

Inverloch Mobility Map

Wrapping around Anderson Inlet, the town of Inverloch provides many opportunities to visit the beach or enjoy ocean views from a number of parking areas along The Esplanade and Ramsey Boulevard.

A 3.1km paved footpath is located along the foreshore from Cuttriss Street in the east to Veronica Street in the west and provides links from town to the caravan parks in the east. A number of beach access tracks lead from the paved foreshore-walking track and vary in terrain.

The fitness station located close to The Glade is designed for people of all abilities.

Surf Parade intersects with Cape Paterson-Inverloch Road in the west, providing a unique driving experience with coastal views through the Bunurong Coastal Reserve to Cape Paterson.

Tips for mobility scooter users

Mobility scooters and electric wheelchairs users should:

- Obey the same road rules as pedestrians
- Travel on footpaths rather than roads, where possible
- Slow down near other people
- Drive and park so that other people can move along the footpath freely

National Relay Service (NRS)

People who are deaf, have a hearing impairment or complex communication needs, can access any of the phone numbers in this brochure, via the NRS. For all of the numbers and access points for making a relay call please visit www.communications.gov.au/accesshub

Communication Access Symbol

Council's Customer Service and Visitor Information Centres are

accredited with Scope's Communication Symbol. The Communication Access Symbol identifies places where people are respectful and responsive to individuals with communication difficulties and where strategies and resources are used to support successful communication.



Access Resources

For information on local accessible accommodation, attractions, eateries and beaches, please call 1300 366 422 or visit www.visitbasscoast.com.au/plan-your-trip/accessible-bass-coast.

All Terrain Wheelchairs for hire

Three different types of All Terrain wheelchairs; the Hippocampe, Wanderer and Surf and Turf are available for hire free of charge in Cowes, Newhaven, Wonthaggi and Inverloch. A \$50 refundable deposit is required. Designed to navigate sandy beaches and walking tracks, the wheelchairs and can be packed or dismantled for easier transportation.

The Hippocampe

The three wheeled Hippocampe can be towed, pushed or self-propelled. The double tyre set up in the rear helps to travel over a variety of terrains including rock, uneven surfaces and soft sand. It can be packed into a large storage bag for easy tranporting. To book either of our Hippocampes contact Inverloch Visitor Information



Centre on 1300 762 433 or Phillip Island Visitor Information Centre on 1300 366 422 or bookings@basscoast.vic.gov.au

The Wanderer

The Wanderer has large, wide tyres that improve access when travelling over sand, loose gravel and other 'off road' areas. Rear wheel steering helps the person pushing to easily pivot the chair and it can be dismantled for transfer with a large vehicle. To book the Wanderer contact the Phillip Island Visitor Information Centre on 1300 366 422 or bookings@basscoast.vic.gov.au



The Surf and Turf

The Surf and Turf's four large wheels and central steering eliminate bobbing and makes the chair much easier to push. The seating can be adjusted to suit the user's needs without compromising the stability of the chair. To book the Surf and Turf contact the Bass Coast Aquatic and Leisure Centre on (03) 5672 4194 or wonthaggi@ymca.org.au



Automated External Defibrillator (AED)

An AED is used to help people experiencing sudden cardiac arrest. The AED can analyze the person's heart rhythm and, if necessary, deliver an electrical shock to help their heart re-establish an effective rhythm.



Changing Places

Changing Places are fully accessible public toilets with additional features and equipment to meet the needs of people with severe or profound disabilities. Many Changing Places facilities require a Master Locksmith Access Key (MLAK) for access. Users must bring their own sling for use with the Changing Places ceiling hoist.



Locations

- Cowes Transit Centre, open 24/7, MLAK required
- Phillip Island Health Hub, open 24/7, located in inside Hub, MLAK not required
- Penguin Parade Visitor Centre, Phillip Island, open every day from 10.00am until late*, located inside Centre, MLAK not required, shower provided.

*Opening hours may vary due to the COVID-19 pandemic and public holidays.

For more information on Changing Places facilities or the MLAK system, visit www.changingplaces.org.au

