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# Rowles Lagoon Conservation Park

Rowles Lagoon Conservation Park and the adjacent Nature Reserves, comprised of Carnage, Clear and Muddy Lakes, are conservation areas vested in the Western Australian Conservation Commission, and managed by the Department of Environment and Conservation, for the conservation of flora and fauna, environmental education and recreation.

The wetlands are an important cultural site for local aboriginal people and the story of the site is told at the interpretation shelter. As the area is a conservation park, pets are not permitted and vehicles must remain on designated tracks.



### Things to do

- water-based recreation
- camping
- bird-watching
- swimming

Please be considerate of other visitors requirements, and enjoy your stay.

### Visitor Fees

No camping fees apply within Rowles Lagoon Conservation Park.

### How to get there

73 km north of Coolgardie along the Bonnie Vale and Carbine Roads or from Kalgoorlie via Ora Banda. The main entrance is on Coolgardie North Road.

Camping areas, barbecues and picnic tables are provided around the lagoon. When it is full, Rowles becomes a popular water based recreation site. The area has a designated water ski zone and in wet times is very popular with Goldfields locals.

Caution must be exercised when partaking in water based activities to prevent accidents or injury. Adhere to the rules and regulations and stick to the mapped water ski boundaries.

Rowles Lagoon is the largest and deepest of these four freshwater lakes. The lakes rely on rainfall to maintain their depth. Rowles Lagoon is a registered wetland of national importance, with 118 species of bird being recorded including 41 waterfowl. The area is a breeding location of Australia's rarest water-bird, the Freckled Duck, and many specially protected international migratory waders.



Rowles Lagoon is on the Golden Quest Discovery Trail. The 965 km trail journeys through the Goldfields stopping at historical, cultural and natural sites of significance. You can stop at Rowles Lagoon as part of the self-drive adventure or make a day trip from Kalgoorlie.

