

Places of Interest in Manly

There are many attractions and places of interest in the Manly region. For information on places of interest and cafes and restaurants, accommodation, ferries and cruises, hotels and clubs, surfing, boating, sailing, local shopping, golf, tennis and more, see 'Manly Information' and 'Further Information' in the *Manly Lagoon to North Head & The Spit* brochure.

Some of the attractions along the walking route as shown on the map in the brochure include:

Oceanworld

West Esplanade 200m from Manly Wharf (F5) Tel: 8251 7877. Features marine life and reptiles, with activities, shows and tours. Open daily 10am-5.30pm. See www.oceanworld.com.au

Manly Art Gallery & Museum

West Esplanade Reserve (F5) Tel: 9976 1420. Distinctive collection of Australian art, ceramics and photographs. Open Tue to Sun 10am-5pm. See www.manlytourism.com/manlyartgallery

North Head Sanctuary (former School of Artillery)

North Head Scenic Drive (G6) Tel: 8969 2100. Includes the former Artillery Barracks and significant natural areas. Gatehouse Visitor Centre for information. Self guided walks, and tours. Open 7 days 10am-4pm. See www.harbourtrust.gov.au >The Sites.

North Fort

North Head Scenic Drive (G7) Tel: 9976 3855. Fortifications, tunnels, the National Artillery Museum and a cafe. Open Wed to Sun 10am-4pm. Visit www.northfort.org.au

Sydney Harbour National Park

Information Cadmans Cottage 110 George Street, The Rocks 2000 Tel: 9247 5033. Significant natural areas with stunning views. Access to North Head via walking tracks from Shelly beach and Collins beach. Lookouts from North Fort to Fairfax Lookout (H7). Note former Quarantine Station within the National Park (see Q Station below). On the Manly Scenic Walkway, tracks extend from Forty Baskets Beach to Castle Rock via Dobroyd Head. See www.environment.nsw.gov.au and click on 'Visiting a park'.

Q Station (former Quarantine Station)

North Head Scenic Drive (F7) Tel: 9976 6220. Accommodation within the historic former Quarantine Station. Also features tours, theatre and a restaurant. Visitor centre at Quarantine Wharf. Access from entrance on Scenic Drive by shuttle bus only. Visit www.qstation.com.au