



Be dingo-safe!

K'gari (Fraser Island)

World Heritage Area, Great Sandy National Park

The Traditional Owners of the island are the Butchulla people. They call the island K'gari, and wild dingoes wongari.



Warning!


- The wongari (dingoes) on K'gari are wild and unpredictable animals.
- It is illegal to feed them or disturb them in any way.
- They are dangerous, especially when people don't give them space.
- They can bite you and cause serious injury.

For your safety:

- Never feed wongari (dingoes). They have enough wild food.
- Keep children and teenagers within arm's reach.
- Walk in groups.
- Do not run or jog.
- Camp in fenced areas when possible.
- Lock up food, drinks and rubbish—never store food in tents.
- Do not leave food, rubbish, fish or bait unattended.
- Never take food to lakeshores.
- Carry a stick or umbrella for protection.
- Report people who feed wongari (dingoes); send photos to dingo.ranger@des.qld.gov.au

If wongari (dingoes) come close and you feel threatened:

- Stay calm.
- Do not run; they will chase you.
- Stand at your full height.
- Keep your arms close to your body, and always face the wongari (dingo).
- Calmly back away to a safe area—a vehicle or fenced area.
- Shout for help.
- Let a national park ranger know of any incidents. (phone: 4127 9150 or email: dingo.ranger@des.qld.gov.au)

 If you are injured: Call Triple Zero (000)

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Keep children close



Keep your distance—give wongari (dingoes) space



Do not run when wongari (dingoes) come close



Walk in groups



Do not run or jog outside the fenced areas

