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ESCAPE TO: AMAZING ALBANY

Widely regarded as one of the most beautiful and

Witness one of the most fearsome and formidable rock formations on the south coast – The Gap – just minutes from town in the Torndirrup National Park.

Learn about our history as a whaling town at Albany's Historic Whaling Station and see the gentle giants up close on a whale tour in our magnificent King George Sound.

Albany is steeped in incredible history, learn of the traditional home of the Minang Noongar Aboriginal people. Discover majestic historic buildings in the city centre and explore the birthplace of the Anzac story.

With world-class wine, food, fishing, surfing, swimming, hiking, diving, mountain biking, camping and a myriad of other activities all on offer within minutes of the city, there is something for everyone in Amazing Albany, from gourmet wine-lovers to intrepid 4WD explorers and everyone in between.

Amazing Albany is the jewel of the Great Southern. We hope you enjoy your stay in one of Australia's most sought after tourism destinations.

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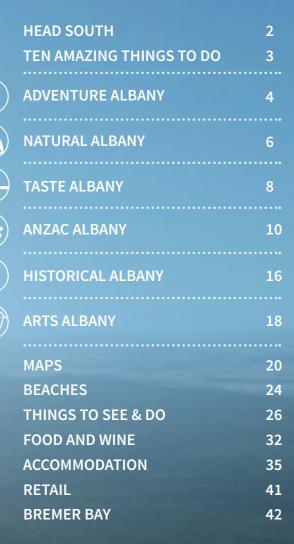
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1) Witness the annual migration of whales in Amazing Albany from June to October. As the whales frolic in our sheltered bays to calve and mate, sometimes binoculars aren't necessary – they can be seen from prime viewing spots around Albany's coastline! Dolphins and seals are also regularly spotted in Albany's sheltered waters.

2) Albany is the home of Faye Howe, the Lighthouse Girl on Breaksea Island who was the last point of human contact many of the Anzacs had with Australia before departing to Gallipoli. Visit the home of the Lighthouse Girl in Albany, with helicopter scenic flights available to Breaksea Island Nature Reserve.

3) Visit the National Anzac Centre! The National Anzac Centre honours the Anzacs of the First World War. Set within Albany Heritage Park, the Centre offers visitors a deeply personal connection with the Anzac story. Walk with the Anzacs and experience the Great War through their personal stories. Entry fees apply.

4) For a mind-blowing display of vibrant, diverse flora, take a wildflower tour! Spot kangaroo paws, starbush, pea plants, sedges, heaths and an impressive range of orchids.

5) Visit the newly opened Gap and Natural Bridge attractions at Torndirrup National Park. Witness the fearsome waves atop a spectacular new lookout platform, and enjoy the dramatic views of the beautiful Albany coastal environment.

ESCAPE TO ALBANY ANY WAY YOU CAN...

DRIVE —

Albany is just a 4.5 hour, 416km drive south of Perth, straight down Albany Highway. Driving through some of the State's most beautiful countrysides, you'll pass forests, working farms, vineyards and, in late winter and early spring, spectacular yellow fields of flowering canola.

What are you waiting for? Throw a few bags in the car, wind down the window and turn up the music. The breeze will blow away the city cobwebs in no time.

СОАСН —

TransWA operates daily coach passenger services to Albany from Perth. The destination point is the Albany Visitor Centre, Proudlove Parade, Albany. A coach drive from Perth to Albany takes about six hours, via Williams, Gnowangerup or Bunbury.

Bookings:

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FLY —

The fastest way to travel to Albany from Perth is to fly. Regional Express have flights daily to and from the newly upgraded Albany Airport and flight schedules are available at <u>www.</u> <u>rex.com.au</u>. Private charter aircraft are also available for hire. Albany Airport is located 11 kilometres north of Albany on Albany Highway and car hire is available at the terminal.

T E N A M A Z I N G T H I N G S 🗄

6) Taste our award-winning wines, spirits, locally made beer, farm fresh marron, olive and sandalwood products. Try the freshly shucked Albany oysters, boutique goat's cheese, local bushfoods, and taste W.A.'s first single malt whisky.

7) Stake a patch of white sand at Middleton Beach. Swim in the shelter of Ellen Cove, or walk towards Emu Point until the surf beckons. Embark on the Middleton Beach boardwalk, a must see for all visitors to our city. Visit Little Beach, recently named one of the best beaches in Australia.

