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**Dear Delegate,**

Here we are well into 2023, and while the Christmas break seems like a distant memory we hope you are enjoying the warmer (albeit wet) weather of recent weeks.

While our **Pearlers of Port Douglas** trip is 14 months away, we are continuing to work on the programme content to ensure you have a truly memorable experience, and you will appreciate that because of the lengthy lead time we are unable to release full details of the programme until all function details are completed, however we look forward to providing you with a day-to-day activity grid in the near future.

For our second newsletter, we thought we would preview the beautiful Sheraton Grand Mirage Resort Port Douglas that will be your home for the 5 nights of our trip. We hope you enjoy the overview on the last page of this newsletter.



Here's what will be coming up during 2023:

- Day-by-day activity overview
- Supplier Sponsored events
- Dux Draws Announcement
- Online Registration - July (finalising flight and accommodation requirements, any special requirements, travel insurance etc)
- MaxPoints conversion - November
- Young Plumber of the Year 2023 winner announced who will be travelling with the group

## Travel Website

A reminder that our travel website is now live, as we progress through the promotion period the website will be updated regularly with programme content, optional activities, copies of newsletters, registration, travel insurance etc.

Simply click on the link below to view:

**[plumbingworld2024.cispecialists.co.nz](http://plumbingworld2024.cispecialists.co.nz)**



As we have many first-time attendees registered on this trip, please feel free to contact us at any time if you have any questions.

We look forward to being in touch again in April with further information on Port Douglas and its surrounds.

Kind Regards

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## Sheraton Grand Mirage Resort

Sheraton Grand Mirage Resort, Port Douglas is a stunning five-star hotel in Far North Queensland surrounded by beautiful tropical gardens and white-sand beaches, stretching over an impressive 147 hectares with over two hectares of sparkling swimmable, saltwater lagoon pools.

Experience soothing and stylishly designed interiors, reflective of the Port Douglas beachside surroundings, featuring 295 harmonious rooms including hotel guest rooms, suites and thoughtfully designed villas to inspire relaxation. Extending 5-star standards in tune with the natural tropical environment.



The resort offers a variety of individual restaurants and bars showcasing the very best in locally sourced and Australian ingredients. The menus explore the flavours of Tropical North Queensland, inspired from the Great Barrier Reef to the Daintree Rainforest. Savour the authentic dining options, including the refined seafood creations.

Enjoy modern fine dining at the award-winning restaurant Harrisons by Spencer Patrick or take in the tropical sunshine and palm tree breezes with an al fresco Italian inspired bite at The Deck.



The Lagoon House pool bar offers a tasty lunch and snack menu, tropical cocktails and local beverages all designed to enjoy poolside. Or gather in air-conditioned comfort at Feast Restaurant for breakfast, lunch and dinner.

Whether you prefer to try Daintree Bar's signature tasting flight and cocktails featuring sugar cane rum, or refuel in comfort at Palms Lobby Café with a fresh barista coffee, organic coconut ice-cream or handcrafted pastries, there is something to suit everyone.



Besides a luxurious day spa, resort amenities also include the onsite Mirage Country Club featuring a scenic 18-hole golf course, aquatic driving range, air-conditioned fitness centre, three tennis courts, 25-metre lap pool and pro shop.

