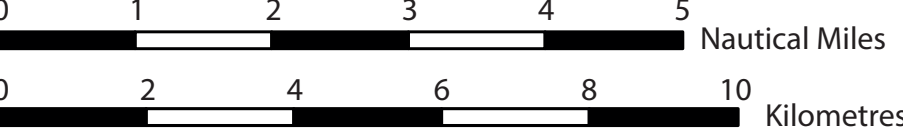


Batemans Marine Park Zoning Map



Map Projection: Unprojected Geographic, Horizontal Datum: Geodetic Datum of Australia (GDA94) 1:125,000 @ A1, Updated August 2024.

- Sanctuary Zone
- Habitat Protection Zone
- Habitat Protection Zone (Restricted)
- General Use Zone
- Special Purpose Zone
- Sanctuary Zone Marker
- Boat Ramp
- Angel Ring

Activity	Sanctuary Zone	Habitat Protection Zone	General Use Zone	Special Purpose Zone	Special Purpose Zone	Special Purpose Zone	Special Purpose Zone
Recreational fishing							
Line, spear, trap & net	X	✓ ¹	✓	X	P		✓
Hand haul prawn net	X	✓ ²	✓	X	X	X	
Commercial fishing							
Trawl, dredge, long line	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Purse seine net, lift net	X	X	✓	X	X	X	X
Haul net	X	X ³	✓	X	X	X	X
Estuary prawn & haul net	X	X	✓	X	X	X	X
Estuary mesh net	X	X	✓	X	X	X	X
Garfish net	X	✓ ⁴	✓	X	X	X	X
Abalone	X	✓ ⁵	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Turban & urchin	X	✓ ⁶	✓	X	X	X	✓
Trapping	X	✓ ⁷	✓	X	X	X	✓
Set line	X	X	✓	X	X	X	X
Drift line	X	X	✓	X	X	X	X
Fishing and collecting							
Collection of bait weed and sea lettuce by hand	X	✓ ⁸	✓	X	P	✓	✓
Collection of conjuvoi	X	X	✓	X	X	X	✓
Collection of invertebrates	X	✓ ⁹	✓	X	X	X	✓
Collecting dead shells ⁶	X	✓ ⁸	✓	X	X	X	✓
Collecting beached seaweed ⁷	X	✓ ⁸	✓	X	X	X	✓
Aquarium collection	X	P	P	X	X	X	✓
Sharks and rays (except school and gummy)	X	X	✓	X	X	X	✓
Other activities							
Research	P	P	P	P	P	P	P
Competition and organised events	P	P	P	P	P	P	P
Anchoring	✓ ⁸	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Commercial operations	P	P	P	P	P	P	P
Infrastructure development	P	P	P	P	P	P	P

This map provides a summary of activities permitted and restrictions that apply. Refer to the Marine Estate Management (Management Rules) Regulation 1999 for full details.

Note: All other relevant legislation continues to apply in addition to the management rules.

- ✓ Activity is permitted in the zone.
- X Activity is not permitted in the zone.
- P Marine parks permit required.
- 1 Additional fishing restrictions and/or bait collecting restrictions apply in some zones (see below).
- 2 Recreational hand haul prawn nets are allowed in recreational fishing havens but not in other habitat protection zones.
- 3 Haul netting is permitted on specific beaches only - see (e) above.
- 4 Not in estuaries.
- 5 Collecting invertebrates prohibited in some habitat protection zones by hand picking and includes commercial abalone collection.
- 6 Limited to less than 10 kg per person per day.
- 7 Limited to less than 20 litres per person per day.
- 8 Not over seagrass.
- 9 No trapping allowed in Wagonga Inlet (except bait trap). No spearfishing east of bridge in Wagonga Inlet.

* Bait collection is allowed in general use zones and most habitat protection zones in accordance with the Fisheries Management Act 1994.

Only species listed in Table 1 of the Batemans Marine Park user guide may be taken in habitat protection zones.

Handpicking of plants and invertebrates (e.g. shellfish, urchins, abalone, lobsters etc) is not permitted in the following habitat protection zones: North Head, Long Beach, Wimbie Beach, Rosedale Beach, Barlings Beach, Shark Bay Beach, Congo South Beach, Bingle, Meringo-Mullimburra Point, Black Beam Point, Clarks Bay, Freshwater Bay, Wagonga Head.

Unoccupied shells and shell grit may be collected from habitat protection and general use zones (that are not within national parks, nature reserves and Aboriginal areas) for non-commercial purposes. Collection of more than 10 kg requires a permit.

Collection of more than 20 litres (person/day) of beached seaweed from beaches requires a permit.

