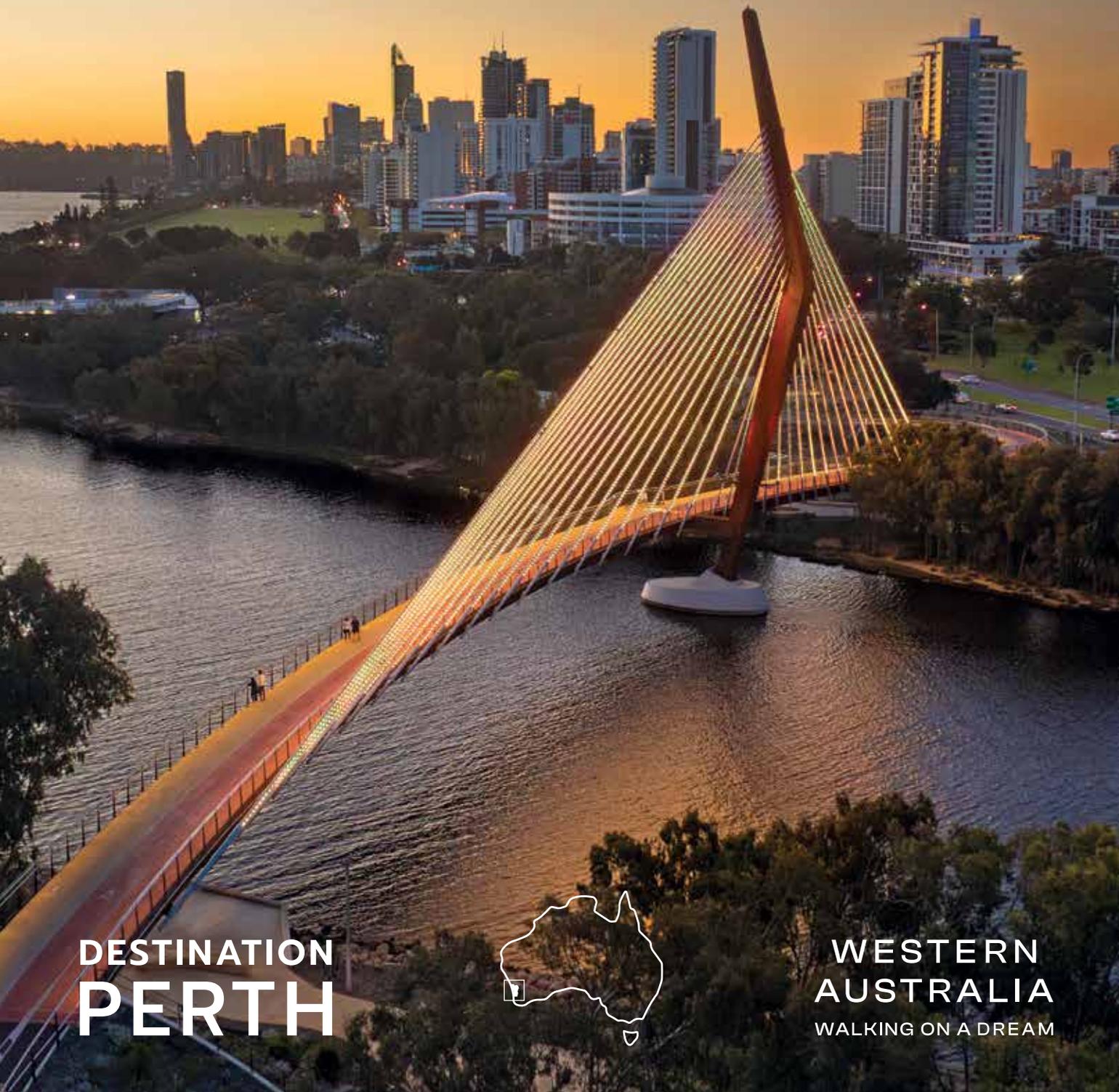


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We recognise and appreciate the invaluable contributions made by first nations peoples across many generations in shaping Western Australia as a premier destination.

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# Perth awaits you

**WITH THE** Swan River/Derbarl Yerrigan flowing through its heart, Perth is a city of contrasts, where natural beauty meets vibrant urban life, offering experiences that awaken the senses and connect you with the land.

By day, the sun bathes the city in golden light and by night, city lights mingle with shimmering stars. The most magical moments arrive at dusk, when the sunset paints the sky over the Indian Ocean in breathtaking colours.

In Perth City, immerse yourself in contemporary culture, sleek dining, and bustling streets alive with creative energy. Head south to Fremantle, where artsy charm, historic architecture, quirky boutiques, live music, intimate bars,

and refined restaurants create an eclectic, soulful vibe.

Just offshore, Rottnest Island offers a slower pace. Its pristine beaches, unique flora and fauna, including the famously friendly quokkas, and crystal-clear waters invite you to unwind and immerse yourself in unforgettable coastal adventures.

To the east, the Swan Valley tempts with gourmet long lunches, local wines, and family-friendly escapes, while the nearby Perth Hills offer artisan produce, nature trails, and rustic charm.

To the west, the Sunset Coast stretches along sparkling beaches, providing the perfect sanctuary to cool off and recharge amid summer sunshine.

Further inland, the Avon Valley unfolds with rolling hills, blooming landscapes, and heritage-rich towns, offering dark skies that turn every evening into a stargazer's paradise.

Southward, Rockingham, Mandurah, and the Peel region showcase aquatic playgrounds where swimming, surfing, kayaking, and cruising bring both relaxation and adventure, while inland trails and natural landscapes invite exploration and outdoor thrills.

Whether you explore a few highlights or journey through all of Perth's diverse landscapes, the city and surrounding regions promise experiences that inspire, delight, and leave you utterly captivated.

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♀ PERTH FESTIVAL



March

♀ MANDURAH CRAB FEST



April

♀ FREMANTLE INTERNATIONAL STREET ARTS FESTIVAL



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♀ SUBI BLOOMS



June

♀ LIGHTSCAPE

# Events

With so many vibrant destinations to dive into across Perth, time your trips with some of our most iconic events.

Scan to see events happening now and coming up next.



July

♀ NAIDOC WEEK



August

♀ ARALUEN TULIP FESTIVAL



September

♀ KINGS PARK FESTIVAL



October

♀ ENTWINED IN THE SWAN VALLEY



November

♀ SCARBOROUGH SUNSET MARKETS



December

♀ MANDURAH CHRISTMAS LIGHTS CRUISE

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# Experiences

EXPLORE THE BEST OF PERTH'S RICH AND INSPIRING ATTRACTIONS, FROM NATURE ESCAPES TO VIBRANT CULTURAL GEMS.



## MATAGARUP ZIP + CLIMB

Feel your adrenaline pumping on a climb up Perth's landmark Matagarup Bridge, before zipping down to the banks of the Swan River at up to 75km/hr.



## HOT AIR BALLOON FLIGHT

Take in magnificent views of the sweeping Avon Valley landscape as you drift through the sky in a sunrise hot air balloon ride.



## MURRAY VALLEY MOUNTAIN BIKING

Have an adventure on this internationally acclaimed 35km network of trails traversing the Murray Valley.



## WINE TASTING IN THE SWAN VALLEY

Sample artisan spirits, wines, and beers on a tour through the award-winning Swan Valley wine region.



## INDIGENOUS EXPERIENCE

Learn ancient Aboriginal customs and experience the flavours of Country with native foods on an immersive Aboriginal cultural tour.



## QUOKKAS

Make a new friend on Rottnest Island when you meet the happiest animal on earth – the quokka.



## OCEAN SUNSETS

Watch the golden sun set over the Indian Ocean and feel sand between your toes as you stroll barefoot along the glowing white sands of Western Australia's beaches.



## SWAN RIVER CRUISE

Take in the spectacular scenery or watch the sunset while drifting along the river on a Swan River cruise.



### THE BIBBULMUN TRACK

Explore the breathtaking countryside along the start of our stunning Bibbulmun Track, an internationally acclaimed hiking trail that spans 1000km.



### CAVERSHAM WILDLIFE PARK

Get up close to Australian wildlife at Caversham Wildlife Park, a family-friendly destination where you can meet wombats, hug koalas and make friends with many other animals.



### WONDERFUL WILDFLOWERS

Admire Western Australia's famous wildflowers during the springtime. Discover the beauty of everlastings and orchids sweeping through the Perth Hills, Avon Valley and Kings Park.



### FREMANTLE PRISON

Embark on a chilling tour at the UNESCO World Heritage-listed Fremantle Prison. Hear stories of bush rangers and notorious political prisoners or explore an underwater labyrinth.



### SWIM WITH DOLPHINS

Swim with wild dolphins in the beautiful waters and scenic landscape around Rockingham.



### ROTTNEST ISLAND

Discover Rottnest Island's stunning beaches and bays by bike, aboard the convenient 'hop on, hop off' Island Explorer Bus, or on a fun and scenic Segway tour.



### KINGS PARK AND BOTANIC GARDEN

Take a walk through Kings Park, discover our stunning native plants, explore the Rio Tinto Naturescape playground, or enjoy a picnic underneath the trees.



### THOMAS DAMBO'S GIANTS OF MANDURAH EXHIBITION

Follow the clues to find these marvellous giant wooden sculptures, hidden in the landscape around Mandurah.



### FREMANTLE MARKETS

Experience the vibrant sights, sounds and flavours of Fremantle Markets, and browse a unique collection of shops for gifts, trinkets and one-of-a-kind souvenirs.



### WHALE WATCHING

Take a tour from Fremantle or Hillarys during whale watching season and get up close to these majestic animals as they migrate along Perth's coastline.



### THE OZONE AT OPTUS STADIUM

Explore Optus Stadium with The OZONE. Take in sweeping views during The HALO Rooftop Climb or VERTIGO Experience, or keep your feet on the ground with a guided Stadium Tour.



### SANDBOARDING IN LANCELIN

Hire a sandboard and speed down the biggest sand dunes in WA for an exhilarating thrill and panoramic outlook across the coast.



# Indigenous Experiences

♀ DJURANDI DREAMING, ROCKINGHAM

**THE WHADJUK** Noongar people are the Traditional Owners of Perth and the south-west of Western Australia, with a history of at least 45,000 years etched into its land and stories. Sacred sites such as the Swan River/Derbarl Yerrigan, shaped by the Waugal, a Dreamtime water-serpent hold deep cultural significance.

Aboriginal guides invite visitors to see Country through their eyes, sharing traditions, knowledge, and a deep connection to place. Join In Culture Tours with Steven Jacobs, Go Cultural with Walter McGuire, Djurandi Dreaming with Justin Martin, Nyungar Tours with Kerry-Ann Winmar, or Dale Tilbrook Experiences in the Swan Valley for a chance to connect with both people and landscape. From Fremantle, Point Peron, and Kings Park to Rottnest Island, Rockingham,

and the Swan Valley, these guides bring Noongar history to life through walking tours, art, music, and ceremony. Along the way, taste native bush foods, explore heritage sites, and gain a deeper understanding of the culture of the Whadjuk Noongar people.

Beyond guided tours, the region's cultural centres and galleries celebrate contemporary Aboriginal art, music and dance, showcasing both internationally acclaimed and emerging voices. These immersive encounters highlight the resilience and creativity of Aboriginal culture, past and present.

Whether tasting the flavours of native bush tucker or exploring wildflower trails enriched with traditional knowledge, learning the art of Aboriginal dot artwork, or taking in the power of a story told in song and performance,

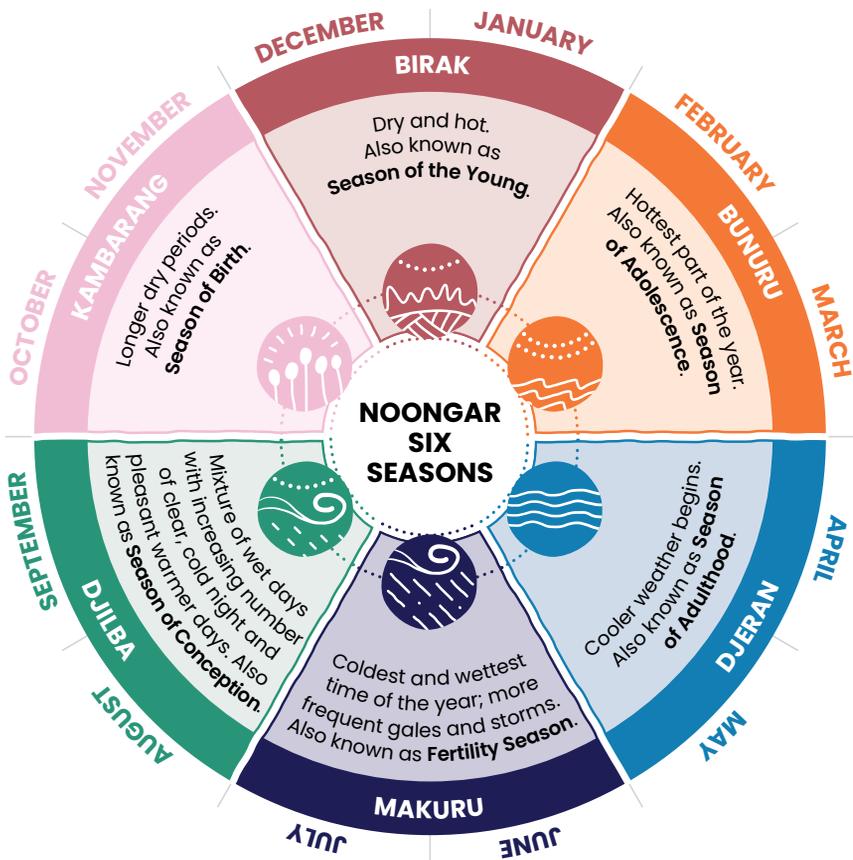
Indigenous experiences provide an unforgettable journey into the heart of Western Australia's oldest traditions.



There are many tour companies whose experienced guides take you on a journey into the Dreamtime.

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♀ NYUNGAR TOURS KINGS PARK



♀ DALE TILBROOK EXPERIENCES



♀ YANCHEP NATIONAL PARK

### THE SIX NOONGAR SEASONS

There are six Noongar seasons, each representing the changes we see across the region. The changes can be indicated by a flowering plant, differences in weather patterns, the availability of foods and changes in flora and fauna.



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# Create a version of Perth that is yours with our curated itineraries

**PERTH IS** a city that effortlessly balances energy with ease. It's the place where sunshine stretches long into the day, and every corner offers an invitation to explore. It's a place of contrasts, where urban adventure meets wild beauty, where one moment you're sipping a locally crafted spirit at a boutique distillery in the Perth Hills, the next, you're walking barefoot along the Indian Ocean, or spotting black swans gliding across the river. Hidden cafés sit beside world-class restaurants, art trails weave through heritage laneways, and open spaces give way to secret picnic spots and sunset lookouts.

Does your perfect day involve hiking through wild landscapes and discovering tumbling waterfalls in the Perth Hills? Perhaps you prefer to dig your toes into warm sand at the beach or traverse street art trails and heritage walks. Every experience is an opportunity to shape your own story of this extraordinary place.

With so much to discover in and around Perth, deciding where to begin and where to end can be the

hardest part. To help you out, we've curated our favourite places and experiences into themed itineraries to help you tailor your time in Perth, your way.

Lose hours exploring vineyards, coastal dining spots, and boutique stays that capture the easy charm of Western Australia's lifestyle. Food lovers will enjoy award-winning restaurants, seaside brunches and vineyards where chefs champion local produce. Families will find a sense of adventure with world-class hiking and mountain bike trails, wildlife encounters, water sports and nature play areas that make the most of Perth's endless sunshine.

If luxury and relaxation are what you seek, you'll find it in quiet moments like a sunrise hot air balloon ride over the Avon Valley, a twilight stroll through Kings Park, or a glass of local wine with ocean views.

Experience Perth and its surrounds your way. Whether your interest is in the foodie scene, outdoor adventure or you're looking for family fun, let us be your guides.



# Foodie

**PERTH'S FOOD** and drink scene is bursting with flavour, from heritage pubs and coastal gems to sleek city bars and award-winning bakeries. For the foodies, here are some of our recommended places to visit.

If you're craving a taste of Italy, you'll enjoy Roman-inspired dishes at Garum, located in the city, or take in the lively vibe of Northbridge at the small wine bar and restaurant No Mafia. Nestled in Goolugatup Heathcote Reserve in Applecross, Tucci offers a cozy atmosphere with river views across to the city, while in Karrinyup, Ciao Dandy is modern and vibrant.

In the city, Balthazar offers refined modern European elegance, while Shui Subiaco pairs Southeast Asian flavours with seasonal WA produce. For fine dining, Hearth Restaurant and Lounge at The Ritz-Carlton, Perth and Wildflower at COMO The Treasury take you on a journey with seasonal, produce-driven menus inspired by native botanicals.

If it's entertainment you're looking for, make your way to Stories, a multi-storey playground of bars and restaurants in Perth City. Meanwhile, The Standard on Roe Street offers rooftop sunsets, a leafy courtyard, and Mediterranean-inspired dining into the night.

