



Info Guide

This guide contains all the info you need to know to have a safe, enjoyable weekend and also includes direction on how to get there and information about the area. Please take the time to read this guide at least once before you leave home.

Bring

Your wristband! You should be wearing it when you arrive, no responsibility will be taken for lost wristbands and you will be asked to pay gate prices to get in without it.

This is a camping festival. Please bring EVERYTHING you'll need for 2 nights, 3 days in the bush. Bring a tent, warm clothes and blankets (it can get cold, even at this time of the year), a torch, toilet paper, food, rubbish bags, water, sun cream, mosquito repellent (no aerosols please), costumes, smiles and good vibes.

Water

Bring enough drinking water to sustain you for the entire festival. AT LEAST 10L per person is recommended, there will be a water supply on site but treat this weekend as if you were going camping in the bush.

Fires

No campfires! Seriously! Also no fire toys please.

There will be fires to warm your toes by in the designated areas around the dance floor and market stage, no other fires will be tolerated.

Rubbish

Please take your rubbish home with you.

If you bring it in, please take it out! Leave only footprints.

Try and stick to biodegradable or recyclable materials. Leave excess packaging at home. I.e. take food etc out of it's excess packaging and leave the packaging at home. It will save space in your car and means you will have less rubbish to take home with you.

Broken glass... is a real hazard, we don't recommend going barefoot. If you take glass bottles to the dancefloor please consider the safety of others and deposit them in a recycling bin when you're finished. Be especially careful with glass bottles on and around the rocks. Please take ALL your non recyclable rubbish home with you.

Alcohol

The event will not be licensed, there will not be alcohol for sale. Byo is allowed and you can buy takeaways at the Bencubbin Hotel

Underage drinking will not be tolerated at this event. Please be advised that anyone caught drinking underage will be asked to leave the festival.

Food

There will be some food stalls in the market area. There are also meals available at the Bencubbin Hotel, take away food and general supplies at the town store and real coffee and food at the local cafe in town also.

Toilets

There will be toilets on site, byo toilet paper.

Dogs

There are currently active poisoned dog baits in the area, we will not be held responsible at all for the loss of your dogs life. We strongly advise that you do not bring pets.

Directions

This is the most direct route, is a nice drive and also has the least amount of traffic. From Perth/Fremantle, go to Midland and then take Toodyay Rd off the Roe Hwy and go...

Toodyay >Goomaling>Dowerin>Wyalkatchem>Trayning>Bencubbin

With a couple of short stops along the way the trip should take you about 3hrs from Perth or Fremantle. When you arrive at Bencubbin, go into town, have a look around, stock up on stuff you want, go back out the way you came in and take the Bencubbin ~ Mukinbudin Rd (Koorda~Bullfinch Rd) towards Mukinbudin, go 5km and then turn right down Marshall Rock Rd, go 2km and you will arrive at Marshall Rock Nature Reserve, the site for Earthdance 2009

Show your wristband to the friendly volunteers on the gate and you'll be directed to the camping area.

What's going on....

You'll be able to pick up another guide at the gate with set times, workshop times and more specific information but for now here's a brief outline to get you all excited!

Friday Night – A little tasting platter of lovely down tempo prog, electronica and chill to ease you into a wonderful weekend.

Saturday Day – Workshops, come and play and learn a few new things. Acoustic and electronic beats to warm you up before the big night. Opening ceremony from 5pm, don't miss it!

Saturday Night – Working you up to a night of solid foot stomping to all your favourite Perth DJs, VJs and producers.

Sunday Morning – Prayer for Peace 7am, the highlight of the festival, a simultaneous link up with Earthdance festivals around the world unifying us in our intentions for world peace and healing.

Hoping you enjoy this most special of festivals. Please respect yourself, respect others and respect the environment.

For more info see www.earthdancewa.com