Hervey Bay Botanic Gardens

The Hervey Bay Botanic Gardens are situated on 6,000 year old foreshore dunes.

The 26 hectare property was established to display plants of the Wide Bay and Great Sandy regions in a mixture of natural bushland, formal gardens, rain forest and wetlands.

Walking tracks meander through the gardens past the lagoon and outdoor stage, the Hervey Bay Orchid House, Bush Chapell and Community Centre.

The natural ecology of the Botanic Gardens reflects the close proximity to World Heritage listed Fraser Island.

The Botanic Gardens will continue to be developed as an attractive and educational environment - one in which the science of botany can be interpreted for the benefit and enjoyment of the community.

Perfect Venue

Celebrate your wedding in the open air bush chapel surrounded by rainforest trees, or for a more intimate venue - hire the Hervey Bay Orchid House for your special occasion.

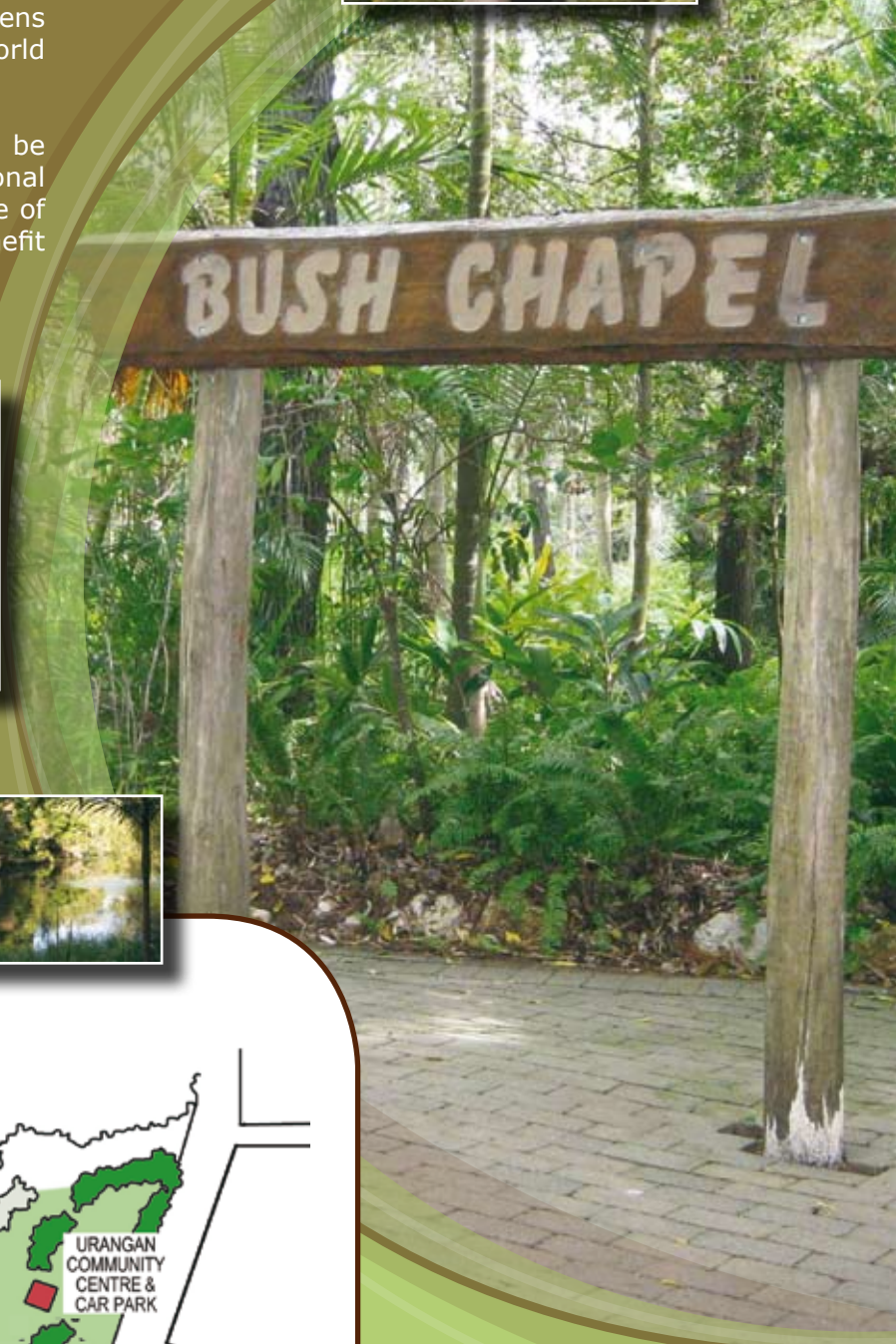
Bookings should be made by contacting (07) 4125 9700 - fees will apply.

