Note: Grid Datum is Geocentric Datum of Australia - 1994, which is approximately equivalent to WGS 84.

Note: Bank erosion is a serious problem in the Nambucca River. Please do not create wash.

Caution: The Nambucca River is navigable to Bowraville for shallow draft vessels. Caution should be exercised due to numerous unmarked gravel banks and submerged rocks.

WARNING: OVERHEAD AND SUBMARINE CABLES AND PIPES CROSS THESE WATERWAYS AT VARIOUS LOCATIONS AND ARE USUALLY INDICATED BY WARNING NOTICES ON THE SHORE. CAUTION SHOULD BE EXERCISED AT ALL TIMES WHILE NAVIGATING IN THE VICINITY OF THESE CROSSINGS.

CAUTION: Navigate these waterways with extreme caution after rain periods. Be aware of missing aids to navigation, logs and other floating debris.

Note: Vandalism of navigation aids is illegal and dangerous as it could lead to serious accidents. Please report incidents of vandalism to the NSW Maritime Info Line on 13 12 56.

A penalty applies for interference, damage or mooring against aids to navigation.

Note: Bridge clearance heights shown in RED are in metres above mean high water. No skiing or aquaplaning in the vicinity of any bridge.

Note: Bank erosion is a serious problem in the Nambucca River. Please do not create wash. No wash zones exist in Tilly Willy Creek and the lower section of Taylors Arm.

Caution: Low Telephone Cable

Caution: Taylors Arm is navigable to Welsh Park approximately 10 km upstream. Caution should be exercised due to numerous unmarked gravel banks and submerged rocks.

Note: GPS* North West corner Macksville Pumpout Jetty 30 deg. 42.352 min. S 152deg. 55.186 min. E

Proposed Macksville by-pass (2009) Caution, possible bridge construction.

Note: Global Positioning System check point as shown by GPS* is in WGS.84 co-ordinates to an accuracy of +/- 5 metres.

Equipment should be checked against this point to determine any gross errors prior to any seaward journey. Depending on equipment, errors of up to 100 metres is not uncommon.

Note: General information such as caravan parks, hotels, motels, picnic grounds and public toilets etc. are indicated as a guide only. Not all can be shown in some areas.

USEFUL DISTANCE INFORMATION

Entrance to Macksville - 12km.
Entrance to Gumma Reserve - 7km.
Entrance to Scotts Head - 12km.

Note: Most navigation aids shown hereon exhibit a 3 digit identifying number. Please use this number to report faulty navigation aids or your position in an emergency.

Note: Lit navigation aids exhibit standard flash patterns, unless otherwise indicated.

Note: Some ramps are private, fee may be charged.

Caution: Extensive oyster leases exist in the waterways of the lower Nambucca River. Please minimise your wash to avoid unnecessary damage to oyster farms.

Note: Warrell Creek is generally navigable for small craft to the rail bridge. See Inset 2. for Scotts Head detail.

CAUTION: The entrance is subject to closures and is not considered navigable.

INSET 3

Urunga 10 km See Map 3A

Valla Beach 5km See Inset 3.

SEE INSET 1.

Continues INSET 2.

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WARNING: BOMBORAS CAN BREAK AT ANY TIME AT VARIOUS LOCATIONS ALONG THE COAST. EXTREME CAUTION SHOULD BE EXERCISED WHILST NAVIGATING IN THE VICINITY OF ANY BOMBORA, SHOAL OR REEF.

MAP OF

Nambucca River, Warrell and Deep Creek Areas

0 100 200 300 400 500 1000 m

Line symbols: Overhead Cable Crossing; Structure; Oyster Lease Aquaculture; Recommended Navigation Path

Restricted Waters: 6 Knots Zone; 8 Knots zone; No Skiing or Aquaplaning

Navigation Aids: Special pile beacon; Starboard pipe beacon; Nth cardinal pipe beacon; Sth cardinal pipe beacon; Front/rear triangle pipe beacon; Lit tilted beacon no top mark; Starboard Buoy No Top Mark; Starboard Aqua Buoy; Port Buoy No Top Mark; Port Aqua Buoy; Special Mark Aqua Buoy

Restricted Activities and Cautions: Dangerous Area Breaks at Times; No Wash Zone; No Skiing or Aquaplaning Zone; Four Knot Speed Limit Area; Warning Overhead Power Cables; Caution Entrance Bar Crossing; Caution Shallow Water; Caution Submerged Rocks; No Anchoring Submarine Cable

Boating Facilities: Unformed or Hand Launching Area; Formed Surface Launching Ramp; Launching Ramp Parking & Facilities; Fuel Available; Public Wharf Jetty or Landing; Marina Boatshed or Boat Hire; Public Vessel Pumpout Facility

General Information: Caution Shallow Water; Public telephone; Known Medical Evacuation Area; Motel; Picnic Ground Facilities; Post monument or feature; Public Toilet; Caravan Park; Hotel; Direction of Buoyage; Wash down or fish cleaning; Hospital with Emerg Facilities; Camping Ground; Post Office; Tourist Info Centre or Sign

Water depth in metres: 0, 2, 5, 10, 20, 40

Land, Sand, Nat.Pk., Park, Mangroves

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