



Geographe

Jetty Baths, Bunbury

Less than one and a half hours drive south of Perth, this region is very popular for day trips and short getaways. The natural beauty of Geographe's green pastures and rich orchards are a major drawcard for visitors. The beautiful white sandy beaches here are home to a large population of sea life including the extremely friendly bottlenose dolphins. The Geographe Wine Region is fast developing into one of the country's most exciting wine areas, with new wineries and boutique breweries opening frequently. And with the Bunbury port attracting many cruise liners for day stops, tourists from all over the world are able to disembark and explore this wonderful region.

HARVEY

Harvey is nestled on fertile, irrigated plains beneath the rolling hills of the Darling Scarp, in the heart of dairy country. This thriving town has unique Italian heritage and has developed a fine reputation for its high quality orange juice, beef and increasingly its wine. Citrus orchards and viticulture flourish, and Harvey's dairy farming provides the bulk of Western Australia's milk supply. Get a great view of the farmlands from the 'Big Orange'. Visitors can explore the jarrah forests surrounding the town which come alive with wildflowers during spring.

The Harvey Dam makes for a scenic picnic spot with barbecues, an amphitheatre, walking trails and playground. Trout and perch fishing are also popular here between September and May (license required). Harvey was home to well known children's author May Gibbs, creator of Snugglypot and Cuddlee, and the town features a replica

of her 1880's home called Stirling's Cottage. North of Harvey the historic town of Yarloop houses a fascinating museum and steam workshop that offer insights into the history of the district. Discover the wildlife around the Leschenault Inlet at Australind, it is teeming with birdlife and native animals.

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MYALUP AND BINNINGUP

The golden beaches of the small towns of Myalup and Binningup offer a secluded beach escape. Myalup lies at the southern end of Yalgorup National Park and its long sandy beach is accessible to four-wheel-drives. Binningup beach is protected by an off shore reef and provides swimming, fishing and snorkelling.

DARDANUP AND FERGUSON VALLEY

The historic town of Dardanup marks the beginning of the Ferguson Valley and is a 15 minute drive from Bunbury. Fifteen heritage sites can be found in the township, including the church and post office. A journey through the Ferguson Valley will be one to remember forever. Driving along steep winding roads, the views here will take your breath away. An impressive backdrop of lush green rolling hills dotted with cows and ribbons of vines, this valley plays host to award winning wines and beers. Sample at the cellar door of wineries and breweries. Nothing beats a romantic vineyard lunch with a loved one, with breathtaking views over the vines and rolling hills. While you're here, make time to visit some of the local art galleries and take the kids to the must be seen to be believed 'Gnomesville'. With the magnificent native bushlands, this area is great for a bushwalk or



Ferguson Valley, Dardanup



Winery lunch, Capel



Apple blossom, Donnybrook



Dolphin, Bunbury



Honeymoon Pool, Wellington National Park, Collie



Apple fun park, Donnybrook



Snorkelling, Bunbury



Rapids, Wellington NP



Stirling's Cottage gardens, Harvey

for those wanting more of a challenge. A mountain bike ride up and down the hills will get the heart rate going!

COLLIE

The drive into Collie along the top of the Darling Scarp offers spectacular views of the surrounding jarrah forest, hills and farmland. In addition to its natural beauty, this historic town, nestled on the banks of the Collie River, has a rich coal mining history that can be explored through a tour of the replica underground coal mine or a visit to the Coalfields Museum. Collie's 'Australiana' style pubs reflect the optimism and prosperity of the early mining days and the distinctive All Saints Anglican Church, built in 1915, is a fine example of Italian style architecture.

There are plenty of options for bushwalkers and mountain bike enthusiasts as the Bibbulmun Track and Munda Biddi Trail pass close to Collie. Further walk trails and mountain bike rides can be found throughout the Collie River Valley which is also a great spot for rafting, swimming or just relaxing. For canoeing or picnicking try the picturesque Minninup Pool, Potters Gorge or Honeymoon Pool and water-skiers can enjoy Stockton Lake. It is a fantastic region to spot wildflowers.

