

Greening Australia

Environment Tips:

Leave No Trace Techniques:

Take only photographs leave only footprints! When in the bush, these practices will help you to lessen your impact on the natural environment. With so many people enjoying nature these days, we don't want to love our native areas "to death". Please be a low-impact camper and outdoor sports enthusiast!

- Stay on designated trails. Walk in single file in the middle of the path.
- Choose an established campsite that will not be damaged by your stay.
- Keep pollutants out of water sources by camping at least 50 metres (70 adult steps) from lakes and streams.
- Protect wildlife and your food by storing rations securely.
- Pick up all spilled foods and carry out all leftover food.
- do not feed any animals.

Reduce, Re-use, And Recycle!

Did you know recycling aluminium uses 96% less energy than is used to produce the same amount of aluminium from raw materials.

Recycling paper uses 60% less energy in manufacturing paper than when using virgin timber. Recycling just one glass jar saves enough energy to light a 100 watt light bulb for 4 hours.

You can help by using the 3 R's!

- Dispose of dishwater in the toilet or in marked grey water collection drains.
- Inspect your campsite for trash and evidence of your stay. Pick up all rubbish; yours & others rubbish.
- bring a small plastic bag on hikes, and pick up any rubbish.
- Treat our natural heritage with respect.
- let nature's sounds prevail. Keep loud voices and noises to a minimum.

- where fires are permitted, use established fire rings.
- Do not fire-scar large rocks or overhangs, and do not carve into trees or picnic tables, or otherwise graffiti the natural environment.
- Do not snap branches off live, dead, or downed trees.
- Do not burn aluminium cans, plastic, or discarded food in your campfires.
- Put out campfires completely before leaving camp unattended.
- Remove all unburned rubbish from fire & dispose in a proper garbage bin.