

WHALE WATCHING TOURS & BREMER CANYON KILLER WHALE (ORCA) EXPEDITIONS



FOUNDERS OF WHALE WATCHING IN THE SOUTHWEST



West Australian
Family owned business
~ Established in 1993 ~



OUR WEST AUSTRALIAN CUSTOM BUILT VESSELS



Alison Maree

20M Catamaran

Travel in luxury on one of the fastest, safest, most spacious whale watching vessels in the industry.

Passenger Capacity 90

Dhu Force

17.3M Conquest

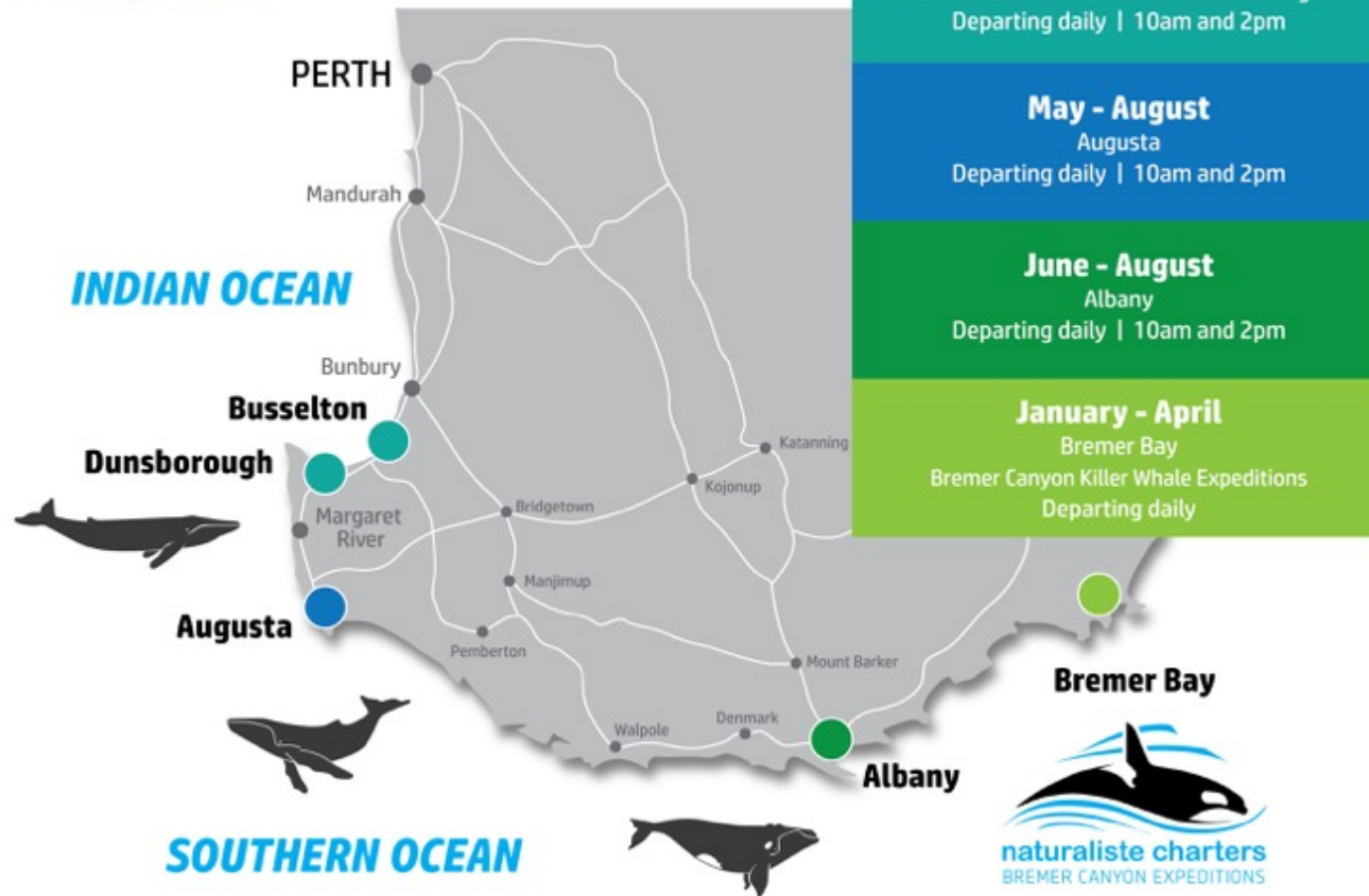
Experience the best viewing on board this vessel, a big boat with small passenger numbers.