Sometimes we need to languish over a long lunch. Whether it's seafood and cocktails over the water at Sunsets Bar & Dining on Rottnest Island, or oceanfront dining at The Shorehouse, Perth knows how to stretch an afternoon. Sit overlooking Cottesloe Beach in the glamorous Gibney or if your vibe is wellness with a beach view, settle into Magic Apple Wholefoods. For something different yet deeply local, Gather Foods offers authentic native-food catering and events with menus crafted around bush ingredients and storytelling.

Beyond the city, the Swan Valley and the Perth Hills are home to artisan makers like The House of Honey, Bailey Brewing Co. and family-run wineries such as Olive Farm Wines and Sittella Winery & Restaurant. Fremantle's Little Creatures and the Republic of Fremantle are great places to experience the buzzing bold flavours of Freo.

And you cannot forget the bakeries. When travelling through the regions, stop by the Pinjarra Bakery, Toodyay Bakery and Bindoon Bakehaus & Café. The Rottnest Bakery is iconic on the island and around the city discover the delectable pastries of Crumbs Patisserie or Teeter Bakery.



# Family

**PLANNING A** family-friendly trip in Perth and its surrounds? You're in luck. From cuddly animals to pirate ships, chocolate companies to treetop thrills, there's no shortage of adventures to keep kids (and parents) entertained.

For adventure seekers, head to Adventure World, Perth's first water park. Set amongst lush botanical gardens, you'll find over 25 rides and attractions. At the other end of the city in the Swan Valley, Perth's Outback Splash delivers water slides, a lagoon pool, and a giant island playground, plus mini golf and a maze when it's time to dry off. For something a little wilder, head to Treetops Adventure in Yanchep or Dwellingup, where zip lines and high ropes guarantee laughter (and a few squeals) among the gum trees.

For animal lovers, Caversham Wildlife Park offers hands-on encounters with kangaroos, wombats and koalas, while the Swan Valley Cuddly Animal Farm delivers the joy of bottle-feeding lambs and patting friendly farmyard favourites. On the coastline, AQWA reveals the magic of WA's oceans with sea dragons and coral reefs while closer to the city, Perth Zoo is home to over 1,300 animals.

Young foodies will enjoy The House of Honey, Mondo Nougat, Morish Nuts and Whistler's Chocolate Company, each serving up tastings. Or head to Core Cider for orchard picnics, fruit-picking adventures, and the delight of seasonal colours.

Discover the history of WA at the WA Museum Boola Bardip, curious minds will love Scitech, and The Perth Mint brings science, history, and hands-on discovery to life. Meanwhile, budding adventurers can climb aboard heritage trains in Whiteman Park or Dwellingup and travel through the bush by railway. Play pirates on the Pirate Ship Mandurah, or explore shipwreck relics in Fremantle at the WA Shipwrecks Museum.

Finally, Perth offers many large and exciting places to play. From the leafy wonderland of Kings Park to the pirate ship at Goolugatup Heathcote Reserve and Bibra Lake's all-abilities playground. Whatever your children are interested in, you'll find something right here in Perth.

# Adventure

**PERTH AND** its surrounds are a playground for those who love the great outdoors. From hiking and mountain bike riding to water adventures and soaring treetop challenges, if outdoor adventure is what you are looking for, then this is for you.

Lace up your boots and head into the Perth Hills. Here you'll discover a wonderland of wildflowers, waterfalls, and winding trails. The world-class Munda Biddi Trail invites cyclists to journey through eucalypt bushland and granite outcrops, while walkers can lose themselves on the legendary Bibbulmun Track. There are waterfalls and seasonal wildflowers in Serpentine National Park, while Yanchep National Park offers caves, koodas and kangaroos.

Adventure-seekers will love Dwellingup, surrounded by jarrah and marri forest, this town boasts an incredible network of hiking, mountain biking, kayaking, horse riding and four-wheel-driving trails. The adventures are endless, gear hire and self-guided tours are available through Dwellingup Adventures, while Treetops Adventure adds high ropes and zipline thrills. For a gentler pace, wander the lush landscapes of Araluen Botanic Park or enjoy a picnic beneath the gums in Kings Park.

If taking to the skies is more your calling, experience the beauty of a sunrise hot air balloon flight over the Avon Valley, or feel the adrenaline rush with a tandem skydive over Rottnest Island. The Matagarup Zip + Climb offers city thrills, combining jaw-dropping views of the Swan River with an exhilarating 75km/hr descent. And when night falls, the Perth Observatory in the Perth Hills and Gravity Discovery Centre and Observatory in Gingin reveal the universe above us.

On the water, Mandurah Cruises brings you face-to-face with playful dolphins, while Ultimate Watersports, Go Surf Perth, and Rivergods Kayak Adventures invite you to paddle, sail, or surf your way through WA's waters.

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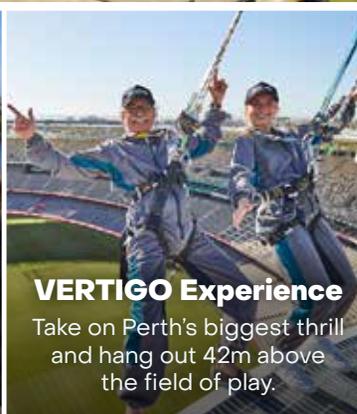
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# Perth City

– BOORLOO



## THINGS WE LOVE



Stroll through Kings Park and Botanic Garden



Soak in sights on a Swan River cruise



Soar across the Swan River with the Matagarup Zip + Climb



Learn about the past at the WA Museum Boola Bardip



Savour cocktails on rooftop bars at Elizabeth Quay



Indulge in the finest restaurants at the esteemed State Buildings



Catch a sports match at Optus Stadium



Go behind the scenes for a close-up animal encounter at Perth Zoo



Discover Western Australia's gold mining legacy at The Perth Mint



Explore The Art Gallery of WA, ending your day with a drink at the rooftop bar



♀ ELIZABETH QUAY

## PERTH CITY / BOORLOO

Perth, with its relaxed pace and sun-kissed setting offers an effortless blend of natural charm and vibrant energy. You'll find its heartbeat pulsing through lively laneways, waterfront precincts and heritage-rich streets, so go for a wander and discover its enchanting appeal. Perth is a city wrapped in natural beauty, with room to breathe and unwind. Surrounded by 26 lush parkland areas and reserves, it offers the best parts of urban life without the rush.

Sitting on the banks of the mesmerising Swan River/Derbarl

Begin your trip at the Western Australia Visitor Centre for self-guided tour maps, or join a walking tour with Oh Hey WA to get acquainted with the city.

Yerrigan, the city is deeply rooted in Noongar culture, with the river remaining a powerful spiritual and ecological landmark as it flows and glimmers beneath WA's piercing blue skies.

The picturesque waterfront hub of Elizabeth Quay is home to luxe stays including The Ritz-Carlton, Perth, DoubleTree by Hilton Perth Waterfront and Quay Perth. Dine with million dollar views at waterside restaurants including 18 Knots Rooftop Bar and Songbird Bar.

There are plenty of accommodation options to suit everyone's budget in the Perth CBD area. QT Perth offers boutique luxury, while Quest Apartment Hotels, located in several areas around the city, provides comfortable serviced apartments. Hotels like the Pan Pacific Perth, Duxton Hotel Perth and Parmelia Hilton Perth offer superior service and attention to detail and Oaks Perth Hotel has rooms with a kitchenette.

## GETTING AROUND

From Perth Airport, it's a 25-minute drive by taxi or rideshare, or just 20 minutes on the new Airport Link train. Regular buses are also available via the Transperth Journey Planner. Once in the city, enjoy free CAT buses for convenient travel, or take a scenic ferry from Elizabeth Quay to South Perth.

Perth is the only place within Australia where you can cruise by boat from a capital city to a world-class wine region in one day. Depart from Elizabeth Quay's Barrack Street Jetty with Captain Cook Cruises and sail to the Swan Valley for indulgent cellar door experiences, or head to Fremantle, where creativity and coastal culture collide.



♀ WA MUSEUM BOOLA BARDIP, PERTH



For the ultimate destination to stay, play and be entertained, head to Crown Perth. Try your luck at the casino, catch a show at the theatre, or savour long, leisurely meals and cocktails across a wide selection of restaurants and bars.

Before leaving the riverside, be sure to visit the distinctive Bell Tower at Barrack Square, offering panoramic river views from its open-air observation deck. From there, wander north into the city's East End, where heritage architecture and world-class hospitality await.

The State Buildings is a vibrant precinct of restaurants, bars, boutiques and the luxurious COMO The Treasury hotel. Enjoy pre-dinner drinks at Beer Corner or the Wine Merchant before dining at one of the precinct culinary gems such as Post, Long Chim or the rooftop jewel, Wildflower.

Close by you'll discover Hibernian Place. Built around another iconic heritage site, this purpose built precinct offers thoughtfully curated hospitality operators, from the

effortless luxury accommodation at The Westin Perth, to BODHI Spa and the incredible dining experience of Garum restaurant and late night Japanese bar Goody Two's.

History buffs should make a stop at The Perth Mint on Hay Street. Founded in 1899, you can take a tour and learn about WA's goldrush history, watch a live gold pour using historic techniques and shop its collection of jewellery and gifts.



Visit His Majesty's Theatre for first-class performances from comedy and drama to ballet and opera.

At the other end of town, Perth's West End is renowned for being home to the historic His Majesty's Theatre, along with its small bar scene. By day, explore the stylish arcades and retail hubs of Raine Square, Forrest Chase and the



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charming London Court. By night, laneways and rooftops come alive with a thriving hub of bars and restaurants boasting cocktails, music and magic.

Along St Georges Terrace alone, discover an array of restaurants and intimate hidden small bars. For something a little memorable head to prohibition style Bobeche, downstairs at The Heritage Perth.

Take a wander down Perth's side streets and discover hidden gems like Varnish on King, an underground whiskey bar. Caballitos on Queen Street is a vibrant Mexican restaurant

complete with live tattoo artists.

Western Australia is renowned for its international flavours, so for an evening of stunning food and world class wine, make a visit to Balthazar based in the art deco 'Lawsons' apartment block, or UMA Restaurant, Perth's award-winning South American restaurant and then there's the Spanish influenced Ascuá where WA produce is cooked on a wood fired grill. The underground Lalla Rookh Bar & Eating House offers Italian and the sophisticated Miss Mi Perth, adjoining the Novotel Perth Murray Street hotel, offers a modern Asian dining experience.

Nestled between Perth and Northbridge in Yagan Square, you'll find Stories. This entertainment and food precinct offers nine bars, three restaurants, a speakeasy, rooftop bar, private dining and the city's biggest beer garden - all spread across five stories.



Experience movies with atmosphere during the summer months at **FRINGE WORLD's** Rooftop Movies in Northbridge.

## NORTHBRIDGE

Walking from Perth's centre, across Yagan Square precinct, you'll find yourself in Northbridge, a hub of multicultural and creative activity. It's also where you'll find Perth's nightlife.

Home to the State Theatre Centre of WA, and host to iconic arts festivals including FRINGE WORLD and Perth Festival. These events attract local artists and audiences from across the globe. Expect artistic excellence from a carefully curated line up of international and national dance, theatre, music events and more.

Meander down Northbridge streets to discover Chinatown and an array of bustling restaurants, bars with eclectic crowds enjoying uniquely crafted cocktails, local music and theatre. From intimate wine bars with tempting share plates to diverse eateries, quirky bookshops, boutiques, op shops, and international grocery stores, the area offers everything from late-night bites to indulgent treats.

For the sweet tooth, Northbridge is booming with artisan ice creameries like Kuld Creamery, Chicho Gelato and Whisk Creamery, serving delicious scoops.

## City Neighbourhoods

**PERTH'S METROPOLITAN** area is a tapestry of vibrant precincts, each with its own character.

Wander streets lined with designer boutiques, vintage finds, buzzing wine bars, and global cuisines. Families will enjoy green spaces, playgrounds, and skate parks, while arts and culture lovers can explore theatres, galleries, and creative experiences. Each neighbourhood invites discovery, offering its own blend of charm, energy, and local flavour.

Beaufort Street in Mt Lawley is another shopping hotspot with lively cafés, eateries, bars and boutiques.

### LEEDERVILLE

One of Perth's oldest suburbs, Leederville combines heritage charm with a modern vibe. The



Luna Palace Cinemas showcase arthouse, contemporary, and classic films in a boutique setting.

Enjoy coffee at Cranked Coffee, browse Urban Depot for vintage vinyl and quirky collectibles, or shop at Hunter Store and Perlu Boutique for curated fashion pieces.

As evening falls, the streets buzz with alfresco dining, multicultural restaurants, wine bars, beer gardens, and lively clubs, offering a friendly, social atmosphere.

Leederville is a vibrant precinct for shopping, dining, and nightlife, perfect for exploring on foot.

### SUBIACO

Known by the locals as 'Subi', this suburb brims with charm and culture. Stroll along Rokeby Road for stylish boutiques, lively bars, and restaurants, then explore laneways adorned with murals, galleries, and street art. Subiaco hosts the Subiaco Arts Centre and The Regal Theatre, showcasing theatre, comedy, and live music.

On Saturdays, the Subi Farmers Market buzzes with locals and visitors, offering fresh produce, artisan foods, and handmade goods.

Dining highlights include Asian fusion at Koba Subiaco, modern Mediterranean at Intuition Wine & Kitchen, and comforting Italian at Lulu La Delizia. From intimate cellars to refined wine lounges, it's the perfect setting for a night out.

Discover Subiaco's own incredible sculptural giant Billie Bob. Part of the Giants of Mandurah outdoor exhibition by Danish artist Thomas Dambo, you'll find him asleep somewhere comfortable.

### VICTORIA PARK

Victoria 'Vic' Park along Albany Highway is a blend of multicultural dining, casual drinks, and accessible entertainment, ideal for a day or evening outing.

From spicy ramen at Hakata Gensuke to Burmese cuisine at Mango Café, Moroccan at Le Marrakech, and Lebanese at The Prophet, the choices are endless.

Enjoy craft brews at Boston Brewing Co Vic Park or soak in heritage charm at the Victoria Park Hotel. Nearby, Optus Stadium in Burswood offers beer, sports, and endless entertainment.

### BELMONT

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the city. Stay at Aloft Perth with modern rooms and on-site dining at Springs Kitchen. Connect with the Swan River via guided kayaking tours from Adachi Park or explore independently. Families can enjoy indoor skydiving at iFLY Perth, go-karting and glow golf at Hi Voltage Entertainment, immersive escape rooms at U Escape Room Perth, or rock climbing at Adrenaline Vault. DFO Perth and Belmont Forum provide retail therapy with discounted fashion, homewares, and lifestyle goods.

## SOUTH PERTH

Lush foreshore, iconic skyline views, and water-based activities define South Perth, all easily accessible via the short 8 minute ferry ride from Elizabeth Quay.

Ultimate Watersports offers jet ski and paddleboard hire, while GoGo Active Tours offer guided bike tours along riverside paths and Narrows Bridge.

Dining highlights include Mister Walker, Rambla On Swan, The Station, The Windsor Hotel, and Angelo Street Market, perfect for casual or scenic meals.

Don't miss Perth Zoo, a family favourite within walking distance of the foreshore.

Accommodation options include The Peninsula Riverside Serviced Apartments and Pagoda Resort & Spa. South Perth combines outdoor

adventure, waterfront dining, and family-friendly experiences with some gorgeous views of Perth in a relaxed setting.

## MELVILLE

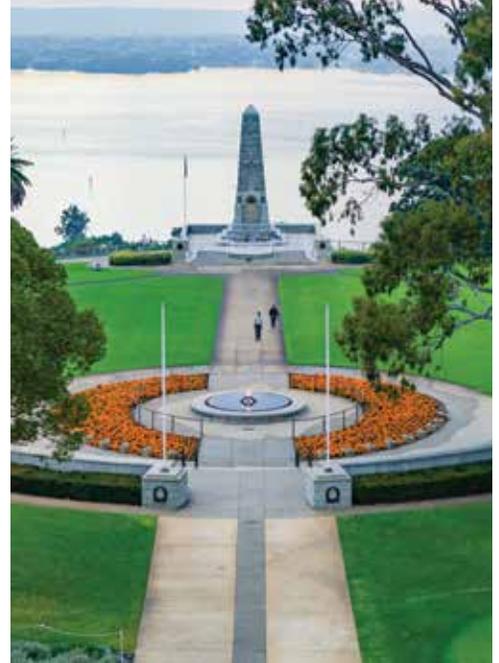
With leafy riverside suburbs, jacaranda-lined streets and scenic foreshore parks, Melville offers a blend of natural beauty, creative experiences, and relaxed dining for a charming, local escape.

Birdwatchers flock to Alfred Cove Nature Reserve, while Goolugatup Heathcote and Piney Lakes Reserve provide playgrounds, picnic spots, and walking trails.

Arross Street in Applecross Village is the hub for boutique shopping, cafés, and dining. Enjoy pastries at Crumbs Patisserie, waterside lunch at The Rowing Pavilion, cocktails at Raffles Hotel, and dinner at Tucci in Goolugatup Heathcote, where the river shimmers with the reflection of Perth's twinkling skyline.