8) Visit Albany for one its major events or festivals. Many are unique to Albany, such as the Albany Car Classic, the Albany Urban Downhill, Vancouver Street Festival, the Great Southern Festival, and the Taste Great Southern Festival. Visit amazingalbany.com.au/events to find out when and where.

9) Albany Heritage Park features a wealth of activities for all ages and interests. Picnic in the Memorial Gardens, take one of the many walking trails, or visit the Convoy Walk and Lookout on Mount Adelaide.

10) Explore Albany on your bike or hike with the new Ten Great Rides and Ten Great Walks guides. Available at amazingalbany.com.au/adventure or from the Albany Visitor Centre, there is a ride to suit all abilities and age groups! Take off on an adventure solo, or with friends and family.



WINDSURFERS are in paradise in Albany, with the protected waters of Princess Royal Harbour and adjacent coastline offering some of Western Australia's best wind and kite-surfing hotspots.

FISHING around Albany offers rich rewards. Skippy, sand whiting, flathead, herring, sweep, squid, salmon and more can all be caught. Visit a local tackle shop to hear about the best spots.

CANOE OR KAYAK down the Kalgan River, or snorkel at the picturesque inlet of Waychinicup National Park.

Beach and admire the panoramic views over the ocean and National Park landscape. Fly like a bird above the ocean panorama in the safe hands of your paraglider instructor. Learn to paraglide in 10 days or get a taste of the adrenaline-pumping sport in just one weekend.

SOUTHERN MTB

Albany is home to Australia's first urban downhill.

In September, the streets of Albany transform into the ultimate mountain bike battleground in the Albany Jrban Downhill. Downhill racers burst onto the streets of Albany, riding a purposebuilt course in the ultimate spectator event.

Extreme sports and escapades are all part of the journey in Albany, and not just for the uber-fit. Take rockclimbing, some Porongurup Range climbs can be explored by the inexperienced, while the spirited climber may venture further to the Stirling Range National Park. A hike for everyone, the 3km return Castle Rock Granite Skywalk offers panoramic views of the Porongurup region. The Bluff Knoll climb at the Stirling Ranges is a must-do. The Bald Head walk in Torndirrup National Park, a 15km return hike, offers stunning coastal views just 20 minutes from town.

ADVENTURE SEEKERS look no further.

ADVENTURE ALBANY

HEAD OFF THE BEATEN TRACK

with a 4WD drive out to West Cape Howe National Park. Stand on the

southernmost point of WA and peek over the dolerite cliffs if you dare! Self drive the 4WD track, or embark on a 4WD tour with a knowledgeable guide.

GET ON YOUR BIKE! Bike paths take you to some of Albany's most breathtaking sites including beaches, harbours, and into native bushland. Take in the harbour and wildflower hotspots via winding paths and tracks and past spectacular coastal scenery. When you've reached the end of your ride, refresh with a swim and a picnic.

Embark on an off-road adventure and hop on your mountain bike through the Munda Biddi Trail, stretching from Mundaring to Albany. Or hike the Bibbulmun Track, which stretches from Perth to Albany.



JOURNEY WITH NATURALISTE CHARTERS

to the Bremer Canyon – a stunningly beautiful, remote habitat abundant with marine wildlife: whaler sharks, giant squid, sperm whales, masses of sea birds and the largest known group of killer whales in the Southern Hemisphere. The killer whales visit Bremer Bay from January to April each year.



Available at the **Albany Visitor Centre** **PARAGLIDE** over the pristine Shelley

TAKE THE PLUNGE! HMAS Perth is a must do for divers while in Albany. Explore the wreck, dive or snorkel at Whaler's Beach at Frenchman Bay.

SURF'S UP! Surfing and body boarding conditions in and around Albany vary. Beginners start at Middleton Beach, while Nanarup and Muttonbird beaches are for those with some experience. Board hire is available, as are surf coaching lessons for all levels.





SPLASH 臣

Western Australia has one of the longest whale-watching seasons in the world! The annual migration of humpback, southern right whales and the rare blue whale brings these marine creatures to Albany waters. From June to October, observe these gentle giants. Albany is surrounded by a plethora of national parks and nature reserves. Whichever direction you take, you are spoilt for choice. Torndirrup National Park features massive granite outcrops, sheer cliffs and the famous Gap and Natural Bridge rock formations.

