

48 HOURS OF FAMILY FUN

in The Mackay Region



If you are looking for a whirlwind 48 hours of family fun, look no further than The Mackay Region. Put aside the technology and get closer to nature with a holiday for the whole family.

DAY ONE

 **Eungella National Park - Platypus in the wild**
During the day

Take a scenic drive from Mackay City to Eungella National Park (approximately 70 minutes west). Enjoy a short 250 metre walk to the Sky Window Lookout or continue to Broken River where you can spot a platypus in the wild. The best place to see platypus is from the viewing platforms – a short and easy walk for the little ones!

Tip: Stop in at Finch Hatton for a scuba diving experience in platypus waters with Rainforest Scuba. Call 1300 1300 01 to book.

 **Cape Hillsborough Sunrise and Wildlife**
Overnight stay

Head north to Cape Hillsborough National Park and settle in at the tourist park. Discover bushwalking tracks, explore caves, or watch the sun go down on the beach as a family. At sunrise, wake up with the wallabies and kangaroos who greet visitors on the beach each morning, an eye-opening experience for young and old!

 If you have an extra day, take the family on a roadtrip south to Clairview (approximately 1.5 hours from Mackay) where the coast is visible from the highway. Discover dugongs at the beach or explore the St Lawrence Wetlands.

DAY TWO

 **Sugar hit in Sarina**
During the day

Hit the road south to experience the award-winning Sarina Sugar Shed, Australia's only miniature mill and distillery. Take a tour and taste the flavours of the products made on site. Adults will enjoy the rum and liqueurs while the kids will love the fairy floss made on site!

Tip: The Sarina Sugar Shed is open 7 days with four tours daily. Call 1300 1300 01 to book.

 **Sun, sand and sunsets**
Overnight stay

The Northern Beaches of Mackay offer some of the most spectacular spots to stay, enjoy a barbecue lunch or dip in the ocean. They also boast incredible sunsets. Try Sunset Bay, Eimeo to watch the sun go down or take a walk along Blacks Beach, the longest stretch of beach in The Mackay Region.

Tip: If looking for a fun, central location for the family in the Mackay City, check out Riviera. The kids will love the rooftop chess board! Call 1300 1300 to book.