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Condé Nast Readers' Choice 2014 Lists Three Baillie Lodges in Top 10

Baillie Lodges has taken out the trifecta in US Condé Nast Traveler magazine's prestigious Readers' Choice Awards 2014 with all three of its luxury properties earning a place in the list of 10 Best Resorts in Australia and New Zealand.

Kangaroo Island's acclaimed Southern Ocean Lodge has been ranked in first position with a score of 97.35 from a possible 100, making it the number one hotel in the region.

Nine-suite Capella Lodge on World Heritage-listed Lord Howe Island was awarded seventh place in the list with a score of 90.77, while the newly refurbished Baillie Lodges property Longitude 131° at Uluru-Kata Tjuta came in at ninth place with a score of 86.81.

The annual Readers Choice Awards were determined from nearly 77,000 Condé Nast magazine readers around the world who this year submitted more than a million votes for their favourite travel experiences.

Baillie Lodges Managing Director James Baillie said the trio of Readers Choice awards was a first for the Baillie Lodges collection following the addition of the iconic outback 'camp' Longitude 131° in November 2013.

"Condé Nast Traveler is one of the world's most respected travel magazines, and we're very proud its readers have voted all three of the Baillie Lodges properties in the top ten Best Resorts of Australia and New Zealand."

The awards can be viewed here: [Readers Choice Awards 2014 Best Resorts in Australia and New Zealand](#)

Editors' Notes: Baillie Lodges is a collection of intimate luxury lodges in unique Australian destinations. Capella Lodge on Lord Howe Island launched the portfolio and continues to capture guests in its magic. Southern Ocean Lodge is Australia's most extraordinary luxury lodge offering a premium nature-based escape. Longitude 131° is a gathering of luxury tented pavilions overlooking fabled icon Uluru, delivering a journey to Australia's spiritual heart. The Baillie Lodges properties are each honoured as founding members of [Luxury Lodges of Australia](#).

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