→ Visit Two Peoples Bay, home to one of WA's best beaches, Little Beach.

→ Waychinicup National Park: Picnic, camp, swim, canoe and fish your way through a weekend at one of Albany's prettiest inlets.

→ Gull Rock National Park and Mt Martin Botanical Reserve: Move through forest, wetlands and coastal heath as you encounter diverse land forms and sites of natural beauty.

Dramatic peaks and rugged coastlines are yours for the taking in Amazing Albany.

→ The Porongurup National Park is home to the Granite Skywalk. Suspended from Castle Rock, the Skywalk offers panoramic views of the Porongurup landscape.

→ Visit Bluff Knoll in the Stirling Range National Park, the highest peak in Southern Western Australia and one of the few places in WA that experiences snow. The 6km return trip requires a reasonable level of fitness but is well worth the effort.

→ Visit Walpole Wilderness Discovery Centre including the impressive Tree Top Walk, Valley of the Giants.

→ Kalgan River hearth site where Noongar people used to set up camp for its excellent food source. **FLYING HIGH** Bird watchers will find the best of Amazing Albany when they frequent these bird watching sites:

➔ Torndirrup National Park for Honeyeaters and the Grey Currawong.

→ The Gap for seabirds, Albatross species and the Australasian Gannet.

→ Ellen Cove for Southern Emu-Wren, Red-Eared Firetail and White-Breasted Robin.

→ King River Reserve for Western Rosella, Splendid and Red-Winged Fairy Wren.

→ Lower King Bridge for Grey Plover and Osprey.

WILDFLOWERS For a mind-blowing display of vibrant, diverse flora, take a wildflower tour and discover the best of Amazing Albany. Spot kangaroo paws, starbush, pea plants, sedges, heaths and an impressive range of orchids including the beautiful Queen of Sheba sun orchid.

Stirling Range National Park and the Porongurup Range offer the most accessible approaches to wildflower viewing. Spot bandicoot, wallabies and kangaroos in the Porongurup Range while you walk beneath giant karri amid spectacular granite formations.



Discover the authentic taste of Amazing Albany and you'll forget there's any other culinary experience worth having.



TASTE GREAT SOUTHERN [MARCH]

Plan your visit to Albany around Taste Great Southern in March. Don't miss the four-week celebration of the region's best tasting offerings. Featuring vineyard events, culinary conversations and a long list of seductive food and wine-related events, there is something for wine connoisseurs, foodies, families and everyone in between.

www.greatsoutherntastewa.com

FOOD There's a reason Albany's gourmet providores, organic food producers, farmers' markets and dining outlets are stacking up all the food awards' silverware. Produce so fresh you can count the minutes since it was harvested, devotion to sustainable agricultural methods, commitment to time-honoured cooking techniques passed down through generations and a strictly seasonal approach to dining room menus. The list goes on and so does Albany's food and wine scene, brimming with produce so fresh it begs to be devoured, now.

You won't be able to resist stacking boxes full to the brim as you trawl the local providores, cellar doors and gourmet outlets around Albany.

LOCAL MARKETS Saturday: Farmers Market **Sunday:** Albany Boatshed Markets •••••

WINE Producing internationally recognised wines of excellence comes naturally in Amazing Albany. So identify your skipper and plan your foray around Albany's celebrated cellar doors.







→ Steaming hot French pastries at the Sunday Boatshed Markets

→ Fresh Albany produce at the Albany Farmers Markets on Collie Street, each Saturday morning

→ Take home Albany rock oysters washed down with local bubbly

→ Caffeine, cake and company at one of Albany's charming cafes

→ Delicious barbecued marron straight from the dam

→ An organic seasonal platter and glass of Riesling among the vines

→ A pie and craft-beer pint in front of a crackling fire at Western Australia's oldest pub.

→ Whether it's 'roo kebabs or locally made dukkah, experience Australia's native bushfoods here in Albany

→ Lunch by the beach at a café or restaurant along Middleton Beach or Emu Point, or pack a picnic lunch with local gourmet produce



Albany is one of five sub-regions of the Great Southern wine region, the largest wine region in Australia. The Great Southern wine region spans Albany, Denmark, Porongurups, Mount Barker and Frankland River, with wineries nestled between stunning views and landscapes. Producing 37% of wine grapes in Western Australia, the region boasts cellar doors galore. Albany and the Great Southern is home to internationally acclaimed wineries with the region's winemakers held in high regard.