Discover more of Perth City and surrounds



# Kings Park

**KINGS PARK** is one of the world's largest and most enchanting inner-city parks.

Perched on a limestone escarpment overlooking Perth City, it offers panoramic views where you can watch the brightly coloured sails drift along the Swan River by day and the city lights sparkle at night. Wander through the stunning Western Australian Botanic Garden, home to over 3,000 species of the state's unique flora. Relax with a picnic on the grass among carefully cultivated gardens, and let the kids explore imaginative nature playgrounds, or go for a jog along bushland tracks. There are plenty of outdoor summer concerts under the stars to attend, or connect with ancient stories through a guided Aboriginal cultural experience.



Visit in September for the Kings Park Festival and admire the enchanting pink field of everlasting wildflowers.



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## PERTH CITY ITINERARY

### ONE DAY IN PERTH CITY

Start your morning with coffee or tea at one of the many cafés lining the strip to the scenic Elizabeth Quay waterfront. Stroll across the striking Elizabeth Quay Bridge for panoramic views over the beautiful Swan River, then wander into the city for a day of discovery.

Browse the stylish boutiques of Raine Square and immerse yourself in Perth's cultural scene with visits to The Art Gallery of Western Australia and the WA Museum Boola Bardip. Pause for a relaxed pub feed at Stories Pourhouse before heading to Matagarup Bridge for an unforgettable zipline ride across the Swan River.

Back on solid ground, jump on a train back into the city and as the sun sets, head for a cocktail at QT Perth's rooftop bar and see the city bathed in golden light.

Then stroll over to the State Buildings for a refined evening of dining, a perfect end to a day that blends adventure, culture and style.

### THREE DAYS & TWO NIGHTS IN PERTH CITY

Head to Kings Park for sweeping city views and a stroll through the stunning Western Australian Botanic Garden. Enjoy lunch at Fraser's Restaurant before joining a guided walking tour with Two Feet & a Heartbeat or Oh Hey WA through Perth's vibrant history and culture.

There's no shortage of places to stay, from central options like the Duxton Hotel Perth, Pan Pacific Perth, Novotel Perth Langley, Novotel Perth Murray Street and InterContinental Perth City Centre. Or opt for luxury at COMO The Treasury or The Ritz-Carlton, Perth at Elizabeth Quay. Once checked in, indulge in a refined dining experience at Hearth Restaurant and Lounge.

It's day two, spend some time on the water. Begin your day by catching the ferry to South Perth. Hire a jet ski, wakeboard or paddleboard from Ultimate Watersports and explore the Swan River, then stroll over to the iconic Perth Zoo.

Return by ferry and unwind with a rooftop drink at The Reveley in Elizabeth Quay. In the evening, catch a show at one of Perth's theatres. From His Majesty's Theatre, Downstairs at The Maj, the State Theatre Centre of WA in Northbridge, or The Blue Room Theatre, which supports independent productions, there's bound to be something wonderful to see. End the night with dinner in buzzing Northbridge, known for its eclectic dining and bar scene.

On day three, make your way to East Perth to explore Boorloo Bridge. Rent a bike or scooter from About Bike Hire or stroll across the bridge, taking in the vibrant sights and sounds. Visit the wild kangaroos at Heirisson Island before heading to On The Point and enjoying lunch at any one of the restaurants in the precinct. If visiting later in the day, linger for sunset, then watch how over 17,000 LED lights transform Boorloo Bridge. It's an unforgettable farewell to your Perth adventure.

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♀ FREMANTLE PRISON

## GETTING AROUND

Fremantle, 30 minutes south of Perth, is easily reached by car, bus, train along the Fremantle line, or cruise from Elizabeth Quay. The city itself is easily walkable.

## FREMANTLE / WALYALUP

Fremantle is effortlessly cool. It's a place of creativity and community – you can feel it the moment you arrive. The sea breeze drifts in from the Indian Ocean with the scent of freshly roasted coffee and sweet honeycake wafting down the streets from the markets, while the music of buskers echoes through the streets. Look out for Dockers fans as they spill out from beer gardens, cheering on their local football team.

Crowned Australia's Top Tourism Town for 2025, Fremantle hums with culture, character and coastal charm. Discover the wonders of this port city for yourself.

With so much history and gloriously raucous stories along the streets, what better way to begin your journey in the heart of Fremantle, than with a guided walking tour. You're guaranteed to view this city through different eyes once you've experienced a tour with Two Feet & a Heartbeat.

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From here, wander across to South Terrace, affectionately known as the Cappuccino Strip. With its Italian influence and lively energy, this stretch of Fremantle is packed with cafés, restaurants, pubs and entertainment. Take your time exploring the boutiques along Market Street where you'll find a bit of everything, from books to local fashion and artisan goods.

A trip to Fremantle is not complete without a visit to the beloved Fremantle Markets. Operating since 1898, these Victorian-era markets are open Friday to Sunday and Monday public holidays with over 150 stalls brimming with local produce, art, jewellery and street food. Stay nearby at the Garde Hotel, which is also home to Japanese-Korean inspired restaurant Anglesea, Emily Taylor's delicious Asian fusion fare and the cosy Gimlet gin bar next door.

A short walk north (pick up a map from the Visitor Centre or find a wayfinding sign for directions) takes you to the Fremantle Arts Centre, a gothic-

Fremantle Prison, a UNESCO World Heritage-listed site, housed WA's toughest criminals until 1991. Explore its haunting past above ground or venture into convict-carved tunnels on the eerie Tunnels Tour.





♀ THE NATIONAL HOTEL

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style gem that is steeped in local history. Today, it's a cultural and learning precinct that hosts a diverse range of multidisciplinary exhibitions, performances, music and discourse. It's also host to local artisan markets, and FOUND, a retail space showcasing handmade WA goods. Don't miss the iconic Sunday Music sessions that run from October through to March and summer concerts on the lawn. All are an open-air celebration of the city's love for live music and community vibes.

Whether you're here for the food, the festivals or the stories carved into stone, Fremantle invites you to wander, linger, and fall into step with its effortlessly eclectic rhythm.

Short on time? Make the most of it on a vibrant and engaging chariot-ride with Peddle Perth, or a cultural walking tour with In Culture Tours (bookings essential).

As you wander through the city, you'll uncover its many distinct precincts, each with its own unique character, charm, and story to tell.

### NORTH FREMANTLE

North Fremantle is a soulful coastal pocket where the river meets the sea. Start your day at Palette Fremantle café-gallery or grab artisan pastries from Wild Bakery. Sip coffee at Bruce Town or Ooh Coffee before beachside dining at Bib & Tucker or a casual bite at Orange Box. For craft beer and relaxed eats, head to Piggy Food Co., while The Bridge House offers refined dining in a heritage setting. As night falls, North Freo comes alive, legendary Mojoes Bar, Mrs Brown's cosy wine bar, and the community-driven North Freo Bowl make it a lively blend of food, music, and indie vibes.

### SOUTH FREMANTLE

South Fremantle is a destination shaped by creativity and a relaxed local way of life. Stroll through colourful street-art laneways, discover quirky shops, and linger in hidden cafés. By day, grab fresh sourdough at Little Loaf Lunch Bar, coffee at Kerfuffle, or lunch at Little Lefroy's. Browse curated homewares at Terrace Greenhouse, fashion at Ginger Morris, and treasures at East West Design. By day, South Beach Reserve is a favourite spot for picnics, complete with a floating pontoon moored off the beach through summer. As evening falls, unwind with fresh seafood and cocktails at Madalena's Bar, vibrant Mexican flavours at La Cabaña, or cosy drinks at Percy Flint.

With its soulful eateries, bustling small bars, and easy coastal living, South Freo welcomes you like a local.

### EAST FREMANTLE

Nestled by the Swan River, East Fremantle blends heritage charm with riverside serenity. Begin with coffee at Plympton's hole-in-the-wall café, then explore George Street's boutiques and standout dining, refined French at La Lune, casual share plates at Young George, or intimate dining at Little Fire. Stylish shops like Savvy Brands and Harper's Emporium add flair, while Manusa Organic Beauty & Spa offers pampering escapes. Riverside strolls lead to relaxed dining at The Left Bank, Mediterranean flavours at Jetty Bar & Eats and sunshine views at



♀ ESPLANADE RESERVE, FREMANTLE

8 Knots Tavern. By night, live music fills the Duke of George, a heritage jazz and blues venue turned soulful stage. For a tranquil stay, check in at Tradewinds Hotel or Nautica Residences.

## THE WEST END & VICTORIA QUAY

The West End and Victoria Quay unite Fremantle's storied past with buzzing hospitality venues and boutique shopping in character-filled spaces. Watch ships roll in over craft beers at Gage Roads Brewery or browse the E Shed Markets. Cruise the Swan River from Victoria Quay or wander cobblestoned streets lined with gold rush-era architecture. Discover unique shops like The Record Finder and Paper Bird and climb to the Round House for sweeping ocean views. With cosy bars, acclaimed restaurants, and heritage stays like The National Hotel or Hougoumont Hotel, this precinct offers history, culture, and a vibrant gateway to Rottnest Island and Fremantle's port life.

## FISHING BOAT HARBOUR

Fishing Boat Harbour is Fremantle's energetic waterfront playground, renowned for fresh seafood and buzzing boardwalk vibes. Feast at icons like Cicerello's, Kailis Fishmarket Café, or Char Char Restaurant + Bar, and enjoy a craft beer at Little Creatures overlooking the water. Stroll the jetty to see



♀ SOUTH BEACH



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working fishing boats alongside sculptures honouring Fremantle's maritime history. Nearby, the WA Shipwrecks Museum houses the remarkable Batavia Gallery. Families love Esplanade Reserve's shady lawns, playground, skate park, and the Tourist Wheel Fremantle, which soars above the harbour. With seaside dining, cultural attractions, and the Esplanade Hotel Fremantle by Rydges close by, it's the perfect mix of food, fun, and history.

## FREMANTLE BEACHES

While Fremantle buzzes with culture and creativity, it's also known for its beautiful white sandy beaches.

Relax at Bathers Beach, Freo's inner city beach and Australia's first licensed beachfront, where you can sip cocktails and enjoy share plates at Bathers Beach House.

Catch breathtaking sunsets at Port and Leighton Beaches, where soft waves and sparkling waters set the scene for swimming, bodyboarding and kitesurfing.

Family-friendly South Beach features calm waters, shady Norfolk Pines, rolling lawns, and BBQs for a relaxed picnic by the sea.

A little further south, explore the Omeo Wreck, an underwater art gallery and artificial reef, on the award-winning Coogee Maritime Trail which offers WA's first underwater snorkel and dive trail.



Discover more of Fremantle



Step back in time at Fremantle's old lockup. Once a convict holding cell, now called Moon & Mary, it's home to Best Behaviour, the Dining Room, the Rec Yard, and two unique experience rooms in former prison cells.



♀ FREMANTLE MARKETS

# Cockburn

## — BEELIAR BOODJAR

HENDERSON CLIFFS

### COCKBURN / BEELIAR BOODJAR

Just south of Fremantle, Cockburn is a hidden gem with pristine beaches, nature reserves, walking trails, and family-friendly attractions. Coogee Beach, consistently ranked among Australia's best, stretches to nearly 4km of white sand and turquoise waters, complete with an eco shark barrier and summer pontoons.

Coogee Beach Reserve hosts BBQs and a playground, while nearby Woodman Point Regional Park, C. Y. O'Connor Beach, and Port Coogee offer marinas, cafés, swimming beaches, and water playgrounds. Ngarkal Beach ensures access for all with beach

matting and free wheelchair hire.

Families can let little ones run wild at Bibra Lake Regional Playground or meet native animals up close on a behind-the-scenes tour at WA Wildlife Hospital. Or for a change of pace, thrill-seekers can get their fix on more than 25 rides at Adventure World or cool off with a spin around the rink at Cockburn Ice Arena.

Nature lovers can explore scenic trails at Manning Park, Mt Brown, and Henderson Cliffs, while culture enthusiasts can follow the Nyungar Tourist Trail at Port Coogee or the Cockburn Drive Thru Art Gallery, featuring over 30 striking public artworks located around the area.

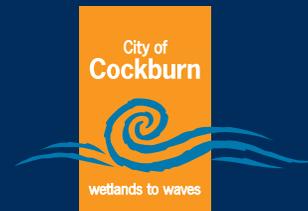
### KWINANA

Still sitting within the Perth metropolitan area, yet surrounded by natural bushland, wetlands, and open spaces, is Kwinana. With a vibrant trails network, visitors can explore diverse landscapes while connecting with both nature and heritage.

The Kwinana Loop Trail, a 21km circuit around the city, showcases the region's natural beauty, linking highlights such as Chalk Hill, the Wildflower Reserve, Sloans Reserve, Leda Nature Reserve, and the historic Tramway Trail. Other notable walks include the Lake Magenup Trail in Wandi, which connects to Jandakot Regional Park and offers interpretive signage about local culture and wildlife, and the Homestead Ridge Mosaic Trail, adorned with bird-themed mosaics and flourishing wildflowers in spring.

Kwinana is also rich in history, with heritage sites such as Smirk's Cottage and the Medina Historic Townsite, while The Spectacles, part of Beeliar Regional Park, has 360 hectares of wetlands and bush. There are two walk trails here where you can observe the abundant birdlife and visit significant Whadjuk Noongar cultural sites.

With its unique combination of trails, nature, and heritage, Kwinana invites visitors to step into a city where exploration and discovery are around every bend.



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♀ BATHERS BEACH



## FREMANTLE ITINERARY

### ONE DAY IN FREMANTLE

Start your morning with a stroll down the iconic Cappuccino Strip to find the perfect cup of coffee, then head to the UNESCO World Heritage-listed Fremantle Prison. Join a guided tour, running daily and departing every hour from 10am - 5pm, through the grounds to uncover the site's convict past. Next, wander through the historic Fremantle Markets. Sample the famous Honeycake and browse artisan stalls for unique, handmade gifts.

Continue to Fishing Boat Harbour for a relaxed lunch on the water's edge. As you walk there, keep an eye out for Fremantle's vibrant street art. Murals and sculptures appear in unexpected places, from footpaths to building tops.

After lunch, explore the quirky boutiques and vintage shops along High Street. For a creative break, enjoy afternoon tea and discover local artwork at DaRawNature Studio Gallery, tucked away on Henry Street.

As evening falls, make your way to The Old Synagogue, a beautiful heritage building with views over Fremantle. Enjoy a pre-dinner cocktail downstairs at L'Chaim, before strolling along the Cappuccino Strip and into the West End for a classic Italian feast at Vin Populi.

### THREE DAYS & TWO NIGHTS IN FREMANTLE

Explore High Street's unique boutiques before a seaside lunch with a cheeky midday cocktail at Bathers Beach. After lunch, head to the Fremantle Prison to explore the eerie underground tunnels built by prisoners on their Tunnels Tour. Bookings are essential, but boarding a replica convict punt and going through submerged passageways only accessible by boat is well worth it.

This afternoon, check in to your accommodation of choice. There are a range of options to suit your needs. From the heritage charm of the Esplanade Hotel Fremantle by Rydges to the boutique Garde Hotel. If you prefer a self-contained stay, Quest Apartments and Be. Fremantle provide space and independence, with Be. Fremantle offering a peaceful waterfront retreat with spectacular views.

As the day draws to a close, head to The National Hotel rooftop bar, enjoy cocktails and dinner before wandering through Fremantle and exploring the small bar scene. Each one offers a diverse atmosphere and experience. From Darling Darling, the pirate themed speakeasy to Malt'n Gold the small whisky bar, there are many venues to explore.

Start day two with breakfast at any of the cozy cafés along High

Street before making a visit to the WA Maritime Museum and WA Shipwrecks Museum. Lunch at Fishing Boat Harbour, followed by games, eats, and mini golf at FOMO Freo. End with drinks at Gage Roads Brewery, dinner at Coast Port Beach, and live music at Port Beach Brewery.

It's day three, make your way to Little Loaf Lunch Bar for coffee and breakfast before a stroll along South Beach, taking in the coastal vibe. When you're ready, join Two Feet & a Heartbeat for their Convicts, Culture and Street Art walking tour followed by lunch at Little Creatures at Fishing Boat Harbour. This afternoon, make your way to the Republic of Fremantle for a negroni or from Friday through to Sunday, participate in their Gin School and distil your very own bottle of gin! As the day winds down, board a Charter 1 catamaran for their Twilight Sail around the harbour, then enjoy dinner at Char Char Restaurant + Bar and end your evening looking out across the sparkling lights of Fremantle on the Tourist Wheel Fremantle at Esplanade Reserve.

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Explore Perth's only World Heritage-listed site and find out for yourself why it is a 'must do' attraction for all visitors to Western Australia.  
 Built by convicts in the 1850s and decommissioned as an operating maximum security goal in 1991, visitors can 'step inside and do time' on a range of fascinating guided tours. Join a Prison Tour to hear about the daily life of convicts and prisoners, descend 20 metres into the depths below on an underground Tunnels Tour, or join an eerie nighttime Torchlight Tour as guides delve into the darker side of the Prison's history.



**The Left Bank**



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Located on the banks of the Swan River, The Left Bank is one of the most popular and iconic riverside pubs in Fremantle. The amazing view and relaxed atmosphere create the perfect setting to enjoy drinks and great food at any time of the day!

