

Answers to the *Cairns Trivia Ten Challenge*

1. What is the official flower emblem of Cairns?

The Golden Penda

2. Which university is home to Cairns?

James Cook University

3. Who first mapped the site of Cairns?

Captain James Cook

4. After who was Cairns named?

William Wellington Cairns (The Governor of Queensland 1875-1877)

5. What is the population of Cairns?

Approximately 158 700 people

(According to the Bureau of Statistics 2007-2008, <http://www.abs.gov.au/ausstats/abs@.nsf/Products/3218.0~2007-08-Main+Features-Queensland?OpenDocument>)

6. Which family of crocodylian is native to Cairns – the alligator or the crocodile?

The crocodile

7. Who are the traditional owners of Cairns City?

The Gimuy Walubara Yidinji people

8. The Bruce Highway from Brisbane terminates in Cairns City. What is the name of the highway that runs north of Cairns?

The Captain Cook Highway

9. How many reefs make up the Great Barrier Reef system?

Approximately 2900

(According to Great Barrier Reef Marine Park Authority http://www.gbrmpa.gov.au/corp_site/key_issues/climate_change/climate_change_and_the_great_barrier_reef)

10. In which year and month did Cyclone Larry hit Cairns?

March, 2006

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