ANZSEE Conference 2024 TRAVEL BRIEF

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The 2024 ANZSEE Conference will be held at the <u>Moreton Bay Research Centre (MBRC) on</u> <u>Minjerribah/North Stradbroke Island</u> near Brisbane in Queensland. MBRC is located in between the two water transport terminals at the township of <u>Dunwich</u>.

Getting to the island is relatively easy through a passenger only water taxi or a passenger and vehicles carrying ferry. This guide outlines the various modes of transport you can get from the airport and other key transport hubs to reach the Cleveland water transport terminal to get to Minjerribah.

Please read through the entire document to get a clear picture to plan for your travel. We have added the relevant weblinks to enable quick access to online information. Should you require further information or assistance, please email us at anzseecom@gmail.com.

Sea/Water Transport

Two types of water transport operate from the <u>Cleveland Terminal</u>, about 30km from Brisbane:

1. Passengers only daily <u>Stradbroke Flyer water taxi</u> operates <u>hourly</u> from 4:55AM to 1:55PM; and then from 3:25PM to 7.25PM (Mon-Fri) and from 5:55AM on weekends and public holiday. The journey takes about 25 minutes. Please note that there is **no** water taxi service between 1:55PM to 3:25PM; and the courtesy bus only runs for **6:55AM and 6:25PM** water taxi services.

The water taxi docks on the island at One Mile Jetty, Yabby St, Dunwich – just 400m from MBRC.

From Dunwich to Cleveland, the water taxi operates **hourly** from 6:25AM to 2:25PM; and then from 3:55PM to 7:55¹PM. Please note that **Monday** 7th **October is a Queensland public holiday**, so the first water taxi out of Dunwich will be from 6:25AM and the last one at 7:55PM. The full water taxi and its courtesy bus timetable can be found <u>here</u>.

Water Taxi Fares

Tickets can be purchased onboard the water taxi with cash or card payment via Eftpos. Please arrive at

Adult	Child	Tertiary	Pension
Return Trip \$21	Return Trip \$ 11	Return Trip \$15	Return Trip \$10.50
One Way Ticket \$12	One Way Ticket \$6	One Way Ticket \$8	One Way Ticket \$5.50

least 15 minutes prior to departure.

2. Passenger and vehicle <u>Sealink Ferries</u> at Toondah Harbour terminal on 12 Emmett Drive at the end of Middle Street, in Cleveland which takes about 50 mins to reach the island. The ferry docks on the island at the pontoon, Junner St, Dunwich – 800m from MBRC.

¹ No courtesy bus for this last service

The ferry leaves Cleveland terminal **hourly** from 6:00AM to 8:00AM; at 9:30AM and 10:30AM; hourly from 12:00 noon to 2:00PM; then at 3:30PM and 4:30PM from Monday to Saturday. On Sunday, the first ferry departs at 7:00AM and there is an additional 6:00PM departure.

From Dunwich, the ferry leaves hourly from 7:00AM to 9:00AM; at 10:30AM and 11:30AM; hourly from 1:00PM to 3:00PM, at 4:30PM and 5:30PM Monday to Saturday. On Sunday, the first ferry departs Dunwich at 8:00AM and there is an additional 7:00PM departure.

Passenger fares are the same as the water taxi. You can pre-purchase your tickets <u>online</u> or call <u>07</u> <u>3488 5300</u>. Please <u>book in advance</u> if you are traveling with a vehicle to the island to avoid unnecessary delays. Details on the fares can be found <u>here</u>.

Departs Cleveland	Departs Dunwich	
6:00am (M) Monday to Saturday only	7:00am (M) Monday to Saturday only	
7:00am (SB)	8:00am (SB)	
8:00am (M)	9:00am (M)	
9:30am (SB)	10:30am (SB)	
10:30am (M)	11:30am (M)	
12:00pm (SB)	1:00pm (SB)	
1:00pm (M)	2:00pm (M)	
2:00pm (SB)	3:00pm (SB)	
3:30pm (M)	4:30pm (M)	
4:30pm (SB)	5:30pm (SB)	
6.00pm (M) Sunday only	7.00pm (M) Sunday only	

Sealink Ferry Timetable

Public Transport by train or bus to Cleveland

Visitors can purchase the \$1.50 per day *Go Explore* <u>travel pass</u> which will enable unlimited travel on any Translink transport including (i) Brisbane metropolitan bus and train services, (ii) Gold Coast bus or tram service, and (iii) Sunshine Coast bus service. It costs just \$1.50 per day. Children under five years travel free.

