



Washpool / Blue Lagoon

Explore one of the last remaining examples of a natural coastal lagoon along the Adelaide coastline.

"This Land is the Country of Winnyayee and the Traditional Owner was Mullawarraburka and his descendants. These descendants of Mullawarraburka still carry the knowledge and care for Country.

As it was passed on to Kurna Descendants we the Kurna Caretakers of today would like to continue to support an Environment Department in all aspects of Land, Animals, Rivers, Sea and Our Sacred Site, both of importance to men or women just like our Forefathers and Foremothers who care for the Indigenous Culture as a whole."

Nestled between Aldinga Scrub Conservation Park and Sellicks Beach, the Washpool and Blue Lagoon is a rare and special seasonal wetland with migratory bird species, diverse aquatic life, and of cultural significance to Kurna People.

Discover why the Washpool is of ecological and cultural importance.

Join a tour with an environmental or cultural expert.

Search for migratory birds through binoculars and telescopes.

Meet members of the Kurna community.

Chat with locals who have been caring for the site for many years.

OPEN DAY
Sunday 5 May
10 am – 2 pm

Button Road,
Sellicks Beach

Activities for all ages.
Refreshments and lunch provided.
Bring comfortable walking shoes.

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Register by Wednesday 1 May:
washpoolopen day.eventbrite.com.au

This event is run by Natural Resources AMLR and City of Onkaparinga with Kurna Community, Birdlife Australia, Friends of Aldinga Scrub, Aldinga Washpool and Silver Sands Heritage Group, Aldinga Coastcare, Friends of Willunga Basin Trail and RAW Recruitment.



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