laundry and sundries not listed in the itinerary also fall outside our tour price.

PLEASE NOTE: it is vital that you do not book any flights or other travel services for your tour before speaking to our office first. No tour is ever ‘guaranteed’ until minimum numbers and other key logistics are confirmed.

ITINERARY AND PRICE CHANGES
Tour prices are correct at the time of printing, but these are subject to change. Please use your itinerary and associated pricing as a guide only.

KITTING OUT YOUR CAMERA COLLATERAL
No matter what your photographic level or style, World Photo Adventures maximises your image interest. Our clients use everything from top line D-SLRs with pro lenses to mid-range kits. We even have a wealth of non-photographically inclined partners come along with basic compact cameras.

Your equipment is personal to you. What matters is that you know how to use it and how to get the most out of your tour. That is why we offer a workshop at the start of all tours. Plus you’ll have a professional photographer on-hand to give you personal assistance while you’re in the field. You can even benefit from ‘mini photography workshops’ during the course of your tour. In short, we give you everything possible to help you capture lasting images of the world’s most breathtaking location — in a way that matches your style, desires and photographic equipment.

Itinerary, price and details are subject to change.