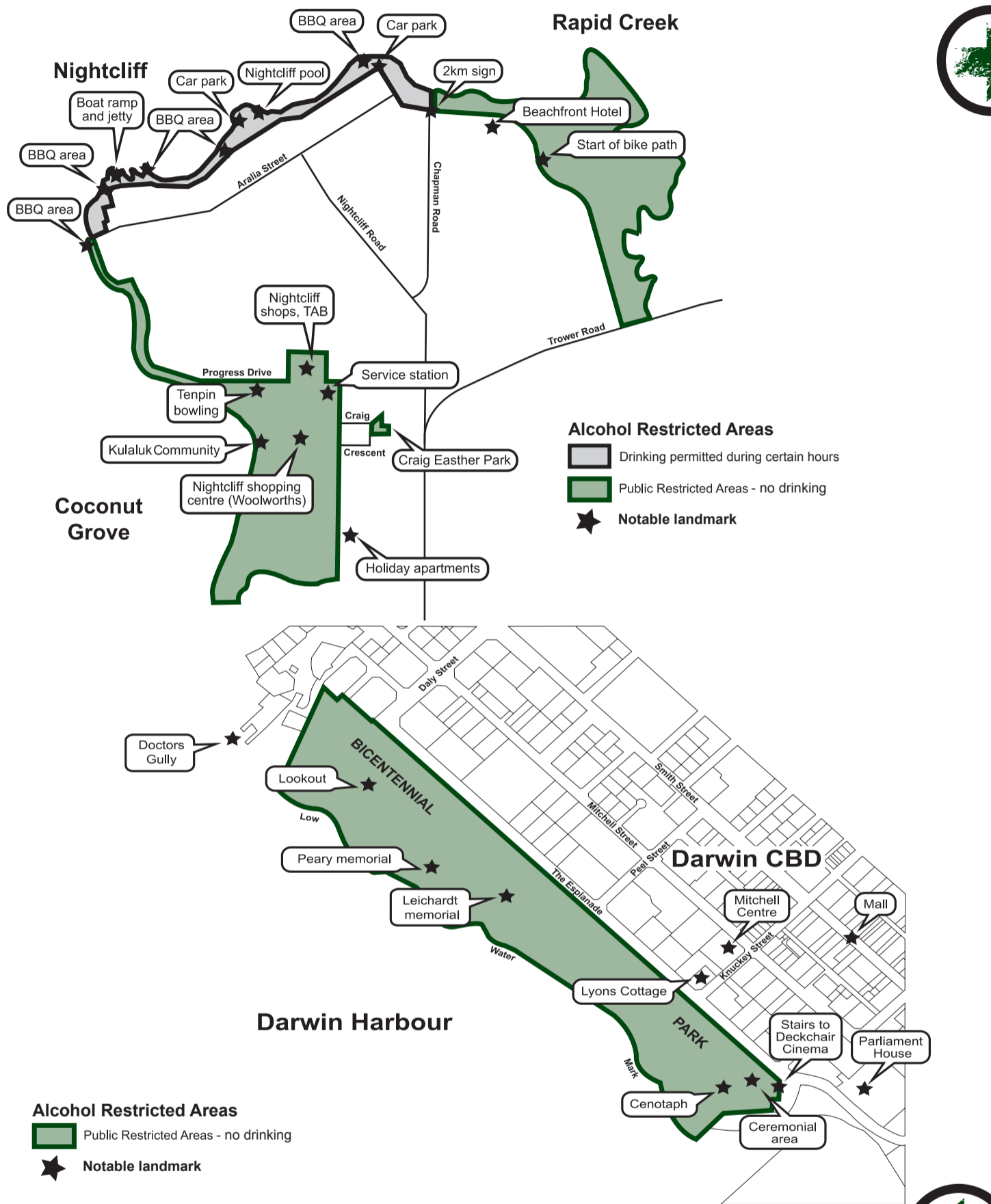


# Drinking in public in Darwin



No-one can drink alcohol in public restricted (dry) areas in parts of Nightcliff, Rapid Creek, Coconut Grove and the Esplanade in the Darwin CBD without a Special Events Permit.

Note: You can drink along the Nightcliff foreshore between Aralia Street and Chapman Road from:

- Monday to Friday, 4pm to 10.30pm
- Weekends and public holidays, 12 noon to 10.30pm.



Signs make it clear where drinking is not allowed.



## Penalties

- Confiscation or 'tip out' of alcohol by Police
- On the spot fine of \$100
- A fine of up to \$500 if the matter goes to court
- A possible ban from drinking.



## Special Event Permits

Applications for special event permits for public festivals, community and sporting events, weddings, fundraising activities and similar functions are available from:

- Darwin City Council - phone 8930 0556
- Licensing and Regulation, Department of Justice- phone 8999 1800 or go to [www.nt.gov.au/justice](http://www.nt.gov.au/justice)

Applications must be lodged at least 7 working days prior to the event.

