

COBOURG PENINSULA SANCTUARY AND MARINE PARK BOARD



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CAMPING APPLICATION – GARIG GUNAK BARLU NATIONAL PARK

Issued pursuant to the Cobourg Peninsula Aboriginal Land and Sanctuary (Entry And Camping) By-Law 4

Please allow 5 working days to process this application

NAME OF APPLICANT:	
RESIDENTIAL ADDRESS:	POSTAL ADDRESS:
TELEPHONE:	MOBILE:
EMAIL:	FAX NUMBER:
EMERGENCY CONTACT NAME :	EMERGENCY CONTACT PHONE NUMBER:
PREFERENCE 1	PREFERENCE 2 (alternative date if 1st preference not available)
DATE IN: ___ / ___ / 20___	DATE IN: ___ / ___ / 20___
DATE OUT: ___ / ___ / 20___	DATE OUT: ___ / ___ / 20___
MEANS OF ACCESS:	IS THIS A COMMERCIAL ACTIVITY? <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO
<input type="checkbox"/> VEHICLE <input type="checkbox"/> VESSEL <input type="checkbox"/> AIRCRAFT	Will you receive income from this trip; do you have clients; charge tour fees?

VEHICLE MAKE	MODEL	COLOUR	REGISTRATION NUMBER

FULL NAMES OF ADULTS	FULL NAMES OF CHILDREN (5 - 15 YEARS)	FULL NAMES OF CHILDREN (UNDER 5 YEARS)

The Parks and Wildlife Commission of the Northern Territory adheres to the Northern Territory Government Privacy Statement, which can be found at: <http://www.nt.gov.au/ntg/privacy.shtml>

CONDITIONS

In consideration of the Parks and Wildlife Commission of the Northern Territory ("the Commission") granting to the Applicant (including any other persons arising as a result of or in connection with the presence of the Applicant) a Permit, the Applicant hereby agrees as follows:

1. The Applicant enters Garig Gunak Barlu National Park (the Park) entirely at his/her own risk and the Northern Territory of Australia ("the Territory"), the Commission, the Cobourg Peninsula Sanctuary and Marine Park Board ("the Board"), the Cobourg Peninsula Sanctuary Land Trust ("the Land Trust") and the Conservation Land Corporation ("the Corporation") accept no liability whatsoever for any loss, damage, injury of whatsoever nature to the Applicant or to any other person arising as a result of or in connection with the presence of the Applicant on the Park.
2. The Applicant shall:
 - a. indemnify, and keep indemnified the Board, the Land Trust, the Corporation, the Territory, the Commission and its employees and agents against all claims, demands, loss or damage to property or injury to or death to any person arising as a result of or in connection with:
 - i. a breach by the Applicant or the neglect or failure of the Applicant to observe or perform and fulfil any of the conditions contained herein; or
 - ii. the conduct of activity by or the presence of the Applicant whilst in the Park.
 - b. if so directed by the Commission, reimburse the Commission for any cost of search or rescue incurred by the Commission arising out of or in connection with the conduct of the activity on the Park.
 - c. comply with all regulations or rules made by the Commission and all Statutes, By-laws, Regulations, Plans of Management in force in the Northern Territory in respect of the Park.
 - d. comply with these conditions and any other signs, notices, information, guidelines, codes of conduct or protocols issued by, or under the authority of, the Director relating to the Park.
 - e. must ensure that any other persons arising as a result of or in connection with the presence of the Applicant are fully informed of, and understand, these permit conditions before they commence taking part in the permitted activity.
 - f. take adequate equipment which shall include a first aid kit, water, food for the safe conduct of the activity.
 - g. not use any road or track, nor enter any area by any means, which is permanently, temporarily or seasonally closed or restricted by fences, gates or signs, unless specifically authorised by the Permit or another Permit.
 - h. ensure that all vehicles are maintained in a clean and tidy condition to prevent the spread and introduction of weed species. To prevent bringing weeds or weed seeds into the Park, drivers should inspect and clean their vehicles thoroughly before entering the Park if they have been off sealed roads outside the Park, particularly in areas known to be infested by weeds.
 - i. must not enter or camp in the Park before the commencement date shown, or after the expiry date shown on the Permit.
3. The Permit may be cancelled in the event of wet weather or ceremonial activities resulting in impassable road conditions.
4. The Permit does not permit commercial activities. Commercial activities require an appropriate By-Law 13 Permit from the Commission and the Board.
5. The Permit does not permit photography or filming for commercial purposes. Photography or Filming for commercial purposes requires an appropriate Photography / Filming Permit from the Parks and Wildlife Commission of the Northern Territory and the Cobourg Peninsula Sanctuary and Marine Park Board.
6. The Permit may be revoked at any time at the discretion of the Commission and / or should the Applicant breach any of the Permit conditions.
7. Comply with any reasonable directions given by an officer of the Commission.