BIRTHPLACE OF THE ANZAC LEGEND

A visit to the National Anzac Centre is a must do. **Open 9am** every day except Christmas Day, last entry at 4pm. Located Mount Adelaide, Albany Heritage Park.

In late 1914 over 41,000 Australians and New Zealanders left Albany, bound for the Great War. This is their story. These simple yet evocative words inform the content of the National Anzac Centre, a stateof-the-art interpretive museum overlooking King George Sound. Walk with the ANZACs and experience the Great War through their personal stories. Follow them from Albany in 1914, to the Middle East, to

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Gallipoli and across the Western Front, and, for too few, home to Australia and New Zealand. The National Anzac Centre uses multimedia and interactive technology to create a deeply personal connection with the past, as well as pay tribute to those who served.

On 1st November 1914, the first convoy of Australian and New Zealand troops departed for the First World War from King George Sound, Albany. For many, Albany was their last sight of Australian soil.

Albany and the National Anzac Centre are destined to be the natural starting place of pilgrimage for many generations to come. A place of beginning, as it was for the first Anzacs.

Visit Albany to Remember.

Set within the heritage listed Princess Royal Fortress, the National Anzac Centre offers visitors a deeply personal connection with the Anzac experience. Within the National Anzac Centre, the key phases and events of the First World War are told through the stories of the ANZACs themselves. With unique content developed by the Western Australian Museum and Australian War Memorial, visitors assume the identity of one of 32 characters, and follow their personal experience of the Great War: from recruitment, through training and embarkation, ship-board life on the convoys, on to the conflicts at Gallipoli, the Middle East and the Western Front, and post-war... for those who returned. These personal stories unfold through interactive multimedia displays, poignant artefacts, rare images and film, and audio commentary.

As the story of conflicts within the National Anzac Centre draws to a close, the names of the 41,265 service men and women who left Albany in the first and second convoys are revealed: scrolling beneath a Pool of Reflections. The experience concludes with the discovery of each character's fate and a Tribute Wall where visitors may document their own feelings and messages to the ANZACs. These appear within the National Anzac Centre, and are then shared with the world via the internet. The seamless melding of sophisticated yet unobtrusive technology with realworld artefacts, coupled with a strong dedication to telling the personal stories of the first ANZACs has resulted in one of Australia's most important - and genuinely moving - heritage experiences.

nationalanzaccentre.com.au





An artwork titled Longing, Memory, •••••• Sight by Arif Satar and Audrey Fernandes-Satar marks the beginning of the Convoy Walk. Inspired by a fragment of a letter a soldier sent to his loved one, the sculpture contains inscribed text obtained from original letters and postcards sent by Australian soldiers who departed in 1914.

The walk contains 21 markers containing information about the ships in the First and Second Convoys, including the names and images of the troopships and escorts, and where they embarked troops.

The Convoy Walk leads to the Convoy Lookout, with a view over King George Sound where troops gathered on ships before departing for the First World War.





FIRST DAWN SERVICE

At dawn on 25 April 1930, Padre White led parishioners to the summit of Mount Clarence to observe the laying of a commemorative wreath to the fallen: founding Albany's dawn service tradition. The site is widely regarded as the location of Australia's first dawn service.

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ALBANY HERITAGE PARK

Ataturk Memorial

Overlooking the Channel also bearing his name, the scenic boardwalk that leads from Albany to Middleton Beach is home to a life-sized statue of Mustafa Kemal Atatürk, the President of Turkey from 1923 – 1938 and the leader of the Turkish forces at Gallipoli.

Avenue of Honour

Large gum trees line the Avenue of Honour on Apex Drive – the road to the top of Mount Clarence. At the base of each tree, plaques bear the names of soldiers lost at war.

National Anzac Centre

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Convoy Walk and Lookout

An interpretive walk and lookout atop Mount Adelaide overlooking King George Sound, where the First and Second Convoys anchored before departure. The walk contains 21 markers containing information about the ships in the First and Second Convoys.