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DONNYBROOK

Best known for its apple and stone fruit orchards, Donnybrook also produces excellent wine, cider and fruit wine, making it an important part of the Geopraphe Wine Region. The main street offers numerous cafés that are perfect for a relaxing cappuccino or tasty meal after a visit to the town's shops and galleries. It is also home to the Apple Fun Park children's playground. Donnybrook's rich pastures, scenic waterways and native forests are a favourite with tourists.

Glen Mervyn Dam to the east of Donnybrook, is popular for water-skiing and swimming from September to January, depending on rainfall. Donnybrook was once the focus of a gold rush when gold was discovered in 1897 mining ceased abruptly in 1903 after just six years.

Donnybrook Visitors Centre

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BUNBURY

Bunbury is a cosmopolitan regional city that is full of life and offers a diverse range of holiday experiences. Situated on a peninsula, Bunbury is known as the City of Three Waters and is an aquatic playground. The rumbling surf of the Indian Ocean, the calm waters of Koombana Bay and the tranquil Leschenault Inlet provide a range of water based activities.

Dolphins

Bunbury is famous for the wild, but friendly, dolphins that interact with people in Koombana Bay. These gentle creatures, visit the shores in front of the Dolphin Discovery Centre, delighting visitors from around the world. Wade into the water, go on a swim tour (Nov-Apr) or a cruise to experience these intelligent creatures. Be sure to check out the new 'Digital Dolphinarium'.

Lena Dive Wreck

The Lena dive wreck has a fascinating view of its marine life, and is suitable for snorkelling and diving. Caught fishing illegally, the vessel was sunk as a dive wreck just 3 nautical miles off Bunbury in 2003.



