



YORKE PENINSULA BUSH CAMPING

PURCHASE YOUR PERMIT ...

online at www.visityorkepeninsula.com.au/camping/purchase-a-permit

in person or by phone at Yorke Peninsula Visitor Centre in Minlaton
 or at any of Council's offices located in Maitland, Minlaton, Yorketown or Warooka



for further information and assistance call Yorke Peninsula Visitor Centre on 1800 202 445
 please have your vehicle and caravan / trailer registration on hand when calling

CAMP GROUNDS



permit	full price	ratepayers price
nightly	\$10.00	\$10.00
weekly	\$50.00	\$25.00
monthly	\$150.00	\$75.00
yearly	\$500.00	\$250.00

(Discount is available on provision of YPC rate assessment number)

When camping at any of Yorke Peninsula Council's bush camp grounds, you will need to bring your own water and firewood; gas or fuel stoves are preferred. It is your responsibility to familiarise yourself with any fire bans in place. Dogs kept under control or on a lead are welcome.

1. The Gap: 34°14'06.5"S 137°30'06.6"E

on the north west coast of the peninsula, 15 kilometres north of Balgowan - access from Spencer Highway just south of Weetulta or along coastal track from Balgowan - beach launching — toilet facilities available - good beach for kids – beach fishing for tommies and gar – no shade

2. The Bamboos: 34°15'10.9"S 137°30'12.7"E

on the north west coast of the peninsula, 12 kilometres north of Balgowan - access via coastal track from Balgowan - beach launch - patchy mobile phone reception - no shade – access not suitable for larger caravans and motorhomes - access track can get overgrown and sandy

3. Tiparra Rocks: 34°15'50.4"S 137°30'05.1"E

on the north west coast of the Yorke Peninsula, 8 kilometres north of Balgowan - access via coastal track from Balgowan - beach launch – good snorkelling - no shade – access not suitable for larger caravans and motorhomes - access track can get overgrown and sandy

4. Wauraltee Beach: 34°35'10.8"S 137°30'44.0"E

on the west coast of the Peninsula, 17 kilometres south of Port Victoria on Wauraltee Beach Road - patchy mobile phone reception - no shade – road in is suitable to conventional vehicles and caravans

5. Barkers Rocks: 34°42'54.9"S 137°29'17.5"E

on the west coast of the Peninsula, 12 kilometres north-west of Minlaton, on Barkers Rocks Road - 5 kilometre walking trail to Port Rickaby – good fishing from rocks - no shade - there are two camping areas and one day use car park

6. Port Minlacowie: 34°49'58.1"S 137°27'35.5"E

on the western coast of the Peninsula, 650 m north of Minlacowie Road – access via Beegoodyewells Road – beach launch available just north of camp ground

7. Len Barker Reserve: 34°55'14.1"S 137°18'04.9"E

on North Coast Road about half way between Point Turton and Point Souttar, near the junction of North Coast Road and West Cowie Road - camping area fenced at either end

8. Burners Beach: 34°54'00.2"S 137°14'39.7"E

on the north coast of the foot on Point Souttar Road, 12 kilometres west of Point Turton - follow the track left leading away from Point Souttar beach toward Leven Beach - toilet facilities available but take toilet paper - natural boat ramp - snorkelling fun - no mobile phone reception – no shade – suitable for conventional vehicles and smaller caravans with care - camping also available on the right hand track towards Point Souttar and the boat ramp - suitable for smaller camper trailers only

9. Gravel Bay: 34°55'55.8"S 136°59'57.9"E

***camping is not permitted in the Berry Bay car park areas**

on the west coast of the foot on Berry Bay Road, 18 kilometres west of Corny Point, via Light House Road - camping permitted on the coastal reserve, at bottom of cliff - no mobile phone reception – no shade – 4WD recommended

10. Swincer Rocks: 34°58'15.9"S 136°58'14.7"E

on the west coast of the foot on Wurlie Road, 41 kilometres west of Warooka - no shade – suitable for conventional vehicles with care – often garfish and squid off rocks – good snorkelling – no mobile phone reception

