



Racecourse Beach – Club ‘Surfari’

South Curly Nippers Annual Surfari Trip

Join your fellow South Curly Nipper families in what is something truly special - the end of season trip.

This is a long held tradition of the South Curl Curl Lifesaving Club that in 2019 saw 370 nippers and their families make their way down the coast to beautiful Racecourse Beach for 3 fabulous days of action packed fun.

Join us! We'd love to see you there.

South Curl Curl Surfari 2021 - Everything you need to know

What are the Surfari dates?

- Thursday 8th, Friday 9th, Saturday 10th April 2021
- This is the first week of the School Holidays; the weekend after Easter.

How much does it cost?

There are 2 parts to the cost of attending Surfari:

1. Accommodation Costs
2. Surfari Costs (Catering, Equipment Hire, etc) - this is TBC for 2021. We will advise closer to the date; pending COVID guidelines and how we manage catering.

Part 1 - Accommodation

There are 3 different types of accommodation at Racecourse Beach:

1. Beachside Villas - reserved for Age Managers
2. Bunkhouse cabins - priority given to families in Bunkhouses in previous years
3. Powered sites - camping is for everyone and so fun!

As part of our arrangement with the Park, we have negotiated the exclusive use of a whole camping area for South Curl Curl. It is important for us to book as many of those sites as possible otherwise the Club needs to pay for them. We encourage you to book a camp site in this area please.

For the 3 official days of Surfari, Racecourse Beach Tourist Park have given us the special rate of **\$55 per day per powered site for 2 people + \$14 per child + 10% discount** (this is for the Thursday 8th, Friday 9th, Saturday 10th April 2021 only; the rates before and after are High Season Easter rates).

Part 2 - Catering

This is the cost to cover the cost of catering (food) and all the other costs associated with putting Surfari on. This includes the transport of all the boards, tents and gear, BBQs, gas bottles and cooking equipment, the AV for evening events, prizes, hire of tables and chairs, the list goes on.



Catering covers:

*****Please note - this is TBC, dependant on Covid restrictions at the time for 2021*****

- Brunch bacon and egg cook up served at 11am Thursday and Friday, and after the Beach Carnival on Saturday.
- Kids fruit and milkshakes (BYO cups) at 2:30pm Thursday, Friday and Saturday.
- Dinner at 6pm Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

Adults (14yrs and older): \$29 per day

Children (5yrs - 13yrs): \$19 per day

Children (4yrs and under): Free

How to book

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1. Accommodation
2. Catering

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Please call Racecourse Beach Tourist Park on 02 4457 1078 to book your camping spot. Let them know that you are part of South Curl Curl so that they give you a spot in the area of the Park reserved for us and the special rate.

2. Catering and Activities:

Will be via TryBooking - stay tuned.

As per 2019, we will make it possible for you to pay only for the number of days you will joining us. So for example, if you will be coming for 2 out of the 3 days - you only pay for 2 out of the 3 days.

To keep up to date with all the latest news on South Curly Surfari 2021, or to ask any questions, head to the [South Curly Surfari 2021 Facebook Group](#).

FAQs

Where are we going?

Racecourse Beach Tourist Park

381 Murramarang Rd

Bawley Point NSW 2539

<https://www.racecoursebeach.com.au/>

Nearest cross road:

Bundle Hill Road & Murramarang Road, Kiola

Office: 02 4457 1078



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How much does camping cost?

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How long does it take to drive there from South Curly?

Racecourse is 270km from South Curly, and will take approximately 4.5-5 hours to drive there.

When are most South Curly people arriving and leaving?

Many families are arriving on Wednesday and leaving on Sunday.

What do I need to bring?

- Enough plates, utensils, glasses/cups and drinks for your family. And a bag to carry it all to meal times.
- You'll also need to bring washing up liquid and tea towels to clean up your things after each meal.
- Breakfast isn't covered so BYO breakfast to eat at your campsite/cabin/bunkhouse or at the communal eating area.
- All your camping stuff (if you're camping :)).
- Your sparkling personality (and those of your children), your patience and your sense of fun :)

When are the official meals? *TBC for 2021*****

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Is breakfast included?

No.



Can I only join for 2 days or 1 day?

Yes!

What is the closest regional centre?

There is a small set of shops not too far from where we are staying in Bawley Point. There is a small supermarket, bottle shop and take away. Ulladulla which is approximately 30kms away is the closest regional centre and has all the major supermarkets (Woolworths, Coles and Aldi), Bunnings and Target amongst all the other usual shops you would expect to find.

Are special dietary requirements catered for?

With this many people to cater for, we aren't able to cater extensively for special dietary requirements. There will be vegetarian options but best bring your own food if you have specific dietary requirements.

What is there to do at Racecourse Beach Tourist Park?

Loads! As well as all the obvious beach activities there is bike riding around the roadways within the park; heated pool and toddler pool; tennis court; basketball court; jumping pillow; giant chess; table tennis and pool table.

Racecourse Beach and surrounds is also renowned for surfing and fishing and the [Murramarang National Park is close by with an Aboriginal Area walking track.](#)

We will also be bringing a heap of boards from the Surf Club that will be available for everyone to use and enjoy.

The official Surfari activities include South Curly's Got Talent (our annual Talent Show), the Beach Carnival and the Surfari Slide Show on the final night.

What goes on at Surfari?

As much or as little as you like. You decide. We are not a cult. Except for when it comes to the Beach Carnival. Then participation is mandatory and you give it your all. Like you are an Olympian who has been training your whole life for this moment. Like that Russian swimmer in Muriel's wedding willing to marry Muriel to pursue his Olympic dream.

Kidding. This is South Curly. 4 year olds participate in the Beach Carnival and could very well be the final runner on your team. It's all about having a good time :). And participation is NOT mandatory.



What's this I hear about being "rostered on" to do a job?

Many hands make light work and that is part of the wonder of Surfari. Every adult and child over the age of 13 will be rostered on to do a shift of some description. The shifts range from driving to Ulladulla to pick up our shopping order from Woolworths; to making milkshakes; to dinner prep; to wash up. We all have to do it and it's part of the fun. We're all volunteers here making this happen. Surfari is magical, but there are no fairies and no mystical magic that makes it happen - it's all the fabulous people of South Curl Curl that make the magic happen :).

Can non-members of South Curl Curl SLSC come along?

Surfari is an official South Curl Curl Lifesaving Club event and is limited to South Curl Curl Nipper families or who are members of the club.

What's Wi-Fi like at the campground?

Remember when we were kids our mums used to feed us breakfast and tell us to go play outside then lock the back door so we couldn't get back in till lunch time? There was no wi-fi then and maybe not great wi-fi at Racecourse. Who can know for sure. Let's take the opportunity to free ourselves from the modern day shackles! Let's get out there and be at one with nature - swim, surf, bike ride, collect shells, make sandcastles, take long walks along the beach, lie on your back and stare up at the sky and see what shapes you can see in the clouds.

Did that answer the question? No it didn't. The answer is: NBG (no bloody good). Our friends at Racecourse Beach Tourist Park tell us that they don't have wi-fi and that only Telstra phone coverage is available. We suggest a Telstra Prepaid SIM as an option for those who need it.

Is there anywhere I can work from if I need to work?

In previous years, Surfari goers have made their way to Ulladulla Library.

Ulladulla Library

Ulladulla Civic Centre: Princes Highway Ulladulla (opposite the Harbour)

Monday to Friday 9am – 5pm

Saturday 9am – 2pm

Closed Sunday

Ph: 02 4429 8916 ulladullalibrary@shoalhaven.nsw.gov.au