Whittley outing 28th – 29th Jan 2012 ***Budd's Beach***

The next outing will be in the southern Gold Coast area, with a BYO barbeque on Saturday evening and **overnight anchorage at Budds Beach.** This location is immediately to the west of Surfers Paradise (Beacon to Beacon map 132 at 27° 59.7′ S). This is a great venue which has safe and easy anchoring adjacent to a clean beach and grassy park with electric BBQs, water and toilets. Nearby are shops and cafes, with the main street of Surfers only a few blocks to the east.

Members can launch at the ramp of their choice, most popular usually Southport or Horizon Shores. There is a even a small ramp at Budds Beach for those wishing to save fuel! Seriously though, this venue is accessable by car for anyone who would like to attend without their boat.

Saturday is for free activities of your choice before meeting at the anchorage in time to **go ashore around 4 pm for drinks and nibbles and then dinner**. Electric BBQs and some tables and seats are available but lighting in the park is not good after dark so some extras will need to be taken ashore.

Sunday will again be free to "do your own thing" with some members often taking a tour of the Lower Nerang River or travelling upstream to Nerang for lunch before returning to their launching areas.

Looking forward to a good turn out as this is a great venue to mingle together and an easy and safe anchorage. Usual communications will apply … VHF 72 27 Meg 96

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