

NOHOANGA SITE INFORMATION SHEET

HAWEA RIVER - ALBERT TOWN NOHOANGA



Entrance to the Albert Town nohoanga

Getting there

- Access is via the Lake Hawea-Albert Town Road (State Highway 6) 200m north of the bridge across the Clutha River /Mata-Au.
- The nohoanga boundaries are not clearly demarcated. The nohoanga sign sits outside of the nohoanga boundary.





Location of Nohoanga within the Albert Town Recreation Reserve

Site Information

- The nohoanga is situated within the Albert Town Recreation Reserve. This is a public area administered by the Queenstown Lakes District Council.
- The nohoanga itself is administered by Te Rūnanga o Ngāi Tahu.
- The site is well utilised by local dog walkers. Dogs may be off the lead but must be kept under control at all times within the reserve.
- A public bike track runs through the nohoanga.
- The reserve is also used by horse riders.

Physical Description

- The nohoanga is primarily flat and has some sheltered areas suitable for camping.
- The nohoanga is located adjacent to the Clutha River / Mata Au and has direct access to the water.
- The vegetation covering the site is primarily exotics and weed species with some mature willows providing shade.

Vehicle access and parking

- The access road is unsealed, but suitable for campervans and 2wd vehicles.
- There is plenty of parking on site.

Facilities and services

- The facilities and grounds of the campsite are very natural.
- All rubbish and waste must be removed on departure. See Key Contacts below for details of refuse and dumping stations.
- The adjacent camping ground contains a public toilet. Nohoanga users can use this, or alternatively provide their own toilet facilities.
- Portaloos may be available at the adjacent campground over the summer. Nohoanga users can pay to use these portaloos at their own cost.
- There is a public bore within the adjacent campground that provides drinking water and tank for back up supply. Nohoanga users can use this bore, or alternatively bring their own drinking water.
- Albert Town Recreation Reserve is within a prohibited fire area. There is a total fire ban in the nohoanga. Users must have contained cooking facilities.
- Avoid taking vehicles off established tracks. The soils within the reserve are easily damaged by off road vehicle use.
- Cell phone reception is limited at this site.



Hazards

- The nohoanga may flood when water is released into the river from Lake Hawea. Queenstown Lakes District Council will update their website when water is to be released and the campground residents should be verbally notified.

- Some rivers, lakes or waterways may have health warnings applied to them throughout the year for toxic algae and bacteria such as benthic cyanobacteria. Regional and District Councils will have up to date information on their websites regarding any waterway health warnings in place.
- Visit www.lawa.org.nz for current information around water quality and suitability for swimming.
- Visit the Ngāi Tahu website www.ngaitahu.iwi.nz/environment/nohoanga for up-to-date information regarding hazards.

By using this nohoanga users are agreeing to make themselves familiar with the potential hazards listed on the Ngāi Tahu website.

<https://ngaitahu.iwi.nz/environment/nohoanga/hazard-information>

Site Restrictions

- Occupation of the nohoanga is limited to 30 consecutive days with an authorisation from Te Runanga o Ngai Tahu.
- The use of off-road vehicles and motor bikes is prohibited, other than on formed roads within the reserve.
- Fires are not permitted.
- Dogs must be kept under control at all times.

By using the Albert Town nohoanga site, users are agreeing to these conditions

Key Contacts

Emergency services	Phone 111 (Police, Fire, Ambulance)
Police station	5 Ballantyne Road, Wanaka 03 443 7272
Te Rūnanga o Ngāi Tahu	Te Whare o Waipounamu 15 Show Place Addington 8024 PO Box 13-046 Christchurch 0800 NOHOANGA Nohoanga@ngaitahu.iwi.nz
Department of Conservation	Whakatipu-wai-Māori / Queenstown Office 1 Arthurs Point Road, Queenstown 03 442 7933 queenstown@doc.co.nz Tititea/Mount Aspiring National Park Visitor Centre Ardmore Street, Wanaka 03 443 7660

	mtaspiringvc@doc.govt.nz
Queenstown Lakes District Council	Queenstown Lakes District Council 03 441 0499 (Queenstown) 03 443 0024 (Wanaka) services@qldc.govt.nz
Fish and Game New Zealand - Licensing Outlets	https://fishandgame.org.nz Central South Island Region 32 Richard Pearse Drive, Temuka 03 615 8400 Otago Region Corner Harrow / Hanover Streets, Dunedin 03 477 9076
Hospital/Doctors	Aspiring / Wanaka Medical Centre 23 Cardrona Valley Road, Wanaka 03 443 0725 03 443 0710
Dumping stations	Lake Hawea Holiday Camp 03 443 1767 Canterbury <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Twizel Public D/S Adjacent Shell • Timaru Public D/S Caroline Bay • Wanaka Public D/S Brownston Strett • Washdyke Public D/S Sheffield Street, Timaru Central Otago <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Blackball Public D/S Sports Domain • DK Auto Services Main Rd, Waikouaiti • Dunedin North Cumberland St North • Dunedin Public D/S • BP Connect, Dunedin Central • Dunedin Shell Old Gas Works • Dunedin Shell Valley Kaikoura Valley Road • Mosgiel Public D/S Gordon Road • Ranfurly Public D/S • Cnr Northland and Charlmont • Warrington Public D/S Warrington Domain Clutha <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Albion Cricket Club Main Rd, Luggate • Arrowtown Public D/S • Lake Districts Museum.Caltex Alexandra Centennial Avenue • Caltex Cromwell Murray Terrace • Clinton Public D/S

	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Adjacent park behind BP, SH1• Clyde Clyde Recreation Reserve• Cromwell Public D/S Sargood Drive• Kidds Bush Reserve Lake Hawea• Lawrence Public D/S Rest area, SH8.Omakau Public D/S• Omakau Recreation Reserve• Queenstown BP Connect Public D/S Frankton Road• Queenstown Public D/S Cemetery Road• Roxborough Council Depot Teviot Street• Tapanui Public D/S Bushy Hill Road
Refuse stations	<p>Crnr Ballantyne and Riverbanks Road, Wanaka 03 443 6063</p> <p>110 Glenda Drive, Frankton, Queenstown 03 451 0106</p>



Nohoanga site boundary (red line)