Desert Mounted Corps Memorial

After the First World War, soldiers from Australia and New Zealand contributed one day's pay to commission a monument to the fallen on the banks of Port Said in Egypt. The Desert Mounted Corps Memorial replicates this memorial and stands proudly on the summit of Mount Clarence, site of the Albany's Dawn Service.

Padre White Lookout

At dawn on the 25 April 1930, Padre White led parishioners from St John's Church to the summit of Mount Clarence, the very site where so many gathered to watch the convoys depart in 1914. Today the Padre White Lookout is the region's most visited lookout and serves as an enduring place of reflection.

PLACES OF INTEREST

Ataturk Channel

In exchange for the Turkish Government's agreement to name the beach at Gallipoli where the Australian and New Zealand troops landed "Anzac Cove", the channel leading into Princess Royal Harbour was officially named "Ataturk Channel".

Anzac Peace Park

A number of Anzac stories have been integrated into seats located throughout the park, providing rest points and time to reflect and investigate the stories.

WA Museum

The museum provides exhibitions and programs as well as information on the region's natural and social history.

Albany Memorial Park Cemetery

A site of profound historical significance, ANZACs are buried at the Albany Memorial Park cemetery. Names of ANZACs are also commemorated on family headstones.

Lone Pine Grove

The Lone Pine Grove provides a major focus for the theme of peace within Anzac Peace Park. It expresses a direct and living connection between Gallipoli and Albany and the idea of peace across time, place and people.

Pier of Remembrance

The Pier provides a site for respite and reflection of those lost in the war and enables visitors to enact in a physical and symbolic way the process of 'leaving', much as was done by the troops departing for war in 1914. The names of the ships comprising the first and second convoys are inscribed along the pier.

St John's Anglican Church

Padre White's home church. Walk through Western Australia's first consecrated church and find out more about Padre White and the beginning of the Dawn Service tradition.

Princess Royal Fortress

View from Mt Clarence over King George Sound

LOOK OUT OVER THE 1914 DEPARTURE POINT

Create your own Anzac Albany pilgrimage trail with the Anzac Albany Map & Guide, available from the Albany Visitor Centre or the Forts Store at Mount Adelaide.

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ALBANY'S HISTORIC WHALING STATION -DISCOVERY BAY

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After World War II, a worldwide shortage of fats led to the development of the modern whaling industry. The Albany Whaling Company commenced operations in 1947 and in 1952 was succeeded by the Cheynes Beach Whaling Company. Shore whaling continued at Albany until 1978 when a downturn in the industry and mounting pressure from the environment movement led to the closure of the whaling station.

ALBANY HERITAGE PARK

Extraordinary from Summit to Sea

Albany Heritage Park is a 260 hectare parkland reserve set in the heart of Albany. The premier tourist attraction in the South West, it surrounds the summits of Mt Adelaide – Irrerup and Mt Clarence – Corndarup and stretches from the Port of Albany to the shores of Middleton Beach.

HISTORICAL Albany

The Park is the ultimate heritage destination, offering a unique blend of natural, cultural and historical attractions: from the wonder of wildflowers, to Aboriginal and European cultural sites – including pre-federation military installations at Princess Royal Fortress and the new National Anzac Centre.

Explore the park by car, bike or foot to discover the wonders of the Great Southern, including the region's highest lookouts offering breathtaking views to the Stirling Ranges, Princess Royal Harbour and King George Sound.

Whether you have a few hours or a full day, Albany Heritage Park has a range of activities for all ages and fitness levels.

PLACES OF INTEREST

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Brig Amity

Take a guided tour of the 1970s built replica of the sailing ship that brought the first European settlers to Western Australia. Group and guided tours available.

Albany Convict Gaol

Fully restored, displays include the Great Hall, warders' quarters and cells. Try a night tour that includes Hangman's Yard, ghostly tales, indigenous cell art, a death mask and the Black Hole.

Patrick Taylor Cottage

An 11-room wattle and daub home, said to be the oldest surviving dwelling in Western Australia.

Discovery Bay

Incorporating the **Historic Whaling Station**, Australian Wildlife and Botanic Garden, Discovery Bay features living murals of wildflower colour, native animal enclosures, 12km of boardwalks through paths of protected wetlands and an interactive learning experience.

Maximising its location, Discovery Bay is a showcase of amazing regional bio-diversity, yet still remains true to the original whaling display.