Beach haul netting is allowed in general use zones and only at the following beaches within habitat protection zones: Maloney's Beach, Long Beach, Wimbie Beach, Rosedale Beach, Barlings Beach, Shark Bay Beach, beaches between Meringo Lake and Mullimburra Point; Tuross Beach.

No fishing in the Shallow Crossing Habitat Protection Zone (upper Clyde River) between 1 May and 30 November each year.

The Montague Island (Inner) Habitat Protection Zone is restricted between 1 November and 30 April each year to protect grey nurse sharks. No fishing with bait. No fishing at anchor. No fishing with wire trace line. No nets (landing nets are allowed).

The Meringo-Mullimburra Point Habitat Protection Zone and Wagonga Head Habitat Protection Zone prohibit the recreational and commercial collection of invertebrates by hand (including lobster and abalone). Recreational line fishing, spearfishing and trapping is permitted in these zones.

Only recreational line fishing from the shore is allowed in the North Head, Brou Beach, Bullengella Beach - Loader Beach, Congo South Beach, and Bingle Habitat Protection Zones, no other harvest methods are permitted.

Domestic animals are not permitted on beaches and rock platforms adjacent to National Parks.

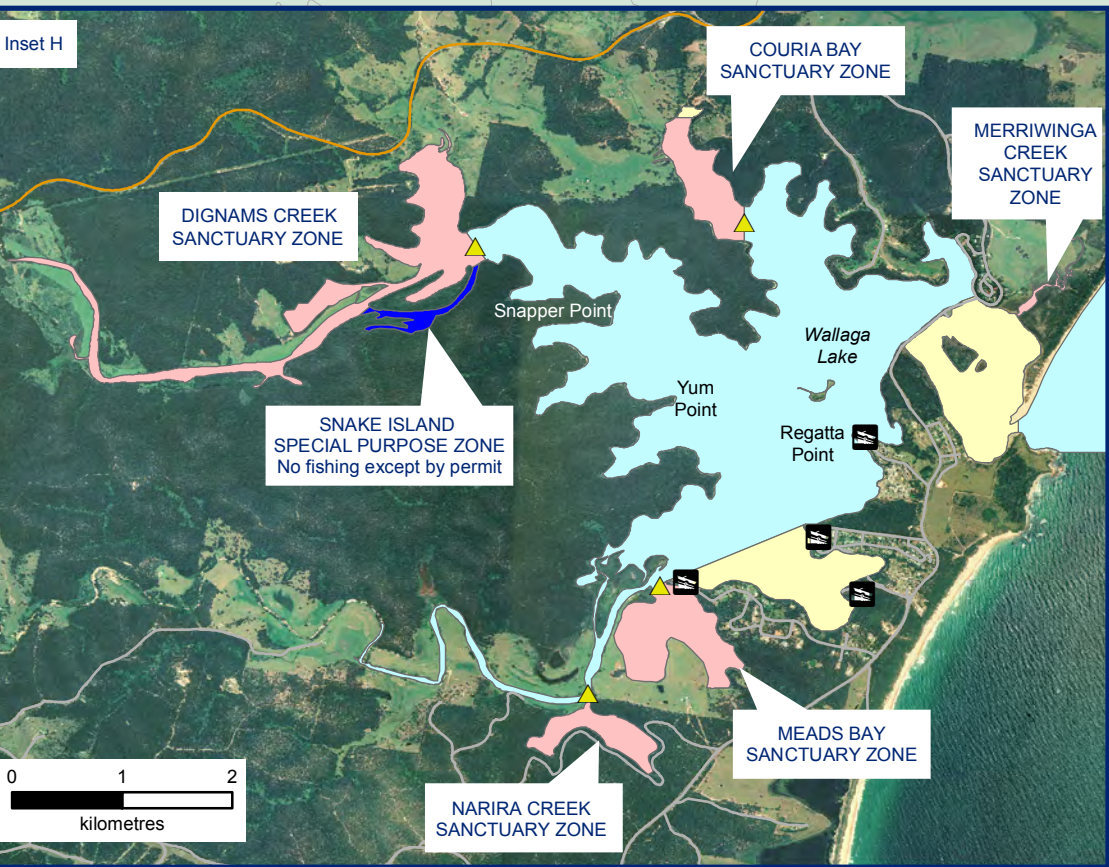
Vehicles are only permitted in the marine park for the purpose of launching and retrieving vessels from designated boat launching facilities or beaches, subject to local government or NPWS requirements.

Commercial set lining is restricted to a maximum of 6 hooks and 10 lines.

All vessels may enter sanctuary zones, but fishing gear must be stowed. Moored or anchored vessels in sanctuary zones must have all fishing lines unrigged. Fish/fishing gear cannot be cleaned in sanctuary zones.

Contact the local DPIRD Fisheries office for any questions regarding commercial fishing activities.

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