

SELF DRIVE TOUR

- 1 VISITOR INFORMATION CENTRE R14  
Ph (03) 5559 4620. Open Daily: 9am–5pm (Closed Christmas Day)

2 FLAGSTAFF HILL Ph (03) 5559 4600 R15  
A journey back in time. Open Daily.  
By day – an interactive, 1870s maritime village and museum.  
By night – the breathtaking world-class sound and laser show “Shipwrecked”

3 LAKE PERTOBE ADVENTURE PLAYGROUND T12  
20 hectares of fun – giant slides, flying foxes and walking tracks plus BBQ and picnic areas.

4 LADY BAY V17  
The City’s beautiful main beach.

5 BREAKWATER Z11  
Completed in 1890, to protect the harbour utilising huge concrete blocks weighing 32 tons each.

6 PROMENADE T19  
Walk, run, ride or skate along this scenic 5.7 kilometre track stretching along the foreshore.

7 MERRI RIVER U9  
Popular recreational pursuits – fishing, canoeing, kayaking.

8 THUNDER POINT COASTAL RESERVE W6  
Lookout point. Start of Mahogany Trail walking track.

9 WARRNAMBOOL GOLF COURSE Q4  
Rated among Australia’s top 100 by Golf Digest. For golfers of all standards. Visitors welcome.

10 BOTANIC GARDENS H14  
Elegant, sheltered gardens designed in classic style by William Guilfoyle in 1879.

11 AQUAZONE I16  
Featuring 4 heated swimming pools, fully equipped gym, program room, café/kiosk and creche.

12 WOLLASTON BRIDGE C17  
Suspension bridge built in 1890 by pastoralist, Walter Manifold, using cables from the Melbourne to Hawthorn tram service.

13 WARRNAMBOOL RACECOURSE K24  
Home to the famous May Racing Carnival, home of the Grand Annual Steeplechase since 1872.

14 WARRNAMBOOL CEMETERY S24  
Final resting place of many of the town’s first settlers.

15 PROUDFOOTS BOATHOUSE T26  
Originally built over a century ago, the restored old boathouse is classified by the National Trust.

16 HOPKINS RIVER BRIDGE V26  
A popular fishing spot since it was first built in 1862. The second bridge was constructed in 1895 and was replaced in 2001.

17 MOUTH OF THE HOPKINS Y26  
Where the Hopkins River meets the Southern Ocean, a beautiful area with a walking track both sides of the river.

18 LOGANS BEACH – WHALE VIEWING PLATFORM Z30  
Almost every year between June and September, female Southern Right whales return, from the sub-Antarctic, to the waters off Logans Beach to calve.

19 GRANNY’S GRAVE V23  
A monument in recognition of the first white woman to be buried in Warrnambool in 1848.

20 FLETCHER JONES GARDENS P19  
Sir Fletcher Jones founded the factory in 1948. These beautiful landscaped gardens are now recognised as an attraction in their own right.

21 LIEBIG STREET N14  
The main street of Warrnambool and the heart of the Central Business District.

22 LIGHTHOUSE THEATRE WARRNAMBOOL P13  
Centre for live entertainment including music, theatre, comedy, dance, functions and exhibitions.  
(Previously Warrnambool Entertainment Centre)

23 CIVIC CENTRE AND LIBRARY P13  
Built in 1976.

24 WARRNAMBOOL ART GALLERY P13  
Officially opened in 1986. The Collection includes Australian and European prints and paintings.  
CIVIC GREEN  
Grassed area in the middle of the CBD. Great for picnics.

25 WAR MEMORIAL Q13  
Erected in 1925, it is a monument to those who served in two world wars and in more recent times our Korean & Vietnam veterans.

