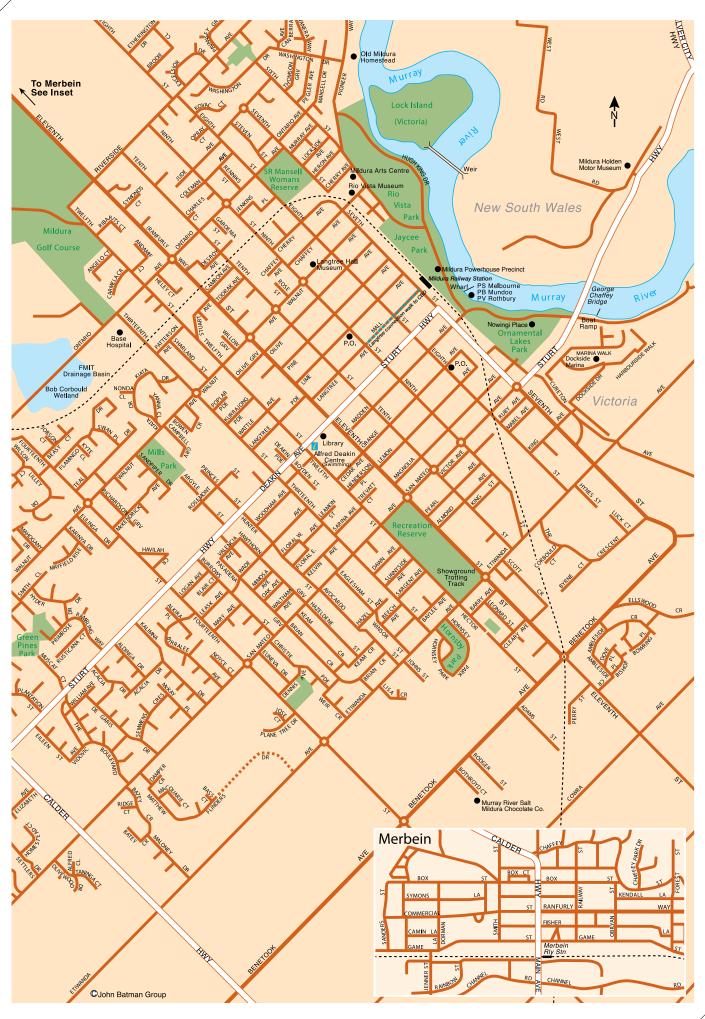
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Mildura, Credit: Murray Regional Tourism

Mildura streetscape, Credit: Murray Regional Tourism

WELCOME TO

MILDURA

Mildura is the regional city centre of the Mallee and is renowned for the bountiful produce of its rich red soil.

Mildura, meaning 'red earth', is Victoria's most northern regional city. It might have been more aptly named for its exceptional amount of sunshine. With a combination of great weather and fertile soil, the region is a prime location for horticulture.

Mildura is renowned for its abundant produce and is the major producer of dried fruit and table grapes in Australia. Other local produce includes citrus fruit, olives, almonds pistachios, asparagus and carrots. The region is also known for its wine varietals and boasts over 34 wineries. The first grapes were planted as far back as 1888, so the area is well versed in the art of producing tasty wines. Be sure to visit some of the cellar doors in the region and try a traditional drop of some of the newer varietals.

Taking advantage of the clean environment and access to unique local botanicals, beer brewers and spirit distillers are producing spectacular brews at Mildura Brewery, and gins, whisky, rum and vodka at Fossey's Distillery.

Mildura is a town steeped in history and its classic appeal is that it is set on the banks of the majestic Murray River. There's plenty of aquatic adventures to include visitors such as kayaking, canoeing and paddle boarding. For something a little more relaxing, take a cruise along the mighty Murray River.

By the riverbanks, twice-monthly farmers' markets provide an opportunity to connect with local growers and select your own local produce. Additionally, the area captivates visitors with its vibrant arts and cultural scene, featuring numerous compelling galleries and an increasing array of community art initiatives, such as the Mildura City Heart Community Art Trail.

You can explore the natural wonders of the surrounding countryside, walking, cycling, bird watching, fishing, kayaking and camping.

Crossing the river and venturing past Wentworth, discover the Perry Sandhills, experience the Canopy Tree's lofty branches and the dunes' summit, and gain a true understanding of the vastness and seclusion of this Australian region. If you have the luxury of time, the World Heritage-listed Mungo National Park beckons you to explore its wonders.

Mildura is a vibrant regional city full of contrast waiting to be explored. From the Murray River to the outback, there's something here for everyone.

Stop by the Mildura Visitor Information and Booking Centre located at 180-190 Deakin Avenue for more information on the region.

Whether you're a regular visitor or staying for the first time, welcome and thank you for choosing to experience everything our wonderful region has to offer.

We're fortunate to feature a large and diverse range of dining experiences from our amazing restaurants, cafés, bars and retail outlets offering something for all interests .

