

Acknowledgement Of Country

We acknowledge the Wodi Wodi people on Dharawal country as the traditional custodians of this land.

We pay our respects to Elders past, present and emerging.



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Welcome to Cicada

Thank you for choosing Cicada Luxury Camping for your getaway.

We hope our accommodation and experience exceeds your expectations – we've worked so hard to provide you with a luxurious, eco-conscious holiday experience... the first of its kind in the area.

We welcome all feedback – positive and otherwise – so be sure to let us know what you loved and what could be improved.

Take a look through this book for some helpful information and safety tips, then kick back, relax, unwind and soak up the views.

If you need to contact us, please send a text message in the first instance, or call if necessary, on **0400 991 452.**

Nick & Jen Cicada Luxury Camping



Important things to note

- All guests should take note of the terms and conditions provided at the time of booking. To read these again, refer to your booking confirmation email.
- Check-out time is 11am, unless otherwise agreed.
- Cars are to be parked in the car park only.
- A maximum of two adults are allowed in each tent and only the guests nominated in the booking may stay overnight. Only paying guests are allowed on the property – visitors are not permitted.
- Please respect our property, and the quiet enjoyment of other guests and neighbours whilst staying with us.
- Smoking is not permitted inside the tents, on the decks, or within 5 metres of the outside of any of the tents or buildings.
- If a cattle ribbon gate is closed on the driveway and you need to take it down to get through, please put it back up. Be careful, they are electric.
- Don't leave valuables unattended in the tents as they cannot be locked.
- Be sure to fasten all straps / zips on your tent at night and when heading out.
- If you BBQ on the the firepit, please clean the grill using the products provided.
- When you check out, we ask that you leave the property in a clean and tidy condition. Please remove all food from fridges, put all rubbish in the large bins behind the Brood, and wash and pack away crockery, cutlery etc. All fly screens, windows and doors must be zipped or velcroed closed when you leave. Bathrobes and toiletries are property of Cicada and are not to be taken.



Your safety

- All guests are to stay within the fenced areas. If you wish to explore the bush/rainforest area, you do so at your own risk and we take no responsibility for any injury.
- We recommend wearing appropriate footwear as some areas of the property are steep & uneven and there are no paved paths to tents or official walking trails.
- If your fire pit is upside down, it's because there is a fire ban and you must not use it.
- Be extra careful of the Bell tent guy ropes they can be a trip hazard, particularly at night.
- The car park and pathway lights automatically turn off at 9.30pm. If you are coming back from town after this time, we recommend using your phone torch on your way back to your tent.



Your tent

ALL TENTS

 We provide you with some complimentary supplies, however we don't replenish supplies during your stay – if you run out of anything, you'll need to purchase these at your own expense. We don't replace your towels during your stay, so use the hooks provided to hang them up to dry.

Waste:

- **General waste:** Keep your waste bin *inside* your tent at night, or take all waste to the bins provided behind The Brood, as there are foxes around.
- Organic waste: We provide a small organic waste bin in your tent, but be sure to regularly empty it in the composting area near The Brood. Don't dispose of any animal products (i.e. meat, dairy, eggs) in the organic waste these should be put in the general waste bin.
- **Recycling:** Please separate your glass, paper and recyclable plastics and put them in the yellow recycling bin behind the Brood.
- If you damage the tent or any of its contents, please don't try to fix it inform us as soon as appropriate so we can assess it. If you dirty the tent canvas, (eg. with food or wine), gently clean it with a cloth and water only do not use soap or abrasives. If you can't clean it, notify us.
- The tap water at your tent is rain water and is drinkable. Filtered water is provided in the ceramic purifier tank in the the Brood if you prefer.