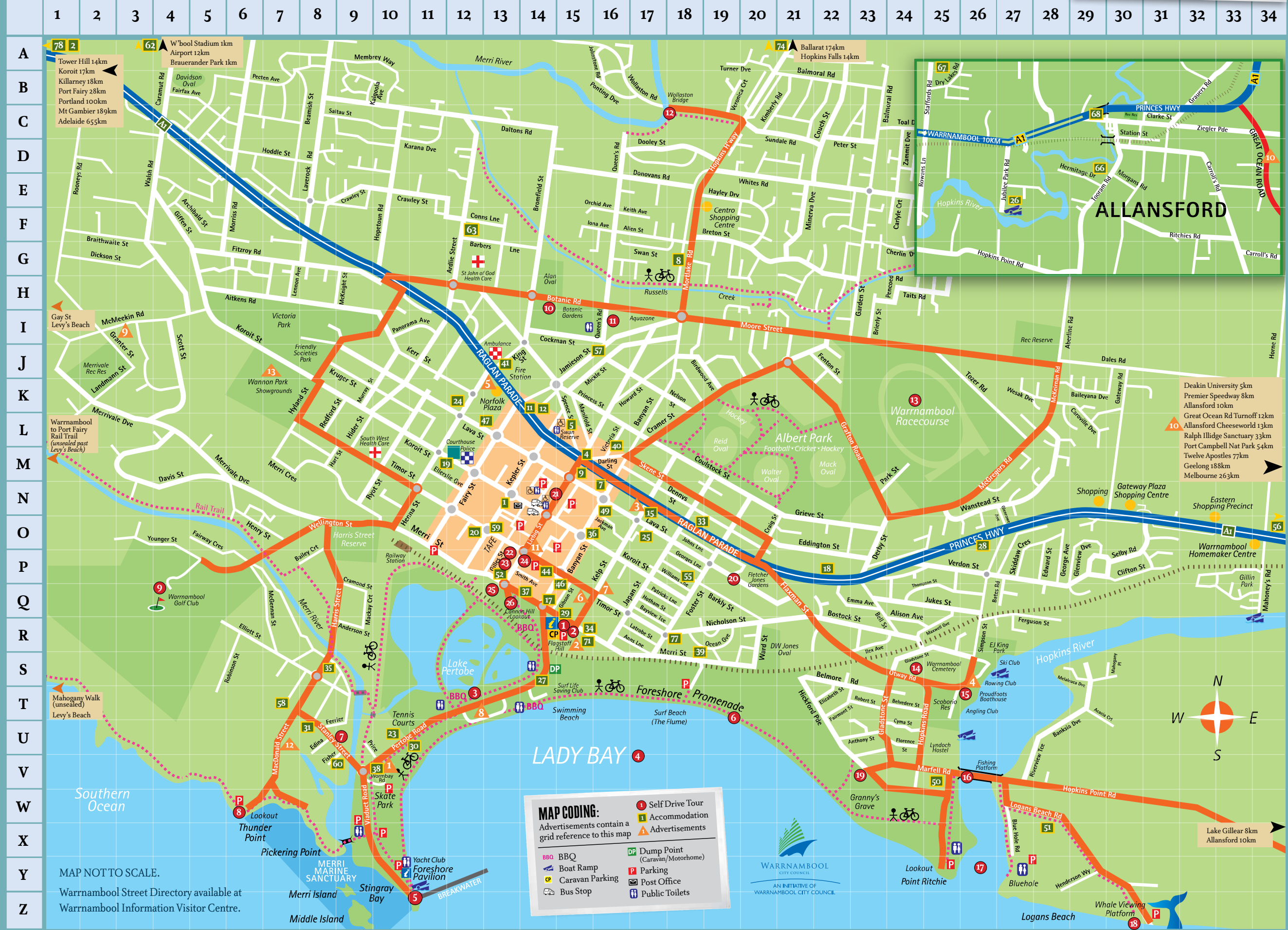
26 CANNON HILL Q13  
Offering wonderful views, and so named as it was the site of the cannons originally installed to ward off attacks from the potential Russian invasion in the mid 19th century.