While there's plenty to see and do in our city's CBD, make sure you take the time to explore the numerous smaller towns dotted across our region. Each has its own character and attractions with many 'hidden gems' you will talk about on your return home.

While much of our tourism appeal stems from our natural attractions like the river and nearby national parks, our welcoming people and friendly communities are also key to our region's appeal as a top visitor destination.

We have a packed calendar of events year-round, taking in everything from the performing arts, farmers markets and exhibitions through to our flagship powersports events.

We hope you enjoy your stay and we look forward to welcoming you back again soon.

Cr Liam Wood

Mayor

Mildura Rural City Council





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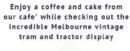












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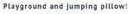
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Mildura Paddlesteamer cruising the Murray, Credit: Visit Mildura



Gol Gol Boat Ramp, Credit: Visit Mildura



Psyche Pumps, Credit: Visit Mildura



Rio Vista House, Credit: Visit Mildura

THINGS TO

SEE & DO

Mildura boasts a range of attractions and activities that will keep the whole family entertained.

CRUISE THE MURRAY

Situated in a prime location along the Murray River, Mildura offers a variety of cruise options. Ranging from a couple of hours by original steam driven paddlesteamers, to lunch and dinner cruises complete with live music, to several days on a luxury or budget houseboat, there's something here for everyone.

RIVER ACTIVITIES

If you're keen for some outdoor river activities, kayaking, canoeing and stand-up paddle boarding are popular in the region. Alternatively, you can throw a line in at Kings Billabong, or fish for some famous Murray cod along the Murray River. Just remember, a current NSW fishing licence is required if you do plan to fish.

FAMILY FIIN

There's a range of entertainment choices in the region, which will keep the kids entertained for hours. Options include mini-golfing, tenpin bowling, arcade gaming, laser tag, strawberry picking, local playgrounds and a gem shop. For a fun and educational activity visit Orange World which provides informative tours of citrus and avocado groves.

EXPLORE MILDURA'S ART SCENE

The Mildura Art Centre Gallery and other local galleries exibits showcase local, emerging and notable artists. Explore large scale art works and murals throughout the region.

MILDURA CITY HEART COMMUNITY ART TRAIL

Walk the streets, explore the laneways, stop a moment to take in the vibrant and lively art scene of Mildura with Mildura City Heart's Mural Art Project.

Embark on a walking tour to marvel at the expansive artworks crafted in and around Mildura's City Heart. Stretching from the mid-1940s to the present day, numerous murals from both local and visiting artists adorn the CBD. Be sure to gaze upward and around as you explore, you never know what you may discover.

HEALTH AND WELLBEING

The Mildura region has a large range of gyms, group fitness, sporting facilities including the Mildura Sporting Precinct, yoga and pilates studios with day spas and wellbeing centres.

PSYCHE BEND PUMP STATION

Take a tour of the Psyche Bend Pump Station built by the Chaffey brothers. More than 130 years old, the pump station is the only operational one of its kind in the world. For opening dates and running times contact the Mildura Visitor Information Centre.

THE CHAFFEY TRAIL

The Chaffey Trail offers a captivating heritage adventure encompassing twelve interconnected and historically notable locations. Embark on a journey to uncover the narrative of how the Mildura Region transformed into an irrigated sanctuary amidst its arid surroundings, marking Australia's inaugural irrigation colony. Discover heritage sites, view buildings of interest, and delve into the tales of the individuals and events that shaped this distinctive community.

The Chaffey Trail Sites — Mildura Station Homestead, Station Homestead Cemetery, Rio Vista, Lock 11 Mildura Weir, Wharf Port of Mildura, Grand Hotel, Langtree Hall, Mildura Club, Psyche Pumps, Chateau Mildura, Merbein Connection, Big Lizzie.

For more information, contact the Mildura Visitor Information Centre on 1800 039 043.

MILDURA HOLDEN MOTOR MUSEUM

Visit the Mildura Holden Motor Museum & Shop for a piece of history. The entire collaboration of the Holden Motor Museum is the result of one man's passion and love for Holden cars. Here you will find a magnificent display of 28-35 Holden vehicles starting from the first model made to current models. The museum also has kids activities, a cafe, and an online store. Open Tuesday to Sunday, 9.30am - 3.00pm.

RETAIL THERAPY

Of course, you can always meander along the streets of Mildura and do a spot of shopping to relax and unwind. Alternatively, indulge your senses at one of the day spas with a luxurious spa treatment of your choice.

MURRAY-SUNSET NATIONAL PARK

The Murray-Sunset National Park covers a large area in Mildura's south west and is home to spectacular birdlife and wildlife. This remote and unspoilt corner of northwestern Victoria boasts some of the finest sunsets in the world. Visitors are encouraged to visit the southern section (130kms from Mildura) which includes the picturesque Pink Lakes. The central grass and woodlands can be accessed by 4X4 vehicles. Enjoy walks and camping nearby.

PINK LAKES

Travel out to the Murray Sunset National Park to see the famous Pink Lakes. Located in the far northwest corner of Victoria, the lakes are a popular attraction for photographers, with their unusual colouring changing throughout the day, from a deep pink to a bright white.