11. Gleasons Landing: 35°00'20.2"S 136°57'56.8"E

on the west coast of the foot, 19 kilometres south west of Corny Point - access off Corny Point to Marion Bay Road - toilet facilities available – four wheel drive beach launch for boats - water pump available for bathing and washing but not suitable for drinking – little shade – suitable for conventional vehicles – close to surf beaches - good beach fishing - no mobile phone reception - many small camping areas as well as areas suitable for groups - rubbish and recycling bins provided

12. Daly Head: 35°01'26.1"S 136°56'23.8"E

on the west coast of the foot, approximately 25 kilometres south of Corny Point - access via Marion Bay Road and Daly Head Road - suitable for conventional vehicle - Walk the Yorke shelter located here (shared use), stairs and boardwalk to beach - part of National Surfing Reserve, close to surf beaches - no mobile phone reception - approximately 36 large camping areas

13. Foul Bay Boat Ramp: 35°12'35.1"S 137°11'21.9"E

on the south coast, 1 kilometre southwest of Foul Bay - access via Yorke Highway onto Hundred Line Road, turn left onto South Coast Road, campground is located near the boat ramp

14. Foul Bay: 35°10'46.3"S 137°12'40.0"E

on the south coast of the Peninsula, 39 kilometres south west of Warooka - access via Happy Valley Road - suitable for conventional vehicles and larger caravans

15. Sturt Bay: 35°06'28.0"S 137°24'08.7"E

on the south coast of the Peninsula, 13 kilometres south of Warooka - access via Sturt Bay Road – limited shade – no mobile phone reception – track is sandy and not recommended for large caravans and motorhomes

16. Mozzie Flat: 35°06'41.9"S 137°29'55.0"E

on the south coast of the Peninsula, 23 kilometres south of Warooka and 17 kilometres south of Yorketown - some shade – suited to off road vehicles and camper vans only - boardwalk to sandy beach – patchy mobile phone reception - two small camping areas

17. Goldsmith's Beach: 35°08'51.6"S 137°41'13.0"E

on the south coast of the Peninsula, 18 kilometres south east of Yorketown and 8 kilometres south west of Edithburgh - access via Troubridge point Drive near corner of Heel Road - popular fishing spot - some shade – suitable for all vehicles – weak mobile phone signal

18. Wattle Beach: 35°08'19.0"S 137°42'08.2"E

8 kilometres southwest of Edithburgh - access via Wattle Point Road onto Heel Road - rubbish collections during holidays only - suitable for all vehicles

19. Parara: 34.27'37"S / 137.54'32"E

4 kilometres south of Ardrossan – access from Yorke Highway, via Parara Road – campsites are south of the whale memorial – popular crabbing and fishing spot

★ **These bush camping sites are managed by Yorke Peninsula Council** ★

TERMS AND CONDITIONS

Camping

Council has designated the bush camping locations on the front of this form as locations where camping is permitted. Camping in other locations on local government land or on any road is prohibited. It is also illegal to camp on any foreshore. Any person who camps in a non-authorised area or does not pay the appropriate fee prior to using the designated camping grounds may be issued with a \$100 Expiation Notice.

Pursuant to Council's by laws **camp** includes setting up a camp, or causing a tent, caravan or motor home to remain on the land for the purpose of staying overnight, whether or not any person is in attendance or sleeps on the land; Upon camping on any of the designated camping reserves for a period of six consecutive weeks, you are unable to camp on any designated camping reserve until a period of a further four consecutive weeks has expired. Council may give an extension in writing to this clause upon application by a permit holder.

Rubbish

Please take all of your rubbish with you or use rubbish bins where provided. Leaving any type of rubbish at your camp site may result in an Expiation Notice being issued, with a maximum fee of \$1,000.

Dogs

Dogs are permitted on the camping grounds but must be kept under effective control at all times.

Your dog is considered to be under **Effective Control** if it is on a leash not exceeding 2 metres in length or if it is off leash it must be in the camp ground (includes the foreshore) and you can see your dog at all times (cannot be walking behind you, it must be kept in your vision), your dog is kept in close proximity, you are able to control your dog in any circumstances, your dog does not run up to other people or animals, your dog does not attack, chase, harass or otherwise endanger the health of a person or an animal or bird owned by or in the charge of another person (whether or not actual injury is caused).

