

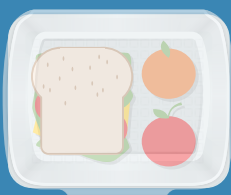
# Help keep Hauraki Gulf islands pest free



**Check** your bag and gear for these pests.



**Clean** your shoes and gear.



**Close** your bags and containers.

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## Visiting overnight? Before you go

- ✓ Check and clean your bedding, tent and other camping gear carefully for stowaway pests, soil and seeds.



## Boaties and kayakers

- ✓ Check and clean your boat or kayak thoroughly for pests, soil and seeds – before you leave and travel between islands.
- ✓ Look for signs of pests – droppings, chewed wiring etc.
- ✓ Set traps around or on your boat or kayak and use fresh bait where it is stored.
- ✓ Leave your pet at home or on your boat when visiting islands.



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## What to do if you find a pest.

Catch and contain any pests – don't throw them overboard alive.

Call 0800 DOC HOTline (0800 362 468) and email [biosecurity@aucklandcouncil.govt.nz](mailto:biosecurity@aucklandcouncil.govt.nz) to report sightings of pests.

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