Wine Tasting, Geographe Wine Region



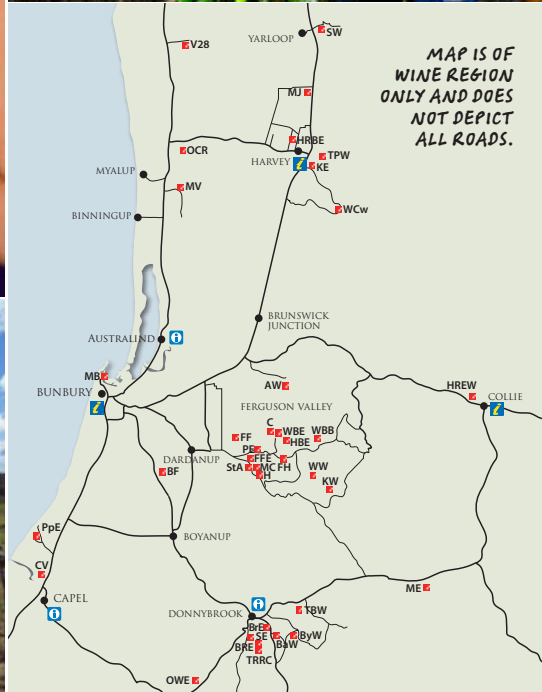
Picking oranges, Harvey



Kayaking, Honeymoon Pool, Wellington NP



Winter vines, Geographe Wine Region



GEORAPHE WINE REGION

CELLAR DOORS

- Angelicus Wines AW
- Barreca Winery BaW
- Blackboy Ridge Estate BRE
- Bonking Frog BF
- Brookhampton Estate BrE
- Byramgum Winery ByW
- Capel Vale CV
- Carlaminda Winery C
- Ferguson Falls Estate FFE
- Ferguson Farmstay FF
- Ferguson Hart FH
- Hackersley H
- Harvey River Bridge Estate HRBE
- Harris River Estate Winery HREW
- Henty Brook Estate HBE
- Kingtree Wines KW
- Kotai Estate KE
- Mash Brewery MB
- Mandalay Estate ME
- Moojilup Farm MJ
- Myalup Vines MV
- Pepperlilly Estate PE
- Pepperwood Estate PpE
- Oakway Estate OWE
- Old Coast Road Brewery OCR
- Smallwater Estate S
- St Aidans StA
- The Moody Cow Brewery MC
- The Real River Company TRRC
- The Skipworth Wine Company SW
- Thomson Brook Wines TBW
- Top Paddock Wines TPW
- Vineyard 28 V28
- Wansbrough Wines WW
- Wild Bull Brewery WBB
- Willow Bridge Estate WBE
- Woky Creek WCW

Natural Attractions

Visit the prehistoric basalt rock, which resulted from lava flows thousands of years ago. At Mangrove Cove you can take a trip along the boardwalk to get close to the 25,000 year old Leschenault mangroves. There is also a walk trail and viewing platform at the Big Swamp Reserve, which allows interaction with a diverse range of wetland flora and fauna, including over 30 species of birdlife. The Maiden's Reserve is a must if you enjoy scenic walks. Here you will discover natural tuart forests where kangaroo paws, tuart spider orchids, ringtail possums, bats, echidnas, bandicoots and kangaroos reside.

Arts, History and Culture

Bunbury is a community steeped in culture. The area has a number of significant historic buildings worthy of a visit. Venture into the King Cottage Museum (1880), Rose Hotel (1865), and St Mark's Church (1842) - the second oldest church in Western Australia. Admire the 1860's architecture and workmanship evident in the Old Post Office and Courthouse. Bunbury is known as the cultural and entertainment hub for the region with a comprehensive program of local, state and national performances at the Bunbury Regional Entertainment Centre. Housed in a

distinctive pink historic building, the Bunbury Regional Art Galleries is the largest and only 'A' class regional gallery in Western Australia. It houses international and local exhibitions of sculpture, painting, woodwork and blown glass along with a wide range of arts and craft. There is also an extensive public art collection scattered throughout the city.

Dining Out

With over 80 cafés and restaurants, Bunbury boasts excellent coffee, fine dining and a number of Gold Plate winning restaurants. You can enjoy the spectacular views and ambience with a meal on the waterfront, or a casual coffee and cake on the cappuccino strip. There is also great choice when it comes to pubs, clubs and late night bars.

Shopping

As the shopping capital of the South West, Bunbury offers the quality, variety and value of city shopping in a relaxed setting. In addition to the larger retail chains, there are a number of specialised stores and boutiques.

Bunbury Visitor Centre

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BOYANUP

A picturesque country town situated on the banks of the Preston River. Enjoy a picnic on the banks of the river, or meet the locals at the country pub. Farmers markets held on the fourth Sunday of every month, give you the opportunity to indulge in the local fresh produce, whilst the art galleries will give you an insight to the local culture and talent.

CAPEL AND PEPPERMINT GROVE BEACH

The majestic tuart trees surrounding Capel are part of the last remaining naturally occurring tuart forest in the world. Enjoy the serenity of the short drive through the forest to Peppermint Grove Beach, a quiet seaside hamlet ideal for a secluded getaway. The clear waters of Geographe Bay are perfect for swimming, diving and fishing. Capel is known for its high quality production of wine and dairy products and is part of the Geographe Wine Region. Visit a cellar door or enjoy the local produce at a winery restaurant.

Try a round of golf at the local course and you'll be sure to see some wild kangaroos.



HARVEY

Harvey River Bridge Estate

Harvey River Bridge Estate is located in the Geographe wine region situated in the picturesque south west town Harvey, located 140km south of Perth. Visit the cellar door to taste a number of exclusive wine labels and come climb the Harvey Fresh Big Orange, situated next to the cellar door.
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DONNYBROOK

Donnybrook Visitors Centre
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CAPEL

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