Salt mine relics and mounds of salt have lain abandoned on the edges of the Pink Lakes since operation ceased in 1979. Follow the interpretive signs to learn about the area's salt harvesting industry. Follow Pioneer Drive and take in the best of the Pink Lakes, from Lake Crosbie to Lake Kenyon and Lake Becking.

LANGTREE HALL MUSEUM

Langtree Hall Museum, constructed in 1889, stands as Mildura's inaugural public hall and holds a significant place in the city's heritage. Explore its historical significance through an impressive exhibit featuring a diverse array of memorabilia, an extensive collection of international dolls, christening gowns, toys, clothing, embroideries, and a captivating assortment of old musical instruments. Open Wednesday, Friday and Saturday 11am - 4pm (or by appointment). Group bookings are welcome.

MUNGO NATIONAL PARK

You won't see many places on Earth quite like Mungo National Park. Explore the World Heritage Listed Mungo National Park, an area steeped in Aboriginal history and uncover a stark and beautiful landscape of ancient dry lake basins and sand formations.

ANTIQUES AND COLLECTABLES

The Mildura region is also a mecca for antiques and collectables. Try Antiques at the Manse, The Palace Mildura Antiques, Rose Harvest, Boomerang Book Exchange, Isabella House, and Picture Parlour Gallery and Antiques, just to name a few.

WENTWORTH PIONEER MUSEUM

Discover Wentworth's heritage at this museum that has a collection of more than 30,000 artifacts and relics covering all aspects on the history of Wentworth. It houses one of Australia's biggest photographic collection on river boats and of Australia's megafauna.

There is a fantastic megafauna display which includes replicas to scale including a Diprotodon, a Procoptodon, a Genyornis and a Thylacteo. Other displays include a 90lb Murray Cod caught in 1971, a 1942 W.L.A. Harley Davidson Motorbike and a paddlesteamer display. A must to see if interested in the pioneering days and river trade in Wentworth.

WENTWORTH MILITARY COLLECTION

The Wentworth Military Collection is home to the Marching Matilda Experience, a state-of-the-art self-guided audio tour that allows you to discover over 125 years of local, national and International military history. This unique collection displays relics, artefacts, and militaria from all over the world, with an emphasis on Australian service to our nation. From the 1890 Boer War to Afghanistan and current issue.



Pink Lakes, Credit: Visit Mildura



Murray Sunset National Park, Credit: Murray Regional Tourism



Rock Art Sculpture by Paakantji Artist Bagder Bates at Mungo National Park Visitor Centre, Credit: Destination NSW



 $Pioneer\,Museum,\,Wentworth,\,Credit:\,Destination\,NSW$

MILDURA RIVERFRONT

Explore the recently upgraded riverfront. The 1.2kms of parkland along Hugh King Drive hassomething for everyone including a water play area, barbeque facilities, seating, public art and sculptures, skate park, all-access walking paths, food vendors and outdoor gym equipment. Located on the banks of the mighty Murray River and a short walk from the Mildura CDB, the Mildura Riverfront is an iconic destination. Take a walk on one of the many riverside paths, enjoy a coffee, make a splash at Water Play, or just sit back and soak up the sun. The Mildura Riverfront plays host to a range of regular markets, workshops and activities, and provides an ideal setting for events of all shapes and sizes. The Mildura Riverfront invites you to immerse yourself in its vibrant atmosphere, where there's always something to see and do.

AUSTRALIAN INLAND BOTANIC GARDENS

Said to be Australia's most unique botanical gardens, the Australian Inland Botanic Gardens boasts a semi-arid composition of both Indigenous and exotic plant species. Perhaps the most alluring feature is the rose garden, which is comprised of 1,600 rose bushes that burst with colour throughout the year. The gardens also have a children's garden with play equipment and a café serving refreshments. A number of events are held within the gardens throughout the year including High Tea. Located along River Road, Mourquong, the gardens are open weekdays 8am - 4pm, weekends 10am - 4pm and free to enter.

PERRY SANDHILLS

Located 5 minutes from Wentworth, Perry Sandhills boasts 10 hectares of rolling sand dunes of incandescent burnt-orange colouration. Archaeological finds suggest the Barkindji people have inhabited the area since ancient times. The sandhills are worth a visit just to appreciate this awe-inspiring work of nature which is a photographer's paradise. Try sand boarding on the sand dunes which promises fun for all ages.

KINGS BILLABONG

Bordered by a wide stretch of the Murray River, and home to majestic river red gums and a fantastic variety of birdlife, Kings Billabong features a large, sleepy billabong and is an ideal place to discover nature and its history within minutes of Mildura. Kings Billabong is a popular spot for birdwatching, canoeing, kayaking, photography, fishing and picnics. There are several walking and cycling trails of varying distances to enjoy.