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# Rottnest Island

– WADJEMUP



## THINGS WE LOVE



Explore the island on a hire bike from Pedal & Flipper



Take a quokka selfie with the world's happiest animal



Discover the island's history at the Wadjemup Museum



Free-fall over the island with Skydive Geronimo



Take a scenic flight or helicopter ride to the island with Rottnest Air-Taxi or Corsaire Aviation



Marvel at marine life along Parker Point and Little Salmon Bay Snorkel Trails



Spot the colony of long-nosed fur seals from Cathedral Rocks



Hike the Wadjemup Bidi



Savour fresh lobster aboard a luxe island seafood cruise, anchored in a tranquil bay



### GETTING AROUND

Reach Rottneest Island by ferry from Fremantle, Hillarys Boat Harbour, or Perth's Barrack Street Jetty, or travel by air with Rottneest Air-Taxi, Air Charters West, or helicopter via Corsaire Aviation. On the island, explore by bike, the hop-on hop-off Rottneest Island Explorer Bus, or the Quokka Hopper for private transfers.

memories of swimming in sparkling bays, biking around the island, and watching incredible sunsets. Rottneest is a paradise, where you'll ease into the rhythm of laid-back simplicity from the moment you arrive.

Hike the Wadjemup Bidi, a network of five trails that weave through bushland, coastal headlands and inland lakes, or join The Hike Collective for a guided adventure. The West End walk is a favourite, with long-nosed fur seals often spotted lazing on Cathedral Rocks.

Rottneest is made for discovery. More than 60 beaches and 20 bays invite you in for swims, snorkels and sunbathing. Shallow reefs at The Basin, a snorkel trail through vibrant marine life at Little Salmon Bay and coral gardens at Parakeet Bay. For something special, hop on a

You can book bike hire with your ferry ticket, or book ahead for snorkel gear and SUPs from Pedal & Flipper.



Snorkel and Sail Cruise aboard Charter 1's catamaran. Take a guided snorkel tour and learn about the reef from experts, or join Laura the Explorer Tours who run the only full-day bike tour on the island which takes you all around Rotto, showing off the stunning beaches and bays.

If you prefer your thrills at altitude, Skydive Geronimo offers Australia's only island skydive. Plunge towards the sea with panoramic views in every direction. For something more indulgent, Rottneest Cruise's Luxe Island Seafood Cruise is a floating feast, where you haul in your own lobster

### ROTTNEST ISLAND / WADJEMUP

Rottneest Island lies just 19km off the coast of Fremantle yet feels a world away. Surrounded by the turquoise expanse of the Indian Ocean, generations of Western Australians have made summer

pot and dine on a seven-course seafood banquet aboard a luxury boat anchored in a secluded bay.

Back on land, the island's dining scene offers everything from takeaway to fine dining. In the main settlement, classics like Rottnest Bakery (don't miss the vanilla slice), Frankie's on Rotto, and The Lane Café with its must-try craydogs are always buzzing. For something sweet, grab a scoop from Simmo's and wander down to the beach.

Alfresco dining is the only way to go on Rotto, especially at sunset. Enjoy fresh dishes with a view at Pinky's Rottnest Island, Isola Bar e Cibo, Lontara, or Hotel Rottnest. Sunsets Bar & Dining, with its breezy indoor-outdoor setting and WA produce-driven menu, is a tranquil spot to unwind. Over at Geordie Bay, Geordie's Café & Art Gallery serves breakfast and lunch daily, with a rotating collection of works by talented local artists.

For something totally different, the R.I.G.C. Clubhouse, tucked within the bush beside the golf course, is



## QUOKKAS

If there's one thing everyone knows about Rottnest Island, it's the quokkas. Famous for their cheeky grins and posing for quokka selfies, these marsupials roam freely around the island, especially in the main settlement and near Garden Lake. While they're curious and cute, always remember to admire quokkas from a respectful distance.



♀ PINKY'S BEACH & BATHURST LIGHTHOUSE

a laid-back venue offering snacks, lawn games, and live music. It's the perfect place to chill out and soak up the Rotto vibe.

While a day trip is easy, staying a few nights allows you to truly immerse yourself in island life. You'll find family-friendly campgrounds by The Basin and barefoot and beachfront stays at Samphire Rottnest and The Lodge Wadjemup. For an extra special experience, try glamping at Discovery Resorts - Rottnest Island. The eco-friendly tents offer all the luxury and comfort of a hotel.

With its mix of natural beauty, rich culture, and low-key luxury, Rottnest is more than a holiday spot. It's a place to

reconnect with nature, history, and yourself.

Rottnest/Wadjemup carries deep significance for the Noongar people. Those wishing to learn more can visit the Wadjemup Museum or take an immersive Go Cultural Aboriginal Tour, offering deeper connection to the island's stories and spirit.



Discover more of Rottnest Island



## ROTTNEST ISLAND ITINERARY

### ONE DAY ON ROTTNEST ISLAND

On arrival to the island, begin your stay with a visit to the Wadjemup Museum, where you'll learn about the island's deep Aboriginal significance. To connect further, join Go Cultural Aboriginal Tours and Experiences, where you can take part in traditional sand and smoke ceremonies, hear Dreamtime stories, and learn Noongar song and language. Don't forget to book your tour in advance!

Pause for lunch in the main settlement, the Rottnest Bakery is a favourite. As you sit beneath the trees, soak up the island's relaxed vibe, and keep an eye out for friendly quokkas and grab that selfie.

Next, take your bike and ride over to the Captain Hussey train for a scenic ride through the island's south. Disembark at Oliver Hill for the Gun & Tunnel Tour (last tour at 2pm), where guides share Rottnest Island's WWII history.

This afternoon, cool off at The Basin, a sheltered cove perfect for swimming and snorkelling and then as your day comes to an end, enjoy a seafood dinner at Pinky's Rottnest Island. Watch the sun set over the ocean, with the Bathurst Lighthouse in the distance and a cocktail in hand before jumping on a ferry back to the mainland.

### THREE DAYS & TWO NIGHTS ON ROTTNEST ISLAND

Arrive on Rottnest and breathe in the fresh ocean air as your adventure begins. If you haven't brought your own bike, hire one from Pedal & Flipper to get around easily. Ride through the main settlement and make your way to the Wadjemup Bidi trail. This 45km of walking paths showcases headlands, inland lakes, and sweeping coastal vistas. Choose a self-guided hike or join a guided walk.

For lunch, head to The Lane Café. Relax beneath the trees, make friends with the quokkas, and grab that famous selfie, before checking into your accommodation. The Lodge Wadjemup offers a lakeside retreat, while Samphire Rottnest provides beachfront elegance in the heart of Thomson Bay.

Spend your afternoon exploring the island by bike, pausing to discover secluded coves and beaches, such as Little Armstrong Bay, a short glorious stretch of beach, protected by rocky bookends. As the sun sets, toast your first day with sunset cocktails and sizzling seafood at Lontara.

For day two, join Charter 1 for a snorkel and sailing adventure aboard their luxury catamaran. Sail into pristine bays and dive into a snorkeller's paradise, guided by

expert marine crew. Discover colourful coral gardens, seagrass meadows, and up to 400 species of fish. Keep watch for dolphins, stingrays and seabirds. Refuel with lunch in the settlement and then see more of the island with Segway Tours WA, who'll lead you off the beaten path to discover another side to Rottnest. In the evening, unwind over dinner at Sunsets Bar & Dining, a relaxed restaurant overlooking Garden Lake.

On your final morning, take your Rottnest adventure sky-high with Skydive Geronimo. Choose a jump from 10,000, 14,000, or an adrenaline-pumping 15,000 feet. Freefall for up to 60 seconds before gliding over the island and landing on the sands of Bickley, Thomson, or Salmon Bay — a breathtaking finale.

Back on solid ground, enjoy a relaxed lunch in the settlement before heading to Henrietta Rocks. Just 50 metres offshore lies a shallow shipwreck, now a thriving reef and snorkelling site suitable for all experience levels.

As the sun sinks low, savour cocktails and dinner at Isola Bar e Cibo, soaking in the final golden views across the ocean, the perfect farewell to Rottnest.

THE BASIN



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Hire bikes or snorkels, hit the walking trails, wake up an appetite for adventure with guided tours, and then wine and dine with ocean views.



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# Sunset Coast

— WAYLO



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Immerse yourself in the bustling retail and entertainment precinct of Hillarys Boat Harbour



Enjoy fish and chips on the beach and watch the sun set over the Indian Ocean



📍 SCARBOROUGH BEACH

### GETTING AROUND

Drive, rideshare, or cycle along the coastal path with ocean views. Public transport is also easy. Catch a train, then a connecting bus to any of the Sunset Coast beaches, or jump on the Surf CAT, a free daily service that drops you at Scarborough Beach from Stirling Station.

### SUNSET COAST / WAYLO

Stretching more than 50km from Leighton to Two Rocks, Perth's Sunset Coast is home to 19 beaches, lively dining hubs and family-friendly attractions. With calm swimming bays, surf breaks, entertainment precincts and

promenades lined with restaurants and bars, this is one of Perth's most popular coastal playgrounds.

### COTTESLOE BEACH

Cottesloe is one of Perth's most recognisable beaches, famous for its grassy banks, Norfolk Pines and the iconic Indiana Teahouse overlooking the sand. It's a glorious spot for an afternoon swim before spreading a blanket and enjoying a meal alfresco as you take in the sunset.

A post-swim stop at Il Lido is a Cottesloe tradition. Housed in a converted Art Deco hall, the Italian canteen serves espresso and hearty breakfasts, handmade pasta for long lunches, and relaxed dinners with wine at sunset.

Indigo Oscar shakes up bold

Latin American plates with sweeping ocean views, while Gibney leans into luxe, old-school glamour.

The Cottesloe Beach Hotel hums with live music on its veranda bar and if you're looking to stay, offers modern rooms overlooking the stunning beach.



📍 COTTESLOE BEACH



♀ PINNAROO POINT

Just up the road in Swanbourne is The Shorehouse, which sets the coastal tone with Mediterranean share plates under lemon-striped umbrellas.

**CITY BEACH & FLOREAT**

Just twenty minutes from Perth CBD, City Beach is where families gravitate. Natural rock shelves create calm swimming zones, while beachside restaurants line the shore. Hamptons City Beach serves coastal elegance, Clancy's Fish Bar keeps things casual, and Bert's

oozes charm. Neighbouring Floreat Beach boasts BBQs, playgrounds, and grassy banks perfect for relaxed afternoons.

**SCARBOROUGH & TRIGG**

Scarborough Beach is Perth's liveliest coastal hub. A world-class skate park, bouldering wall, grassy terraces, and beachside pool make it a year-round drawcard. The beachfront promenade is lined with bars and restaurants made for sunset drinks, while the Scarborough Sunset Markets

(summer Thursdays, winter Saturdays) turn the foreshore into a festival of food, music and makers.

Stay right in the centre of it all at Rendezvous Hotel Perth Scarborough or book an apartment at Ramada Vetroblu Scarborough Beach.

Nearby, Trigg Beach tempts surfers with its breaks, while the elegant Island Market Trigg provides the perfect spot to dine and watch the surfing action. A short coastal walk north leads to Mettams Pool, a secluded body of water widely considered the best metropolitan snorkelling spot. The area is also equipped with disability access leading straight into the water.

**HILLARYS BOAT HARBOUR**

This family favourite waterfront precinct combines stunning marina views, boutique shopping, and a variety of dining options. Kids love Hillarys Beach with its pontoon and playground, while The Aquarium of Western Australia (AQWA) delights with shark dives, touch pools, and an immersive Shipwreck Coast aquarium tunnel. Thrill-seekers can hit the water with jet skis, kayaks, or wakeboards courtesy of Ultimate Watersports.

Hillarys Boat Harbour offers plenty of dining choices, from a romantic dinner at Mia Cucina to The Breakwater, a hub of five venues suited to any occasion. Enjoy cocktails on the deck, a refined meal at Ishka Restaurant, or challenge your friends to ten pin bowling at Breakwater Bowl. Stay close by at Nautica Residences or Quality Resort Sorrento Beach, ideal for families or longer escapes.



♀ THE SHOREHOUSE, SWANBOURNE



Explore Rottnest Island/ Wadjemup with Rottnest Fast Ferries, it's a 45 minute ride departing from Hillarys Boat Harbour.

For a touch of luxury, consider staying at Joondalup Resort. Nestled in tranquil bushland just 25 minutes from the city, it offers elegant accommodation alongside a world-class 27-hole championship golf course.



**YANCHEP & TWO ROCKS**

Further north, Yanchep Lagoon offers calm, reef-sheltered waters for snorkelling, while nearby Yanchep National Park introduces visitors to koalas, kangaroos and bush trails. The park is also home to the Cabaret Cave, where immersive wellness experiences - like sound healing and yoga - take place in a truly unique

underground setting. It's also a place to connect with the land's Aboriginal heritage through guided cultural tours.

Base yourself at the rustic Yanchep Inn, waking to birdsong and grazing kangaroos on the doorstep, before exploring offshore reefs or heading further to Two Rocks, the northern tip of the Sunset Coast.

Just up the coast, Mediterranean flair meets coastal charm at The Marina Mindarie, where you can set out on a cruise or fishing trip before unwinding in waterside suites at The Marina Hotel.



Discover more of the Sunset Coast

♀ QUINNS - MINDARIE COASTAL PATHWAY



**MORE TO DO ALONG THE SUNSET COAST**

The Sunset Coast may draw you in with its beaches, but just inland you'll find plenty of reasons to linger longer. Karrinyup Shopping Centre is Perth's hub for premium retail, where more than 300 stores sit alongside valet parking, personal styling, and a lively dining precinct. For something playful, check into the Hijinx Hotel, where a cocktail at the bar leads into quirky challenge rooms guaranteed to spark laughter with friends or family. Art lovers will find inspiration at the Joondalup Contemporary Art Gallery, while nature and animals come together at Landsdale Farm, a hands-on, family-friendly space with cart rides and a cosy café. For a dose of adventure, cycle the Yalbunullup Mountain Bike Trails through Yellagonga Regional Park, or slow down with a nostalgic night at Galaxy Drive-In Theatre, Perth's only drive-in cinema. Finish your visit at Wanneroo Botanic Gardens with 36 holes of mini golf before sharing woodfired pizza under the trees at Leapfogs.

♀ CABARET CAVE, YANCHEP NATIONAL PARK





♀ MOORE RIVER

# Moore River Region

— GARBAN

## THE SUNSET COAST - BEYOND THE BEACH

The Sunset Coast isn't just about surf and sand. Venture inland and you'll find the Moore River Region, a blend of country charm and coastal cool. With pristine beaches, winding rivers, and heritage towns, this pocket of WA offers plenty to explore.

## VICTORIA PLAINS

Around a two-hour drive northeast of Perth, Victoria Plains is a tranquil escape where nature and history meet. In spring and early summer, wildflowers blanket the landscape in vibrant colours, drawing day trippers and photographers alike. Pack a picnic or stop in at the century-old Bolgart Hotel, where locals maintain the charm of this 108-year-old Wheatbelt pub.

Walkers and bird enthusiasts will enjoy Gillingarra's trails. The Bush Explorer Walk winds through wildflower-rich reserves, while the Carnaby's Cockatoo Walk offers rare encounters with one of WA's most endangered species, supported by ongoing conservation efforts.

As night falls, Victoria Plains reveals another treasure, it has some of the darkest skies in Western Australia, making it an exceptional stargazing destination.

## GINGIN

About an hour from Perth, Gingin is a heritage town bridging the northern country towns and the coast. Its historic streetscapes are best explored via the walking trail, which passes landmarks such as the 1903 Gingin Hotel, St Luke's Anglican Church, Bell Tower, and St Catherine's Catholic Church. Maps are available from

the local Visitor Centre.

Granville Park, framed by heritage buildings and Gingin Brook, is a town hub. Stop for coffee or a meal at Cu@Park Café, enjoy a round of mini-golf at Caladenia Mini Golf Park and Café, or sample farm-fresh gelato at Local Goat, renowned for goat's milk cheeses and yoghurt. For a unique experience, visit the Gravity Discovery Centre and Observatory. Explore the museum, walk bush trails, climb the Tower of Gingin, and finish the day stargazing with astronomers and Indigenous elders sharing Dreamtime stories.

## SEABIRD

A quiet fishing village turned holiday spot, Seabird has kept much of its original charm. Spend the day wandering sandy beaches, fishing from the shore, or enjoying ocean views over lunch at the local tavern.



♀ GUILDERTON JETTY

beginners through to seasoned riders. Many hire outlets provide both stand-up and seated boards, along with wax to help you glide effortlessly down the slopes.

For the ultimate adrenaline rush, climb aboard a monster vehicle with Lancelin 4x4 Adventures, who offer thrilling guided tours across the dunes. Feel the power of the 4WD as it tackles the shifting sands, stopping at breathtaking lookouts with sweeping views of the coastline, farmland, and offshore islands.

Down by the shore, Lancelin's serene beaches invite you to swim, snorkel, or try your hand at windsurfing and kitesurfing, rounding out a truly unforgettable coastal escape. Afterwards, unwind at the Endeavour Tavern, a laid-back local pub where you can enjoy a hearty meal, live music, and a cold drink with ocean views. Best of all, it's dog-friendly, so your four-legged friend can join in on the fun too.

