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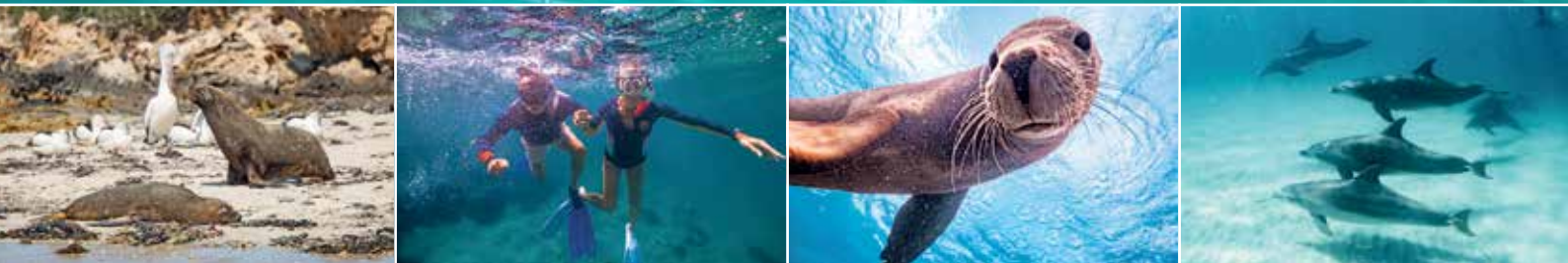
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The City of Rockingham acknowledges the Traditional Owners and Custodians of this land, the Binjareb and Whadjuk Nyoongar peoples, and their continuing connection to the land, waters and community. We pay our respects to all members of First Nations communities and their cultures, and to Elders past and present.



WELCOME TO ROCKINGHAM

Have you been dreaming of lazy days of pure relaxation along pristine beaches? An action-packed aquatic adventure equipped with boats, jet skis, surfboards or SUPs? What about a spread of eateries and fun activities to discover with family and friends? Get ready to experience it all when you rediscover Rockingham.

With 37 kms of spectacular coastline, glowing with ample sunshine and blessed with brilliant sunsets, there is so much to enjoy in this slice of paradise. Spend a day exploring one of our many offshore islands; cast a line or catch some sun along the vast stretches of white sandy beaches; sail or kayak within our well-protected glassy bays; play among the local dolphins or sea lions; or dive our otherworldly dive wrecks.

Discover the town by exploring our cultural and historical centres, where you will learn about Rockingham's rich



history and the deep sense of connection to this special place.

And whenever you seek a bite to eat, there are endless cafés along our vibrant foreshore and award-winning restaurants where you can treat yourself.

Accessible for all, whether

you are seeking a spontaneous day trip, coming from afar, or planning a special weekend away – once you rediscover Rockingham you will find there is always more to explore. It's all right within your reach, being just 45 minutes south of Perth.

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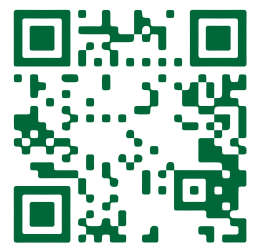
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10 TOP THINGS TO DO

ROCKINGHAM IS JAM-PACKED WITH HIDDEN GEMS AND ICONIC ACTIVITIES TO EXPLORE. PICK FROM OUR TOP 10 HIGHLIGHTS TO PLAN YOUR IDEAL ROCKINGHAM ITINERARY.



A must-do activity in Rockingham is swimming alongside wild bottlenose dolphins. The Perth Wildlife Encounters team have come to know hundreds of the resident dolphins and once the boat is surrounded by these majestic mammals, you can mask up and jump right in. Your guide will brief you on how to swim respectfully alongside these beautiful animals.

