

Treasure islands

Help look after the Hauraki Gulf



Bellbird

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Islands in the Hauraki Gulf provide sanctuaries for native plants and animals

You can help keep it that way

Stowaways in my gear?

Yes, pests can and have hitched a ride on or in bags, clothing and boats.



Mouse



Rat at fantail nest



Argentine ant



Weeds seeds

Rats can squeeze through a 12mm gap, and mice through a 7mm gap!
Insect pests and mice could hide in your bag.
Weed seeds cling to clothing and shoes.

Pests can easily destroy our wildlife

What you need to do

Check your bags and gear for rats, mice and weed seeds.



No open bags allowed. Put sleeping bags into a zipped bag or pack.



Clean dirty gear especially footwear, removing soil and seeds.



Thank you for helping to keep Islands in the Hauraki Gulf pest free!

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