

# Parks and Reserves Guide

*PARKS AND RESERVES OF IPSWICH*



# EXPLORE IPSWICH PARKS AND RESERVES

Ipswich City Council provides over 550 parks and reserve areas covering in excess of 8,500 hectares to explore and offer an extensive range of facilities to suit all leisure and recreational needs.

Picnic and BBQ shelters, sporting grounds, natural areas, walking tracks, boat ramps, family water play space, scenic lookouts and memorials are available for use seven days a week.



## FEATURED PARKS AND GARDENS

**Robelle Domain** features more than 11 kilometres of boardwalks, walking and cycle tracks, playgrounds, zero depth water play and one of the largest free public swimming lagoons in Australia – Orion Lagoon.

**Kholo Gardens** offers almost 40 hectares of stunning grounds, a picturesque church, charming Queenslander style function centre and walking tracks that lead down to the banks of the Brisbane River.

**Queens Park** boasts an impressive array of playground facilities that are inspired by Ipswich's coal mining history. Two additional free attractions include the Japanese themed **Nerima Gardens** and the **Ipswich Nature Centre**.





## WATERSIDE AND WATER PLAY PARKS

Most waterside parks within Ipswich feature boat ramp access for water activities such as canoeing and kayaking.

**Colleges Crossing Recreation Reserve, Shapcott Park, Richardson Park, Joseph Brady Park** and **Riverside Park** are examples of great places to experience our waterways.

Zero depth water play areas are located at **Bob Gamble Park**, close to Ipswich Central, and **Robelle Domain** on the eastern fringes of the city. Orion Lagoon also located at Robelle Domain offers an amazing free swimming lagoon.

## SPORTING FACILITIES

Ipswich parks provide high quality sporting fields and facilities including skate spaces, courts, playing fields and cricket pitches that can be enjoyed by everyone.

# NATURE BASED RECREATION

More than 7,330 hectares of bushland are available for low impact nature-based recreation.

Activities include trail running, mountain biking, bushwalking, horse riding, swimming, fishing, orienteering, canoeing, kayaking, picnicking, camping and birdwatching.

Featured recreation spaces include:

- **Denmark Hill Conservation Reserve**
- **Flinders-Goolman Conservation Estate**
- **Haig Street Quarry Conservation Reserve**
- **White Rock-Spring Mountain Conservation Estate**
- **Purga Nature Reserve**
- **Kholo Gardens**
- **Colleges Crossing Recreation Reserve**

Please see [Ipswich.qld.gov.au](http://Ipswich.qld.gov.au) for brochures on the above recreation spaces.

Bush camping is available at Hardings Paddock in Flinders-Goolman Conservation Estate.



*White Rock - Spring Mountain Conservation Estate*

# ENVIROPLAN

The Ipswich Enviroplan demonstrates Ipswich City Council's commitment to environmental protection through innovative programs and the effective management of our City's natural resources.



Enviroplan, together with key documents such as the Nature Conservation Strategy and the Integrated Water Strategy, sets the path for natural resources within Ipswich City. For more information about Ipswich Enviroplan visit [Ipswich.qld.gov.au](http://Ipswich.qld.gov.au)



*Hardings Paddock Camping Facilities*

## CARING FOR OUR PARKS AND RESERVES

Facilities such as playground equipment, BBQs, shelters and picnic areas are free for public use on a shared basis and cannot be reserved. Commercial events, sporting events and private functions with over 100 people will require a permit.