Old Farm, Strawberry Hill

Visit the first farm established in Western Australia. View the historic homestead and stroll the beautiful gardens.

Fish Traps

Discover the ancient stone fish traps built 7,500 years ago by Minang people at Albany's Oyster Harbour.



Kaya Kaya choorrabinyi Minang boodja. Welcome to Minang Country. May the spirit of 'our ancient people' of long ago guide your journey. 'Follow in their footsteps.'



NOONGAR HISTORY

Albany is the traditional home of the Minang Noongar Aboriginal people, who have lived in the area since time immemorial. When the settlement at King George Sound was established in 1826, the Minang peoples quickly established a cooperative relationship with the settlers which led to a period of relatively harmonious coexistence.

The Europeans recognised the people's ownership to the surrounding lands and waterways, shared their houses and took part in their ceremonies. The Minang peoples were at first suspicious but eventually welcomed the settlers as another tribe and allowed them to settle. They acted as guides, instructors and informants on all things to do with their territory.

While you're here, visit the ancient stone fish traps built 7,500 years ago by Minang people that caught huge numbers of fish as the tide in the Kalgan River rose and fell.

MUST DO

→ Explore the Albany Heritage Park trails on foot or by mountain bike

→ Discover the historic barracks and gun emplacements at Princess Royal Fortress

→ Take in the views from the Apex, Convoy and Padre White Lookouts

→ Commemorate the servicemen and women from all theatres of war at the Desert Mounted Corps Memorial on Mount Clarence → Visit the Princess Royal Fortress, the oldest surviving military site in Western Australia

→ Visit the National Anzac Centre or shop for a unique gift or souvenir

→ Dine at the impressive Garrison Restaurant with panoramic views of Princess Royal Harbour

→ Take the family for a picnic to the Albany Heritage Park gardens and soak in the natural beauty.



ALBANY ENTERTAINMENT CENTRE



The magnificent 618-seat proscenium arch Theatre has hosted productions from companies such as Bell Shakespeare, the Sydney Dance Company and WA's own Black Swan State Theatre Company.

Think star-quality musos, artisanal stores to die for, and international acts...

Found on the historic Vancouver Street in Albany, the **Vancouver Arts Centre** is the region's key focal point for arts experiences. With three galleries and numerous workshop spaces it offers an inclusive and diverse annual program of arts activities and experiences for anyone aged 2 to 102.

The centre coordinates and hosts touring and local exhibitions, artists in residence, interactive and engaging ArtSpaces, adult and children's workshops, community projects and a range of diverse events on its own and in partnership with others. The centre is home to a number of active arts and craft groups and artists and is well used by the local community, whilst at the same time, warmly welcoming all visitors through its doors.

Perth International Arts Festival (PIAF) brings Great Southern Festival to our shores every February. Enjoy a myriad exhibitions, workshops, performances, indie flicks and heritage site tours.

The Vancouver Street Festival is held each year in Albany's City Centre. Taking place in early May, there will be street performances, live music, gourmet food, artisan markets, exhibitions, workshops, craft activities and plenty of vintage flair.





VANCOUVER ARTS

CENTRE

Built in 1887 and designed by architect George Temple Poole, the sandstone brick building originally served as the Albany Cottage Hospital until 1962. Today, Vancouver Arts Centre is the region's hub for arts experiences.

OPENING TIMES MONDAY TO FRIDAY 9-4PM SATURDAY 10-3PM

The Biennial Great Southern Art Award is a non-selected exhibition featuring works from artists across the Great Southern. The exhibition opens Easter Weekend and will be on display at the Town Hall until early June.

→ The Southern Art + Craft Trail boasts more than 60 exhibitions and studios in September and October each year. Plan your visit around the Trail and soak up the authentic experience of the region with workshops, exhibitions, demonstrations, awards and opportunities.

 → Held at the Historic Town Hall, the City of Albany Art Prize is a national, acquisitive painting prize with a \$25,000 award sponsored by the Jack Family Charitable Trust as well as a range of non-acquisitive awards.
2017 is the 10th anniversary of the Prize. The exhibition features thirty selected finalists.
and opens in early September.

