

Broome, Western Australia, Australia

Red pindan cliffs meet turquoise ocean where the Kimberley meets the sea. Broome is outback Australia with a pearling soul — Cable Beach stretches 22 km, camels plod at sunset, and Chinatown glitters with South Sea pearls.

Docked (port jetty) Typical call: 8-10 hrs AUD English Dry season: May–Oct

👉 MY DAY IN PORT

Ship/Date: _____	Arrive: _____	All aboard: _____
Excursion: _____	Notes: _____	

GETTING ASHORE

Docking: Port of Broome jetty, ~6 km south of town; shuttle buses to Chinatown

Best For: Cable Beach sunsets, South Sea pearl shopping, Horizontal Falls seaplane tours

Walk to centre: Not walkable — free cruise-line shuttles run to Chinatown/Napier Terrace

Don't Miss: Camel ride on Cable Beach, dinosaur footprints at Gantheaume Point (low tide)

Getting around: Taxi A\$22–28 · Rideshare Uber

TOP THINGS TO DO

- **Cable Beach Camel Ride at Sunset** — A Broome institution: ride a camel along 22 km of pristine white sand as the sun drops into the Indian Ocean.
- **Horizontal Falls Seaplane Tour** — Fly by seaplane into the Kimberley to see the extraordinary Horizontal Falls — tidal water rushing through narrow gorges creating a cascade effect...
- **Gantheaume Point & Dinosaur Footprints** — Red pindan cliffs plunge into turquoise sea at Gantheaume Point.
- **Malcolm Douglas Crocodile Park** — Meet massive saltwater crocodiles relocated from the wild at this well-regarded park just outside Broome.
- **Pearl Luggers Museum & Chinatown** — Broome's multicultural pearling past is preserved at the Pearl Luggers Museum — restored 19th-century pearl luggers, dangerous diving stories, and...

BEST WALKS

- **Chinatown Heritage Stroll** 1 km · Flat · 30–45 min — From the shuttle drop at Napier Terrace, explore Broome's historic Chinatown — pearl showrooms, the Sun Pictures outdoor cinema (oldest operating in Australia), and the...
- **Cable Beach & Gantheaume Point Loop** 3 km · Easy sand/path · 1-1.5 hrs — Take the Explorer Bus to Cable Beach, walk south along the sand toward Gantheaume Point.

WEATHER · DAYLIGHT · MONEY

🌤️ CLIMATE (AVG °F · RAINY DAYS)				🇺🇸 DAYLIGHT & 💰 MONEY	
Mon	High	Low	Rain	Apr 6:00AM–5:41PM · Jun 6:19AM–5:23PM · Aug 6:10AM–5:40PM · Sep 5:47AM–5:45PM · Oct 5:22AM–5:51PM	
Apr	94°	78°	3d		
Jun	86°	67°	1d		
Aug	87°	66°	0d		
Sep	90°	71°	0d		
Oct	92°	77°	0d		

