# Reed & Co.

#### NOOSA PROPERTY MARKET REPORT Financial Year 2022 - 2023

# NOOSA WATERS - WATERFRONT



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Financial Year 2022-2023 in Review

The past three months have certainly been a challenging market to navigate for both buyers and sellers, but the good news is the future is looking brighter as the underlying drivers and strong migration start to take effect again. Early indications are that the market may have bottomed out, and we can expect to start to see growth return, with pent-up demand at the top end of the market.

There are plenty of buyers waiting to pounce in the prestige sector, and these buyers are typically largely immune to the higher interest rate environment. Looking back at the last quarter of the financial year, never before have I seen such a delicate market in Noosa, where there are so many factors at play. On the one hand, there has been a lack of flagship sales, which is often an indicator of market conditions in this region.

That has largely been due to a lack of quality stock and seller reluctance to test the market, not the appetite for buyers to act if the right property is available.

Saying that, we have still seen some strong sales results during the quarter, including a record-breaking sale for Designer Chris Clout's incredible home at 46 Driftwood Drive, Castaways Beach fetching \$13,300,000 when it changed hands in May and a

Adrian Reed

renovated Paul Clout designed house at 17 The Promontory, Noosa Waters, for \$6,830,000, setting a street record in one of the states most expensive streets. Other sales of note include an original late 1980's Noosa Sound waterfront home at 9 Wyuna Drive for \$6,000,000; and a sprawling Noosa River residence at 16 Wygani Drive, Noosa North Shore, selling for \$5,500,000.

New homes or properties that have been renovated at the prestige end of the market are still performing well, however, there's a reluctance for buyers to act on properties that need to be renovated, with buyers acutely aware of the rising building costs, labour shortages, and supply chain issues.

CoreLogic's latest June figures show the overall pulse of the market is 'decelerating' despite prices rising for a fourth straight month. CoreLogic's research director Tim Lawless says conditions are in place for a 'double dip' in property prices. He expects the upper end of the market – where downsizers and new overseas buyers are not sensitive to rate rises – will continue to perform well, with any future drop in prices to be felt most acutely at the middle and lower end of the market.

The latest June quarter home values data from PropTrack revealed units in Noosa performed better than houses over the three months to June 30. In Tewantin, the median unit price rose 15% to \$918,723, followed by Noosaville, which rose 10% in the June quarter to just over \$1,000,000.

House prices across the Noosa Shire only made minimal gains over the quarter. The median house price in Noosa Heads gained 1.7% to sit at \$2,200,000, but it is still down 6% compared to 12 months ago. In Noosaville, the median house price is not far behind at \$1,960,000, having grown 1.5% in the quarter, but is still 7% below this time a year ago.

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With so many layers to navigate, it has never been more important to have a trusted advisor you can turn to for help to make informed decisions and have a clear understanding of the market.

Adrian Reed

Our agents are here to offer years of experience and in-depth knowledge, so if you are thinking of buying or selling, why not take advantage of our specialised advice.



Anna Wilshire

# Noosaville

Noosaville, famous for its riverside beauty, is a suburb of many areas. From the prestigious canal properties in Noosa Waters to the newest estate of Donella near the schools, it has something to offer for all price ranges and lifestyles.

The peak in median house price in April 2022 at \$2,080,000 was followed by a decline at the same rate that we experienced growth in the previous year, fundamentally giving back some of the gains to close out the 12 month period with a 17% decline.

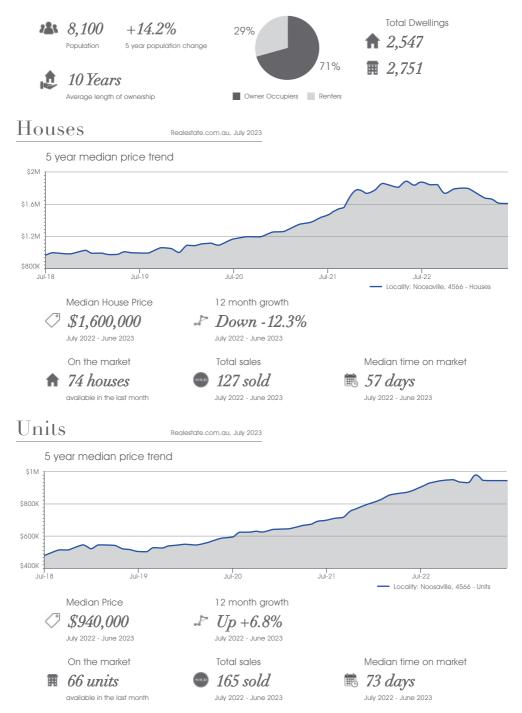
To context this, in July 2020, just three short years ago, the median was \$1,120,000 and the 3-year growth to the end of June 2023 has been 45%. In the latest read of the data there is a clear flattening out, the next logical move is a return to growth. Some notable sales include 21 Dolphin Crescent, a record sale for Noosaville at \$12,000,000 to a Brisbane family with deep ties to Noosa seeing the value in the remarkable private natural views and waterfront position. 9 Wyuna Drive, an original 1980's lowset humble home destined to be demolished and turned into a waterfront show stopper. 5 George Street, in the heart of the Noosaville village, close to the river and one of the best new builds offered to the market in 2023.