HATTAH-KULKYNE NATIONAL PARK

The Hattah-Kulkyne National Park is located 75kms south east of Mildura and internationally recognised for its Ramsar site (wetlands). It features a series of lakes surrounded by stately river red gums and is home to over 220 species of bird, including the ibis and the wedge-tailed eagle. The park also boasts a number of walks ranging from 30mins to three hours, along with some spectacular fishing and camping spots.

BIG DESERT WILDERNESS PARK

The Big Desert is home to a wide variety of birds, reptiles and mammals, ideal for birdwatching and nature study. The park offers a rare opportunity to experience a landscape largely unaffected by human activity. There are no tracks into the park. Some old fire trails are being revegetated and are not suitable for vehicles. A challenge for the experienced hiker, the best approach is by walking from the Nhill-Murrayville Road, which is separated from the park by a 5km strip of public land.

WYPERFELD NATIONAL PARK

Wyperfeld National Park adjoining Lake Albacutya Park is further south about 2.5 hours away. It features a chain of dry lakes surrounded by Black Box Woodlands, and is inhabited by a variety of native wildlife. The park is home to the rare mallee fowl.

MALLEE CLIFFS NATIONAL PARK

Mallee Cliffs National Park, situated approximately 30 kilometres from Mildura, spans over 58,000 hectares in western New South Wales. The park is home to one of the southern hemisphere's largest feral-proof fences and serves as the pioneering location for a groundbreaking mammal reintroduction initiative. Preserving historically abundant vegetation communities in the region, ranging from Spinifex-covered sand dunes to mature Mallee woodlands.



Australian Inland Botanic Gardens, Buronga, Credit: Destination NSW



Perry Sandhills, Wentworth, Credit: Destination NSW



Kings Billabong Boardwalk, Credit: Visit Mildura



Hattah-Kulkyne National Park



MILDURA'S RICH HISTORY

Mildura has a rich history that stretches back many thousands of years when Aboriginals first inhabited the region.

The traditional inhabitants of the Mildura region are the Ngintait and Latji Latji tribes along with the Barkindji and Wotjobaluk. The river and surrounding lakes near Wentworth are a significant cultural site for local Aboriginals. Many artefacts such as stone tools and shell middens as well as grave sites have been unearthed in and around the lake. This evidence suggests that a great number of Aboriginals once lived off the land surrounding the lake for a substantial length of time. Mungo National Park is also an area steeped in Aboriginal heritage. Be sure to explore both natural attractions whilst you're in the region.

In the late 1800s, Mildura was chosen as the site of the first irrigation project on the Murray River. The Chaffey Brothers came to Australia after Alfred Deakin extolled the potential of the Murray's irrigation whilst visiting Ontario where the Chaffeys were developing an irrigated settlement.

The Chaffeys founded the Mildura Irrigation Colony in 1887 and their two original homesteads are still standing today. These have been beautifully preserved and now form part of the Mildura Arts Centre and Rio Vista House. Apart from the interesting historical displays, the complex houses an excellent collection of Australian and European art, including a pastel by Edgar Degas. The complex is situated on the corner of Chaffey and Cureton Avenues.

The city of Mildura has preserved much of its history, with the Chaffey Trail boasting a self-guided tour which takes visitors through some of the fascinating sights. These include the aforementioned Arts Centre, the Old Mildura Homestead and a reconstruction of the first Mildura station established in 1850. For more information on the Chaffey Trail, call into the Mildura Visitor Information Centre or visit www.visitmildura.com.au

To further explore Mildura's rich history, check out some of the museums in the area. Try The Langtree Hall Museum Circa 1889, the RAAF Memorial and Museum, the Red Cliffs Military Museum and the Wentworth Military Museum..

GOL GOL

Just a brief 10-minute drive from Mildura, across the river, lies Gol Gol, a charming township offering serene stretches of river and one of the area's finest pubs, the Gol Gol Hotel, boasting spectacular Murray River vistas. Visitors can dock their houseboats right at the hotel and enjoy a dinner and drinks.

Nearby James King Park offers an ideal setting for picnics, complete with a playground, and serves as a popular launching point for water skiing, thanks to its boat ramp and sandbar. Nature enthusiasts can embark on kayak tours of the surrounding billabongs and creeks, marvelling at the diverse birdlife encountered along the way.

Gol Gol was officially established as a township in 1866, although the allotments were not occupied until the late 1870s. Historically, the town served as a crucial coach stop, playing a vital role in communication and transport within the Wentworth Shire. The Gol Gol Inn, a pivotal establishment, accommodated up to 200 horses at any given time, while a bustling wharf added further vitality to the growing township.

Today, Gol Gol stands as one of the region's rapidly developing towns, fostering a close-knit community centered around light industry. With a current population of approximately 2000 residents, the township boasts essential amenities, including a hotel, garage, general store, primary school, and pre-school. The primary industry in the area revolves around irrigated horticulture, with citrus, vegetables, and grapes being the predominant crops.













Walls of China, Mungo National Park, Credit: Tourism Australia/Time Out Australia

Mungo Emu, Credit: Visit Mildura

MUNGO NATIONAL PARK

The World Heritage Listed Mungo National Park is a magical place steeped in beauty, tranquillity and history. Home to Mungo Woman and Mungo Man, this area is rich with Aboriginal history and is of great significance to the local Indigenous people.