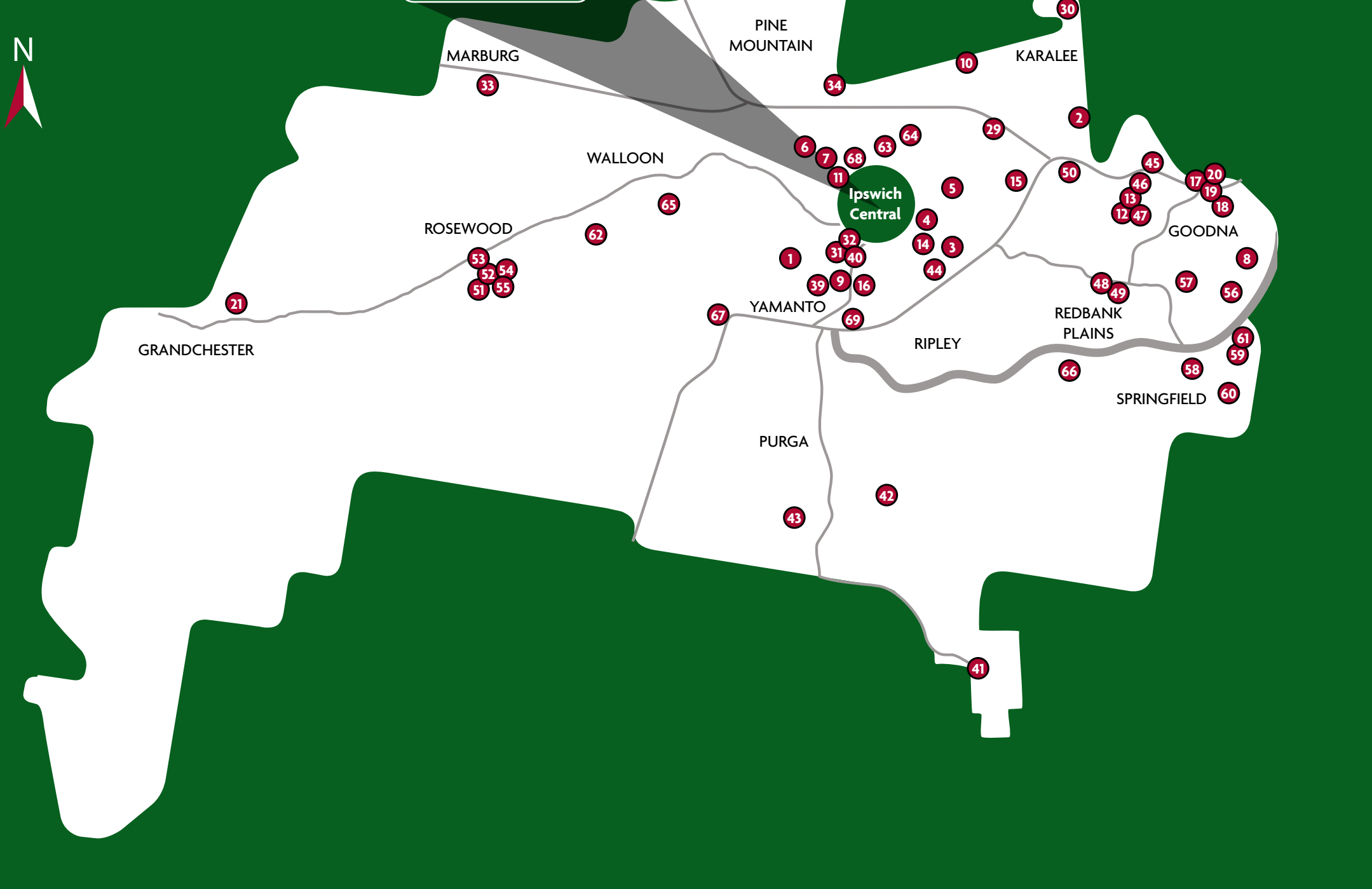
To preserve this environment for all park visitors and future generations, we need to work together.

Please note:

- All plants and animals in our parks and reserves are protected
- Dogs, other than trained medical companions, are not permitted in Conservation Estates or Reserves, Orion Lagoon, Ipswich Nature Centre and Nerima Gardens
- Driving of vehicles on grass is prohibited
- Rubbish should be placed in the bins provided, or taken home

