

Helpful Hints

⚡ Strictly no fires! Please use a gas or kerosene stove. Beachfires are strictly prohibited.

⚡ Camping is only permitted at the northern end of Lilley's Beach in the designated area. There are no facilities and no rubbish bins. Leave nothing behind but your tyre tracks.

⚡ Look for evidence of an existing campsite in preference to creating another. Select a sandy or hard surface. The impression you leave will be almost unnoticeable on this surface.

🚗 Avoid sensitive vegetation. Keep off the sand dunes and seagrass meadows! Vehicles must remain on the beach at all times between the high tide mark and the low tide mark. When driving along beaches it is a good rule to drive 2 hours either side of low tide.

🚗 Remember to check your tyre pressure, as reduced tyre pressure aids in flotation and traction when sand driving.

🚶 Respect pedestrians and animals on the beach. The recommended speed when driving on the beach is under 40km/h and sound your horn when approaching. Avoid areas fenced off for turtle nesting.

🏍 Motorbikes are prohibited in the Lilley's Beach area.

👉 Remember, you are a visitor. Leave any area that you visit as clean or cleaner than when you arrived. Always take your rubbish with you.

🐕 Dogs are required to be on leash and under effective voice command at all times.



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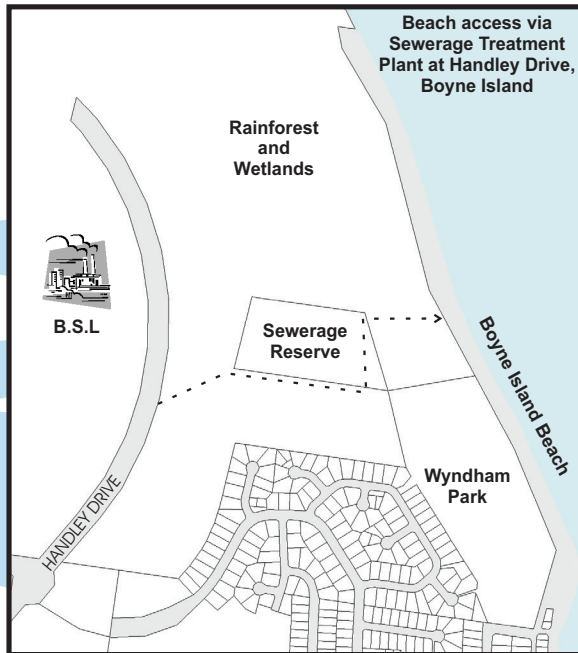
Lilley's Beach Boyne Island



A Guide to Responsible Practices while visiting this Sensitive Foreshore Area



How do I get there?



Welcome to Lilley's Beach

Lilley's Beach is a sensitive foreshore area, and is carefully maintained by Boyne Smelters Limited and Gladstone Regional Council.

Access to Lilley's Beach is from the Boyne Island Sewerage Treatment Plant, via Handley Drive, Boyne Island. (Please refer to location map on this brochure.)

The Lilley's Beach area extends along the coastline for approximately 7.1 kilometres, and is accessible by four wheel drive only.

It is best to travel at low tide or within 2 hours either side of low tide. Driving on sand dunes is strictly prohibited.

Do not drive on the tidal flats. The tidal flats at Lilley's Beach contain seagrass meadows. Seagrass meadows are fragile and if damaged they may take years to recover. Significant fines may be imposed under the Fisheries Act 1994 for the destruction or damage of seagrass meadows. If you observe any disturbance to the seagrass meadows or any marine plants please contact the Department of Agriculture and Fisheries on 13 25 23.

Ensure you refer to a tide timetable before going to the Lilley's Beach, as the area can become impassable at high tide. Stay out of the salt water and protect your vehicle.

Permits

Permits for use of vehicles on Lilley's Beach can be purchased online by going to www.gladstone.qld.gov.au/onlineservices click on the Applications Icon. Once submitted, a copy of the permit is emailed almost instantly to the applicant. Be sure to use the correct email address. Lilley's Beach Vehicle permits can also be purchased in person at Calliope or Gladstone Council Administration Centre or the Boyne Tannum Community Centre.

When the vehicle is being used on the beach, permits are to be carried in the motor vehicle at all times and must be produced for inspection on demand by an authorised person. Penalties apply for vehicles found on Lilley's Beach without permits.

Under the Subordinate Local Law 1.20, beach permits are not transferrable. Therefore, to transfer the permit from one private vehicle or person to another requires a new permit to be obtained.

**COUNCIL OFFICERS REGULARLY
PATROL THE LILLEY'S BEACH AREA
AND CAN ISSUE ON THE SPOT FINES**



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IS ONLY PERMITTED
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AT THE NORTHERN END OF
LILLEY'S BEACH**



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IN THE LILLEY'S BEACH AREA**