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Take whatever you've been told about beach camping with a grain of... sand.

In this episode, Ben and Lauren invite Dave and Bec from our Snowys store in Brendale, Queensland, to unpack the beach camping considerations for those sunlit trips off the bitumen. From the mesh groundsheets, best sand pegs, and suggested tent designs, to mitigating the mozzies, midges, and high tides – it gets a little ~snowy~ on this beach!



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Products:

[Muk Mats](#)

[Tarps & Matting](#)

[Supa Peg Polycarbonate Sand Pegs](#)

[Supa Peg Polypropylene Sand Pegs](#)

[Supa Peg Standard Guy Rope Trace Springs](#)

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[BlackWolf Turbo touring tents](#)

[Oztrail Fast Frame tents](#)

[Coleman Instant Up touring tents](#)

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Brands:

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Podcasts:

[Ep62 – Aussie Pegs & Poles with Supa Peg](#)

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Blogs:

[‘Beach Camping – What You Need to Know’ by Aaron Schubert](#)

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North Stradbroke Island

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Catch you out there!