**GUILDERTON**

Where the Moore River meets the Indian Ocean, Guilderton is just over an hour from Perth and ideal for water-based adventures. Stay riverside at Moore River Cottage or camp at Guilderton Holiday Park. Paddle along the estuary, join a guided cruise, or walk trails along the riverbanks. Sheltered inlets are perfect for fishing, while calm waters invite swimming. On land, tee off at the 9-hole golf course or try FootGolf, then enjoy a sunset over the Indian Ocean, finishing the day with a meal at the country club.

**LANCELIN**

Lancelin is an exhilarating coastal playground, perfect for adventure seekers and lovers of the great outdoors. Just east of town lies a vast expanse of snow-white sand dunes that stretch endlessly toward the horizon — one of the largest dune systems in Western Australia. These spectacular dunes offer the ultimate setting for sandboarding, four-wheel driving, and photography. Visitors can hire a sandboard from local shops in town, with options suitable for



Discover more of the Moore River Region

**LEDGE POINT**

Ledge Point is famous for its excellent kitesurfing and windsurfing conditions, it also has strong ties to the local fishing and crayfishing industries. Anglers will enjoy prime spots both on the beach and offshore. With a range of accommodation, from holiday homes to a modern caravan park and beachfront apartments, Ledge Point is perfect for a quick beach getaway.



♀ AUSTRALIAN PINNACLE TOURS



♀ MULLALOO BEACH



## SUNSET COAST ITINERARY

### ONE DAY ON THE SUNSET COAST

Kick off your coastal trip with a surf at Scarborough Beach. Beginners can book a lesson with Scarborough Beach Surf School, while experienced surfers can rent gear from Soul Boardstore and head to Trigg Beach, known for its consistent waves. If you prefer, start the day with a swim at Scarborough Beach Pool. The leisure pool is ideal for less experienced swimmers or families.

Enjoy breakfast and coffee at one of Scarborough's beachfront cafés before heading to AQWA where Western Australia's marine life takes centre stage. For something different, book their Glass Bottom Boat Experience or snorkel with sharks, turtles and fish in the Shipwreck Coast Aquarium.

Make your way to Hillarys Boat Harbour for a spot of shopping and a relaxing lunch. Swim in the calm waters or choose between a range of water activities from jet skis to paddleboarding and kayaking with the team at Ultimate Watersports Hillarys. Round out the day with sunset cocktails and dinner at The Breakwater, boasting unbeatable views from its waterfront deck.

### THREE DAYS & TWO NIGHTS ALONG THE SUNSET COAST

Begin with breakfast at Bert's in City Beach overlooking the water. Continue north for a snorkel at Mettam's Pool, where calm waters and coral reefs reveal colourful marine life, from starfish to schools of fish. For lunch, soak up ocean views over modern coastal fare at Island Market Trigg.

In the afternoon, check into your accommodation. Options range from beachside hotels like Rendezvous Hotel Perth Scarborough or The Cottesloe Beach Hotel, to family-friendly stays at Hillarys' Nautica Residences or Quality Resort Sorrento Beach. For something different, consider Joondalup Resort, surrounded by bushland and golf greens.

Spend the afternoon watching the sun set over the Indian Ocean with a cocktail in hand at Gibney in Cottesloe.

It's day two and time for premium shopping at Karrinyup Shopping Centre, enjoying lunch at one of the many restaurants in the shopping precinct. Later in the day make your way to Wanneroo Botanic Gardens for a game of mini golf by day, or glow-in-the-

dark golf at night, before woodfired pizza at Leapfrogs.

On your final morning, travel north to Yanchep Lagoon for a snorkel. Clear, shallow waters reveal octopus, rays, and colourful marine life. Afterwards, head inland to Yanchep National Park. Stroll among koalas, explore bush trails, take a tour of the caves and pause for lunch at Yanchep Inn, although beware of the cheeky kookaburras who may try to steal a chip.

Make your way back down the coast to The Marina Mindarie for a crisp refreshing pint and hearty meal at Indian Ocean Brewing Company. Waterfront views provide the perfect finale to your Sunset Coast Escape.



If you're looking for more adventure, take a day trip to Lancelin to sandboard down the biggest sand dunes in WA.

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Nautica Residences Hillarys offers the perfect base on Perth's stunning northern coast. Step out to waterfront dining, boutique shopping, pristine beaches, and the Rottnest ferry. Relax in spacious 2 and 3-bedroom apartments with free Wi-Fi, movies on demand, an outdoor pool, and secure parking—all you need for a memorable stay.



### Quality Resort Sorrento Beach



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### Perth Go Surf



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### Ramada Vetroblu Scarborough Beach



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Ramada Vetroblu Scarborough Beach is the latest addition of serviced apartments in the Scarborough precinct, with sweeping views of Scarborough and Perth's iconic sunsets. Offering Studios, One, Two and Three Bedroom Apartments. We also have three and four-bedroom split level penthouse apartments offering spectacular views.




### Seashells Scarborough



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Situated directly opposite Scarborough Beach, Seashells offers stylish 1, 2 and 3 bedroom fully self-contained apartments, most with views of the spectacular Indian Ocean. Features include well appointed kitchens and laundries, spacious lounge and dining areas and private balconies. Enjoy the outdoor heated swimming pool, BBQs, free Wi-Fi and secure parking.




# Rockingham

– MOORIBIRRDUP



## THINGS WE LOVE



Swim with wild dolphins



Visit Penguin Island on a tour with Perth Wildlife Encounters



Take a sea kayaking tour with Capricorn Sea Kayaking



Walk the picturesque coastal headland of Point Peron



Go for a thrilling jet ski ride with Jet Ski Tours Perth



Surf at WA's year-round surf beach, Secret Harbour



Enjoy a picnic lunch on the beautiful Rockingham foreshore



Indulge in a wine tasting experience at Peel Estate Wines



♀ ROCKINGHAM BEACH

## GETTING AROUND

Located 45 minutes south of Perth City by car, hire a car and drive or take the train following the Mandurah line. Once you arrive, get around easily with the assistance of frequent buses. Bus route 555 (Rockingham Shuttle) will take you directly to the foreshore.

## ROCKINGHAM / MOORIBIRRDUP

Dive into aquatic adventure and seaside serenity in Rockingham. With 37km of spectacular coastline, this vibrant town is one of Western Australia's most beloved holiday destinations. From turquoise waters and long white-sand beaches to secluded islands, lakes, and marine parks, it's a paradise for anyone drawn to the water. Glide across the ocean by boat, kayak, SUP, or surfboard, and don't be surprised if playful dolphins join the fun.

The Rockingham Foreshore is the beating heart of coastal life. Hire a SUP at Rockingham Beach, or follow the 19km Foreshore Flow trail on an e-scooter from Rockingham to Port Kennedy, where sweeping ocean views unfold over Cockburn and Warnbro Sounds. The route passes

Shoalwater Islands Marine Park, with glimpses of Penguin Island, while fishing from Val Street Jetty or relaxing on the colourful beach loungers offers slower-paced pleasures. For adrenaline, join Jet Ski Tours Perth to speed across Cockburn Sound before catching a spectacular sunset.

Just south, Palm Beach offers calm, glassy waters and is Perth's only north-facing beach, it's a family favourite for safe swimming and relaxed picnics.

For underwater explorers, the Churchill Park Dive Trail lies just 60 metres offshore. Sunken planes, small wrecks, a tyre reef, and even a chicken coop are now encrusted with corals and sponges, home to sea horses, eels, and sea stars. Beginners and experienced divers alike can join tours with Scubanautics Diving Academy. Nearby, Warnbro Sound's West Coast Dive Park is another highlight. Certified divers can explore the Saxon Ranger wreck, a trawler purpose-sunk in 2005, which is the first of its kind in WA.

Back on land, Rockingham's dining scene brims with flavour. Enjoy coffee and breakfast at Chandlers Kitchen or seaside dining at The Knock Restaurant. For dinner, Latitude 32 serves seafood and steaks, while Rústico Tapas &

Wine Bar buzzes with Spanish dishes and sangria. In nearby Safety Bay, Azacca Kitchen delights with bold dishes and craft beer, while Martini + Co offers a stylish menu and standout cocktails in the Syren Street entertainment precinct.

For family fun, visit Perth Wake Park for wakeboarding lessons and challenges, then splash into Perth Aqua Park, a massive floating playground with over 100 interconnected obstacles for all ages.



♀ IN CULTURE TOURS, ROCKINGHAM

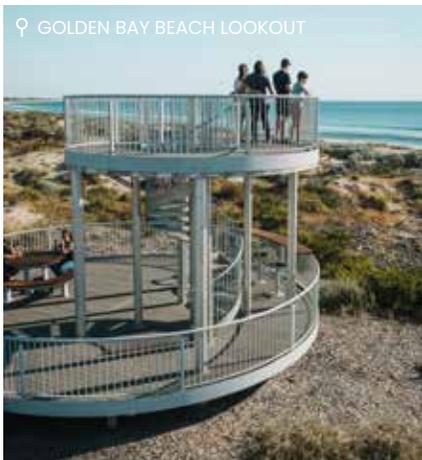




♀ ROCKINGHAM JETTY

For something different head inland to Peel Estate Wines, the region's oldest winery and BYO picnic to feast among the vines.

Accommodation options suit every style here. Stay seaside at Cee & See Caravan Park, enjoy self-contained apartments with Rockingham Apartments, or book serviced comfort at Quest Rockingham. Budget-friendly Hotel Clipper is another convenient base.



♀ GOLDEN BAY BEACH LOOKOUT

Visit Penguin Island, home to a colony of little penguins from November – June. Swim, snorkel, dive, canoe or surf around the island while wildlife spotting.



### POINT PERON / BOYA KAARLA

Southwest of the foreshore, Point Peron is a rugged limestone cape within Shoalwater Islands Marine Park. Sheltered bays, rocky outcrops, and snorkel-friendly shallows make it ideal for families and groups. Walk the Cape Peron Loop / Wanamalu Trail, a 3.6km circuit blending coastal vistas with WWII heritage.

### SHOALWATER ISLANDS MARINE PARK

Spanning over 6,000 hectares, this protected sanctuary teems with dolphins, sea lions, pelicans, and seabirds. It's also a playground for kayaking, boating, and kitesurfing. Join Perth Wildlife Encounters for dolphin and sea lion cruises, and when conditions are right, swim alongside wild dolphins in an unforgettable experience. Seal Island, home to rare Australian sea lions, can also be explored by kayak.

### SAFETY BAY

Known globally for kitesurfing, Safety Bay's The Pond offers mirror-flat waters and steady winds. Beginners and pros alike can book lessons with Seabreeze Kitesurf School.



♀ SECRET HARBOUR GOLF LINKS

### PERTH'S 'GOLF COAST'

Rockingham is part of the celebrated Golf Coast, stretching from Kwinana to Mandurah. With three top-tier golf courses just a short drive from the town centre, this region is quickly becoming a premier destination for golf tourism in Australia.

Scan this QR code for a list of golf courses:



### SECRET HARBOUR

At Secret Harbour, surf breaks roll year-round, drawing surfers of all levels. Families will also love the award-winning accessible playground nearby.



Discover more of Rockingham



## ROCKINGHAM ITINERARY

### ONE DAY IN ROCKINGHAM

Start with the splendour of Shoalwater Islands Marine Park on a glass-bottom boat cruise with Perth Wildlife Encounters. Glide across turquoise waters as you admire the rugged coastlines of Penguin, Seal and Bird Islands. Keep an eye out for playful dolphins, sealions, pelican rookeries and soaring birds of prey during the one-hour cruise. Step ashore to wrap up the tour with a guided wildlife walk on Penguin Island/Goolidja Goorda to learn about the conservation park's distinctive landscapes and environment.

Afterwards, refuel on the mainland at Pengos Café with a gourmet burger before heading out for a snorkel at Point Peron or for the ocean lovers, book in a dive with Scubanautics Diving Academy.

In the afternoon, relax at Peel Estate Wines, the region's oldest winery. Stroll the grounds, enjoy a tasting, and then head to Cheeky Monkey Rockingham Taphouse for dinner.

### THREE DAYS & TWO NIGHTS IN ROCKINGHAM

Begin your Rockingham adventure learning to kitesurf with WA Surf. Take a two hour beginners class or if you're more experienced there are advanced options.

Enjoy a long lunch on the boardwalk overlooking the water at The Knock Restaurant and this afternoon check into your accommodation. Rockingham offers a wide range of options to suit every traveller. Stay right by the water at Cee & See Caravan Park, or Hotel Clipper provides great value budget accommodation, without compromising on comfort. Rockingham Apartments offer self-contained comfort or if you prefer, relax at Quest Rockingham serviced apartments.

This evening, take a leisurely stroll along the Rockingham Foreshore before indulging in dinner at Rústico Tapas & Wine Bar. With its lively atmosphere, Mediterranean share plates and sangria jugs, it's the perfect place to toast your first day in Rockingham.

It's day two, and if you're visiting in summer, head to Perth Wake

Park, WA's only cable wakeboard park. Beginners can start with a lesson on the training lake before moving onto the main course, while experienced riders can enjoy jumps and rails. Refuel at the on-site café before heading next door to Perth Aqua Park. With over one hundred inflatable obstacles, slides and climbing towers, it's a fun, action-packed experience for all ages.

Finish your day with cocktails and a delicious meal at Martini + Co, a buzzing bar and restaurant in Rockingham's Syren Street entertainment precinct.

Start your final day with breakfast overlooking the ocean at Chandlers Kitchen, before jumping on a jet ski with Jet Ski Tours Perth. Guided tours will have you skimming across the waters of Rockingham Foreshore and around Garden Island, with the thrill of riding your own Yamaha VX jet ski.

End your day with a walk around the Cape Peron Loop Trail and watch fisherman catch their dinner. Pack a picnic or order some local fish and chips while you enjoy a breathtaking sunset.



♀ ROCKINGHAM BEACH

**Cee & See Caravan Park**



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Located a short walk or cycle from Rockingham Foreshore tourist precinct, Cee & See Caravan Park offers seaside chalets (1 and 2 bedroom) and powered van sites. Facilities include a camp kitchen, BBQs, recreation room, playground, and open space. Family, fishing, and pet friendly beach opposite the park. Pets welcome.



# Plan an aqua-packed ADVENTURE IN ROCKINGHAM

The only Perth metropolitan area where you can swim with dolphins, sea lions, scuba dive, snorkel, kayak, wakeboard, surf, kitesurf and more!



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# Mandurah

– MANDJOOGOORDAP



## THINGS WE LOVE



Go hunting for Giants – find Thomas Dambo's friendly sculptures



Witness local dolphins dancing with Mandurah Cruises



Grab a scoop net and catch fresh crabs in the Peel-Harvey Estuary



Enjoy the novelty of a private eco-BBQ boat trip through the Mandurah canals



Absorb the sun, sea and sand of the family friendly beaches



Discover the wonder of the ancient thrombolites of Lake Clifton



Pedal or paddle your way to adventure – kayaks and e-bikes await



All aboard for some swashbuckling fun on the Pirate Ship Mandurah



See the canals light up on a Christmas Lights Cruise



Quench your thirst at the funky Thorny Devil Brewery or Boundary Island Brewery



♀ EASTERN FORESHORE

**GETTING AROUND**

Located an hour’s drive from Perth City, you can hire a car and drive or take the train following the Mandurah line. Get around by car and enjoy ample free parking across the City or book a day tour to make things easier.

**MANDURAH / MANJOOGOORDAP**

Mandurah is an aquatic playground with endless family fun, a splash of laid-back luxury, and year-round appeal. With pristine beaches, shady foreshore parks, tree-lined walkways, and the iconic Giants of Mandurah, it’s the perfect place to relax, explore, and enjoy a coastal escape.

Mandurah’s Peel-Harvey Estuary is a vast and diverse waterway, stretching across 134 square

kilometres of saline, brackish, and freshwater lakes. Connected to the Indian Ocean through the Dawesville Channel and south into the Harvey Estuary, it’s also one of Australia’s most spectacular playgrounds for boating, fishing, crabbing, and wildlife encounters.

With a Mediterranean climate, summer is perfect for cooling off in the water, while autumn and spring invite nature walks, birdwatching and e-bike adventures. Fishing is a way of life here. Cast a line from the jetties or landings under the bridges to chase herring, sand whiting and bream or go crabbing during late summer and autumn to scoop the famous blue swimmer crab.

In winter, lush green landscapes thrive as inland waterways flow, revealing a different but equally beautiful side to Mandurah. Coupled with a flourishing food and beverage scene, Venetian-style



♀ MANDURAH

canals lined with luxurious homes, and a packed calendar of events, it's no wonder Mandurah was named a Top Aussie Town of the Year for 2025 by Wotif.

The best way to experience Mandurah is on the water. Hire a boat, kayak, or paddleboard with Mandurah Boat Hire and take things at your own pace. Join Mandurah Cruises for dolphin spotting, a magical Christmas Lights Tour, or a thrilling Wild Seafood Cruise. For something truly unique—hop aboard the Pirate Ship Mandurah for an entertaining cruise that will spark every child's imagination.

Families will love Kwillena Gabi Pool, the Eastern Foreshore's striking circular estuary pool meaning 'dolphin waters'. With floating pontoons, a wheelchair-accessible

ramp, and a depth of 4.5 metres, it's a safe, scenic spot to swim and play. The foreshore itself is a hub of activity with playgrounds, BBQ areas, boutique shopping, diverse dining, and regular dolphin sightings.

