

Recreation activities














Seqwater provides a variety of recreation activities for the community to enjoy, drawing more than three million visitors to our lakes and recreation areas each year.

While our rangers regularly patrol our dams, lakes and parks, they can't be everywhere to help you. Make sure you are familiar with our recreation [rules of access](#) and that you have the required permits and safety equipment.

Plan ahead and play it safe

Before you leave home, always check seqwater.com.au for latest information on permitted recreation activities, lake conditions, current closures and important safety notices.

Remember, no overnight stays on the water are permitted. Recreation sites are open seven days a week, from 5.30am to 6.30pm (September – April) and 6.00am to 5.30pm (May – August)[^].

Lake/Dam	 Sailing	 Paddle craft	 Boating (electric powered)	 Boating (fuel powered)	 Water skiing	 Fishing	 Camping	 Picnics and BBQS	 Bush walking	 Dogs on leash	 Horse riding	 Mountain biking	 Swimming (designated areas only)
Atkinson	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	No permit required	Yes	Private operator	Yes	Yes ⁶		Yes
Baroon Pocket	Yes	Yes	Yes			Yes	SIPS			Yes			Yes
Borumba	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	SIPS	Yes	Private operator	Yes			
Clarendon		Yes				Yes	No permit required			Yes	Council operated		
Cooloolabin						Yes	No permit required			Yes		Yes	
Dyer	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	SIPS	Yes	Private operator	Yes	Yes (trail only)		Yes
Enoggera		Yes				Yes	No permit required			Yes	Old Parks & Wildlife	Yes	Yes
Ewen Maddock		Yes				Yes	SIPS			Yes	Yes ⁴	Yes	Yes
Gold Creek										Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Hinze	Yes	Yes	Yes			Yes ⁹	SIPS			Yes	Yes ⁵	Yes	Yes
Kurwongbah		Yes		Yes ¹	Yes ¹	Yes	SIPS			Yes			
Macdonald	Yes	Yes	Yes			Yes	SIPS			Yes			
Manchester		Yes				Yes	No permit required	Yes ⁸		Yes		Yes	Yes
Maroon	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	SIPS	Yes	Private operator	Yes	Yes ⁶		
Moogerah	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	SIPS	Yes	Private operator	Yes	Yes ⁷		Yes
Nindooinbah										Yes			
Samsonvale	Yes ¹	Yes ³	Yes ¹			Yes	SIPS			Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Somerset	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	SIPS	Yes	Private operator	Yes			Yes
Wappa										Yes			
Wivenhoe	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes ²		Yes	SIPS	Yes	Private operator	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Wyralong	Yes	Yes	Yes			Yes	SIPS	Yes ⁸		Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes

¹ Club members only – check website for details

² Restrictions apply – check website for details

³ In designated zone at Forgan Cove

⁴ On leash in surrounding trails

⁵ On leash Picnic Parkland, Pocket Park & pathway from Picnic Parkland to the upper car park

⁶ On leash in day use area only

⁷ On leash in Haigh Park only

⁸ Group bookings only – conditions apply

⁹ Catch and release only

[^]Excluding Lake Dyer, 6am – 6pm, all year