# PARKS AND RESERVES LOCATION MAP

See table for facilities



PARK FACILITIES		BBQ	Playground	Toilets	Disabled Access	Boat Ramp	Walking Tracks	Skate Bowl	Basketball Court	Leash Free Area	Sporting Location	Wedding Location	Tennis Courts	Exercise Equipment	BMX Track	Monument	Clubhouse	Other
Park Address	Park Name																	
1	AMBERLEY 202 Old Toowoomba Road																	
2	BARELLAN POINT Lot 240 Riverside Avenue																	
3	BLACKSTONE 9 Mary Street																	Hall
4	BOOVAL 95 Brisbane Road																	
5	BOOVAL Gledson Street																	
6	BRASSALL 39 High Street																	See Haig Street Quarry Conservation Reserve Brochure
7	BRASSALL 61 Workshops Street																	Cycle Training Facility
8	CAMIRA 74 Moss Road																	
9	CHURCHILL 243A Warwick Road																	
10	CHUWAR 408-492 Mt Crosby Road																	Kiosk
11	COALFALLS 35 Williams Street																	Flying Fox Colony
12	COLLINGWOOD PARK Duncan Street																	
13	COLLINGWOOD PARK 2A Collingwood Drive																	Liberty Swing
14	EASTERN HEIGHTS 22 Madden Street																	
15	EBBW VALE 11 Brisbane Road																	
16	FLINDERS VIEW 121-135 Briggs Road																	
17	GOODNA 6 Layard Street																	
18	GOODNA 22-23 Enid Street																	
19	GOODNA 24 Mill Street																	
20	GOODNA 135-137 Brisbane Terrace																	Swim Centre
21	GRANDCHESTER Gordons Road																	Historic site
22	IPSWICH 2 Blackall Street																	Water Play
23	IPSWICH 116 Brisbane Street																	
24	IPSWICH 20 Chelmsford Avenue																	See Denmark Hill Conservation Reserve Brochure
25	IPSWICH 42A Chermiside Road																	
26	IPSWICH 10A Milford Street																	See Queens Park Brochure
27	IPSWICH 20 Bremer Street																	
28	IPSWICH 54 Moffatt Street																	
29	KARALEE 52 South Queensborough Parade																	
30	KARALEE 49 Diamantina Circuit																	
31	LEICHHARDT 9 Ernest Street																	
32	LEICHHARDT 1C Old Toowoomba Road																	
33	MARBURG 85-89 Edmond Street																	
34	MUIRLEA 243 Riverside Drive																	See Kholo Gardens Brochure
35	NORTH IPSWICH 54 The Terrace																	
36	NORTH IPSWICH 29 Downs Street																	
37	NORTH IPSWICH 34 and 39 Pelican Street																	Lookout
38	NORTH IPSWICH 43 The Terrace																	Major Sports Venue
39	ONE MILE 125 Chubb Street																	
40	ONE MILE 1A Old Toowoomba Road																	
41	PEAK CROSSING Mt Flinders Road																	See Flinders - Goolman Conservation Estate Brochure
42	PURGA Carmichaels Road																	See Flinders - Goolman Conservation Estate Brochure
43	PURGA 840 Middle Road																	See Purga Nature Reserve Brochure
44	RACEVIEW 58 Harding Street																	
45	REDBANK 1 McAuliffe Street																	
46	REDBANK Lot 4 Chalk Street																	
47	REDBANK 27 Kruger Parade																	
48	REDBANK PLAINS 100 Cedar Road																	Remote Control Cars
49	REDBANK PLAINS Cnr Cedar & Redbank Plains Rds																	
50	RIVERVIEW Hayden Street																	
51	ROSEWOOD 1 Mill Street																	Swim Centre
52	ROSEWOOD 27 John Street																	
53	ROSEWOOD 61 John Street																	
54	ROSEWOOD 1 Railway Street																	Horse Clubs
55	ROSEWOOD Lot 20 Bennet Street																	
56	SPRINGFIELD 40-60 Springfield Parkway																	
57	SPRINGFIELD Lot 33 Pardalote Drive																	
58	SPRINGFIELD Education City Drive																	See Robelle Domain Brochure Water Play and Lagoon
59	SPRINGFIELD LAKES Lot 1 Summit Drive																	
60	SPRINGFIELD LAKES 40 Grande Avenue																	
61	SPRINGFIELD LAKES Amarillo Place																	Remote Control Boats
62	THAGOONA 34-42 Adelong Avenue																	
63	TIVOLI Daly Street																	
64	TIVOLI 69 Church Street																	
65	WALLOON 533-569 Karrabin-Rosewood Road																	
66	WHITE ROCK School Road																	See White Rock - Spring Mtn Conservation Estate Brochure
67	WILLOWBANK Melbury Street																	
68	WOODEND 133-143 Woodend Road																	
69	YAMANTO 125 Equestrian Drive																	



*Ipswich Nature Centre*

*These parks and reserves remain sacred to the Traditional Owners of Ipswich. Sacred sites are very important to the Traditional Owners, as they provide a link between Country and personal identity and allow the passing on of cultural knowledge. Some of the sacred sites within Ipswich include quarry sites, traditional food resources, story places, pre-contact and historical camp sites, fighting grounds, ceremonial sites, bora rings and women's business sites.*



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