Foodies can indulge at local favourites like The Cray Seafood and Grill Mandurah for fresh seafood or The Peninsula Mandurah for cocktails and relaxed sunset dining. Weekends bring live entertainment, adding to the vibrant, welcoming atmosphere.

Accommodation is just as varied, from family-friendly caravan parks and coastal holiday stays, to Mandurah Ocean Marina Chalets, stylish Seashells Mandurah apartments, the unique Mandurah Houseboats and for some luxury, The Sebel Mandurah.



## THE GIANTS OF MANDURAH

Perhaps one of Perth's most immersive, large-scale art installations, Thomas Dambo's Giants of Mandurah beckons visitors to enter nature and explore the stunning landscapes as you hunt for the collection of wooden giants hidden in plain sight. These curious creatures, reaching up to five metres tall, were created using recycled materials by Danish artist Thomas Dambo. They are a reminder of the importance of protecting our natural world by recycling and reducing waste. Begin at Mandurah's Visitor Centre and choose your own journey as you decide which giant to hunt for first.

## MEET THE THROMBOLITES

Explore Yalgorup National Park south of Mandurah, home to ancient thrombolites, offering boardwalk vistas, bushwalks, birdwatching, camping under the stars, and tranquil picnic spots.



♀ THROMBOLITES, LAKE CLIFTON



Discover more  
of Mandurah



♀ MURRAY VALLEY MOUNTAIN BIKE TRAILS, LANE POOLE RESERVE

# Inland Peel

## GETTING AROUND

The easiest way to reach the Peel region is by car—whether you hire one yourself, arrange a personal driver, or join a day tour.

## INLAND PEEL

Surrounded by towering old-growth forests, the Murray Region is a natural escape just over an hour from Perth. The shires of Murray and Waroona feel worlds away from city life, with Pinjarra steeped in history, Waroona offering country tranquillity, and Boddington framed by rolling hills and forests. At the heart of it all, Dwellingup is a true trail town. From world-class mountain biking and family-friendly hiking loops to long-distance adventures on the Bibbulmun Track and Munda Biddi Trail, it's a haven for walkers, riders, and nature seekers. Forests and rivers shape

the journey, with the Murray River providing a scenic backdrop for a post-trail paddle or picnic.

## DWELLINGUP

Lane Poole Reserve is an adventure playground, with campgrounds shaded by jarrah and marri trees. Cool off in scenic waterholes, paddle the river, or set out on over 100km of hiking, biking, 4WD, and even a dedicated horse

trail, all part of the Dwellingup Adventure Trails network. From the town centre, trails flow out through the reserve and link to Marrinup and Turner Hill, making Dwellingup a proper trail town. Mountain bikers can take on three dedicated networks – Dwellingup, Murray Valley, and Toms Crossing – from gentle rides to black-diamond thrills. The Dwaarlindjirraap Suspension Bridge connects



♀ LANE POOLE RESERVE, DWELLINGUP



♀ RANGER RED'S ZOO & CONSERVATION PARK, PINJARRA

straight into Murray Valley Bike Trails and is a favourite swim stop.

Families can soar through the trees on rope courses at Treetops Adventure, hire a mountain bike from Dwellingup Adventures, or explore with an Off The Beaten Track WA tour.

Creatives will love Lost Eden Creative, a gallery and café combo, and the Dwellingup Art Trail, where murals and sculptures line a 1km walk. Foodies can enjoy cafés, farm shops, wine estates and cideries, before retreating from everything in a campground or charming chalet at Noble River Estate or Lewis Park Chalets.

## PINJARRA

Just an hour from Perth, Pinjarra combines heritage charm with riverside attractions. Wander through the Edenvale Heritage Precinct, home to arts, crafts, and vintage machinery, then step across the road to the historic Exchange Hotel Pinjarra for a hearty meal or gin tasting at the on-site gin distillery. Follow the Murray River Pub Trail, where riverside favourites like the Ravenswood Hotel are accessible by boat. Pick up award-winning pies from Pinjarra Bakery or relax under shady trees at Cantwell

Park. Families will love Ranger Red's Zoo & Conservation Park, while shoppers can browse eclectic boutiques and antique stores before settling into a cosy B&B, or houseboat stay.

## WAROONA

From sea to scarp – water to wilderness, Waroona is a vibrant country town framed by lakes, trails, and rugged landscapes. Start in the town centre, where cosy cafés, a bakery, antiques, and the Visitor Centre showcasing local art invite

exploration. Families can unwind at Railside Park with its pump track, skatepark, and BBQs.

Nearby, swim or paddle at Drakesbrook Weir, or head to Waroona Dam for water sports and fishing. Explore bushland with kangaroos and cockatoos, birdwatch in Yalgorup National Park, or marvel at ancient thrombolites at Lake Clifton. Round out your visit with the Waroona Art Trail, the whimsical Waroona Fairy Door Trail, or wine tastings at Drakesbrook Fine Wines. Stay at Lake Navarino Holiday Park for a rustic getaway.

## BODDINGTON

On the Hotham River and surrounded by rolling hills, Boddington is an inviting one-day scenic drive or overnight stop. Just 1.5 hours south of Perth, and with half the shire covered in forest, it's a base for hiking, wildflowers, and birdwatching.

The town is home to the Boddington Gold Mine, one of the largest in Australia. Explore the Bibbulmun Track, wander the Tullis Bridge Walk Trail, or follow the accessible Hotham River Foreshore to Lions Weir and Ranford Pool, both top spots for fishing (including seasonal marron), birdwatching, and picnicking.



♀ LANE POOLE RESERVE, DWELLINGUP



♀ DOLPHIN CRUISE, MANDURAH CRUISES



## MANDURAH & PEEL ITINERARY

### ONE DAY IN MANDURAH & PEEL

Begin at the Mandurah Visitor Centre and collect maps for the famous Giants of Mandurah hunt and other trails. Follow the clues to find all five of Thomas Dambo's whimsical wooden giants. Relax on one of the foreshore's sandy beaches, or wander the Creery Wetlands, a haven for birdlife. Boardwalks and viewing platforms make it a fantastic spot for birdwatching, keep an eye out for the migratory shorebirds that visit each year.

In the afternoon, enjoy a half-day Murray River Lunch Cruise. Glide along the historic waterway, step ashore at Cooper's Mill on Coolenup Island, and savour a three-course meal of fresh local produce onboard.

As the sun sets, round out your day with a classic dinner of fish and chips at Cicerello's Mandurah, a laid-back favourite right on the water.

### THREE DAYS & TWO NIGHTS IN MANDURAH & PEEL

Begin your adventure in Mandurah with breakfast at Wood & Stone Café, then make your way further south to Yalgorup National Park for birdwatching trails and views of ancient thrombolites.

In the afternoon, take a Dolphin Cruise with Mandurah Cruises and visit the friendly wild dolphins that live in the waterways. As the day winds down, check into your accommodation. Choose from family-friendly caravan parks, Mandurah Ocean Marina Chalets, the stylish Sebel Mandurah, or Seashells Mandurah. End the evening with sunset dining and live music at Boundary Island Brewery.

Day two takes you inland to the trails town of Dwellingup. Visit Dwellingup Adventures for gear hire and explore the trails on foot, by mountain bike, or kayak the Lane Poole Reserve. For a slower pace, linger over lunch at Redgum Wine Estate, then ride the Hotham Valley Railway and stroll the Dwellingup Art Trail. Stay overnight in a cabin,

boutique retreat, or beneath the stars at Lane Poole Reserve, and finish the day with a hearty pub meal.

On your final day, head to Pinjarra. Begin with breakfast at Café Chérie before visiting Ranger Red's Zoo and Conservation Park for hands-on wildlife encounters. Enjoy a picnic in Cantwell Park, then browse the art at the Edenvale Heritage Precinct and walk the Pinjarra Suspension Bridge. Wrap up your Peel escape with sunset drinks at the historic Exchange Hotel, overlooking the river.

Mandurah has a range of accessible experiences for people.

Scan this QR code for more information:



### Dwellingup Trails & Visitor Centre



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Enveloped by towering forests, Dwellingup beckons the 'Wild at Heart' to embrace its endless opportunities for adventure. Camp under the stars, be inspired by creatives, indulge in fresh produce at local orchards, cafes, wineries and cideries. As one of WA's first Trail Towns, Dwellingup boasts 100km of mountain bike trails, scenic hiking routes, and a flowing river awaiting exploration. It's a sanctuary for tranquillity-seekers and adrenaline-chasers alike.

The Dwellingup Trails & Visitor Centre is your gateway to adventure, with immersive technology and expert local guides to help you plan and book your visit. Dwellingup. Where trails meet and rivers flow.



### Edenvale Heritage Precinct



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Explore the history and character of Edenvale Heritage Precinct, Pinjarra—a 19th-century village thriving with contemporary spirit, picturesque gardens, curious museums, unique gifts, and wholesome food. Heritage and artisans unite through creative workshops, vibrant events and colourful festivals at this award-winning attraction.

### Mandurah Caravan and Tourist Park



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Mandurah Caravan & Tourist Park offers family-friendly fun with a heated pool, water slide, giant games, pedal karts, playground, and jumping pillow. Stay on private ensuite or shady powered sites, camp around the camp kitchen, or choose from accommodation options to suit every budget for the perfect Mandurah getaway.



### Mandurah Coastal Holiday Park



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Located in the heart of Mandurah, Mandurah Coastal Holiday Park offers studio suites, self-contained cabins, and powered caravan/camping sites, 500m from the beach. Park facilities include a camp kitchen, BBQs, Playground, and is a short walk to Mandurah Foreshore and Dolphin Quay tourist precincts. Pets welcome.

### Seashells Mandurah



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Absolute beachfront location on Comet Bay, next to Mandurah Ocean Marina. Choose from a range of 1 and 2-bedroom fully self-contained 4.5-star apartments and villas with ocean and marina views. Outdoor heated infinity pool and spa, BBQs, and tennis court. Free Wi-Fi, movies on demand and secure parking.



### Mandurah Visitor Centre



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Perched between the Indian Ocean and an estuary twice the size of Sydney Harbour, Mandurah is where you'll meet dolphins, explore beaches, nature trails and enjoy magical Christmas Lights. No trip to Mandurah is complete without exploring the Giants of Mandurah - Australia's only collection of Thomas Dambo's giant wooden sculptures.

Begin your adventure at the award-winning Mandurah Visitor Centre, where you can collect your Giants guide, trail maps, and get local tips and expert booking services. While you're there, discover the 'Welcome to Country' mural and experience the immersive 3D Augmented Reality of Mandurah's Aboriginal creation story.



### The Sebel Mandurah



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Indulge in beautiful guestrooms, suites and apartments overlooking glittering Mandjar Bay. Watch dolphins play from your private balcony or stroll downstairs to the Mandurah Boardwalk for alfresco restaurants, bars, dolphin cruises, cinemas and more. Service and facilities include free Wi-Fi, outdoor pool and fitness room.



# Swan Valley

– WURERUP



## THINGS WE LOVE



Cruise to the Swan Valley from Perth with Captain Cook Cruises



Meet native Australian animals at Caversham Wildlife Park



Immerse yourself in history with a walking tour of Guildford



Taste award-winning wines on a local wine tour



Admire the natural scenery on a hike of Bells Rapids and its surrounding trails



Join Dale Tilbrook for a Bush Tucker Experience



Visit the Motor Museum of WA and get up close to Daniel Ricciardo's Red Bull F1 racing car



Stock up on locally produced treats at the Swan Settlers Market



Become a beekeeper for a day on a tour at The House of Honey



Sample local spirits with a distillery tasting



♀ NIKOLA ESTATE

## GETTING AROUND

Just 25 minutes northeast of Perth, the Swan Valley is easy to reach. Drive yourself, hop on the Midland line to Guildford or the Ellenbrook line to Whiteman Park. You can also join a tour group or cruise up the Swan River in style.

## SWAN VALLEY / WURERUP

Western Australia's oldest wine region, the Swan Valley, is a beloved countryside escape set along the banks of the Swan River. Since 1829, generations of growers, winemakers, and artisans have flourished here, producing some of the state's most iconic wines, like Nikola Estate's Chenin Blanc or Sandalford Wine's Shiraz. Today, boutique breweries and artisan distilleries add to the mix, including Sin Gin distillery, famed for their Seven Deadly Sins gin series. Explore it all with Swan Valley Tours, by road or river cruise.

The region is also a food lover's haven. Producers and artisans

tempt with preserves, dried fruit, chocolate, and nuts. Local favourites include Morish Nuts, Mondo Nougat, and Maison Saint-Honoré, a French patisserie serving delicate pastries. At The House of Honey, WA's first Honey Sommeliers share hive tours, mead tastings, and honey profiling. Sweet teeth are also spoiled at Whistler's Chocolate Company, Margaret River Chocolate Company and Providore.

For a deeper cultural connection, join one of Dale Tilbrook's experiences, where native bush foods, medicinal knowledge, and Dreamtime stories come alive. Her Maalinup Aboriginal Gallery, located at Mandoon Estate, also showcases Aboriginal art and makes a perfect keepsake stop.

The valley is also brimming with creativity. See Antonia Battistessa's blacksmithing, Thomas Maurer's Illusionary Art, or wander Gomboc Gallery Sculpture Park. Whiteman Park houses the Village Art Gallery and The Glass Flower Bar, where you can try glassblowing yourself.

## GUILDFORD

A gateway to the valley, the township of Guildford brims with heritage charm. Antique stores line James Street, while cafés and pubs invite a cosy pause. To dive deeper, grab a map from the Swan Valley Visitor Centre and journey on a self-guided walk through Guildford's history and uncover the stories etched into its colonial past.

## PARKS OF THE VALLEY

Nature and wildlife are never far away. Whiteman Park spans over 3,700 hectares of bushland and is a favourite for families, with walking trails, nature play areas, and a range of attractions. Hop on a vintage bus for a guided tour of Whiteman Park, or visit the Motor



Bells Rapids is a picturesque natural attraction featuring flowing rapids, scenic walking trails, and sweeping Darling Range views. It's a popular destination for hiking, picnics, photography, and the annual Avon Descent race.



♀ UPPER REACH WINERY



♀ WILD WHISPERS AUSTRALIA



In summertime, take the family to Perth's Outback Splash, where you'll ride waterslides, relax in a pool oasis and explore the lush gardens.

Museum of WA to admire classic cars, motorcycles and see Daniel Ricciardo's Red Bull F1 racing car. Kids can enjoy orienteering, pedal go-karts, and free courts for tennis, pickleball and basketball. Pack a picnic or use the shaded BBQ areas for a relaxed lunch. For close-up wildlife encounters you are spoiled for options at Caversham Wildlife Park where you can meet koalas, wombats, penguins and hand-feed kangaroos. Don't miss the

guided Nocturnal Woylie Walk in the Woodland Reserve, or book in for a twilight kangaroo safari at The Vines Resort.

**CHITTERING**

An hour from the city, Chittering's rolling hills, farmland, and orchards make it a refreshing escape. Taste local produce at farm gates, roadside stalls, or the monthly Bindoon Farmers Market. In town, the Bindoon Bakehaus & Café serves award-winning pies and breads, while The Local Larder of Bindoon stocks fresh produce, condiments, picnic supplies, coffee, and gelato.

Spring brings wildflowers, the Taste of Chittering and the

Chittering Spring Festival, but there's plenty to do year-round. Visit the Bindoon Museum, browse handmade items at Bindoon Arts and Crafts, or get active at Sussex Bend BMX Track and Bindoon Mountain Bike Park. Sample products at Little Eeden Farm Honey and then head to The Hive Darlington for a honey-infused meal. From rustic camping adventures to authentic farm stays at Wagtails Watch and indulgent luxury at Wild Whispers Australia, accommodation caters to every kind of traveller.



Discover more of the Swan Valley

**Chittering Visitor Centre**



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Just one hour's drive from Perth, the Chittering Valley is nestled in the northern hills of the Darling Range within the beautiful Destination Perth region. With its untouched bushland and wetlands, vineyards, orchards, spectacular wildflowers and views, the area is a perfect day trip or short-break destination – stay overnight at a bed and breakfast, chalet or farmstay.

Take one of the many drive and walk trails that meander through the Valley with wineries, orchards, markets and roadside stalls selling seasonal fresh produce along your way. At the Brockman Centre in Bindoon you will find locally made arts and crafts and the local Heritage Museum.





♀ SANDALFORD WINES



## SWAN VALLEY ITINERARY

### ONE DAY IN THE SWAN VALLEY

Begin your day at French patisserie Maison St-Honoré, indulging in handmade macarons, pastries and cakes to start your adventure on a sweet note.

Spend the morning at Whiteman Park, exploring on foot or aboard the vintage train. With more than 129 bird species recorded, it's a haven for birdwatchers. Be sure to visit Caversham Wildlife Park to cuddle koalas and meet other animals like possums, kangaroos and wallabies. Car enthusiasts can also explore the Motor Museum of WA, home to an impressive collection including a genuine F1 car.

Savour a leisurely lunch at Sittella Winery & Restaurant, where the veranda offers sweeping views across some of the valley's most picturesque vineyards.