Passenger Capacity 23

WHERE WE ARE LOCATED



South West - Western Australia



Our office is based in Dunsborough
Open every day apart from Christmas and boxing day.

Our operation is unique, we have 5 different departure locations, our crew and vessels move around with the whales!



WHALE WATCHING IS POSSIBLE YEAR ROUND!



Bremer Canyon Killer Whale Expedition
Bremer Bay, Great Southern
January - April

Whale Watching Tour
Augusta, South West &
Albany, Great Southern
May - August

Whale Watching Tour
Dunsborough, South West & Busselton,
South West
September - December

WELCOME TO BREMER BAY



- Approximately a 5.5 hour drive from Perth or a 2 hour drive from Albany. Flights from Perth to Albany (1 hour 10 min duration) available with **REX Airlines**, return bus transfers connecting to expedition ex Albany to Bremer Bay with **Busy Blue Bus**.
- Pristine beaches, rugged and beautiful coastlines make it a nature lover's paradise.
- This is the only place in Australia that you can reliably encounter Orca.
- Average temperature min 13°- high 27°

TOUR: BREMER CANYON KILLER WHALE EXPEDITION



THE FOUNDERS OF THE BREMER CANYON KILLER WHALE EXPEDITIONS



- Full day 8 hour Expedition on board the “Alison Maree”.
- Encounter [Orca](#), [Pilot Whales](#), [Sperm Whales](#), [Dolphins](#), [Sharks](#), [Sea Lions](#), [Sun fish](#), [Pelagic Birds](#).
- Fully qualified Marine Biologist on board providing a full interpretation.
- Orca research is conducted on board the expeditions including acoustic monitoring & photo ID.
- Includes meals, snacks and refreshments, special dietary requirements are catered for.
- Departs 8.30am daily returning 4.30pm, January – April.
- Receive images & the daily blog from your Expedition.
- **\$385 AUD per person**
- **New 3 day pass available for \$999 AUD per person**