Mungo National Park, located 110kms north east of Mildura, is one of the region's hidden treasures. The spirituality of the place draws on many thousands of years of Indigenous history. Dating back 45,000 years, the Willandra people lived off the land here adjusting to the dryer conditions as the landscape changed.

In 1968, Geologist Jim Bowler discovered the remains of Mungo Lady, the oldest known human to have been ritually cremated. In 1974, the fossilised remains of Mungo Man were also unearthed in the area. Dating back 42,000 years, both remains are the oldest of their kind in Australia and some of the oldest representing modern humans outside of Africa. Ancient footprints from 20,000 years ago were recently discovered in the park, but were subsequently covered over with sand to protect the integrity of the markings. Replicas of the footprints can be seen on display at the visitor centre.

The fascinating dune ridges in the Mungo National Park are called lunettes and were formed more than 100,000 years ago. The age of the terrain is represented by the different colours of the lunettes. The reddish Gol Gol layer denotes a period between 120,000 and 100,000 years ago, the greyish Mungo layer between 50,000 and 25,000 years ago, and the pale brown Zanci layer between 25,000 and 15,000 years ago.

Another feature of the park is the Mungo Woolshed, a shearing shed that was built in 1869. When you enter this colonial structure, you're catapulted back to the cloistering atmosphere of the 1800s — the heat, sweat, smell and noise as thousands of sheep were shorn each year.

Take a guided tour to the incredible Walls of China, where the forces of erosion have intricately shaped sand and clay into delicate yet impressive formations. Alternatively, experience the breathtaking scenery through a cycling or driving tour.

Explore Mungo National Park your own pace or join an organised tour like Tri State Safaris or Outback Geo Adventures. On the lakes' eastern side, there are towering dunes formed from quartz and clay. The most famous of these formations is the colossal Walls of China. Delve into the enchantment of this landmark by taking a guided tour with an Aboriginal ranger, gaining insights into the cultural history of Lake Mungo.

Embark on the remarkable 70km Mungo Self-Guided Drive Tour for a captivating introduction to the extraordinary desert landscape. Starting at the Mungo Visitor Centre, the loop track takes in all the main attractions of the park including the Walls of China boardwalk, Red Top Lookout and Rosewood picnic area. A 4WD vehicle is recommended.

Mungo National Park also boasts an abundance of wildlife, which includes eagles, emus and kangaroos (western grey, eastern grey and red).

Entry to the park costs \$8 per vehicle and as road conditions can change quickly in the outback, some roads into the park can be rendered impassable. For a guided tour of Mungo National Park and to check conditions, call Wentworth Visitor Centre on 5027 5080. Please note that access to the Walls of China's only available with a licensed guide.

MERBEIN

Situated 12kms from the city of Mildura, Merbein stands on top of the cliffs that overlook the Murray River.

Merbein is Victoria's northern most town and greets you as the state's first town after crossing the border from New South Wales.

Visitors can spend a day at Merbein, which is a popular destination for swimmers, boaters, anglers and picnickers. Visitors can also take in the gorgeous views of the Murray River from the Merbein Lookout – Blandowski Walk.

From the early Aboriginal inhabitants down at Mondellimin, now known as Chaffey's Landing, to the early fauna research of William Blandowski at the same location, Merbein has grown and developed through many varied stages in its history. Blandowski's research laid the foundations for the present day Chaffey's Landing area and the early European and soldier settlements in the way of wine, grape and citrus production.

The latter led to Merbein becoming Victoria's first state-owned pumped irrigation region. From this, the horticultural production in the area grew and the town of Merbein was transformed into the warm, welcoming and supportive community it is today.

This charming town's main street hosts a colourful country market on the third Sunday of each month, 8am to 1pm.







Perry Sandhills, Wentworth, Credit: Visit Victoria

WENTWORTH

Wentworth, named after the New South Wales explorer and politician William Charles Wentworth, is located at the confluence of Australia's two largest rivers, the Murray and the Darling.

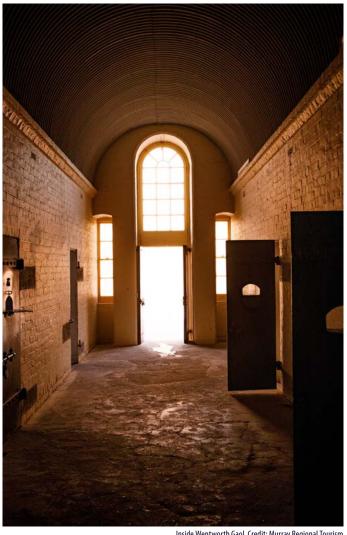
Wentworth, considered the gateway to Outback New South Wales, is a charming township brimming with history and a guirky arts scene. Be sure to check out the Wentworth Pioneer Museum which houses more than 3,000 historical artefacts. Take a stroll to Junction Park where the Darling and Murray Rivers meet. Spot birdlife from the viewing tower in the park.