In the afternoon, sample the valley's wineries and distilleries on a self-guided tour, or join Swan Valley Tours' 'Afternoon in the Valley', which includes a visit to select wineries, a microbrewery, and a chocolate company.

End your day with fine dining at Wild Swan, Mandoon Estate's award-winning restaurant, or at Sandalford Wines with their Australian Good Food Guide Chef Hat Awarded restaurant.

### THREE DAYS & TWO NIGHTS IN THE SWAN VALLEY

Day one begins with breakfast at Padbury's Café Restaurant in Guildford, their famous Meringue Munro Pancakes are a must. From here, set out on a day of food, wine and distillery discovery through the picturesque valley.

Indulge in sweet treats at Mondo Nougat and nutty delights at Morish Nuts or stop at The House of Honey & The Sticky Spoon Café to sample mead and browse bee-inspired gifts. See unique jewellery, homewares and gifts at The Tribe – Swan Valley, then treat yourself at Whistlers Chocolate Company, where more than 50 years of chocolate-making tradition awaits.

Slip in a wine tasting at Olive Farm Wines where you will learn about four generations of winemaking, and sample varietals you won't find elsewhere. Lunch is served at the beautiful Upper Reach Winery, where fresh, seasonal dishes pair perfectly with vineyard views. Linger longer after lunch and settle into your accommodation at Upper Reach Winery's charming refurbished workers' cottage located on the vineyard. Alternatively, consider Settlers Rest Farmstay with its friendly animals, or enjoy golf and gardens while staying at The Vines Resort.

This afternoon, follow the distillery

trail. Highlights include Limeburners and Giniversity in the Valley, and Sin Gin Distillery. End your first day with a relaxed dinner at Bailey Brewing Co., where hearty meals and a welcoming atmosphere make it the perfect spot to wind down.

Begin day two with a hike at Bells Rapids, where rushing waters and rolling hills provide a stunning backdrop. Enjoy a wine tasting and vineyard lunch at the historic Nikola Estate, before exploring the township of Guildford on one of their self-guided tours. You can pick up maps at the Visitor Centre. As the sun sets, join a Kangaroo Safari at The Vines Resort, where you'll sip wine or beer while spotting the resort's friendly kangaroos and finishing with a round of mini golf. Dinner tonight is at The Henley Brook, a relaxed gastropub with local wines and craft brews overlooking a sprawling beer garden.

It's day three and your final day exploring the Swan Valley. Grab coffee at Yahava KoffeeWorks before enjoying a Bush Tucker Talk & Tasting with Dale Tillbrook at Mandoon Estate. While you're here, browse Maalinup Aboriginal Gallery, home to authentic artworks and native food products.

Lunch is shared tapas-style at The Tapas Bar, before an afternoon wine tour with d'Vine Wine Tours, offering the perfect farewell to the valley's flavours.



♀ NIKOLA ESTATE

**Banksia Tourist Park**



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Banksia Tourist Park is located at the base of the Perth Hills and offers superb onsite accommodation with pet friendly options available. Our amazing facilities include a café style camp kitchen, luxurious lounge and recreation room, undercover playground, pool and BBQ facilities.



**Caversham Wildlife Park**



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Caversham Wildlife Park is one of Perth's most popular tourist attractions, showcasing the largest private collection of native wildlife in Western Australia. Hand-feed the kangaroos, have photos taken with a koala, feel a lizard and python, meet a wombat, see the penguins being fed, explore the Reptile House and Nocturnal exhibit, wander through the interactive Farmyard, and so much more!

Housing around 200 species and 2000 individuals, including the Tasmanian devil, quokka, emu, echidna, possum, cockatoo, crocodile, eagle, tree kangaroo, swan and all of the other iconic Australian animals, birds and reptiles. The park which has been owned and operated by a local family since 1988, is situated in the Swan Valley, just 30 minutes from Perth CBD. It offers a variety of hands-on activities and experiences throughout the day, 364 days of the year.

Caversham Wildlife Park is a great Australian meet and greet experience for the whole family, in one fantastic day.



**Kangaroo Safari at The Vines Resort**



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Spend an afternoon riding in a buggy on the fairways of the Vines Resort's prestigious golf course, getting up close and personal with the local kangaroo population. Finish your sunset tour with a drink and a round of 18 holes of mini golf on the state of the art course - ideal for the whole family!

Book your Safari online at kangaroosafari.com.au - departs daily at 4pm.



**Maalinup Aboriginal Gallery**



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Busstucker Talk and Tastings is an enjoyable way to spend two hours eating, sniffing and drinking the flavours of the Australian bush. Go to our website to book this or Aboriginal Art and Dreamtime Stories, one of our other Aboriginal cultural experiences.



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Enjoy la dolce vita – the sweet life – at Mondo Nougat. Since 1990, our family business has been handcrafting nougat that combines Australia's finest nuts and honey with traditional Italian recipes. There are more than 20 flavours available. Enjoy a free sample, then stay for coffee, cake and gelato. Closed Mondays.



Mandoon Estate



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Discover unforgettable moments at Mandoon Estate. From exclusive wine tasting experiences and gourmet dining to scenic riverfront accommodation and immersive cultural tours, every experience is crafted to indulge the senses. Whether you're celebrating or simply exploring, Mandoon offers the perfect escape in the heart of the Swan Valley.

Motor Museum of Western Australia



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Discover Australia's most diverse motoring collection at the Motor Museum of Western Australia, featuring over 200 historic and modern cars and motorcycles, plus more than 15,000 scale models—the biggest such display in the southern hemisphere. The star exhibit is Daniel Ricciardo's 2014 Red Bull RB10 Formula 1 car, the only Grand Prix-winning race car on public display in Australia. Guided tours are offered daily at 11am and 2pm, revealing stories behind rare classics and legendary vehicles in a 45-minute experience. Interactive displays let children climb into a 1973 Leyland Marina or a Honda scooter, while adults can try the driver's seat of a 1970 Rolls Royce Silver Shadow. The museum is fully accessible, designed for visitors of all ages and abilities. Located 20km northeast of Perth CBD in Whiteman Park, it's open daily from 10am to 4pm (closed Christmas Day), promising an inspiring visit for motoring fans and history seekers alike.



Morish Nuts



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For more than 30 years, the Morish Nuts kitchen artisans have created tempting sweet and savoury confectionery. We roast premium Australian nuts and lightly coat them in our signature caramel before adding natural flavours including wasabi, truffle and lemon myrtle. A sample will leave you wanting "just one more". Open daily.



Sandalford Wines



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SANDALFORD

- Western Australia's most awarded wine tourism facility, including the Qantas Australian Tourism Award for Best Winery
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- Australian Good Food Guide Chef Hat Awarded Restaurant
- Margaret River and Swan Valley premium wines
- Winery Tours, Wine Blending, Food and Wine Pairing and the Ultimate Heritage Indulgence package
- Best Cellar Door experience, including Wine Tasting and sales and unique giftware
- Picturesque vineyard and beautifully landscaped grounds
- Outdoor concerts, festivals and events
- Multiple award-winning Weddings and Functions venue



**Swan Valley Cuddly Animal Farm**



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A visit to the Swan Valley Cuddly Animal Farm provides children (and 'grown-ups' too) with the opportunity to experience the joy of getting 'close and personal' with lots of friendly farmyard animals. Just 30 minutes from the Perth CBD in the heart of the beautiful Swan Valley.



**The House of Honey**



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THE HOUSE OF HONEY™



Located in the picturesque Swan Valley, The House of Honey is a sanctuary for local bees and hives, specialising in pure, West Australian honey. With a buzzing on-site cafe, gift shop, honey tasting showroom, meadery, as well as regular tours and events, we are more than just a simple honey shop!

VISIT US: Visit us daily, from 10am - 5pm, for a bee and honey education, enjoy free tastings and see the bees at work in our observation hive.

BOOK A TOUR: Visit our website's event page to see what we have going on and book into our next tour.



**The Novotel Vines Resort**



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The Novotel Vines Resort in the picturesque Swan Valley is just 30minutes from the city with a range of accommodation options for your next getaway. The resort features spacious Resort Rooms with views overlooking the golf course, Perth Hills, or resort grounds. The Resort also has a range of self-contained 2 & 3 bedroom apartments for those wanting to spread out a little more. Guests can relax by the pool and heated outdoor spa, play the 36-hole golf course, and enjoy an abundance of resort facilities including a day spa and family-friendly mini golf. Right nearby, take part in a Kangaroo Safari for a unique chance to spot native wildlife up close—perfect for families and nature lovers alike.

**Vines Mini Golf**



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Challenge your friends or family across 18 holes of mini golf on this beautifully landscaped course set at the picturesque Vines Resort. The perfect activity to keep the kids (and the adults!) entertained. No bookings required, open 7 days a week from 8am.

**Whiteman Park**



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Whether you have a love of motoring history, want to spend time outdoors with family and friends or are keen to immerse yourself in the Western Australian bush, you'll find something to love at Whiteman Park. It is a unique conservation and recreation reserve located just 25 minutes from the Perth CBD, where you can experience something different every day.

Covering over 3,7000 hectares of natural bushland and incorporating 150 hectares of leisure facilities, the Park sits on the doorstep of the Swan Valley and is home to Revolutions Transport Museum, the popular Caversham Wildlife Park and native fauna sanctuary, Woodland Reserve.

You can enjoy a range of guided tours that allow visitors the chance to see and learn more about the Park while playgrounds, bushwalk trails, vintage train and tram rides, the Tractor and Motor Museums, a craft village, Pia's Place, Children's Forest and more will keep everyone entertained.



# Avon Valley

— GOGULGAR



## THINGS WE LOVE



Wander through lively weekend farmers markets and stock up on fresh local produce



Step back in time with a visit to the York Motor Museum and admire a dazzling collection of vintage cars



Soar above the Avon Valley at sunrise in a hot air balloon for breathtaking views



Witness golden carpets of canola bloom across rolling hills after the winter rains



Indulge in the region's best country bakeries and charming tea rooms



Marvel at Northam's towering silo murals, part of the iconic Public Silo Trail



Deepen your understanding of Noongar culture at Bilya Koort Boodja, a centre for Aboriginal heritage and environmental wisdom



Step into the past in New Norcia, Australia's only monastic town, and feast on their fresh bread and olive oil



Follow the Tiny Door Trail around York for some magical excitement



♀ TOODYAY BAKERY

### GETTING AROUND

Located just over an hour's drive northeast of Perth City by car, drive, catch the weekly AvonLink train to Toodyay or Northam or book a day tour of the Avon Valley.

### AVON VALLEY / GOGULGAR

The Avon Valley brims with country charm, inviting history buffs and nature lovers to explore its rolling green hills and character-filled heritage towns. Discover historic pubs, elegant manors, and charming hotels that tell the story of the region's colonial past. Enjoy riverside picnics, vibrant wildflowers, golden canola fields, and the sight of colourful hot air balloons drifting through the sky.

Woven by the Avon River, the valley holds deep cultural significance for the Ballardong Noongar people. Along its banks, six

of Western Australia's oldest towns, each within 30 minutes of one another form the gateway to the Wheatbelt.

Stay in lovingly restored heritage hotels or cosy self-contained cottages, savour award-winning country bakeries, and wander through welcoming townships full of character. The Avon Valley is ready to be explored, one charming village at a time.



♀ TINY DOOR TRAIL, YORK

### YORK

Nestled along the Avon River on Ballardong Noongar boodja, York is Western Australia's first inland settlement, celebrated for its rich history, striking architecture and beautiful natural surroundings. Step back in time on a guided Town Hall tour, immerse yourself in the stories of the York Residency Museum, or admire classic motoring history at the York Motor Museum. The town is a myriad of cafés, heritage pubs and eateries, each serving up unique flavours and warm country hospitality, complimented by artisan and antique shops.

Accommodation ranges from cosy B&Bs or cottages to country retreats amongst the rolling hills and family-friendly caravan parks.

### NORTHAM

The region's largest town, Northam is known for hot air ballooning, heritage buildings, and striking public art, including silo

murals marking the start of WA's Public Silo Trail.

Enjoy a trail ride with Green Gables Stables, join their Brewery Ride for local beer and hearty food, or get your adrenaline fix at Rally School Perth. Visit Bilya Koort Boodja, an interpretive centre celebrating Noongar culture and the region's Traditional Owners.

### TOODYAY

Established in 1836, Toodyay is rich in heritage and natural beauty. Explore the Toodyay Reserve Trails, pick up a wildflower guide, and step back in time at the Newcastle Gaol Museum, home to stories of the infamous bushranger Moondyne Joe. Discover Connor's Mill, the festive Christmas 360 shop, and enjoy a Day at the Farm tour with Farm Animal Tour Perth for an authentic rural experience. A variety of accommodation options are available both in town and throughout the surrounding countryside.

### BEVERLEY

A rural arts hub, Beverley blends heritage architecture with creativity. Stroll Vincent Street on the award-winning Heritage Walk, admire murals by artist James Giddy, and explore local galleries. Families can relax at Moort Wabiny Park with its nature play, skate park, and BBQs. Aviation lovers can visit the Beverley Soaring Society for a gliding experience or to watch the action. Beverley is also a top spot for stargazing. Pick up a Planisphere from the Visitor Centre and explore Aboriginal astronomy and the night sky.

### GOOMALLING

The picturesque Shire of Goomalling is one of Australia's 15 national biodiversity hotspots, and in spring the bushland and fields burst with colour. Wildflowers blanket the landscape, vivid yellow canola lights up the horizon, and the striking blood-red spider orchid blooms throughout the surrounding



♀ CONNOR'S MILL, TOODYAY



♀ KEP TRACK, NORTHAM



♀ WINDWARD BALLOONING, NORTHAM

### HOT AIR BALLOONING

Embark on an enchanting hot air ballooning adventure in the Avon Valley with Liberty Balloon Flights or Windward Ballooning. As dawn breaks, vibrant balloons prepare to ascend for the dreamy journey. Float peacefully, untethered from the everyday, as you take in the breathtaking beauty below. The Avon Valley is the only place in Western Australia where you can enjoy this dreamlike experience, and for added ease, Liberty Balloon Flights offers optional transfers from Perth.

bush. Browse boutique finds and vintage treasures and enjoy coffee at Lot 39 Store & Café while basking in the warm rural atmosphere of this country town.



Discover more of the Avon Valley



📍 BEVERLEY



## AVON VALLEY ITINERARY

### ONE DAY IN THE AVON VALLEY

Begin your day in Northam with an unforgettable hot air balloon flight, drifting like a dream above rolling hills, lush fields and winding streams. From April to November, both Liberty Balloon Flights and Windward Ballooning offer this breathtaking experience followed by breakfast, creating memories that last a lifetime.

Make the journey to the historic town of York. In the spring, golden canola fields and wildflowers line the way. Collect maps at the Visitor Centre and embark on one of three self-guided walks: *Grand Designs*, exploring the heritage facades of the main street; *Hidden Gems*, revealing charming side streets; or *Convicts and Crossings*, tracing the footsteps of early settlers. Pause for lunch at the welcoming Imperial Homestead, renowned for hearty country fare.

Your afternoon ends in Beverley, where the art trail leads you past murals, sculptures, galleries and studios. As evening falls, look up, Beverley's dark skies offer some of the best stargazing in Western Australia.

### THREE DAYS & TWO NIGHTS IN THE AVON VALLEY

Begin day one with a scenic drive through rolling valley fields into the Avon Valley. If travelling in late winter or spring, stop at PetTeet Park and capture the golden glow of their canola fields.

Continue your drive, arriving in Goomalling where you can enjoy a spot of shopping at Lot 39 Store & Café. Take a look around this historic town before making your way to Toodyay. Drop into the Visitor Centre for maps, then wander Charcoal Lane to see vibrant murals.

Refuel at the award-winning Toodyay Bakery before a self-guided walk. Highlights include Connor's Mill, Newcastle Gaol Museum and the historic Stirling Terrace. Later, taste the region's flavours with mead at Alicia Estate Winery & Restaurant, organic spirits at Roam Distillery, or heritage wines at Coorinja Winery.

Stay overnight in a cosy Heyscape cabin, at Sandalwood Downs Farm Stay or have an eco outback farm experience with Boshack Outback. If you prefer something closer to town, the Toodyay Hotel offers comfortable rooms.

On day two, rise early and head to Northam for a sunrise hot air balloon flight followed by breakfast (April–November) with Liberty Balloon Flights or Windward Ballooning. Visit the award-winning Bilya Koort Boodja Centre for insights into Noongar culture and sustainable land practices. Lunch at The Rec Hotel, then walk a section of the Dorntj Koorliny Track. In the afternoon, saddle up with Green Gables Stables or admire the silo murals along the Public Silo Trail. Enjoy dinner at The Imperial Homestead which offers heritage charm.

Spend your final day in York, WA's oldest inland town. Stroll along Avon Terrace past landmarks like St Patrick's Church and the York Courthouse. Discover quirky tales on a self-guided ghost tour, or browse the York Motor Museum. Shop at the Flour Mill Emporium, The Good Life Store, and Barclay Books and enjoy lunch at a bakery or pub.