Follow the **i** to the Warrnambool Visitor Information Centre, Flagstaff Hill, Merri Street

For accommodation bookings go to [www.visitwarrnambool.com.au](http://www.visitwarrnambool.com.au) or call 1800 637 725

Enjoy the fabulous ocean views from the Centre.



**LADY BAY** resort warrnambool

RESTAURANT (03) 5561 3044

**flagstaffhill**

- Maritime Village
- Night Show
- Gift Shop

89 merri st warrnambool 3280  
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**APCO EASY SHOP** WARRNAMBOOL

485 Raglan Parade, WARRNAMBOOL 3280  
Phone: (03) 5562 7285

**Warrnambool River cruises**

1hr Tour: Hopkins River @ 2pm: Wed & Sat (Oct to April)  
Bookings: 0417 370 933

**Pronto** Fine Food Merchants

Gourmet Delicatessen & Fairtrade Coffee  
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ACCOMMODATION

HOTELS			
1	Hotel Warrnambool	5562 2377	N13
2	St Patrick's Luxury Boutique Hotel (Koroit)	0428 416 104	Via A1
MOTELS			
4	Anchor Belle Motel	5561 4977	M15
5	Atwood Motor Inn	5562 7144	L15
5	City Heart Motel	5562 0500	L15
8	Colonial Village Motel/Apts	5562 1455	G18
7	Comfort Inn W'bool International	5562 8044	N16
20	Comfort Inn Western	5561 5100	O12
9	Country Comfort Warrnambool	5562 3866	M15
11	Downtown Motel	5562 1277	K14
12	Elm Tree Motel	5562 4133	K14
15	Mahogany Motel	5562 5722	N17
17	Olde Maritime Motor Inn	5561 1415	Q14
38	Quality Suites Deep Blue	5559 2000	V10
18	Raglan Motor Inn	5562 8511	P22
19	Redwood Manor Motel & Apartments	1800 350 939	M11
CARAVAN/HOLIDAY PARKS			
23	Discovery Holiday Park	5561 4222	U10
25	Figtree Holiday Village	5561 1233	O17
26	Hopkins River Caravan Park	5565 1327	E27
27	Surfside Holiday Park	5559 4700	S14
28	Warrnambool Holiday Park	5562 5031	O26
24	Warrnambool Holiday Village	5562 3376	K12
APARTMENTS/UNITS/COTTAGES/HOUSES			
29	104 On Merri	0448 668 738	Q15
30	18 Pertobe Road	0427 133 613	U11
31	Abaco House	5561 2414	U8
34	Aqua Ocean Villa's	0422 313 601	R15
30	At the Beach	0427 318 952	U11
39	Australian Coastal Cottages	0447 057 836	R18
36	Ban Kor House	0417 156 659	O15
17	Banyan Place	0418 261 969	Q14
30	Bayside Lodge	5562 7323	U10
37	Cannon Hill Apartments	5561 1489	Q14
46	CBD Apartments	0428 383 480	P15
40	Charles on Victoria Street	0408 625 974	L16
41	City Central Apartments	5562 2140	J13
56	Country Life Accommodation	5560 5265	Via O34
44	Fairholme Apartments	0409 438 910	P14
47	Gallery Apartments	5561 8222	L12
49	Girt By Sea Warrnambool	0408 583 855	N16
55	Grange on Barkly	0417 727 479	P18
78	Highview Horse Complex	5565 9341	Via A1
33	Honeysuckle/Merlot Cottages	0407 504 731	O18
50	Hopkins Hideaway	5562 8929	V25
66	Hopkins River Homestead	0438 160 059	D29
57	Jamieson Cottage	0458 358 828	J16
38	Lady Bay Resort	5562 1662	V9
52	Quest Warrnambool	5564 1200	P13
51	Sea Mist Studio Apartments	0417 383 757	X28
17	Seashells on Banyan	0407 505 722	Q14
35	Southgate Holiday Rental	5561 4884	S8
77	Tara House	5593 3931	R18
58	W'bool Heritage Cottage	0407 501 900	T7
59	W'bools No. 1 Luxury Apartment	0439 447 725	O13
BACKPACKERS			
60	Warrnambool Beach Backpackers	5562 4874	V8
BED & BREAKFASTS			
68	Burnbrow Manor/Cottage	0418 346 305	C29
71	Flagstaff Hill Lighthouse Lodge	5559 4600	R15
67	Lanaud B & B Farmstay	5565 1549	A25
62	Manor Gums B & B	5565 4410	Via A3
63	Merton Manor Exclusive B & B	5562 0720	F12
62	Quamby Homestead	5569 2395	Via A3
74	Wypinga Bed and Breakfast	5562 1149	Via A21




