



Going to Gove?

What you need to know about alcohol

If you are travelling to the Gove Peninsula, there are some important local alcohol rules that apply to everyone.

The East Arnhem region is a 'dry area', including the town of Nhulunbuy and the surrounding communities of Gunyangara (Ski Beach) and Yirrkala. Drinking in public places is prohibited, with the exception of some popular recreational areas that are sign posted.

The region has a liquor permit system. You can drink in a licensed premise, for example a hotel, club or restaurant, but you need to obtain a liquor permit to buy takeaway alcohol and drink in a private home.

Liquor permits are available:

From:	Department of Justice
Where:	Shop 6 Endeavour Square, Nhulunbuy
When:	Monday to Friday from 08.00am to 4.30pm
Conditions:	You need to bring proof of residency or accommodation details and Photo ID.
Contact details:	Phone: 8987 0505 Email: Fax: