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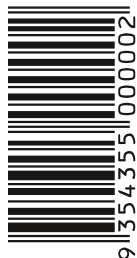
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ESCAPES



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MOUNTAIN MAGIC

If you're looking for jaw-dropping views close to home, this has to be one to tick off your bucket list. The pool at five-star Capella Lodge on Lord Howe Island (lordhowe.com) looks directly onto Mount Gower and the lagoon. When you've had enough of the view (who are we kidding?), snorkel the world's southernmost coral reef, just a quick swim or paddle on a glass-bottom kayak from the shore at Lovers Bay. Beneath the surface you'll find a rainbow of tropical fish and coral. The more active should take the eight-hour guided hike over Mount Gower – the selfies are sure to send waves of jealousy through your friends. Mount Gower's smaller twin is Mount Lidgbird, where a three- to four-hour return hike serves up views to Ball's Pyramid, the world's tallest sea-stack lying some 27 kilometres from the main island.

DARE TO DREAM