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The number of houses selling has returned to our longer term run rate of 2019 – 2020 so while the statistics are showing a decline in transactional volume Noosaville still saw 133 homes sell.



Core Logic, July 2023



Noosaville | 5



# Noosa Waters – Waterfront

There is a stalemate on the waterfront as owners in the prestigious waterfront estate stand their ground and assess the market conditions, sales have dropped to the lowest on record with only 16 waterfront homes transacting over the Financial Year 22/23.

Despite the volume being down 33% vs. the same period last year the median and average sale price have continued to grow, up 16% and 13% respectively, driven largely by the lack of quality homes against a backdrop of stable underlying demand. The median house price on the waterfront is now \$5,297,000, up from \$4,575,000 the previous year.

Notable sales include 38 Saltwater Avenue, a stunning Chris Clout designed masterpiece, inking the deal as construction was being completed for \$8,000,000.

17 The Promontory, a renovated Paul Clout designed home auctioned in April, selling under the hammer and setting a street record for \$6,830,000 as a private holiday home to Melbourne buyers.

20 The Promontory sold for \$6,100,000, originally started life as a quintessential Tuscan villa, purchased back in 2017 for \$1,750,000, it was completely re-imagined into a Hamptons luxury home worthy of a Vogue Living feature. The prestige end of the market remains buoyant, buyers are seeing value in the finished product, acknowledging both the cost and time to build or renovate. Buyers are generally opting better quality homes over tackling renovations to achieve their outcomes.

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With the volume of sales declining along with the general confidence both in the property market and the overall economic conditions, sellers and buyers have turned to experienced hands to assist them in their property journey.

#### Adrian Reed

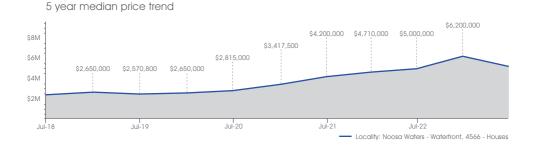
Reed & Co. continue to be the clear market leader, selling more than three times that of their nearest competitor on the waterfront.

At Reed & Co. during this time frame, we have been entrusted with the sale \$45,000,000 worth of property. We now proudly retain the record for the majority of the highest sales on the waterfront, as well as street records for The Anchorage, The Promontory, Saltwater, Waterside Court, Shorehaven Drive, & Mermaid Quay.



