









# Discover Greens Pool and Elephant Rocks

Greens Pool is famous for its turquoise green waters and pristine white sands which are edged by granite boulders. The centrepiece of William Bay National Park, this area is perfect for swimming, snorkelling, relaxing or exploring the granite rocks.











#### Must see

Enjoy the views of the tranquil bay and take a quiet walk along the beach. With protected swimming areas, this site is perfect for families.

## **Getting there**

William Bay is 15 kilometres west of Denmark on South Coast Highway.

# Travelling time

20 minutes from Denmark, 45 minutes from Walpole, one hour from Albany.

#### What is there?

With a carpark, boardwalk and stairs down to the beach, William Bay provides an excellent stop en route between Walpole and Denmark. There are toilets and a natural sea pool ideal for family swimming. Walkers can follow trails over to Elephant Rocks and explore the area.

## What to do?

Sightseeing, photography, swimming, marine study, bushwalking. Granite boulders and rocky shelves extend for 100 metres or more out to sea along the coast between Greens Pool and Madfish Bay. Fishing is not recommended at Greens Pool because of danger to swimmers. Sheltered pools, channels and granite terraces inside this reef create a fascinating seascape for beachcombing.

#### Flora

A characteristic feature of national parks on the South Coast such as William Bay is that flowers may be found here at any time of the year. There is a peak of flowering in spring, but even in the hottest weather flowers can be found, especially in the concealed habitats under the karri trees or under the dense coastal shrubs.

## Best season

This is a wonderful place year round.

## **Fees**

There are no fees applicable at this site.



## **Nearby sites**

The Bibbulmun Track runs through the Greens Pool area and Tower Hill is an excellent lookout over the bay and granite rock formations. William Bay is a perfect place to take a break and stretch the legs - or even have a swim en route to the Valley of the Giants Tree Top Walk and other sites in the Walpole Wilderness.

#### Caring for Greens Pool

Be wise Respect this unique environment and leave it as you found it.

Walk softly Help us to protect this fragile environment by keeping to the path.

Be clean Take your rubbish with you and dispose of it appropriately.

Be careful Rocks can be hazardous and slippery when wet.







Fires are not permitted.

Pets are not permitted. Respect our native wildlife. Camping not permitted.

Your safety is our concern but your responsibility.



## Coast risk area

Outside of Greens Pool, this stretch of coast can be hazardous due to large, unpredictable waves and swells, slippery rocks and strong currents.

For your safety:

- always pay attention to the ocean
- keep well clear of the sea
- avoid slippery rocks and loose surfaces
- supervise children at all times
- notify someone of your expected time of return.













# Further information and bookings

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