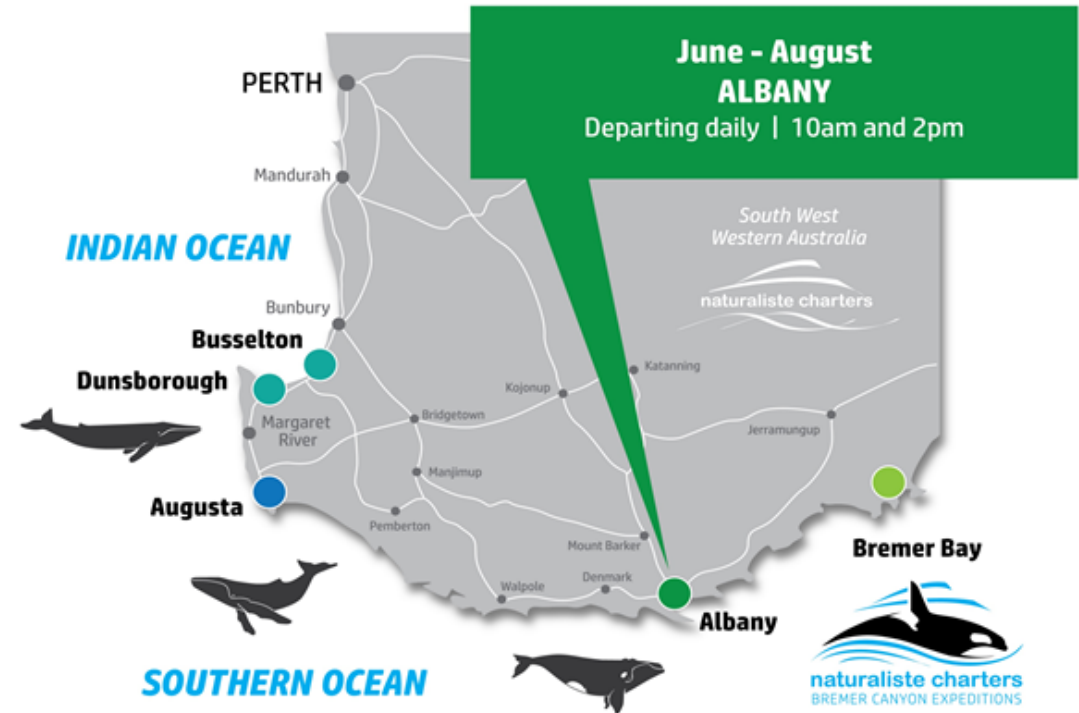
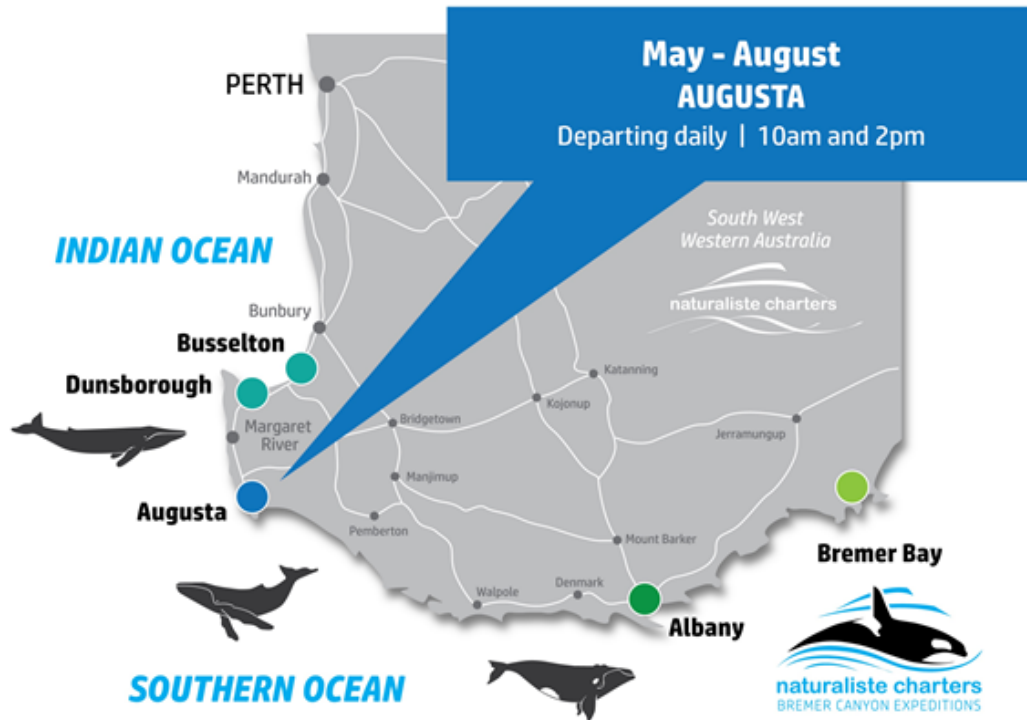


THE GREAT
HUMPBACK
MIGRATION BEGINS

WINTER WHALE WATCHING – THE NORTHERN MIGRATION

MAY - AUGUST

Every year more than 35,000 Humpback Whales make the mighty journey from Antarctica to the warmer waters of the Kimberley's to give birth to their young. On this migration we are very fortunate that the Humpbacks will stop and rest in both King George Sound, Albany and Flinders Bay, Augusta, both great locations for Whale Watching tours.