Rich in culture

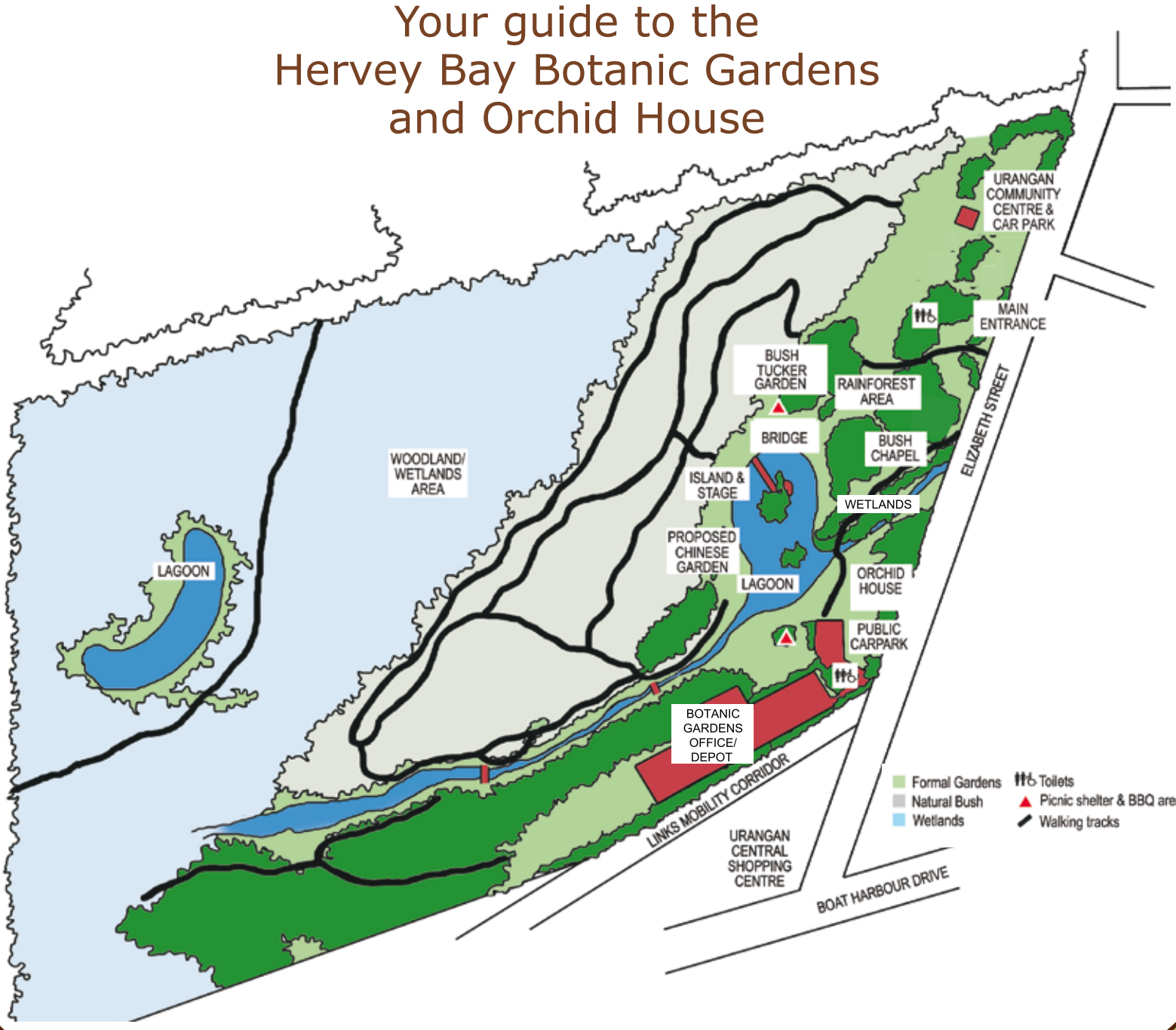
Cultural diversity can be seen throughout the Botanic Gardens as you explore the different areas:

An Australian bush tucker garden, located across from the Bush Chapel, was planted to represent the Butchella people, the original owners of the land.

Plans are also underway to create a Chinese-themed garden coinciding with the Australian-themed garden being developed in Leshan, China.



Your guide to the Hervey Bay Botanic Gardens and Orchid House



How to get there:

The Hervey Bay Botanic Gardens and Orchid House is located in Elizabeth Street, Urangan.

Tours of the Botanic Gardens and / or Orchid House can be arranged by prior notice.