Wentworth Shire is a region of great diversity and offers visitors the opportunity to experience an introduction to the Australian outback. Here the landscape morphs from lush riverbeds and lagoons to arid and harsh sandy contours.

Magnificent ancient eucalyptus trees that are regal, gnarled and twisted, plentiful wildflowers, kangaroos of grey, blue or red, eagles, hawks, parrots and the beautiful little azure blue finches all make up the unique landscape of this exciting region.

Take the time to travel out to the Perry Sandhills, located 6kms west of Wentworth exiting Old Renmark Road. Reaching 20 metres in height, these iridescent-red sand dunes are a popular landmark in the region and shouldn't be missed. Take the family out for a picnic and a fun day of sliding down the dunes.

Make sure you check out the Wentworth Trail which provides visitors with a detailed itinerary of historical icons and artefacts to peruse in the region. To download a brochure of the trail, go to visitwentworth.com.au/wentworth-trail



Inside Wentworth Gaol, Credit: Murray Regional Tourism

FLAVOURS OF MILDURA

Go on a culinary adventure as you take the gourmet trail that weaves throughout the Mildura region guiding visitors to delicious food and beverage treats.

The Mildura region is a renowned national food bowl, with 75% of Australia's table grapes heralding from the area. Olives, almonds, pistachios, citrus, salt and wine are also produced in abundance. Of course, the region's horticultural success has everything to do with the perfect growing conditions here. Boasting a stable climate, plenty of sunshine, rich soil conditions and the mighty Murray and Darling Rivers to feed horticultural ventures, the region has given rise to a number of exemplary food and beverage offerings.

Gourmet Taste of Mildura Trail is a self-guided food and beverage trail offering the best of what the region has to offer. Start at Sunraysia Cellar Door and then pop into Fossey's Distillery for some gin, whisky, rum or vodka tasting. You can't go past Murray River Salt for gourmet salt flakes or Mildura Chocolate Company to sate your sweet tooth. There's plenty more to discover along the trail such as dried fruit, nuts, olive oil, vinegar, juices, and more.

To download your own Gourmet Taste of Mildura Trail guide, be sure to go to visitmildura.com.au/VisitMildura/media/PDF-Documents/Itineraries/gourmet-tastetrail.pdf







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The Provence by Matt DeAngelo, Credit: Murray Regional Tourism







Trentham Estate Winery, Credit: Murray Regional Tourism

Trentham Estate Winery, Credit: Murray Regional Tourism

FOOD, WINE & DINING OUT

From the arid Mallee bushland brought to life in the 1880s by the Chaffey brothers' Murray River irrigation scheme, Mildura has matured into a vibrant regional city.

For anyone visiting Mildura, it's well worth checking out 'Feast Street' located on Langtree Avenue. Here you can dine on anything from fast food, Italian or world-class cuisine. Honoured with a chef's hat, be sure to visit the iconic eatery Stefano's for an amazing foodie experience or The Provence by Matt DeAngelo. The Mildura riverfront connection enables visitors to meander from Feast Street down to the riverfront precinct for beautiful views of the Murray and more dining options.

Roadside stalls still operate along the network of roads surrounding the Mildura region. The kind of produce sold varies from table grapes, oranges and mandarins to vegetables such as asparagus, pumpkins, and carrots. The lesser-known local delicacies in the region, such as locally marinated olives, spicy pistachios and in-demand Murray River Salt, can be found at the Sunraysia Farmers' Market and various fine food outlets.

Discover Mildura offers a guided farmgate tour. For more information, call (03) 5024 7448 or visit discovermildura.com.au

One of the major attractions in the Mildura region is undoubtedly the premium wines produced in the area. The region is home to some of the best-known wineries in Australia, some of which are open for tastings, tours and cellar-door sales.

Located in Mildura's most iconic and historical buildings of The Setts, Fossey's is home to Mildura's first and only Gin Garden and Gin & Whisky Bar. Embracing family history, sensational local produce and exceptional story telling though the art of Gin & Whisky Swilling and Distilling, Fossey's has truly embraced the Australian Gin and Whisky culture.

Trentham Estate Winery, just over the NSW border, features an à la carte restaurant open for lunch Wednesday to Sunday with one of the best panoramic views of the Murray. There is also a cruise to the winery available from Mildura wharf each Thursday.

PARKS & WALKS

MILDURA RIVERFRONT PRECINCT

There is always something to see and do on the Mildura Riverfront. Located on the banks of the mighty Murray River and a short walk from the Mildura CDB, the Mildura Riverfront is an iconic destination. Take a walk on one of the many riverside paths, enjoy a coffee, make a splash at Water Play, or just sit back and soak up the warm winter sun. The Mildura Riverfront plays host to a range of regular markets, workshops and activities, and provides an ideal setting for events of all shapes and sizes.

MURRAY SUNSET NATIONAL PARK

Murray-Sunset National Park, in Victoria's far north-west corner, is in one of the few remaining semi-arid regions in the world where the environment is relatively untouched. With its wide open landscapes, breathtaking sunsets and starry nights, its vastness and isolation will take more than a day to explore. This is a great park for four wheel drive touring, bushwalking and camping.

