

# Dogs and our beaches



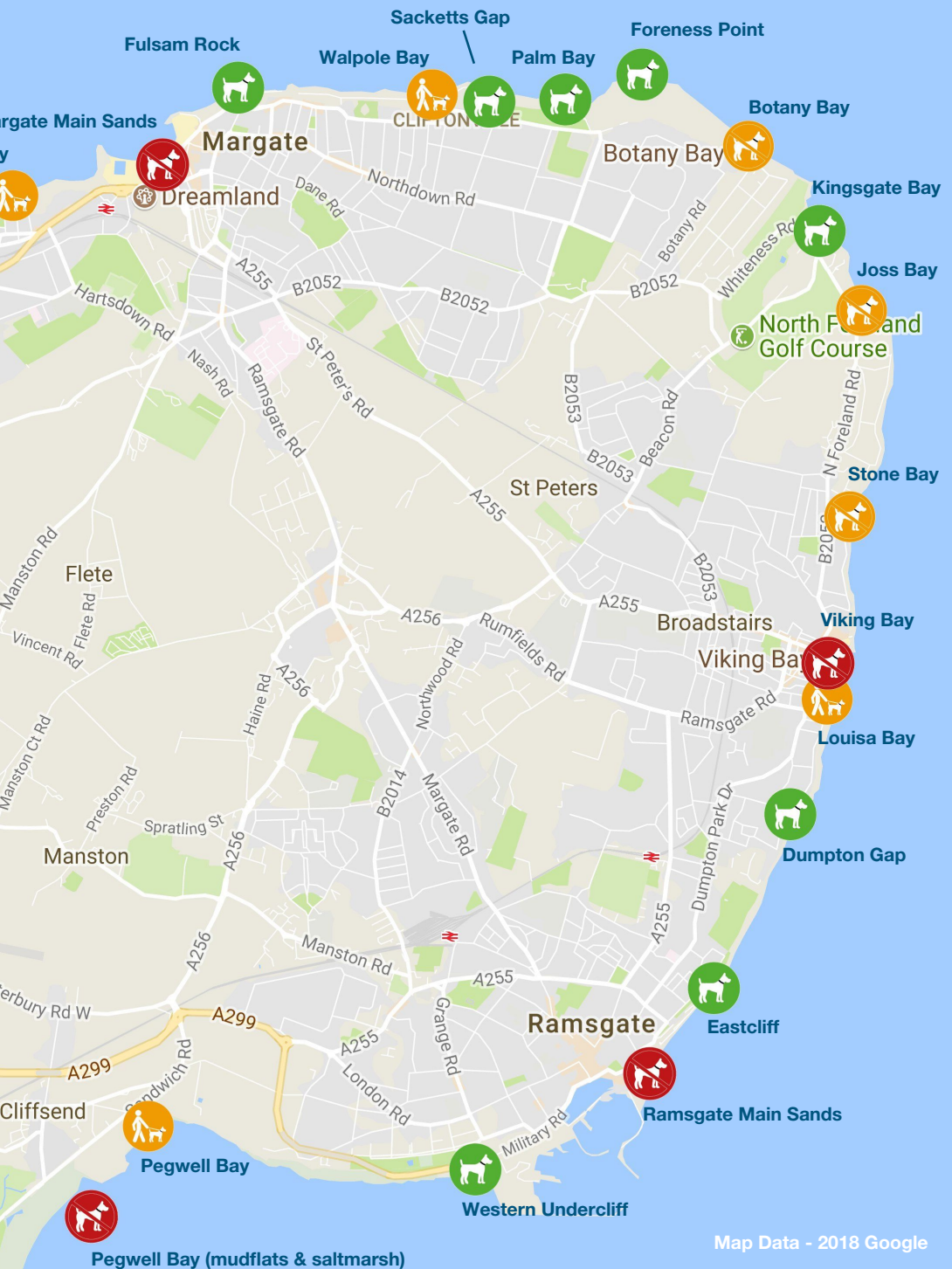
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# Where can you take your dog?

We'd love dogs to be able to enjoy all our beaches and foreshores. However, to ensure everyone is able to enjoy our coastline, there are some places where dogs can't go or will have to be kept on a lead.







# Follow the doggy code



Respect other beach users and keep your dog in sight.



Follow the requests on our signs - you'll find our traffic light signs at all bays.



Always bag and bin your dog's poo. Any public litter bin will do. If you don't you will be fined £100.

If you forget your poo bags, you can grab an emergency supply from our Tikspac stations - find a list of locations at [thanet.gov.uk](http://thanet.gov.uk)



Help protect our nesting birds along the coastline: keep to paths and use a short lead when asked to do so. Never let your dog chase wildlife.

The Thanet coastline is a Marine Protection Area - and is home to a range of important wildlife. To find out more visit [nekmpa.org.uk](http://nekmpa.org.uk)

A Public Space Protection Order is in place in Thanet. For more information visit [thanet.gov.uk](http://thanet.gov.uk)