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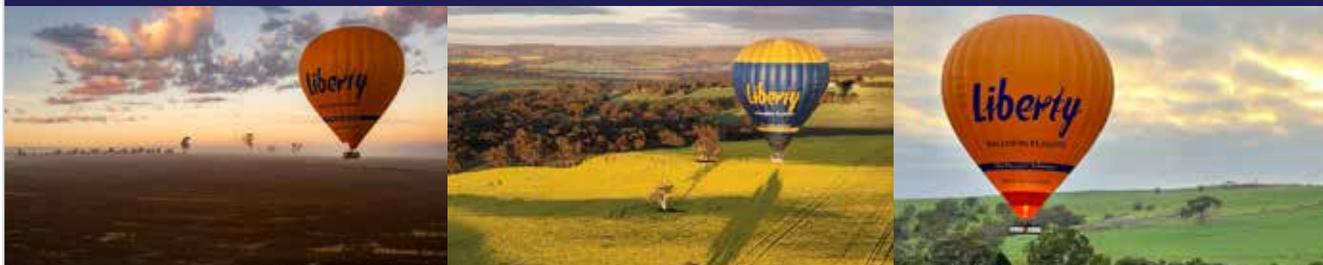
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♀ AVON VALLEY

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## MILKY WAY STARGAZING

- If you're lucky, catch the Aurora Australis from Lake Clifton, south of Mandurah.

## CITY STARGAZING

- Stunning Kings Park has minimal lights so is good for stargazing. Visit on the right night to see the Kings Park Full Moon Rise over the city and Swan River.
- After a glorious sunset, Perth beaches give you a great view to the western night sky. The ocean is dark, and you'll be surprised at how many more stars you can see.
- Stay overnight in the Perth Hills or Swan Valley. Take your telescope and binoculars to see the stars up close.

## THE STARS OF 2026

### January to March

Summer stargazing is spectacular, dark night skies show off the Seven Sisters cluster of stars. On 3rd March 2026, a rare total lunar eclipse will be visible from Perth.

### April to August

The best time to see the Milky Way, the band of stars that make up our galaxy. Discover the Aboriginal constellation of the "Emu in the Sky" by looking for the dark parts of the Milky Way.

### August to September

Venus is dazzling in the night sky after sunset. Look west on 14th September 2026 to see Venus appear above a captivating crescent Moon.

### October to December

Keep an eye out at dark sky locations with no moon light to see meteor showers - Orionids in October, Leonids in November and Geminids in December.

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You don't need a telescope to go stargazing. Naked-eye stargazing is peaceful and awe-inspiring.

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## GETTING AROUND

Just 45 minutes from Perth CBD, the Perth Hills are best explored by car for the freedom to wander at your own pace. Prefer not to drive? Join a day tour for a relaxed, hassle-free experience.

## PERTH HILLS / GAADA-MOORN-DA KATAMUNDA

The Perth Hills offer a tapestry of forest, trails, orchards and art-filled towns. Discover Armadale's heritage charm and spring blooms, Mundaring's tranquil dams and wine trails, and Kalamunda's creative spirit and cosy retreats. Venture to Serpentine-Jarrahdale for cascading waterfalls, bush walks and fine dining at Millbrook Winery, or unwind in Gidgegannup, where rolling farmland meets waterfalls, wildlife sanctuaries and open-air concerts at Red Hill Auditorium. Whether hiking, tasting or simply taking in the views, the Perth Hills invite you to slow down, reconnect and savour life among the trees.

Stay the night and immerse yourself in the countryside. Luxury seekers can choose Amaroo Retreat & Spa or Rosebridge House Bed & Breakfast, while families may prefer Avocados Perth or Banksia

Tourist Park. For something special, Heyscape offers tiny cabin stays on a working farm, where mornings greet you with grazing horses and sheep.

## MUNDARING

Mundaring, meaning "high place" in the Noongar language, takes its name from its hilltop location with sweeping views of the Darling Scarp. Once a timber, quarry and farming town, it now celebrates its heritage through galleries, museums and beautifully restored buildings. Explore heritage trails following old railway tracks or wander John Forrest National Park, with its historic tunnel, winter waterfalls and spring wildflowers.

A visit to Mundaring Weir is a must – telling the historical tale of C.Y. O'Connor's remarkable Golden Pipeline Project. Enjoy a picnic in the park or discover local taverns on a fun Pedal and Pint trail –

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Scan this QR code for the Lake Leschenaultia mountain bike trail map :



including the Parkerville Tavern and Mahogany Inn and Distillery. Lake Leschenaultia is a local gem for swimming, paddling or strolling the accessible loop trail. The Flackyard serving bushfood inspired delights is worth a visit alone.

## ARMADALE

Blending heritage, art, agriculture and nature, Armadale invites discovery year-round. Stroll through the colourful gardens of Araluen Botanic Park, or join The Hike Collective on the Six Seasons Trails Series, taking in Forrestdale Wetlands, Armadale Settlers Common and Roley Pools. Set among rolling hills and valleys, Churchman Brook Dam is ideal for picnics and see colourful seasonal stone fruit and citrus at Raeburn Orchards and Willow Springs Orchard. Explore the Bert Tyler Vintage Machinery Museum and History House Museum, meet wildlife at Kaarakin Black Cockatoo Conservation Centre, then dine in old-world pub charm at the Last Drop Elizabethan or enjoy farm to fork fare at The Good Paddock.

## KALAMUNDA

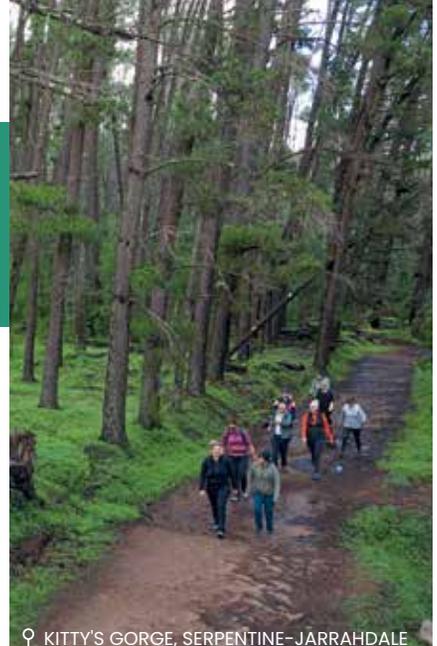
The creative heart of the Hills, Kalamunda is where art, food and nature converge. Its lively town centre brims with cafés, boutiques,



♀ LIONS LOOKOUT, KORUNG NATIONAL PARK



Use a tour company like The Hike Collective or Off The Beaten Track WA if you're not sure about going out on the trails alone.



♀ KITTY'S GORGE, SERPENTINE-JARRAHDAL

## ACCESSIBLE TRAILS IN THE PERTH HILLS

The Perth Hills cater to visitors of all abilities, with wheelchair-friendly trails, accessible parking and visitor facilities.

The Perth Hills Mundaring Visitor Centre provides detailed accessibility information and guides.

### Settlers Common East

A 5km accessible stretch with scenic lookouts and picnic spots.

### Echidna Easy Walk Trail

A 900m return trail in Ellis Brook Valley, suitable for prams and wheelchairs.

### Lake Leschenaultia Loop

A 3km accessible walk circling the lake.

### Railway Reserves Heritage Trail

Accessible in shorter sections for a range of abilities.

galleries and markets overflowing with fresh produce and local crafts. Surrounded by forest and vineyards, it's a haven for rest and rejuvenation, with cosy cottages, boutique B&Bs and wellness retreats perfect for a weekend escape. Explore scenic bush trails, including the northern starting point of the Bibbulmun Track, or wander the Bickley Valley wine region for boutique wineries, cideries and rustic dining. Don't miss the Perth Observatory, Lesmurdie Falls, and Kanyana Wildlife Rehabilitation Centre for a true Hills experience.

## GIDGEGANNUP

Meaning "the place where spears are made," Gidjeejarnup reflects the area's deep Noongar heritage, later shaped by early settlers who farmed its fertile lands.

Wander Noble Falls with its winter/spring rock cascades and walking trails rich in birdlife and bushland. The Gidgegannup Bakery & Café is a favourite for homestyle country treats, while the Noble Falls Tavern offers a warm welcome and a cool drink after a day exploring.

The Paruna Wildlife Sanctuary thrives with pristine flora and rare fauna, while the Red Hill Auditorium attracts international music acts to this open-air venue. For horse lovers, Zia Park Equestrian Centre offers lessons and trail experiences across its scenic 140-acre property.

## SERPENTINE-JARRAHDAL

Rugged and wild, Serpentine-Jarrahdale is defined by ancient forests, cascading waterfalls and scenic trails through pristine bushland. The jewel of the region, Serpentine National Park, is home to the spectacular Serpentine Falls, where natural rock pools entice visitors for a dip.

Follow the Kitty's Gorge Walk Trail or climb Baldwin's Bluff for sweeping views, then savour a wine-paired long lunch at Millbrook Winery. In the historic timber town of Jarrahdale, explore the Jarrahdale Railway Heritage Trail, or relax with a beverage at the Jarrahdale Tavern. With farm gates, forest drives and rustic vibes, this southern pocket of the Perth Hills is made for slow exploration.



Discover more of the Perth Hills



♀ MUNDARING WEIR



## PERTH HILLS ITINERARY

### ONE DAY IN THE PERTH HILLS

Begin your adventure in Kalamunda, the creative heart of the Hills. Start with coffee and pastries at local café Mason & Bird, before browsing the town's markets. Take in sweeping views from Lesmurdie Falls or Lions Lookout, where the landscape stretches to the city skyline.

Wind through the Bickley Valley's scenic orchards and vineyards, where during summer and autumn you'll have the opportunity to stop in at the local farmgates to shop for local produce. Enjoy a relaxed wine tasting and long lunch of seasonal fare and valley views at Plume Estate, or soak up the lively atmosphere with the locals at the Kalamunda Hotel.

In the afternoon, join Off The Beaten Track WA for a guided hike through native bushland and learn about the work of Kaarakin Black Cockatoo Conservation Centre.

Finish your day with sunset views over Mundaring Weir and a drink at the historic Mundaring Weir Hotel.

### THREE DAYS & TWO NIGHTS IN THE PERTH HILLS

This self-drive journey reveals the natural beauty and country charm of the Perth Hills. Begin in the south at Serpentine–Jarrahdale, exploring Serpentine Falls and forested trails before a long lunch at Bistro by the Dam. Continue to Armadale to wander Araluen Botanic Park or join The Hike Collective on the Six Seasons Trails Series, ending the day at The Good Paddock or the Last Drop Elizabethan.

Base yourself centrally in Kalamunda in a cosy B&B, vineyard cottage, or tiny cabin beneath the stars. Browse the Sunday Farmers

Market and local stores, enjoy views of the city from Lesmurdie Falls, and venture through the Bickley Valley for tastings at Myattsfield Vineyards, Core Cider or Lawnbrook Estate. As evening falls, book a Night Sky Tour and stargaze at the Perth Observatory.

Finish your adventure in Mundaring and Gidgegannup, exploring Mundaring Weir, Noble Falls and Paruna Wildlife Sanctuary before a cheeky wine tasting at Lion Mill Vineyards — the perfect finale to your Hills escape.



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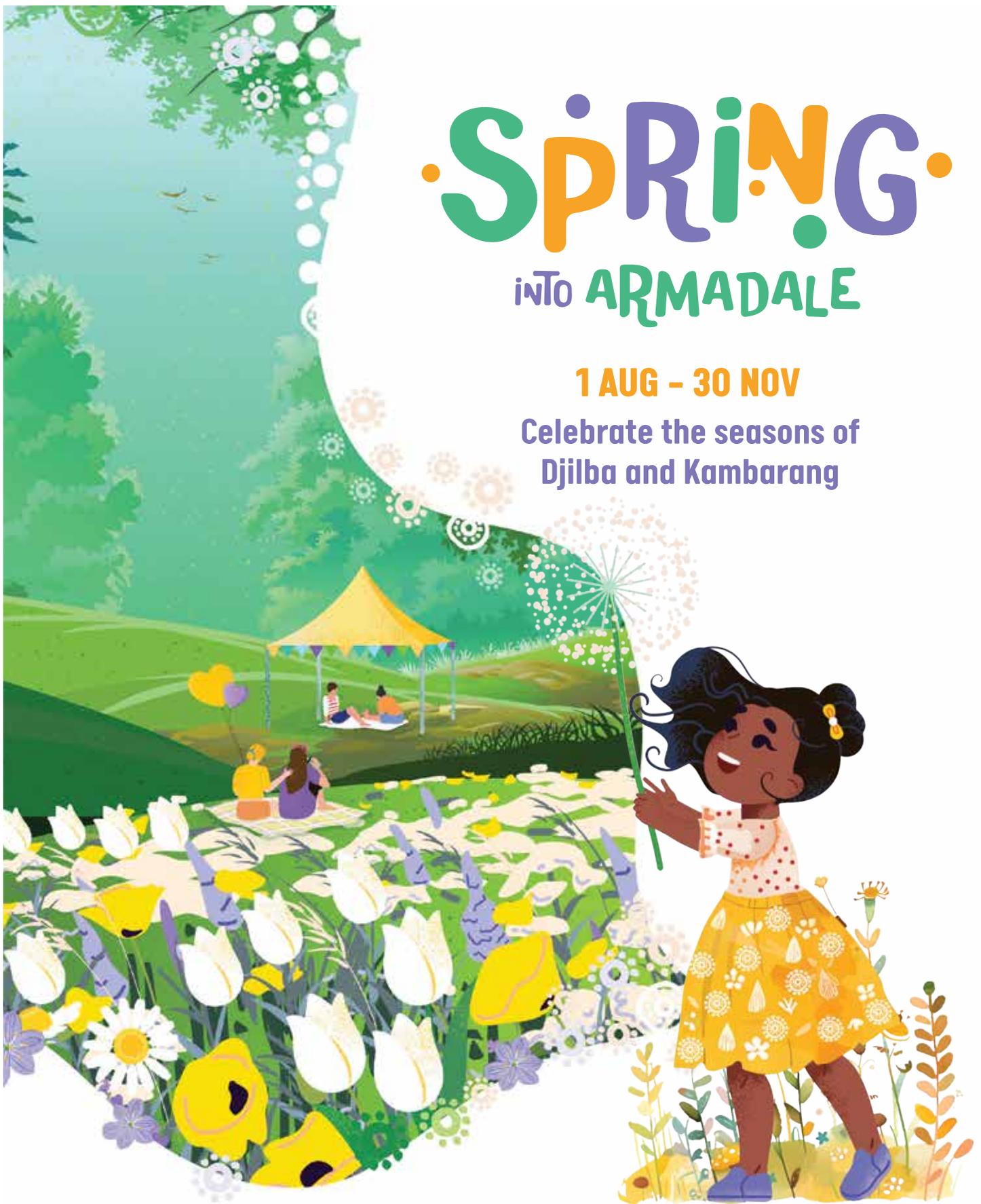


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# Getting here & getting around

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## PERTH AIRPORT

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A Perth Airport Terminal Transfer Bus transfers passengers between T1/T2 and T3/T4 for free, as the terminals are located on opposite sides of the airport estate. Car hire is available from Perth Airport and there are dedicated areas for rideshare and passenger pick-up and drop-off by private transport.

## TAXIS AND RIDESHARE

Taxis are generally plentiful in Perth and can be found at dedicated ranks throughout the CBD, major shopping centres, nightspots, and from both domestic and international airport terminals. Uber and Didi are readily available.

## BUSES

An extensive bus network serves as a key public transport option for Perth. The Perth City Underground Bus Port, situated in the heart of the Perth City, functions as the main hub for bus services across the Perth Metropolitan area.

## FREE CAT BUS

Perth and Joondalup are served by an efficient public transport

system along with a free shuttle service called The Central Area Transit (CAT). In Perth City, the CAT buses operate on five routes, offering free transport around the city centre and to Leederville.

## FERRIES

Transperth operates a ferry service between Elizabeth Quay and Mends Street in South Perth. The main commuter ferry terminal is located at Barrack Street Jetty in the CBD. Other ferry services from here include travel to and from Fremantle and Rottnest Island. It's also the departure point for wine cruises to the Swan Valley.

## TRAINS

There are three main train stations in the Perth CBD area – Perth Central, Perth Underground and Elizabeth Quay stations. These link Perth's surrounding suburbs at Claremont, Subiaco, Fremantle, Butler, Mandurah, Midland, Armadale, as well as Perth Airport. You can travel up north to Yanchep and across to Whiteman Park in the Swan Valley.

## PRIVATE VEHICLES, COACHES AND CAR HIRE

Several private car and coach companies with both small and large vehicles operate in the city and surrounding areas. These services are perfect for transfer to and from the airport, transfer to events or for local and regional tours. Perth Luxury Tours specialises in premium private tours from Perth and offer tours around the regional area. Aries Car Rental and H2O Car Rentals also offer private tours and car rentals. Limousines Australia offer a premium way to travel with luxury vehicles and trained chauffeurs.

## WALKING AND CYCLING

Perth has a comprehensive network of cycle and dual-use paths in the central city and beyond. One of the most popular routes for leisure cyclists and walkers is a circuit around the Swan River at the doorstep of the city. Riverside routes are clearly signposted. There are also pathways along much of the coastline. Bike hire is available in the city area through About Bike Hire.

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