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### Houses Waterfront



Median House Price

S5,195,000 July 2022 - June 2023

RP Data, July 2023

On the market

♠ 4 houses

available in the last month Realestate.com.au, July 2023 12 month growth

♪ Up +3.9%

July 2022 - June 2023 Realestate.com.au, July 2023

Total sales



July 2022 - June 2023 RP Data, July 2023 Median time on market



July 2022 - June 2023 Realestate.com.au, July 2023

#### **Recent Sales** Noosa Waters Waterfront



38 Saltwater Avenue, Noosa Waters 4 bed | 4 bath | 3 car \$8,000,000 | SOLD January 2023



17 The Promontory, Noosa Waters 4 bed | 3 bath | 2 car \$6,830,000 | SOLD April 2023



13 The Promontory, Noosa Waters 4 bed | 3 bath | 2 car \$6,400,000 | SOLD September 2022



13 The Anchorage, Noosa Waters 4 bed | 3 bath | 2 car \$6,300,000 | SOLD January 2023



33 Saltwater Avenue, Noosa Waters 3 bed | 4 bath | 2 car \$5,550,000 | SOLD November 2022



9 Masthead Quay, Noosa Waters 5 bed | 4 bath | 2 car \$6,400,000 | SOLD May 2023



20 The Promontory, Noosa Waters 4 bed | 4 bath | 2 car \$6,100,000 | SOLD January 2023



40 The Peninsula, Noosa Waters 4 bed | 3 bath | 2 car \$5,400,000 | SOLD June 2023

# Noosa Waters Waterfront



125 Shorehaven Drive, Noosa Waters 4 bed | 4 bath | 2 car \$5,195,000 | SOLD January 2023



169 Shorehaven Drive, Noosa Waters 3 bed | 2 bath | 2 car \$5,000,000 | SOLD March 2023



5 Seahorse Place, Noosa Waters 3 bed | 2 bath | 2 car \$5,000,000 | SOLD October 2022



17 Shorehaven Drive, Noosa Waters 4 bed | 2 bath | 3 car \$5,000,000 | SOLD May 2023



22 The Promontory, Noosa Waters 4 bed | 2 bath | 2 car \$4,200,000 | SOLD November 2022



83 Shorehaven Drive, Noosa Waters 4 bed | 3 bath | 2 car \$4,000,000 | SOLD August 2022



26 Seamount Quay, Noosa Waters 3 bed | 2 bath | 2 car \$4,200,000 | SOLD July 2022



1 Shorehaven Drive, Noosa Waters 4 bed | 3 bath | 2 car \$3,650,000 | SOLD March 2023



Data from July 2022 - June 2023

# CAMPAIGNS THAT REACH THE WORLD.

Our marketing campaigns have *no borders*. And our results speak for themselves.

109,713 unique website visitors. From 122 countries. On top of the 1,542,114 people on Facebook and the 413,286 people on Instagram. From July 2022 to June 2023 we had a total digital reach of 2,065,113 people.



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\*Total agency statistics since launch in September 2018



2/14 Edward Street, Noosaville Buyer from **Papua New Guinea** 



315 Mirbelia Place, Doonan Buyer from **Hong Kong** 



4/13 Viewland Dr, Noosa Heads Buyer from **United Kingdom** 



2 Coolabah Lane, Noosa Heads Buyer from **China** 



2 Jailee Court, Noosaville Buyer from **South Africa** 



38 Saltwater Ave, Noosa Waters Buyer from **Mauritius** 



23 Weyba Park Drive, Noosa Heads Buyer from **Palm Springs** 



132 Shorehaven Dr, Noosa Waters Buyer from **Switzerland** 



12 Clifton Place, Eumundi Buyer from **Maldives** 



27 Seacove Court, Noosa Waters Buyer from **United Kingdom** 



22 The Anchorage, Noosa Waters Buyer from **Singapore** 



2232/15 Lakeview Rise, Noosa Heads Buyer from **South East Asia** 



17 Captains Court, Sunrise Beach Buyer from **Canada** 



3/33 Picture Point Cres, Noosa Heads Buyer from **USA** 



2 Frying Pan Track, Noosa North Shore Buyer from **Canada** 



Dave Gleeson

# Reed & Community Charity Gala

The 2023 Charity Gala, held at the Sofitel Noosa Pacific Resort on Saturday, 17th June, in support of the LOYAL Foundation and the Humpty Dumpty Foundation was a resounding success.

The event raised over \$275,000 acquiring 22 pieces of vital paediatric medical equipment across 11 local and regional hospitals in Queensland, New South Wales, the Northern Territory, and the New South Wales Ambulance service.

Since opening in 2018, Reed & Co. Estate Agents can proudly say that together with the Noosa community, they have now raised \$1,006,964 and donated 83 pieces of life-saving paediatric medical equipment to regional hospitals on the Sunshine Coast and beyond.

Paul Francis OAM, Founder and Executive Chairman of the Humpty Dumpty Foundation, expressed gratitude to the generous donors who make a tangible difference in hospitals and healthcare services throughout Australia. He highlighted the urgency of providing necessary equipment to hospitals, emphasising the challenges faced by medical professionals when critical resources are lacking.

Loyal Foundation Founder, Anthony Bell OAM commended the Humpty Dumpty Foundation's commitment to ensuring that 100 cents to the dollar donated goes directly towards providing urgently needed medical equipment to hospitals or health services.

Adrian Reed expressed his pride in the community's support and emphasised the continuous effort to improve outcomes for sick children. "It's tough, but children don't stop getting sick, they don't stop going to the hospital, and tragically, they don't stop dying."



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This is our chance to step up, have an impact, and change the outcome for some young lives. It's our legacy, and our legacy is our generosity.

Adrian Reed

The glamorous evening saw 150 elegantly dressed guests, including notable figures such as Dawn Fraser AC MBE, Alan Jones AO, and Humpty Dumpty Foundation Founder and Executive Chairman Paul Francis OAM, walk the red carpet, creating a Hollywood-style atmosphere. Master of Ceremonies Larry Emdur set the tone, declaring the intention to change lives and save lives throughout the night.

Guests were inspired by speeches from Dr. Lizelle Weber, Director of Neonatology at Sunshine Coast University Hospital and Health Service (Queensland Health), and Dr. Karl van der Merwe (FACEM), Director of the Emergency Department at Noosa Hospital. These medical experts shared insights into the transformative impact the equipment donated from previous Reed & Co. Charity Galas is having, providing an emotional insight as to why everyone was all there, to give sick children the best chance possible.

The Live Auction, hosted by Gordon McDonald of The Auction Group, featured an array of experiences and products of which a majority were generously donated by Noosa's small business community, raising \$41,850. Additionally, guests contributed to the cause by purchasing specific equipment from the Humpty Dumpty Foundation's Wish List.