Your tent

SAFARI TENTS (Black Prince & Golden Emperor)

- Please do <u>not</u> try to open the window behind the glass shower screen, the window next to the toilet can be opened for fresh air.
- The main inside light switch is on the left bedside table powerpoint (next to shelves). The bedside lamps have dials to turn on and dim the light. The outdoor deck light switch is on the balustrade next to the bath.
- Your bed has an electric blanket with individual temperature control and timer. We recommend that you don't put it on above 4 as they get very warm!
- The toilets use a septic system please DO NOT flush any foreign objects. Use the sanitary bins provided.
- All saucepans and frypans in the deck kitchen drawers are for the induction hot plate only. Please do not use these on the fire pit. The campfire grill at the fire pit should be used for all fire pit cooking.
- First aid kits are on the vanity shelves.

BELL TENTS (Green Grocer & Blue Moon)

- Please do not use the deck umbrella if it's windy, and make sure you wind it down and strap your umbrella at night.
- Your tent light switch is at the bottom of the centre pole. The bedside lamps have dials to turn on and dim the light.
- Your bed has an electric blanket with individual temperature control and timer.
 We recommend that you don't put it on above 4 as they get very warm!
- First aid kits are on the box shelves.



The Brood

- The Brood is the communal amenities building for all our guests to enjoy.
- The Brood's wheelchair accessible bathroom is for the use of our Blue Moon and Green Grocer guests. If you are staying in the Black Prince or Golden Emperor you are welcome to use the Brood facilities but please use your ensuite bathroom when you can.
- The Brood kitchen and outdoor seating area are for all our guests to enjoy, so
 please clean up after yourself.

IMPORTANT:

Please respect our neighbours and other guests by not making excessive or offensive noise.

There are strict council curfews to protect neighbouring properties. Please be particularly quiet:

Fri & Sat: midnight-8amSun-Thurs: 10pm-8am

If other guests are breaching this requirement, call management on 0400 991 452.



BEACHES

The NSW South Coast is known for its many gorgeous beaches including Kiama Surf Beach, Kendalls, Werri Beach, Seven Mile Beach and so many more. Some of our favourites include:

Boneyard, Cliff Dr, Kiama Downs

Boneyard is a little tucked away gem – it's a short walk (steep path in one section) from the parking area, and our favourite moment is getting that first glimpse through the trees of the incredible sparkling, emerald water.

There are some well-shaded grassed areas for picnics, but as it's a pebble beach, rock shoes are a good idea if you have them. It's generally calm and good for snorkelling, though a little further out you'll often see surfers taking advantage of the nice right-hand reef break.

Jones Beach, North Kiama Dr, Kiama Downs

We love the south end of Jones Beach – it's just got a good vibe. You can see some of the Cathedral Rocks and it's rarely busy. Plus Kiama Downs shops offer a handy IGA, bottle-o and a couple of great cafés.

Minnamurra River, Charles Av (Boat ramp)

The mouth of Minnamurra River is a magic spot – we love it so much, it's where we got married! There are grassy banks for picnics, and whilst the river's edge has pebbles, it's a very short swim to a nice big sand bank which gets exposed at low tide, then another short swim over to Minnamurra Beach. But it's all about the river – incredible pristine swimming waters, great snorkelling, and perfect for paddle boarding or kayaking.

Surf Beach, Manning St, Kiama

Surf Beach is in the heart of Kiama, so the closest and most convenient, but if we're honest, it's not our favourite – it can get pretty busy in peak periods and the surf is often rough. But hey, we're spoilt for choice in the area! On a nice day, it's still a beautiful place to relax and cool off, plus you can get great fish and chips at Silica Takeaway right next to the northern car park and enjoy the huge park.



CAFÉS

There's certainly no shortage in Kiama, so we've included just a handful of our picks. While these ratings are certainly not 'official' and just based on our opinion, we thought they may still be helpful. Some can get very busy at meal times, so worth booking!

Diggies, Blowhole Point Rd, Kiama, Ph. 0436 353 370

Coffee: 8/10. Food: 7/10. Setting: 9/10.

It's all about the setting and the views – magic! Some lovely gentle walks surrounding the area too, making it a great pit-stop.

Penny Whistlers, 31 Shoalhaven St, Kiama, Ph. 4233 2770

Coffee: 9/10. Food: 8/10. Setting 9/10.

Also a magic spot with views over the harbour. The best milkshakes and muffins in town.