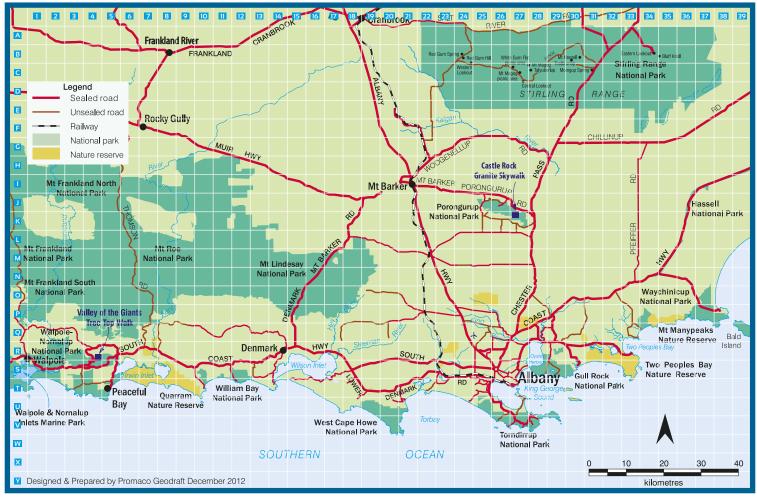
→ Listen as you forage: the weekend markets showcase the best of Albany's musos.

→ Check out the Southern Edge Art's program
- the circus kids are something else!

→ Book your stay around the Albany Entertainment Centre's program of global artists.



MAP 2



MAP 3





BEACH LEISURE Laze your day away and stake out a patch of sand at one of Albany's **pristine beaches**.

Middleton Beach \rightarrow Popular with families, with gentle waves, a jetty for fishing, protected swimming area and cafes a stone's throw away.

Emu Point Beach → Sheltered beach, perfect for kayaking and paddling with a café close by.

Little Beach → Regularly voted one of Western Australia's best beaches. Features pristine sand and calm waters set within Two People's Bay Nature Reserve.

Misery Beach → Secluded and sheltered spot with gentle waves. Views over King George Sound. A local secret!

Shelley Beach → Watch the hang gliders and paragliders above you, with beautiful views of the West Cape Howe National Park.

Whalers Cove → Protected waters make this spot suitable for family swimming. Clear and calm waters make this spot good for snorkelling.

SURF OUR TURF There's a surf spot for everyone in Amazing Albany, with conditions to suit all experience levels. Windsurfers are in paradise in Albany, with the protected waters of Princess Royal Harbour and adjacent coastline offering some of the State's best wind and kite surfing hotspots.

Mutton Bird & Nanarup → Beach break, left and right. Easy access. Best winds: North, or North-West. Suitable for all surfers.

Salmon Holes → Sand and reef break, left and right. Best winds: West or North-West. For experienced surfers.

Blow Holes → Beach break, left and right. Best on small swell. Best winds: North-East or North. For experienced surfers.

Sand Patch → Beach break, left and right. Needs northern winds. Good smaller swell. For experienced surfers.

Dingos → Heavy shore break with a wedge, left and right. North-west winds are best, and at least a 2m swell. 4WD access only.

FISHING is an Albany pastime, and most fishing spots are accessible by 2WD vehicles, followed by a short walk. Western Angler editor Scott Coghlan shares Albany's best fishing spots:

City Marina \rightarrow Fish from the rocks, landing or jetty for herring, bream, squid and the occasional pink snapper.

Emu Point Channel → Shore fishing for herring, King George whiting, skippy, small salmon and the occasional squid.

Sand Patch → Long walk, but can reward anglers with good fishing for herring, skippy, a few tailor, and salmon.

Shelley Beach → Salmon during their annual run, and herring. Bonito from the beach.

Cheyne Beach → Great fishing from the beach for herring and skippy, along with big numbers of salmon during the annual run.

Bornholm Beach → Tricky 4WD track in and out, but offers good beach fishing for herring, salmon, tailor, as well as sharks.

King George Sound → Great boat fishing for King George whiting, squid, skippy, sand whiting, herring and flathead. Salmon when in season, southern blue fin tuna and bonito.

Two Peoples Bay → Boat and shore fishing for herring, King George whiting and squid. Boat fishing for samson fish, queen snapper, Breaksea cod and dhufish.

Taylor Inlet/Nanarup → Fishing in the inlet for black bream, juvenile salmon and occasional King George whiting. Catch herring, salmon, skippy and tailor from the beach.

