

INFO ABOUT BUNDY & YOUR HOSTS, ANN & BRIAN

For those of you who have never visited our beautiful city of Bundaberg, it has a population of over 100,000.

Brian and I plus our 2 children and 2 grandkids have been here since 1998. We were originally Dairy Farmers in Victoria at a place called Tooradin which is at the top of Western Port Bay. We decided to move north to warmer weather and this is where we ended up. We bought a farm which originally grew Birds Eye Chillies and we supplied Woolworths and Coles with these hot little things. From there we changed the farm from Chillies to Passion fruit. Our son Ross still owns the Passionfruit farm and that is one which we can take and show you next year.

Our interest in Little Austin Sevens came about after Brian had a Heart attack and we had to sell the Passionfruit farm, that is when our son Ross bought the farm. Brian had to have something to keep him busy and somehow thought of the little Austins.

Bundaberg has so much produce grown here. It is the Sweet Potato capital, and they along with all other produce are sold at roadside stalls throughout the region. Cheap as. Tomatoes, Snow Peas, Capsicums, Figs, Chillies, Passionfruit, Zucchini's, English Potatoes, Pumpkin, Avocado's, Button Squash, Lychees, Strawberries, Peas, Herbs and Bok Choy and all coloured salad leafy greens. Macadamias are taking over Bundaberg at the moment, there are thousands and thousands of trees being planted as Sugar Cane farms are being bought by Macadamia farmers. We have a magnificent Rose farm I buy them \$12 per dozen, and they are just gorgeous.

There will be visits to our Famous Bundaberg Rum Distillery, where you can purchase the famous drink. There is a special that you can only buy at the Distillery, called Rum Liquor and let me tell you it is a magnificent drop. All of our visitors have purchased it and go back for more. We also have The Bundaberg Brewed Drinks which is famous for its Ginger Beer and now have a lot of different varieties.

Sweet Potato Farm and packing shed, this is probably the biggest Sweet Potato farm in the southern hemisphere.

Lavender Farm, which has a beautiful gift shop of everything lavender based and I think the ladies will enjoy this.

Lime farm with Linda the clever owner doing lots of extra products with her Limes.

Austchilli who are a huge company and export their product world-wide.

Macadamia farms where you can purchase a wide variety of nuts, eg, Choc coated, plus different flavours. Yummy.

Bert Hinkler Hall of Aviation and Botanical Gardens plus Bert Hinklers original home which has been transported from England.

Heritage Day in which our little Austins will be included and we will have a Static Display.

So as you can see we have plenty to keep you busy, we are still thinking and adding to this list, so we will keep you all updated.

Please remember to let Brian or I know where and when if you make a booking.

Cheers

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