The Brooding Italian, 160 Manning St, Kiama, Ph. 0406 401 213

Coffee: 9.5/10. Food: 7/10. Setting 6/10.

One of the best coffee spots in town, and on the way to Kendalls Beach, if that's where you're headed.

Short Black, 88 Terralong St, Kiama, Ph. 0413 808 435

Coffee: 9/10. Food 7/10. Setting: 6/10.

There are so many cafés along Kiama's main drag (Terralong St), that it's easy to pick a dud. These guys do great coffee and the most decadent treats, all made in-house.

The Hungry Monkey, 5/32 Collins St, Kiama, Ph. 1300 666 539

Coffee: 9/10. Food 8/10. Setting: 8/10.

Great coffee, great burgers, and a cool vibe (and it's licensed).



RESTAURANTS

Miss Arda, 62 Terralong St, Kiama, Ph. 4202 3120

Tapas-style Middle Eastern inspired food with a good wine and cocktail list. Both outside and inside tables offer a great dining experience.

Hanoi on Manning, 1/10 Manning St, Kiama, Ph. 4202 3315

Good Vietnamese food – make sure you order the Nem Ha Noi (traditional fried spring rolls)!

Wildginger, 45 Collins St, Kiama, Ph. 4232 1130

One of Kiama's best restaurants serving modern southeast Asian cuisine and impressive cocktails

Olive & Vine, 87 Manning St, Kiama, Ph. 4232 1268

Yummy, well-priced Italian – the best pizzas in town. They do takeaway but they don't deliver... but hey, it's only 8 mins away!

El Corazon, 6 Terralong St, Kiama, Ph. 4232 4847

Good Mexican food overlooking Kiama Harbour. Plenty of tables inside & out, with a kid friendly vibe.

Silica, 72 Manning St, Kiama, Ph. 4233 0572

Set on Kiama's Surf Beach with views of the ocean and coastline, these guys offer Kiama's freshest local seafood and a fine dining experience.

JJ's Indian, Shop 2, 127 Terralong St, Kiama, Ph. 4232 4565

Tucked away from the street and decked in fairy lights, their authentic Indian dishes are amazing.



BARS & PUBS

Little Betty's, 1/55 Collins St, Kiama

Next door to Wildginger, a cool & cosy little wine bar with a modern menu and the best cocktails in town!

The Grand, 49 Manning St, Kiama, Ph. 4232 1037

Tragically, the only good pub in Kiama! The front bar often has a good vibe and there's two other separate dining areas. The food is pretty good, and the staff are always friendly.

Jamberoo Pub, 12 Allowrie St, Jamberoo, Ph. 4236 0270

For something a little different, the cozy & quirky pub with a colourful history serves great pub food and there's often a fun vibe.

Fillmores, Unit 3/38-40 Manning St, Kiama, Ph. 0434 208 404

Tucked away up a small alleyway with an industrial yet playful feel, these guys host ticketed music and pop-up events on the regular. Head to their website for what's on.



NATURE & MORE

Minnamurra Falls Walk. Budderoo National Park. Ph. 4236 0469

Starting at the Minnamurra Rainforest Centre, enjoy spectacular rainforest, waterfall and canyon views from several viewing platforms along Minnamurra Falls walk.

Saddleback Mountain Lookout, top of Saddleback Mountain Rd

Kiama's glorious Saddleback Mountain offers a photographer's dream, with the elevated lookout. On a clear day, you can take in the breathtaking views from Cronulla in the north to Milton in the south.

Kiama Coast Walk

The Kiama Coast Walk has three sections, made up of a series of shorter walks/cycling paths from the mouth of the Minnamurra River south through Kiama to Gerringong's Werri Beach.

Kiama Seaside Markets, Black Beach, Kiama

Open from 9am-3pm on the third Sunday of every month and some public holidays.

Kiama Farmers Markets, Coronation Park (Surf Beach), Kiama

Right on the beach, these weekly markets sell fresh farm produce every Wednesday 3-6pm. Food trucks, cold beer, live music... a really fun vibe.

For more info on things to see and do, head to kiama.com.au



Site Map

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