A detailed map of the coastal route from Port Fairy to Warrnambool. The route is highlighted in orange and red, with distances marked between key locations. The route starts at Port Fairy, goes south along the coast, then inland through Kororoit and Tower Hill, and finally returns to the coast near Warrnambool. Key locations include Port Fairy, Kororoit, Tower Hill, and Warrnambool. The map also shows the coastline, major roads, and some inland features like the Murrumbidgee River.

# WARRNAMBOOL TO PORT FAIRY RAIL TRAIL

The 37km Port Fairy – Warrnambool Rail Trail links the historic townships of Port Fairy and Koroit with the vibrant regional city of Warrnambool.


There are three major trail heads where you can start or complete your journey:  
Warrnambool breakwater precinct, Koroit Railway Station and Regent Street in Port Fairy.

For more information : [www.portfairytowarrnamboolrailtrail.com](http://www.portfairytowarrnamboolrailtrail.com)



**PORT FAIRY**

This map shows the Port Fairy area with the rail trail route highlighted in orange. The route starts near the Port Fairy breakwater and runs through the town. Key streets labeled include Regent Street, Bank Street, Collins Lane, and Collins Highway. The Moyne River is shown to the east of the town.



**KOROIT**

This map shows the Koroit area with the rail trail route highlighted in orange. The route runs through the town, passing near the Koroit Railway Station. Key streets labeled include Purge Lane, Black Street, North Street, Station Street, Commercial Road, King Street, and Temple Street. The Moyne River is visible to the east.

1	THE MAHOGANY SHIP			
A Portuguese vessel reportedly ran aground near Warnambool in the 1500s. This local legend is supported by the discovery of old Portuguese charts that depict Australia's southern coastline as far as Armstrong's Bay. It is believed these charts were drawn in the 1520s.				
2	KOROIT		16km	16
Charming historic township set on back slopes of Tower Hill.				
3	TOWER HILL RESERVE			J7
Nestled inside a dormant volcano, a beautiful haven for wildlife. *Worn Gundidj Visitor Centre – cultural displays & local Aboriginal art & craft, *Self-guided walks *Electric BBQ's.				
4	KILLARNEY BEACH & CAMPING RESERVE			J6
Popular beach for families (not patrolled) – swim in the shallows. Good fishing. Sheltered camping reserve.				
5	PORT FAIRY		 (03) 5568 2682	28km K6
One of Victoria's oldest settlements, once Australia's second port, now home to a very large fishing fleet. Set on the mouth of the Moyne River.				
6	LADY JULIA PERCY ISLAND			K4
Forbidding looking island, naturalists paradise. Charter boats from Port Fairy. Large seal colony. Big game fishing.				
7	YAMBUK LAKE			J5
Popular boating and fishing area. Picnic facilities.				
8	PORTLAND		 (03) 5523 2671	100km K1
Victoria's birthplace, first permanent settlement by Edward Henty in 1834. The only deep sea port between Melbourne & Adelaide. Excellent fishing.				
9	MOUNT ECCLES NATIONAL PARK			G4
Tranquil Lake Surprise is cradled within three main craters. *Two first class walks around the crater, prolific native birdlife. *Camping/picnic area.				
10	PENSHURST			70km D6
Situated at the foot of Mt Rouse, where an excellent lookout provides unrivalled views of the Grampians. *Lake Linlithgow *Volcanoes Discovery Centre.				
11	HAMILTON		 (03) 5572 3746	100km C4
Known as the "Wool Capital of the World" situated in the heart of fine wool grazing.				
12	DUNKELD		 (03) 5577 2558	100km A7
Southern Gateway to the Grampians National Park, famous for rugged mountain ranges and spectacular wildflowers.				
13	MAILORS FLAT			10km I7
Warnambool Airport, excellent facilities with all weather strip and lighting, charter & scenic flights.				
14	HOPKINS FALLS			J8
Beautiful waterfalls, particularly in winter. In early summer, the annual migration of eels takes place and tiny evers, by the hundreds, can be seen fighting their way upstream.				
15	ALLANSFORD			10km K8
Home of the Warnambool Cheese and Butter Factory (since 1888) and Cheeseworld – Licensed restaurant & cheese tasting cellar; Historic museum. Also Premier Speedway.				