ACCESS THROUGH ABORIGINAL LAND – EN ROUTE TO AND FROM THE PARK

8. Access to the Park by road is via Arnhem Land. To enter Arnhem Land a road transit fee of \$12.10 (GST inclusive) is compulsory per vehicle.
9. The Permit is valid for direct access to and from the Park only. It does not permit entry to other areas of Aboriginal land.
10. The Applicant must not enter Arnhem Land until the Commencement Date on the Permit. You are not permitted to stop your vehicle for any reason other than in an emergency while travelling through Aboriginal land en route to and from the Park.
11. 4WD vehicles are strongly recommended. Vehicles must be in a sound condition, carry sufficient spare parts, fuel and water.
12. Permit stickers must be prominently displayed on windscreens at all times, one per vehicle.
13. The Applicant must carry the Permit in the Applicant's transport (vehicle, vessel or aircraft) and must produce it for inspection when requested by a Park Ranger or member of the NT Police.
14. The Permit does not entitle the Applicant to enter or remain on any site that is of significance to Aboriginal people.

WHEN IN THE PARK

The Applicant:

15. shall report to the Ranger Station on arrival at Black Point.
16. must:
 - a. not pick fruits, flowers or branches, or otherwise damage any native plants;
 - b. not interfere with, feed, handle or disturb any native animal, or damage or disturb a nest or dwelling place of a native animal;
 - c. not dig or in any other way disturb soil or stones;
 - d. only use the roads, camping areas and walking tracks designated for public use;
 - e. make good any damage of whatsoever nature and howsoever occurring to the Park which results from the activity or the presence of the Applicant on the Park, as soon as practicable. If the Applicant fails to make good such damage to the satisfaction of the Commission then the Commission may cause to have the damage repaired and may recover the costs of so doing from the Applicant as a debt due to the Commission;
 - f. only access areas within the Cobourg Marine Park Plan of Management – refer to attached figure 2. Zoning Scheme;

- g. only use and conduct activities within the Cobourg Marine Park in accordance with the Cobourg Marine Park Plan of Management – refer to attached table 2, Uses and Activities within each Zone. All activities must also be in accordance with the Fisheries Act;
 - h. only light fires in fireplaces provided at the campsites and put all fires out after use;
 - i. only use dead timber for firewood, collected from within the Park or Reserve, from areas where the collection of dead wood has not been prohibited, must use it only for the purpose of a fire for cooking or providing warmth, and must not bring into or remove firewood from a Park or Reserve;
 - j. use soaps and detergents 50 metres away from waterways;
 - k. not use a firearm or other weapon, trap (including crab pots) or snare, net or spear gun in the Park except in accordance with a special permit issued under the by-laws. This also includes for cast nets and hand spears.
 - l. ensure that nothing is left in the Park which, in the opinion of the Commission, may constitute a fire hazard, health hazard or a danger to persons, plants or animals. In addition avoid natural or other hazards in the area; and
 - m. not do anything in the Park which is noisome, offensive or a nuisance or annoyance to persons including other Permit Holders and users of the Park.
17. Camping is only permitted within the designated camping area - not elsewhere on the Peninsula or any of the adjacent islands.
 18. Public access to staff residential areas in the Park is by invitation only.
 19. This Permit does not authorise the entry of a person outside the general use area as per the attached Visitor Access map unless invited and the respective permit obtained.
 20. The Ranger-In-Charge must be advised of any proposed visits to Victoria Settlement by boat (this is for safety reasons). There is no road access to Victoria Settlement.
 21. The Commission discourages the use of glass bottles in NT Parks and Reserves.
 22. The bringing of plants, including firewood and weed seeds, and animals (domestic or otherwise) other than a guide, hearing and assistance dog used by a person with a disability, are prohibited and not permitted to be brought into the Park.
 23. All litter is to be deposited in the bins provided. In areas where there is no such provision, all litter is to be carried out of the Park. Please consider recycling.
 24. Off road driving is strictly prohibited.
 25. Launching and retrieval of boats is only permitted at the boat ramp at Black Point Ranger Station. Beach launching is not permitted.
 26. Not enter upon nor in any way interfere with any Sacred Site/s, protected area/s, rock art or artefact/s;
 - (a) where the Applicant enters upon or undertakes any activity which damages a Sacred Site the Applicant must:
 - (i) notify the Commission immediately of the damage, including the identity of the Sacred Site that has been damaged, the nature of the damage and whether steps have been taken by the Applicant to prevent further damage to the Sacred Site; and
 - (ii) if the Commission so requests, provide any further information about the damage or the circumstances causing the damage within the timeframe required by the Commission.

Bookings will be automatically cancelled if payment is not made on or before the due date

PAYMENT OF CAMPING FEES:

Payment of camping fees must be provided within six (6) weeks of travel to the Park. Permits will not be issued until payment has been received.

Camping Fees:

- \$232.10 (GST inclusive) per vehicle (includes transit fee). This covers up to 5 adult passengers for up to 7 nights. Extra adult passengers - \$11.00 (GST inclusive). A daily rate of \$31.00 (GST Inclusive) applies per vehicle for persons who wish to extend their visit. Children under 16 years – free.

In consideration of the Commission granting to the Applicant a Permit to enter and camp within Garig Gunak Barlu National Park, the Applicant hereby agrees to the above conditions.

Signature of applicant: _____ Date ____/____/____

Fees are payable by either cash (if in person), cheque, money order or credit card

Please attach cheques or money orders to this application or complete the credit card details below.

Credit Card Details:

MasterCard Visa (please circle one)

Card No. ____/____/____/____ Expiry ____/____

Amount to be debited: \$ _____

Name _____ Signature _____