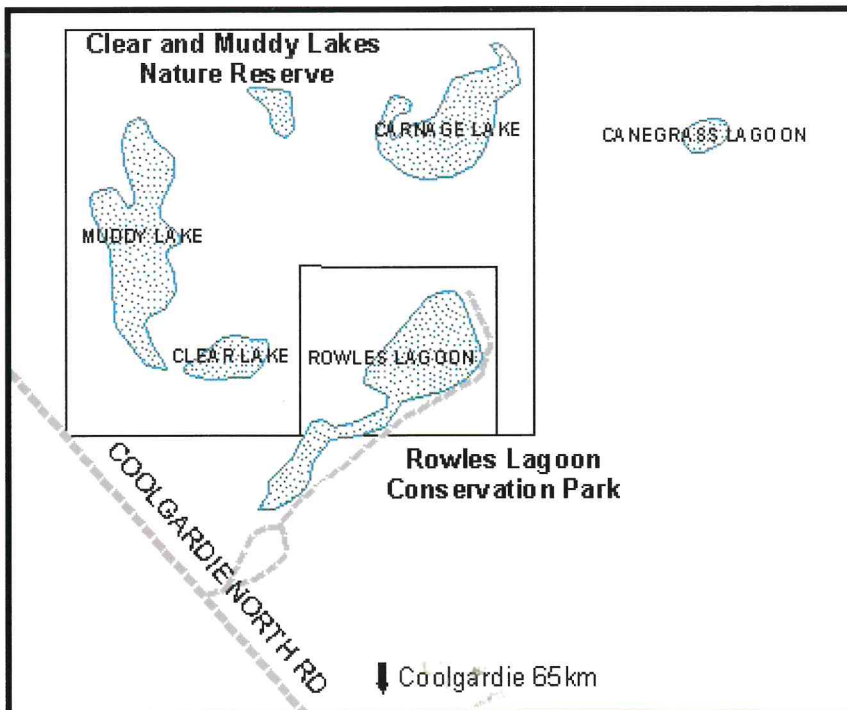
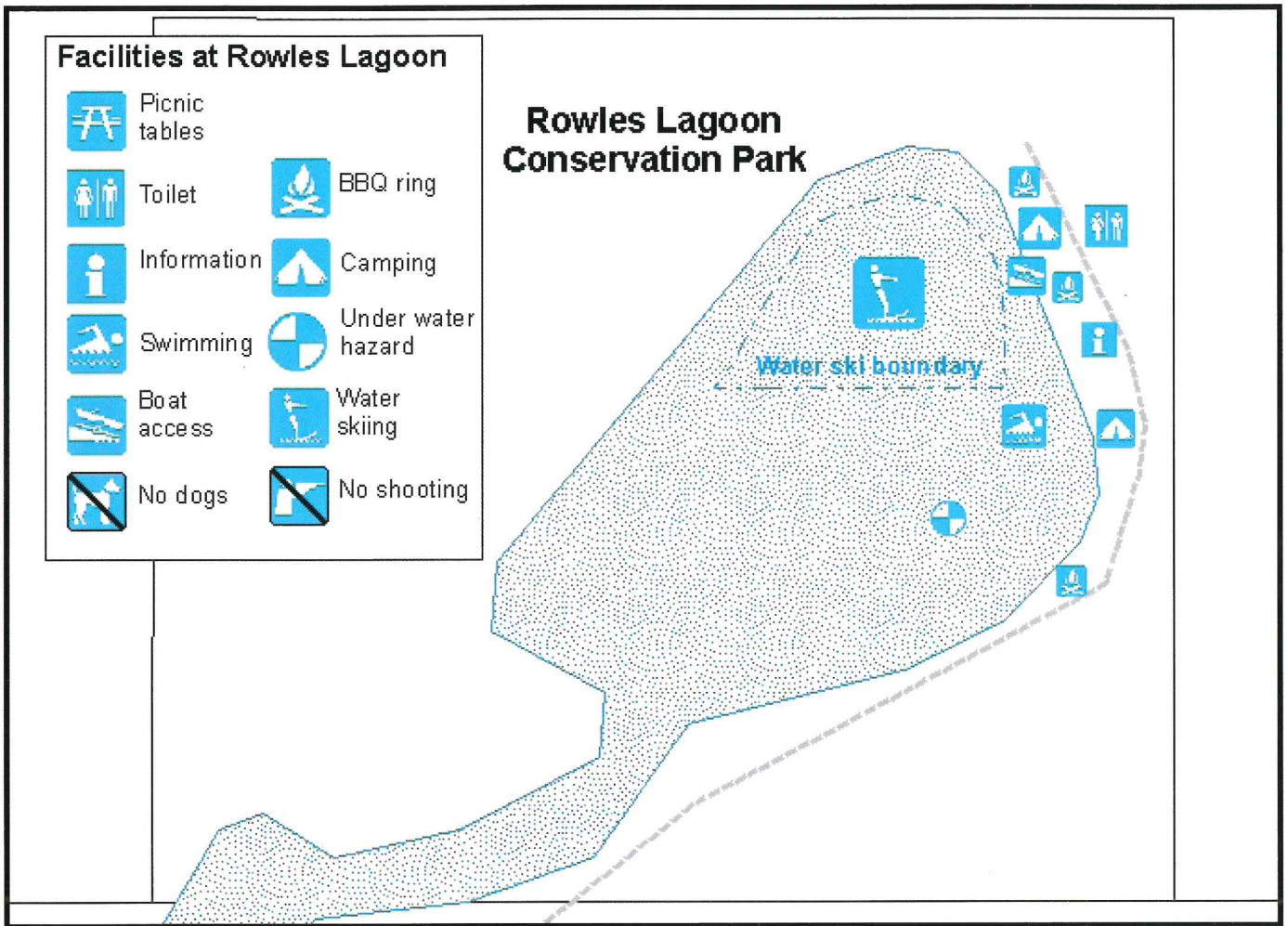


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# Rowles Lagoon Map



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