Please use the <u>Translink Journey Planner</u> to plan your trip anywhere in Brisbane, Gold Coast or Sunshine Coast to Cleveland train station or bus stop. The water taxi courtesy bus or a Transdev bus will take you to the respective water transport terminal from Cleveland train station and bus stop.

From the Cleveland Train Station

Stradbroke Flyer water taxi provides a free shuttle bus that picks up passengers from the Cleveland Train Station 10 minutes before water taxi departures (only for water taxi departures from 6:55AM to 6:25PM).

A Transdev bus also travels to the Sealink passenger ferry or vehicle ferries from the Cleveland Train Station before water taxi departures (exclude services before 6:55AM or after 6:25PM).

Please ask at the station for the location of or look for the Stradbroke Flyer or the Transdev bus stop.

From the Cleveland Shops Bus Stop

Stradbroke Flyer water taxi provides a free shuttle bus that picks up passengers from the Cleveland Shops Bus Stop, in Middle Street outside of the Commonwealth Bank, **15 minutes before** water taxi departures (exclude services before 6:55AM or after 6:25PM).

A Transdev bus travels to the Sealink passenger ferry or vehicle ferries from the Cleveland Shops Bus Stop, in Middle Street, before water taxi departures (exclude services before 6:55AM or after 6:25PM).

From Brisbane

You have several options to get to Stradbroke Island from Brisbane. You can drive, hire a car, or catch a taxi from Brisbane to Toondah Harbour, Cleveland, where ferries depart to Stradbroke Island. You can take your vehicle on the ferry <u>or</u> leave it on the mainland. You can also take a shuttle from Brisbane Airport directly to the ferry terminal.

All Sealink information on passenger ferry or vehicle ferry timetables can be found here.

All Straddie Flyer information on the water taxi timetable can be found here.

From Brisbane CBD by Road Vehicle

30 km via Old Cleveland Road, an estimated 50 minutes of driving depending on traffic and vehicle.

From the **Brisbane Airport** by Road Vehicle

30 km via the M1 tollway, an estimated 40 minutes of driving depending on traffic and vehicle. This route includes tolls.

From Gold Coast by Road Vehicle

78 km via the Pacific Motorway, an estimated 1 hour and 20 minutes driving depending on traffic and vehicle.

Self drive via tolled State Route 22 to the Cleveland Terminal

Water taxi and free shuttle bus time table

DEPARTING	CLEVELAND	DEPARTIN	IG DUNWICH
# 4.55 AM	12.55 PM	# 5.25 AM	12.25 PM
# 5.55 AM	1.55 PM	6.25 AM	1.25 PM
6.55 AM	3.25 PM	7.25 AM	2.25 PM
7.55 AM	4.25 PM	8.25 AM	3.55 PM
8.55 AM	5.25 PM	9.25 AM	4.55 PM
9.55 AM	6.25 PM	10.25 AM	5.55 PM
10.55 AM	# 7.25 PM	11.25 AM	6.55 PM
11.55 AM			# 7.55 PM
	TIMES	NYELLOW	

TIMES IN YELLOW NO SAT, SUN, PUBLIC HOLIDAYS

NO COURTESY BUS AT CLEVELAND

DEPARTING	DEPARTING	
OMMONWEALTH BANK	CLEVELAND	
(MIDDLE ST)	TRAIN STATION	
6.40 AM	6.50 AM	
7.40AM	7.50 AM	
8.40 AM	8.50 AM	
9.40 AM	9.50 AM	
10.40 AM	10.50 AM	
11.40 AM	11.50 AM	
12.40 PM	12.50 PM	
1.40PM	1.50 PM	
3.10 PM	3.20 PM	
4.10 PM	4.20 PM	
5.10 PM	5.20 PM	
6.10 PM	6.20 PM	