AUSTRALIAN INLAND BOTANIC GARDENS

The Australian Inland Botanic Gardens showcases a range of Australian natives from both arid and higher rainfall areas as well as exotic species, including a rose garden featuring over 1,600 colour co-ordinated bushes.

Enjoy a tractor-train tour through the gardens every Saturday at select times and the Garnpang Homestead and coffee shop is open daily where you can enjoy a coffee or lunch and browse through the selection of handcrafted gifts.

There is also a children's garden comprised of play equipment made from recycled materials, a cubby house, sand pit and musical instruments. There is no entrance fee, but a donation for the garden's maintenance is welcome.

MUNGO MOUNTAINLESS BIKE LAKEBED LOOP TRAIL

Distance: 35 km **Difficulty:** Moderate

Embark on an exhilarating 35km mountain biking journey through the captivating Willandra Lakes World Heritage region in Outback NSW. Beginning at the Mungo Visitor Centre, traverse the dried base of Lake Mungo, marvel at stunning dune formations, and keep an eye out for wildlife. Explore the historic Zanci Homestead site and visit other popular attractions along the way. The lakebed can be a bit soft and dusty in places and what the trail lacks in elevation challenge is certainly made up for in other ways.

Whether at sunrise or sunset, this adventure promises an unforgettable experience in a landscape steeped in ancient history and natural wonder.

A moderate level of fitness is required. This is a long, challenging trail designed for experienced mountain bike riders. Ensure you to take enough water, puncture repair gear and pump, clothes for all weather conditions, sunscreen and snacks. Allow 3-4 hours. Park entry fees apply.

KINGS BILLABONG NATURE WALKS, NICHOLS POINT

Distance: From 1.7km to 9.2km **Difficulty:** Easy to Moderate Kings Billabong is a popular spot for walking, cycling and birdwatching. An excellent option for those looking for an easier walking trail, there is signage that leads to various walks and the signs show how long each track is.

Within 2000 hectares of Park, there are abundant pathways, dotted with benches and information points. The loops track past river red gums, keeping an eye out for the region's waterbirds, including ducks, spoonbills and kingfishers, and birds of prey such as whistler kites and marsh harriers.

The longer 9.2 km return trail wanders through the river red gums to the historic water pumps at Psyche Bend. Along the way, stop at Bag Bridge for a picnic or a rest and take in the surroundings.

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APEX PARK

Apex Park is where you'll find the only inland life-saving club around, plus walking paths, a sandbar, and public bathrooms. There's even a caravan park nearby. It's the perfect spot for a laid-back family day by the river.

MERBEIN COMMON, RIVER MURRAY RESERVE

Merbein Common is a floodplain reserve nestled in a bend of the Murray River. The area has a series of nationally significant wetlands, diverse landscapes including riverine vegetation, billabongs and small patches of native pine. Hardy black box and river red gums are abundant along with many fish, birds and animals.

The Merbein Common Walk is a 3.9km loop trail generally considered an easy route taking an average of 48 min to complete. This trail is peaceful and quiet and is great for hiking, running, and walking.



For parks and walks, go to

www.mildura.vic.gov.au/Explore/Parks-and-recreation



DAY TRIPS

ROBINVALE





Robinvale is a town on the south bank of the Murray River on the Victorian side between Swan Hill and Mildura.

- · Southern Cross Windmill
- · Robinswood Homestead
- Rural Life Museum
- · Belsar Island

RENMARK





With heritage walks, shopping, river cruises and parks, there is something for everyone. Dining options are plentiful.

- · Headings cliffs Lookout
- Matulick Riverfront Trail
- · Olivewood Historic Homestead
- Hotel Renmark Museum

BROKEN HILL



[®] 296 km



The modern Broken Hill is more than just a mining town. It is a lush oasis of green parks in a desert and boasts a vibrant art scene. It is also a town that remembers its Aboriginal heritage, and offers easy access to unique national parks.

> Increasingly tourists are travelling to Broken Hill to experience for themselves the unusual outback township that has been the scene for films including Mad Max II and Priscilla Queen of the Desert.

