

6.8.2010 Whales and smoke

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Took a whale watching trip last Friday here at Hervey Bay, Queensland. We went on the afternoon session. We found two small pods of humpbacks and a great deal of smoke haze coming from what the skipper said was preventive burns on Fraser Island. That morning, before the burn gave off the smoke, there had been 25 pods. The skipper was angry with the forestry service for ruining his business. The whales can't stand the smoke in the air they breathe and leave the bay which was the direction our pods were heading when we saw them.

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