MAP OF

Camden Haven River, Queens and Watson Taylors Lakes, Laurieton and Lake Cathie areas

0 0.25 0.5 0.75 1 1.25 2.5 km

Line symbols

Overhead Cable Crossing · Structure · Oyster Lease Aquaculture · Recommended Navigation Path

Restricted Waters

4 Knots Zone · 8 Knots zone · No Skiing or Aquaplaning

Navigation Aids

Special pile beacon · Starboard pipe beacon · Port pipe beacon · Lit sbd. beacon no top mark · Lit port beacon no top mark · Yellow light beacon · Lit front lead triangle beacon · Lit rear lead triangle beacon · Starboard Buoy No Top Mark · Starboard Aqua Buoy · Port Buoy No Top Mark · Port Aqua Buoy · Special Mark Aqua Buoy · Lit Sbd Buoy No Top Mark · Lit Port Buoy No Top Mark

Restricted Activities and Cautions

Dangerous Area Breaks at Times · No Wash Zone · No Skiing or Aquaplaning Zone · All or Power Boats Prohibited Area · Four Knot Speed Limit Area · Warning Overhead Power Cables · Caution Entrance Bar Crossing · Caution Shallow Water · Caution Submerged Rocks · No Anchoring Submarine Cable

Boating Facilities

Unformed or Hand Launching Area · Formed Surface Launching Ramp · Launching Ramp Parking & Facilities · Fuel Available · Public Wharf Jetty or Landing · Marina Boatshed or Boat Hire · Public Vessel Pumpout Facility · Preferred Anchoring

General Information

Washdown or Fish Cleaning · Public telephone · Public Toilet · Caravan Park · Camping Ground · Motel · Hotel · Post Office · Picnic Ground Facilities · Coast Guard or Coastal Patrol Base · Tourist Info Centre or Sign

Water depth in metres: 0, 2, 5, 10, 20, 40

Land · Sand · Nat.Pk. · Park · Mangroves

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Caution: Extensive Oyster leases exist in Queens Lake Entrance and Stingray Creek.

Note: Bank erosion is a serious problem in Stingray Creek. Please do not create wash.

Caution: Depth contours have been compiled and are indicative only. They can change over time.

Note: Lit navigation aids exhibit standard flash patterns, unless otherwise indicated.

Note: Most navigation aids shown hereon exhibit a 3 digit identifying number. Please use this number to report faulty navigation aids or your position in an emergency.

WARNING
THE WATERS OF THIS BAR ARE DANGEROUS
NAVIGATE WITH CARE
WEARING LIFEJACKETS IS COMPULSORY
PENALTIES APPLY

Caution: The entrance channel is dangerous and should not be navigated without local knowledge.

SEE LIFEJACKET NOTES

Entrance Leads Fixed Blue Strip triangle daymarks.

Fl.Amber Bar Warning Sign

SEE ALSO NAUTICAL CHART AUS.219 and NSW Maritime Coastal Boating Map No.5 for further information.

Hire boat plying limit

SEE CAUTION NOTES

Caution: Low level rock wall

Caution: Extensive Oyster Leases exist in these waterways. Please observe speed and wash limits to avoid unnecessary damage to Oyster Farms.

NOTE: NO SKIING OR AQUAPLANING ON ALL WATERS SHOWN ON THIS INSET. Hatch symbology not shown to increase clarity.

Note: General information such as caravan parks, hotels, motels, picnic grounds and public toilets etc. are indicated as a guide only. Not all can be shown in some areas.

LIFEJACKET NOTES

It is compulsory to carry certain safety equipment, including for all on board a lifejacket type 1, whilst navigating in the open sea. It is also compulsory to wear it whilst crossing all entrance bars shown on this map.

Further information on what you should carry can be found in the NSW Maritime Safe Boating Handbook available free of charge.

WARNING: BOMBORAS CAN BREAK AT ANY TIME AT VARIOUS LOCATIONS ALONG THE COAST. EXTREME CAUTION SHOULD BE EXERCISED WHILST NAVIGATING IN THE VICINITY OF ANY BOMBORA, SHOAL OR REEF.

WEAR IT!

YOU'RE THE SKIPPER YOU'RE RESPONSIBLE!

INSET 1

Note: General information such as caravan parks, hotels, motels, picnic grounds and public toilets etc. are indicated as a guide only. Not all can be shown in some areas.

Warning: The entrance is not navigable to sea going vessels. No power craft allowed east of Ocean Drive Bridge.

Lake Cathie 12 km. SEE INSET 2. above
Port Macquarie 31 km. SEE OTHER SIDE.

SEE INSET 1. for greater detail

INSET 2

Note: Grid Datum is Geocentric Datum of Australia - 1994, which is approximately equivalent to WGS 84.

Note: Herons Creek is navigable for approx. 3km. by shallow draft vessels.

Note: The Camden Haven River upstream from Kendall is considered unsuitable for navigation.

Note: Bridge clearance heights shown in RED are in metres above mean high water.

WARNING: OVERHEAD AND SUBMARINE CABLES AND PIPES CROSS THESE WATERWAYS AT VARIOUS LOCATIONS AND ARE USUALLY INDICATED BY WARNING NOTICES ON THE SHORE. CAUTION SHOULD BE EXERCISED AT ALL TIMES WHILE NAVIGATING IN THE VICINITY OF THESE CROSSINGS.

Caution: Queens Lake and its entrance channel around oyster leases are very shallow. Navigate with caution.

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Caution: Gravel beds upstream of this point

Note: Vandalism of navigation aids is illegal and dangerous as it could lead to serious accidents. Please report incidents of vandalism to the NSW Maritime Info Line on 13 12 56.

A penalty applies for interference damage or mooring against aids to navigation.

SEE INSET 1. for greater detail

SEE CAUTION NOTES

Caution: Extensive Oyster Leases exist in these waterways. Please observe speed and wash limits to avoid unnecessary damage to Oyster Farms.

Caution: Shallow waters (less than 2 metres depth), can contain seagrass and other sensitive fish habitats, which are at risk of damage from boat propellors.

Please exercise care when navigating or anchoring in shallow waters and avoid damaging or disturbing seagrass beds.

Caution: Watson Taylors Lake and its entrance channels are shallow. Navigate with caution.

Note: Contours at 20 metre intervals are shown courtesy of Department of Lands. For detailed land based information refer to Land Information Centre topographic maps. Visit their web site www.lands.nsw.gov.au for further information.

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