16	MORTLAKE	(03) 5599 2899	49km	G10
A thriving village nestled under Mt Shadwell, a volcanic cone.				
17	CAMPERDOWN		63km	H12
Situated at the base of two magnificent volcanic craters and two volcanic cones.				
18	LAKE PURRUMBETE			I12
Renowned for Chinook Salmon and Rainbow Trout fishing.				
19	LAKE CORANGAMITE			H14
The largest permanent inland body of water in Australia, the shore line is more than 160kms.				
20	RALPH ILLIDGE SANCTUARY			K10
Features magnificent flora of the area and many species of wildlife. Picnic and electric BBQ facilities.				
21	DEAKIN UNIVERSITY – WARRNAMBOOL CAMPUS			K8
22	LAKE GILLEAR			K8
*Fishing *Motorcross *Go Kart Track *Rifle Range *Walking Track				
23	CHILDERS COVE			L8
The coastline shows clearly the extent to which sea erosion has occurred over millions of years. The famous landmark "Needle Rock" subsided into the cove in 1985.				
24	PORT CAMPBELL NATIONAL PARK	 (03) 5598 6089	66km	M11
32km stretch of scenic and historic coastline incorporating a magnificent series of sheer cliffs, deep caverns, great archways, grottos, island gorges, blowholes and spectacular off-shore rock stacks.				
25	BAY OF ISLANDS			M9
Spectacular group of islands, viewing area.				
26	PETERBOROUGH		53km	M10
Small township situated on the mouth of the Curdies River. Great golf course.				
27	THE GROTTTO			N10
The path leads down to a beautiful rock pool about 8 metres above sea level.				
28	LONDON BRIDGE			N11
One of the best known features of this part of the coastline has changed considerably over the past 20 years. The arch linking the 'bridge' to the mainland collapsing in January 1990. The Island Arch in the Loch Ard Gorge precinct collapsed forming two sea stacks in June 2009.				
29	THE ARCH			N11
Superb views of Two Mile Bay and Moonlight Head.				
30	TWO MILE BAY			N11
A long walk over sand dunes to fishing beach, ideal for exploring reefs and rock pools at low tide.				
31	LOCH ARD GORGE			N11
The iron clipper 'Loch Ard' founded in 1878 claiming 49 lives. The 2 young survivors Eva Carmichael and Tom Pearce were washed into the gorge. Their story comes alive on the 9 metre high aquascreen at "Shipwrecked" screened nightly at Flagstaff Hill, Warrnambool.				
32	THE TWELVE APOSTLES			N12
World famous off-shore rock stacks – some so eroded that they can only be viewed at low tide. Arguably the most photographed feature of the Australian coastline.				
33	PRINCETOWN		83km	N12
Small settlement on the mouth of the Gellibrand River.				
34	MOONLIGHT HEAD			P12
Named by Matthew Flinders in 1802 when he sighted the high cliffs in moonlight between squalls. Ship anchor visible at low tide.				