- · Miners' Memorial
- · Day Dream Mine
- · Sandstone Sculptures

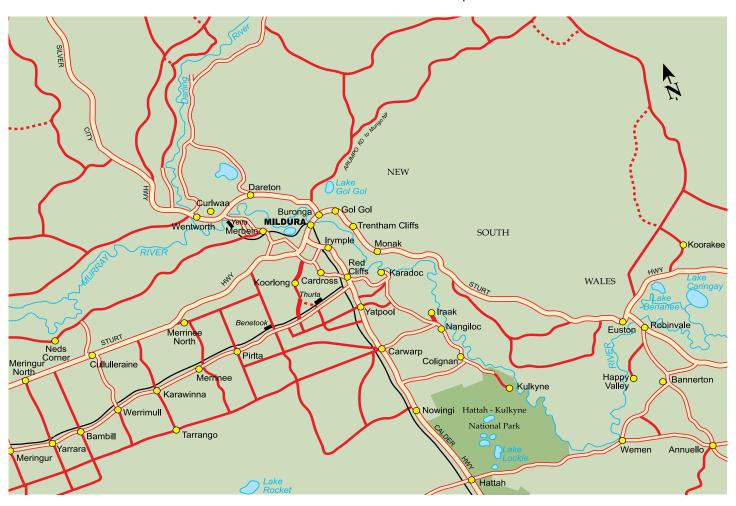
RED CLIFFS





Take a short trip to Red Cliffs, a relaxed country town 13km south of Mildura. The township was established following World War 1 as a Soldier Settlement, with blocks of land allocated to 700 returned soldiers, making it the largest soldier settlement in Australia. The land was cleared and developed into an irrigation settlement planted largely to grapes for dried fruit. Today Red Cliffs continues to be involved in the horticulture industry.

- Big Lizzie
- Red Cliffs Scenic Reserve
- Red Cliffs Military Museum



EVENTS

JANUARY

Australia Day Celebrations

FEBRUARY

Victorian Super Sedan Title & Wingless Sprints

Australian Sprintcar Allstar Series

Summit Racing Equipment Sportsman Series Drag Racing

MARCH

Mildura Easter Tennis Tournament

Mildura 100 Ski Race

Shane Doherty Memorial Tri-State Masters

Golf Tournament

Mildura Easter Powersports Show & Shine

Timmis Speedway Feature Events

ChangeFest

Festa Della Vendemmia

Sprintcar Easter Nationals

Wakeboard Australia National Title

Collective Movements

Wentworth Mildura Joint Regatta

APRIL

Collective Movements

U14 Junior Country Basketball

Championships

Cullulleraine Music Festival

360 Sprintcars Allstar Series

Mildura Pacing Cup Carnival

Easter Powersports Weekend

SARG Paws Along the Murray

MAY

Mother's Day Classic

Mildura Bowls Club May Carnival

All Power Nationals

Melbourne International Comedy Festival

Roadshow

Mildura Eisteddfod

Mildura Field Days

May Bowls Carnival



For the most up to date
Calendar of Events and dates,
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JUNE

Mildura Eisteddfod

Mildura Riverfront Marathon

Country Leagues Football Association

Country Championships

Matsumura Blues Festival

JULY

Mildura Zine & Art Fair

Hattah Desert Race

Mildura Writers Festival

Sunraysia Gang Show

AUGUST

Great Australian Vanilla Slice Triumph

Wentworth Show

SEPTEMBER

Annual Gem & Jewellery Show

Mildura Wentworth Country Music Festival

Ouyen Mallee Root Festival

Mildura Air Show

Pooncarie Cup

OCTOBER

SemiArid SOUND

A Festival of Lights

The Pink Ball

Mildura Show

Merbein Rodeo

Goanna Run / Rod Run

NOVEMBER

Red Hot Summer Tour

Melbourne Cup Day at Mildura

Australian Alternative Varieties Wine Show

Murray Darling 110 — Ted Hurley Ski Race

Mildura Classic Wakeboard Event

Merbein Community Hall Motor Show

DECEMBER

Back to Base Sunraysia Multicultural Festival

Willowfest Australian Cricket Club

Championships

Mildura Carols by Candlelight

New Year's Eve Celebrations

REGULAR EVENTS

Mildura Weir Park Run

A free, weekly, timed 5km walk/jog/run at 8am every Saturday. Open to all ages and abilities.







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REGIONAL

MARKETS

Sunraysia Farmers' Market

Held on the 1st and 3rd Saturday of every month, 8am to noon, the region's producers come together at the Sunraysia Farmers' Market. Located at the Mildura Riverfront - Jaycee Park on Hugh King Drive, you'll find fresh seasonal produce, gourmet food items, plants, cut flowers and much more. Try the famous breakfast.

Red Cliffs Country Market

Held on the 1st Sunday of every month, 9am to 1pm, the Red Cliffs Country Market offers a fantastic carnival experience for visitors. Many of the local businesses are open as well as over 100 market stalls to browse through. There is local entertainment, which varies each month, including kids activities.

Merbein Street Market

Held on the 3rd Sunday of every month from 8am to 1pm. Situated on Commercial Street and Pit Stop Forecourt in Merbein. Get along and enjoy all that Merbein has to offer.



ESSENTIAL SERVICES

EMERGENCY SERVICES

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Police / Ambulance / Fire	000
POLICE	
Mildura Police Station	(03) 5018 5300

62-68 Deakin Ave, Mildura

Wentworth Police Station
74 Darling St, Wentworth

Merbein Police Station
(03) 5027 3102

(03) 5025 2201

119 Commercial St, Merbein

HOSPITALS
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Ontario Ave & Thirteenth St, Mildura

Wentworth District Hospital (03) 5027 5700 24 Hospital Road, Wentworth

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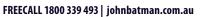
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