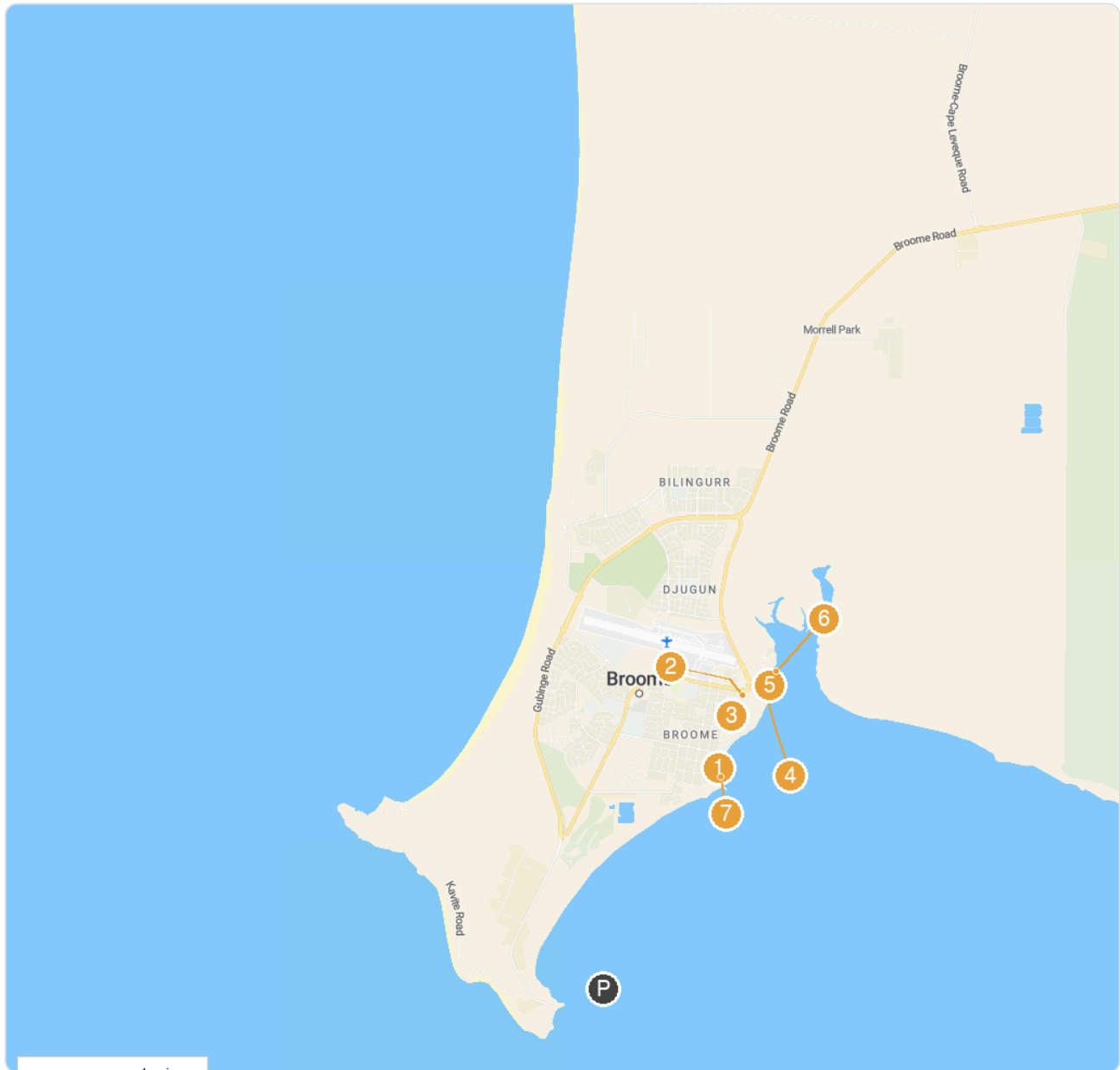
KNOW BEFORE YOU GO

- Take the shuttle — don't walk. The pier is 6 km from town in an industrial area. The free cruise-line shuttle is your primary transport; it drops at Napier Terrace, Chinatown.
- Pearl prices vary widely. Chinatown has dozens of pearl showrooms — quality and pricing differ significantly. Shop multiple stores before buying.
- Check the tidal chart for Gantheaume Point. Dinosaur footprints are only exposed when the tide is very low. The port schedule and tide tables don't always align.
- Book Horizontal Falls in advance. Seaplane tours to the Horizontal Falls are expensive (~AUD 600+) and sell out months ahead. Ship-organised excursions are the most reliable option.
- Dress for the heat. Broome is in the tropics — even in the dry season (May–Oct) it's 25-32°C. Sunscreen, a hat, and water are essential, especially on Cable Beach.
- Sunset camel rides book out fast. If your ship is in port for the afternoon, book a Cable Beach camel ride before you disembark — walk-up spots disappear quickly.

Broome, Western Australia, Australia — Port Map

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Red = walkable sights · Amber = excursions farther out · P = cruise terminal. Numbers match the order you'd typically visit.



- 1 Broome Historical Museum** Explore Broome's rich history and pearling heritage.
- 3 Our Lady Queen of Peace Cathedral** Visit Broome's unique cathedral, built with local shell and stone.
- 5 Pearl Luggers Broome** Discover Broome's pearling past aboard restored historic luggers.
- 7 Town Beach** Relax on this family-friendly beach, perfect for swimming and picnics.

- 2 Broome Courthouse Markets** Browse unique stalls under boab trees at the historic courthouse.
- 4 Roebuck Bay Lookout** Enjoy panoramic views of Roebuck Bay and its famous red cliffs.
- 6 Streeter's Jetty Broome** Walk this historic jetty, a gateway to Broome's pearling past.
- P Cruise port / terminal**