YOU CAN WHALE WATCH IN THE WINTER FROM

MAY TO AUGUST



AUGUSTA

- Augusta is in the Margaret River region and is on the most Southwest corner of Australia, approx. a 3.5 hour drive from Perth or 40 minutes drive from Margaret River.
- Home to the Cape Leeuwin Lighthouse, the tallest lighthouse on mainland Australia, overlooking where 2 oceans meet.
- There is much to explore here including caves, award winning wineries, delicious produce and stunning coast lines.
- Average temperature 12° - 17°



YOU CAN ALSO WHALE WATCH IN THE WINTER FROM



JUNE TO AUGUST



ALBANY

- Approx. a 4 hour drive from Perth, there are daily flights with Rex airlines, as well as full bus services.
- Albany was voted the second best WA Top Tourism town for 2019.
- Home to the Gap at the Torndirrup National Park.
- Learn the history of whaling at the Historic Whaling Station.
- Explore Bluff Knoll which features abundant wildflowers, birdlife, reptiles, exceptional scenery.
- Average Temperature 9.1° - 16.4°



TOURS: AUGUSTA & ALBANY WHALE WATCHING



NORTHERN MIGRATION – MAY TO AUGUST

- Duration: 2.5 hours.
- Vessel: “Dhu Force” departing from King George Sound, Albany. “Alison Maree” departing from Flinders Bay, Augusta.
- Sight [Humpback Whales](#), [Southern Right Whales](#), [Dolphins](#), [New Zealand Fur Seals](#).
- Interpretive tour, learn the history of the whales and the region.
- Family friendly, all ages are welcome on board, including infants and seniors.

Morning or afternoon tea included. See whales or join us again for free!



SPRING WHALE WATCHING – THE SOUTHERN MIGRATION

SEPTEMBER – EARLY DECEMBER



The Humpbacks have given birth to their young and they are now making their epic journey from the Kimberley's back to Antarctica for feeding, on their way south they use Geographe Bay as a resting point, which is the perfect location for sighting whales.



YOU CAN WHALE WATCH IN THE SPRING FROM THE HEART OF THE MARGARET RIVER REGION



SEPTEMBER TO DECEMBER



BUSSELTON



- Approx. a 2.5 hour drive from Perth
- Home to the iconic Busselton Jetty, 1841M long.
- The Gateway to the Margaret River region.

DUNSBOROUGH

- Approx. a 3 hour drive from Perth or 20 minutes from Busselton.
- Home to pristine coast line and white sand beaches.
- Average temperature 10° - 21°



TOURS: BUSSELTON & DUNSBOROUGH WHALE WATCHING



SOUTHERN MIGRATION – SEPTEMBER TO DECEMBER



- Duration: 2.5 hours.
- Vessel: “Alison Maree” departing from Geographe Bay, Dunsborough. “Dhu Force” departing from the Iconic Busselton Jetty.
- Sight [Humpback Whales](#), [Southern Right Whales](#), [Dolphins](#), [New Zealand Fur Seals](#) and the [Blue Whale](#).
- Interpretive tour, learn the history of the whales.



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98% SUCCESS SIGHTING RATE



CONSERVATION & RESEARCH



MAKING WHALE WATCHING COUNT FOR CONSERVATION

- Photographic Identification Programs
- Pelagic Bird Surveys
- Passive Acoustic Monitoring
- Water Quality Measurement



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Southern Spectacle
March 19, 2019 | Pa Markovic - Marine Biologist



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The first cetacean we came across today was not black and white (Orca) but in fact the largest member of the toothed whale family, a Sperm Whale. This beast logged on the surface before raising his tail high and plunging to the depths to ball...

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NEW KIDS ON THE BLOCK!
March 11, 2019 | Brodee Elston - Marine Biologist



Keith Lightbody

After yesterday's amazing predation in the east, we decided to venture west for the day and it did not disappoint! We started searching 54km offshore at one of our favourite little nooks in the canyon. As soon as we crept over the continental...

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Calm, calm, calm, calm...KILL
March 10, 2019 | Brodee Elston - Marine Biologist



Keith Lightbody

Three days of calming, very ocean and three days of docile, illusive orca UNTIL everything escalated in an INSTANT! We're first taken out to the Hood Canyon, where the seafloor descends another 800m from its already 1500m edge! The orca weren't...

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WE LOOK FORWARD TO WELCOMING YOU ON BOARD

The logo for 'naturaliste charters' features the text in a bold, blue, sans-serif font. Above and below the text are stylized, flowing blue lines that resemble waves or the wings of a bird.

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