

Freedom camping

We welcome responsible freedom campers to the city. The Dunedin City Council reviewed its Camping Control Bylaw in 2015, which recognises the popularity of freedom camping for both domestic and international visitors. Some restrictions apply to help protect our communities, cemeteries, scenic bush and wildlife environments.

Department of Conservation campsites

There are currently no DOC campsites within the Dunedin city area.

Monitoring and enforcement

The DCC monitors freedom camping to ensure local laws are followed and our environment is protected. If you breach freedom camping laws you may receive an instant fine of \$200 or face prosecution for fires and environmental damage.

Infringement notice payments

Payments may be made by cash, cheque or EFTPOS at any Dunedin City Council Service Centre or Agency or by Visa or Mastercard on the Dunedin City Council website www.dunedin.govt.nz

Camping care code

Care for the environment and be careful about what you leave behind. Follow the advice provided at www.camping.org.nz and our own Dunedin care code at www.dunedin.govt.nz. Keep at least 10m away from seals and sea lions. Keep clear of penguins and their nests.

Light no fires

Lighting fires is not allowed. Please use a gas barbeque for all cooking unless you are in licensed holiday parks.

Where to dispose of waste and recycle

Waste holding tanks can be emptied at sites shown on the map, also check www.camping.org.nz.

Recycling centres are shown on the map.

Please use these facilities and help us care for our environment.

Where can I camp?

Holiday parks

Holiday Parks and camping grounds provide a wide range of accommodation options, from camping sites through to self-contained motels. They provide kitchens, laundries, showers and powered sites so are ideal for an extended stay. Refer to the map for location and contact details.

Self-Contained Camping

If you have a certified fully self-contained vehicle then you can generally freedom camp throughout the Dunedin area on gravelled or sealed council land set aside for parking. Look out for prohibited zones on the Otago Peninsula. No camping except in licensed holiday parks is permitted in these zones.

Non-Self Contained Camping

Warrington Domain provides for non self-contained vehicles and tent camping. Ocean View Recreation Reserve provides for non-self-contained vehicles. Please refer to the map on site to identify the areas designated for non-self-contained camping.

What is a certified fully self-contained vehicle?

Certified fully self-contained means your vehicle meets New Zealand standard 5465 with toilet, grey water and waste capacity for three days. A current self-contained warrant must be displayed in the window.



You can stay at any one location for a maximum of two consecutive nights. Please remember to take all rubbish with you.

For more information

i-SITE Visitor Centre, 50 The Octagon, Dunedin
03 474 3300 | visitor.centre@dcc.govt.nz
www.dunedin.govt.nz

Dunedin City Council, 50 The Octagon, Dunedin
03 477 4000 | dcc@dcc.govt.nz
www.dunedin.govt.nz

Department of Conservation 03 477 0677

Where can I camp in Dunedin?



For everyone's enjoyment, please leave our environment the way you found it.

03 477 4000
www.dunedin.govt.nz

CAMPING GROUNDS

- 1 WAIKOUAITI BEACH MOTOR CAMP**
186 Beach St, Waikouaiti
Ph 03 465 7432
- 2 PORTOBELLO VILLAGE TOURIST PARK**
27 Hereweke St, Portobello
Ph 03 478 0359
- 3 LEITH VALLEY TOURING PARK**
103 Malvern St, Woodhaugh
Ph 03 467 9936
- 4 AARON LODGE TOP 10 HOLIDAY PARK**
162 Kaikorai Valley Rd
Ph 03 476 4725
- 5 DUNEDIN HOLIDAY PARK**
41 Victoria Rd, St Kilda
Ph 03 455 4690
- 6 BRIGHTON CARAVAN PARK**
1044 Brighton Rd, Brighton
Ph 03 481 1404
- 7 TAIERI MOUTH HOLIDAY CAMP**
67 Moturata Road, Taieri Mouth
Ph 03 481 7874
- 8 MOSGIEL CARAVAN PARK**
221 Gordon Road, Mosgiel
Ph 03 489 5512
- 9 MIDDLEMARCH HOLIDAY PARK**
26 Mold St, Middlemarch
Ph 03 464 3776

Lee Stream Community Hall
2522 Lee Stream Rd

To Middlemarch

Outram Outram Glen Scenic Reserve
 Outram Community Hall

- Recycling Depot
- Unrestricted Freedom Camping areas (Warrington Domain and Ocean View Reserve)
- Parking – Large vehicles (Railway Station)
- Waste Disposal Facilities
- Toilets
- Prohibited Camping Zones

To Taieri Mouth

Brighton Domain