If your dog is not under effective control you may receive a \$210 on the spot fine for dog wandering at large.

Campfires

Campfires are permitted in designated camping areas, except on days of Total Fire Ban. The camping locations are all part of the Yorke Peninsula Fire ban district. Check the CFS web site for fire ban updates - www.cfs.sa.gov.au

During the fire danger season a camp fire is only permitted if it is dug 30cm into the ground, is no more than 1m² in size, a suitable water agent is on hand to control the fire and that someone is present at all times for the duration of the fire. **You also need a 4m clearance of all flammable material around and above the fire.** When you leave the area or go to bed, ensure the fire is extinguished. Failure to comply with these conditions may result in you receiving a \$315 Expiation Notice.

It is illegal to take wood from a roadside or reserve for campfire use. Firewood can be brought with campers or purchased from a firewood supplier.



OVERNIGHT PARKING FOR SELF SUFFICIENT CAMPERS

Overnight parking for motor homes is available at **Ardrossan, Arthurton, Maitland, Curramulka and Warooka.**

- ✓ **Ardrossan** - off West Terrace in the designated areas, follow the dump point signs – dogs allowed under control
- ✓ **Arthurton** – behind the Church, look for blue sign on main street – toilets – dogs allowed under control
- ✓ **Curramulka** – behind the community sporting courts – toilets and dump point available
- ✓ **Maitland** – off the main street, Robert Street – dogs allowed under control – dump point close by
- ✓ **Port Victoria** – 96 hour parking at Port Victoria Oval, Kuhn Terrace, \$7 per night payable to the kiosk or post office, pets on lead allowed, mobile coverage, bins, toilets, water available
- ✓ **Warooka** – at the town oval in sign posted area – dogs allowed under control

FACILITIES

Public use shower facilities are available in the women's toilets at Minlaton Rest Centre, Main Street (a coin operated system applies) and at Warooka Motors, for a small fee. Corny Point public toilets also have showers.

Minlaton Coin-Op Laundry – 48 Main Street – telephone 8853 2374 – generally open 7.00 am → 10.00 pm

Firewood can be purchased at **Minlaton** from Hart Bros Sand and Metal Yard, Maitland Road – phone 88532633 – open Monday to Friday from 8.00 am → 5.00 pm and Saturday mornings from 9.00 am → 1.00 pm, or from their **Warooka** yard, open Monday to Friday from 7.30 am → 5.00 pm and Saturday mornings by appointment – phone 8854 5092 – some other wood merchants advertise on the side of the road.

CAMPING IN INNES NATIONAL PARK

Camping or day entry permits are available from Yorke Peninsula Visitor Centre either in person or by phoning 1800 202 445. Bookings in person can be made via cash or credit card in the Visitor Centre, or by credit card only over the phone. Please have your vehicle registration details on hand when you book.

CAMPING MANNERS

These are just a few of the top camping rules – generally the idea is just use your common sense, and you will have a fantastic experience on your camping trip. And most of all, your fellow campers will thank you for it!

Generators – most people go camping to enjoy the peace and quiet and may not appreciate a noisy generator – if you need to run a generator throughout the night for medical reasons, try to camp away from others to minimise disruption

Avoid walking through other people's campsites – ensure you and your children walk around the areas being used by other campers

Leave no trace of your visit – take your rubbish with you, don't throw anything in the fire that won't completely burn away and leave the campsite spotless – or risk receiving a \$315.00 expiation notice for littering from Council's Ranger

Where pets are allowed, make sure they are under control – in most cases that means keeping them on a leash – and please pick up any droppings

Sound travels at night and many campers retire early – be respectful of such campers, and ensure your partying does not affect others

Be friendly to everyone you come across – but don't become an unwanted guest who hangs around and doesn't know when it's time to return to their own campsite

If a campsite has facilities, please leave them clean and tidy

Never collect firewood or kindling from the area – even dead branches are protected as they provide a home for our native animals and birds



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