Adrian Reed expressed his sincere gratitude to the Reed & Co. team, major sponsor AV Partners, auction donors, and the generous guests for their overwhelming support. "The generosity of this community just blows me away," he remarked.

# Team Reed & Co.

Reed & Co. is a brand built on values, authenticity and local heritage.

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Reed & Co. is built on a multi-generational and long-standing passion and commitment to Noosa.

Adrian Reed, Director

With proven ability to achieve extraordinary results in the most desired sectors of the Noosa property market, and an indivisible reputation based on building long standing relationships, Reed & Co. is the smart choice property partner.

Marketers in a digital world, engaging consumers long before they become buyers. Great teams drive great results and we are partnered with the best talent in Noosa, delivering exceptional service to buyers and sellers alike.

Combining youth & enthusiasm with multi-generational experience, we hold over 80 years of real estate experience combined, principally in Noosa but also nationally throughout the southern states. This thorough involvement within the industry gives us tremendous insight into the local market, the previous trends, current movements & future forecasts. We may not be the biggest agency, but we have the highest performing agents, and we are the fastest-growing real estate agency in Noosa.

We collaborate with world-class partners to ensure we're able to deliver a complete end to end service to our clients. Our culture of collaboration is possibly what sets us apart from our competitors more than anything else.



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#### Team Reed & Co. Our Agents

### Team Reed

Adrian Reed and Darren Neal have been working side-by-side for six years now, creating a cohesive, high performing team that achieve outstanding results in the prestige property sector.

The highly educated pair have built a strong reputation for excellent service to their clients that transcends a glossy brochure. They pride themselves on market knowledge and collaborate effectively ensuring a streamlined sales campaign for both buyers and sellers alike. An innate ability to build and nurture relationships means that the journey with their clients often starts well before they are called into sell a property. Recognised as trusted advisers, exceptional local market knowledge and superior negotiation skills, gives buyers and sellers the power to transact with transparency and confidence.



### Team Sommer

Monique is highly knowledgeable, knowing every street and every house in her key sales area in detail. This deep understanding makes it easy for her to effectively sell the key attributes of each property and easily find interested buyers. Monique's expertise in the area makes her a valuable asset in the sales process. Monique's ability to develop unique campaign strategies for each property, combined with execution excellence and attention to detail, ensures that your property is effectively marketed and presented to potential buyers. Possessing a skill set beyond traditional real estate Monique has the ability to articulate a campaign strategy unique to each property allowing Team Sommer to stand out in the market.



# Team Cox

Team Cox is made up of Kate Cox, Tony Cox and Erin McCartin, each with differing strengths and backgrounds. Lead agent Kate liaises with vendors and negotiates the deal at the critical moments. Tony works more on the buyers, whilst Erin focuses more on the administrative side and preparing each property to go to market.

All three have strong, focused personalities and an effective exchange of ideas. All with backgrounds in other fields prior to real estate, Team Cox often offers solutions and insights that may be a little outside the norm. The key element to their success as a team is that the three are cohesive and tight knit and combine over 25 years of real estate experience.



#### Team Reed & Co. Our Agents



# Team Payne

Having had a life-long association with Noosa and having lived here on two separate occasions, Alexander Payne calls Sunshine Beach home along with his husband who owns the salon, Adrian J Hairdressing. The salon and spending his family holidays in Noosa from early childhood, have provided Alexander with an extensive network and terrific historical knowledge of the local area.

For Alexander honesty and integrity are at the forefront of every interaction he has with buyers and sellers alike. His ability to guide his clients through the process of buying or selling coupled with his communication and negotiation skills gained from his background in Human Resources are part of his success.



# Team Roche

Chris Roche came to Noosa over thirty years ago. After spending the first few years living in Noosaville, he purchased a property in Sunrise Beach, where he has now lived for 28 years.

Having spent the last thirty years working in finance in a lending capacity, both for a major bank and running his own business, Chris followed his passion for property to the real estate industry where he can apply his advisory and negotiation skills along with imparting local and market knowledge of the area.

Chris works in a methodical way without using any high-pressure sales tactics. Being a calm and considerate person with great regard for others helps in creating an element of trust with his clients.



# Team Hodgkinson

Mark Hodgkinson and Executive Assistant Maddie Robinson form Team Hodgkinson. Mark's professional experience and approachable manner is greatly recognised by buyers and sellers, in helping clients navigate through what can be an overwhelming time. Maddie brings a relevant digital skillset, a flare for styling and is a vital part of client relations.

Team Hodgkinson possesses comprehensive market knowledge of the Noosa Hinterland area with a diverse range of expertise, offering professionalism along with a gentle approach to deliver a seamless, stress-free experience for their clients.

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