Salmon Holes → Salmon, during their annual season, and herring from the beach. CAUTION: DO NOT FISH FROM ROCKS. LIVES HAVE BEEN LOST.

Kalgan River → Great shore and boat fishing for black bream and small mulloway, along with herring. Juvenile salmon and tailor in the lower reaches, and blue swimmer crabs. Landing under bridge can also fish well.

Oyster Harbour → Boat fishing for herring, King George whiting and also black bream on the flats. Same species from the boat harbour jetties.





Out Of Sight Tours: 1 day 4WD West Cape Howe Tour Experience most southerly point of WA,

Ploughman lunch. Albany & Great Southern Wilderness Tours: 2 day luxury personalised nature-based touring, Gourmet lunch, premium wine. Private Charter available.

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MAP 3: A-1



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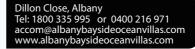
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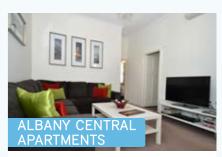












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MAP 1: J-21





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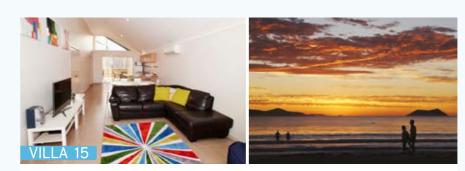
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MAP 2: T-21

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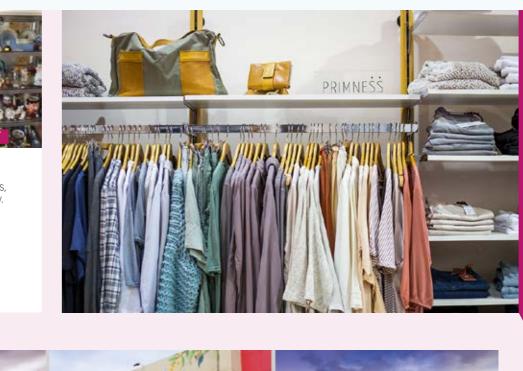




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MAP 3: B-3





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This popular shopping centre is home to Woolworths, Priceline and Red Dot along with specialty stores including Colourworx Hair Studio, Camera House, Jaffa Java Café, Albany Lottery, Dog Rock Laundry and several specialty food stores. Take your time to stroll and enjoy this pleasant shopping experience.

Dog Rock Boulevarde Shopping Centre, Lockyer Ave & Middleton Rd, Albany, 6330 Tel: (08) 9841 6395 Fax: (08) 9842 2566 Web: www.myboulevarde.com.au Trading Hours: Mon - Fri 8am - 6pm Thurs 8am - 9pm Sat 8am - 5pm

MAP 3: D-8

MAP 3: I-9





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MAP 1: G-18

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180kms east of Albany in Western Australia lies a small coastal town, Bremer Bay.

If you find yourself with a free day why not take a day trip to beautiful Bremer Bay. Bremer Bay is a coastal community located 180kms east of Amazing Albany on the South Coast between Albany and Hopetoun within the Shire of Jerramungup. The small town is surrounded by stunning pristine coastline and many natural wonders. If you want to surf, fish or swim, there are eight beaches to choose from in town.

Bremer Bay is the gateway to the South West area of the Fitzgerald River National Park, covering over 329,000 hectares. The Fitzgerald River National Park is one the largest and most botanically significant National Parks in Australia. Explore the varied landscapes on foot, in your four wheel drive or by water in a canoe.

Bremer Bay has a unique underwater environment. The amazing Weedy and Leafy Seadragon, unique to the southern temperate waters are often seen here as the adjoining sea grass beds are major breeding areas. Many visitors from around the world travel to Bremer just to catch a glimpse and/or photograph these unique sea creatures. Whales are a key attraction between May and October.

BREMER BAY VISITOR CENTRE

7 Mary Street, Bremer Bay WA 6338

tourism@bremerbaycrc.com

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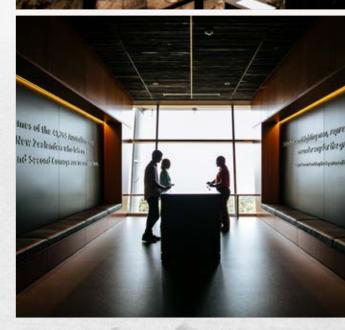
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