



road trippin'

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city heritage walk

Follow the City Heritage Walk through the central business district, soak up the history and enjoy the ambience.

- 1 School of Arts Building, built in 1888 is the oldest public building in Bundaberg.
- 2 Post Office clock tower and its colonial verandah and cast iron balustrades is a reminder of the past.
- 3 Soldiers Monument of the World War 1 Aussie digger sculpted in Italy in 1921.
- 4 The Holy Rosary Church is an adaptation of a Roman Temple built in the shape of a cross.
- 5 Originally the Queensland National Bank built in 1887 still retains its historic features.
- 6 Formally the Union Bank, this building has a unique exterior architectural design.
- 7 The original Customs Buildings, now the home to the Building Arts Centre.
- 8 The Burnett Traffic Bridge opened in 1900 replacing the ferry transport system.
- 9 Originally the Commercial Banking Company of the Sydney office, this building retains the original charm with its shingled roofs and quaint stables.
- 10 St Andrews Church, built in 1882, boasts musical bells called a carillo.
- 11 The Anglican Church, built in English Gothic style, features pointed arches and spire towers.
- 12 Buss Park Gardens houses the Bert Hinkler Memorial, a tribute to the city's favorite son and international pioneer aviator.

bundaberg coast & country



must see & do...



city checklist

- Tour the Bundaberg Rum Distillery
- Visit the Bundaberg Barrel
- Cruise the Burnett River on the Bundy Belle
- Interpret the artwork on the Public Art Trail
- Visit one of our museums steeped in Bundaberg history
- Solve the mystery of the craters
- Botanic Gardens Complex

real country



Get the real feel of country and make the most of the big-hearted hospitality, and taste test the harvests of the regions hinterland and country.

Set off for Mt Perry via Gin Gin and drive through Boolboonda Tunnel and visit the wineries on the way.

Mt Perry, a delightful township with attractions related to its copper and gold mining history, picnic here or enjoy the hospitality of the local pub.

West Ward Ho! Through the high country to Australia's Country Way and on to Monto, Cania Gorge National Park and Lake Cania.

Head back towards Eidsvold which is the centre of the Siltstone industry and view the collections and real treasures of the historical museum complex.

Next stop is Munduberra, noted for the variety of fruit and vegetables it produces, enjoy a picnic at nearby Auburn River National Park, its worth a visit.

Enjoy lookout views from the Binjour Plateau to Gayndah. Colourful gardens and roadside stores welcome visitors. Walk the main street and be intrigued by its history.

Ban Ban Springs is your turning point to Biggenden, the peaks of Mt Walsh and Congarra Rock are a natural beauty, enticing you to stay a while.

coral coasting

Plan your day of sea breezes, picnics, country walks and swimming while exploring the Coral Coast and Hinterland.

Day 1: Pack a picnic and head for Moore Park Beach. Take a swim, feed the ducks in the lagoon, stroll on the boardwalk or get the sand beneath your 4WD tyres. For a taste of country follow the map to Smiths Crossing. You'll cross a quaint wooden bridge and find picnic tables on the northern banks of the Kolan River. Journey on to Bucca where there's a great swimming spot with shaded picnic areas at the river crossing. Continue on to South Kolan, stop for a cuppa or BBQ at the Sharon Nature Park and take the forest path down to the edge of the Burnett River.



Day 2: Breakfast by the water at Burnett Heads or the Bundaberg Port Marina. Find out why the turtles love Mon Repos and see the stone "Kanaka" walls along the way. At Barga stroll along the Esplanade, dine in one of the many alfresco eateries or do some shopping. Nearby Neilson Park is an ideal family stopover for picnics, swimming or skate boarding. For a choice of idyllic surf and calm swimming spots, picnic areas and golf courses follow the Esplanade to the Basin and Kelly's Beach, Innes Park and Coral Cove and further on to Elliott Heads. Barolin Rocks is a favourite with Scuba Divers. The Hummock Lookout offers the best views of the beautiful coastline and surrounding farmland.

a mix of coast & country



Enjoy nature in National parks, visit picturesque country towns and walk on a glorious beach.

Take Mt Perry Road – stop at the unique geological formation and antique machinery display at Mystery Craters.

The Gin Gin Visitor Information Centre has maps and advice, about what to see and do in the area.

Divert to Lake Monduran and take a refresher stop and then head south to Good Night Scrub National Park – this is a gravel diversion and only suitable for 2WD in dry conditions.

Drive through lush green sugar cane fields, past Isis sugar mill to the charming township of Cordalba (watch for cane trains July to November).

The heritage town of Childers with its welcoming parks, gardens and streetscape and great choice of eateries make this a great lunch interlude. Give your taste buds and try ice cream at Mammino's or visit Snakes Downunder Reptile Park for a snapping good time.

Kangaroos can be seen at Woodgate Beach, which is surrounded by National Parks. Fishing is fantastic and the beautiful beach just stretches forever. Boardwalks meander through the area and a colorful display of wildflowers, abundance of wildlife can be found in the National Parks. 4WD trails allow further exploration and beachside camping is available.