

# Coorong National Park

## Secrets

### Camp sites

#### 42 Mile Crossing

The 42 Mile Crossing is an excellent camping spot, well protected from the wind and with plenty of good flat sites. A few of these are shady but be prepared to be in full sun. A picnic shelter and toilets are centrally located within the camp ground. The 42 Mile Crossing is the largest of the camp grounds in the Coorong National Park. It is suited to all types of recreational vehicles, including buses. There is plenty of room for children to run around and explore or kick a football. There are large open areas suited to groups of campers and a few secluded spots for individuals. The picnic shelter is suited to large groups.



Good information available.



We love these toilets!



Large sheltered picnic area



Wide open camping spaces



A few small shady sites



Plenty of wildlife nearby



Good walking trails



Access walking trails adjacent to the picnic shelter



The end of the Nukan Kungan Hike – arriving at the ocean beach

The 42 Mile Crossing is the only camp ground providing year round walking and 4WD access to the ocean beach. The Nukan Kungun Hike passes through the camp ground and you can take this walk to the ocean beach or hike north to Chinaman Well and on to Salt Creek. If you are planning some ocean beach fishing the 42 Mile Crossing camp ground provides a protected spot to return at the end of the day.



Check 4WD and fishing restrictions



Ocean beach end of the 4WD track

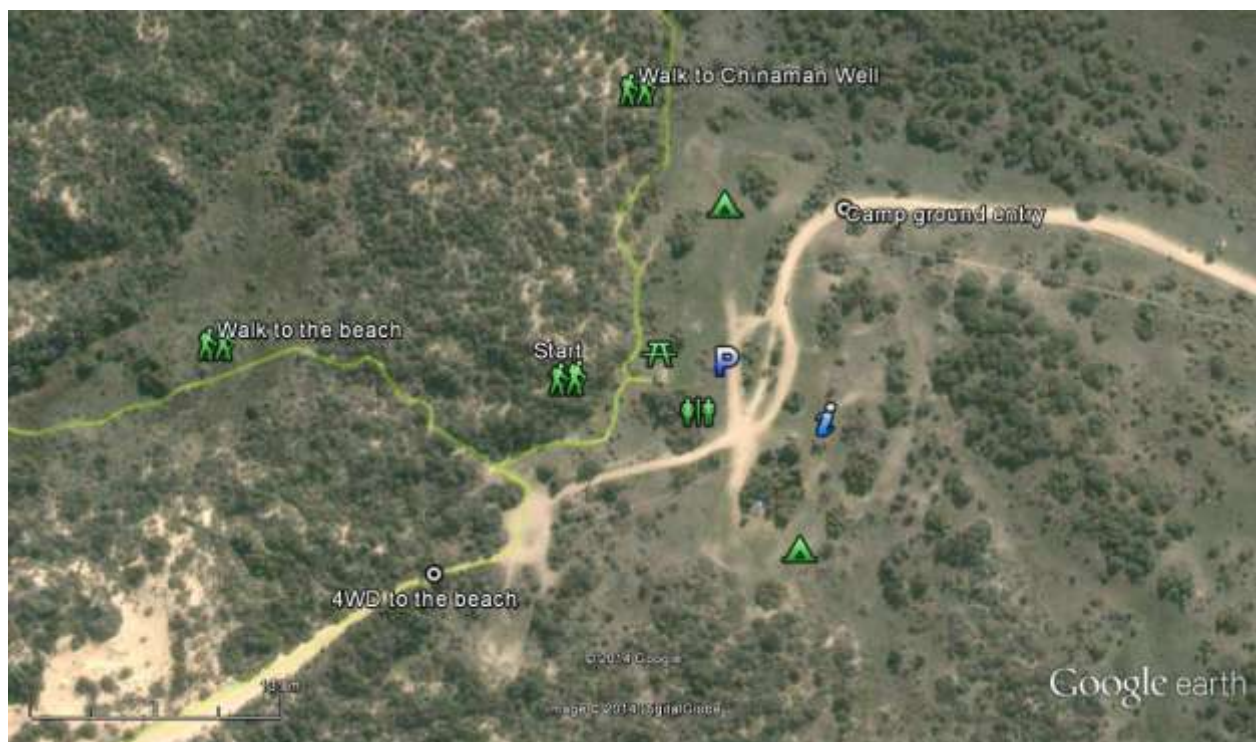


Prepare for soft sand along the 4WD track

### General information:

The walking trail to the beach and return via the 4WD track is a 3.3 km round trip. This walk is in full sun. The walk to Chinaman Well is 10km return and is mostly in full sun. Refer to separate sheets for detailed information on these walks. Remember that dogs are not permitted in the Park.

You will need to be totally self-sufficient and take your rubbish away with you. There is a tap for hand washing by the toilets, but as it relies on limited rainwater we suggest you take your own water. Fuel, meals, refreshments, ice and bait are available at the Salt Creek Roadhouse/Caravan Park. Toilets, showers and water are also available for their guests. Water can be obtained from the tap in the Lions Park in the main street of Meningie. The nearest rubbish bins are in Meningie. There is a caravan dump point on the Princes Highway at the southern outskirts of Meningie. Gas fires only are permitted in the Coorong National Park and remember to check local regulations regarding fire restrictions. Marginal Telstra 3G reception is available in the camp ground. Camping permits apply – refer to [Parks SA website](http://Parks SA website).



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