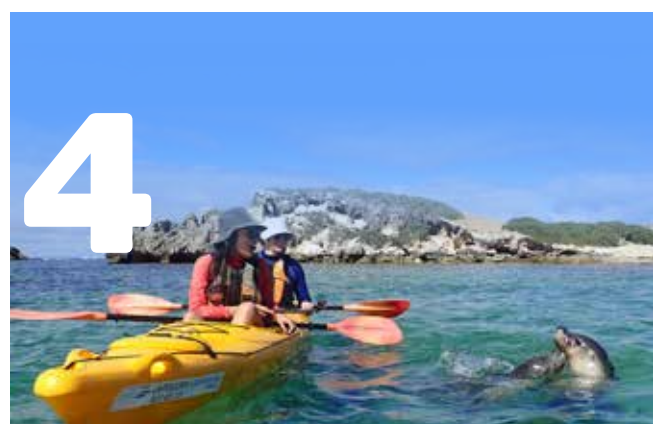


Stretch out along the pristine white sands of Rockingham's uncrowded beaches. North-facing bays surrounded by lush, tree-lined parks offer wind protection to calm, crystal waters. The conveniently located Palm Beach and Rockingham Beach are top family hangouts, while other slices of paradise to discover include Mangles Bay, Penguin Island and the glorious bays at Point Peron.



SAVOUR LOCAL BEANS, BREWS AND BEVVIES

Check out local favourite Brother of Mine for your early morning caffeine hit where baristas brew with fresh beans from their Port Kennedy roastery. Thirsty for locally-brewed craft beer? Try Azacca Kitchen, known for delicious share-style dishes, regular live music and their own craft beer on tap. On the weekend, head to Peel Estate Wines and enjoy a glass of vino under the Tuart trees.



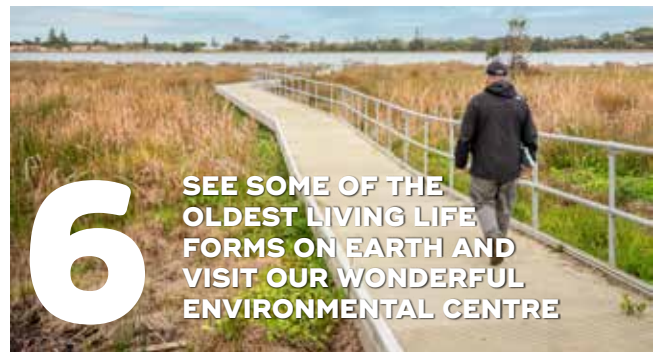
KAYAK IN THE MARINE PARK OR RENT A SUP AT THE FORESHORE

Capricorn Seakayaking offers an all-ages kayak tour of Penguin and Seal Island, a chance to glide along crystal waters and look out for rare sea lions, bottlenose dolphins and pelican rookeries. Experience Rockingham's calm waters on a Stand Up Paddle (SUP) board, from Oarsome Hobbies or Surf Mania.



SNORKEL WITH SEA LIONS

Explore the best snorkelling spots in the spectacular Shoalwater Islands Marine Park for a chance to encounter rare Australian sea lions, dolphins and other marine life. The team at Perth Wildlife Encounters will provide all your snorkelling gear so that you are well equipped to immerse yourself in the beautiful waters of this protected marine sanctuary.



SEE SOME OF THE OLDEST LIVING LIFE FORMS ON EARTH AND VISIT OUR WONDERFUL ENVIRONMENTAL CENTRE

Lake Richmond is home to a community of thrombolites, rocklike organisms considered one of the oldest life forms on earth. Enjoy a leisurely one-hour walk around the lake, spot waterbirds and wildlife and swing by Rockingham Environmental Centre (Naragebup) next to the lake to learn more about the lake's fascinating eco-system.



EXPLORE POINT PERON

A few minutes' drive from Rockingham Foreshore will bring you to Point Peron, a popular cape with rugged limestone cliffs and protected bays perfect for swimming and snorkelling. Walk along the Lookout Bridge and admire panoramic views of the Shoalwater Islands Marine Park and come back at golden hour to watch the sunset over the Indian Ocean.



DINE AT AWARD-WINNING RESTAURANTS

On the Rockingham Foreshore you'll find Latitude 32, serving up perfectly cooked steaks and fresh seafood alongside an extensive wine list. Taste the flavours of the Mediterranean with Spanish tapas and sangria at Rustico Tapas & Wine Bar, where the atmosphere is warm and dishes are seasonal and delicious. If it's brunch you're after, the accredited gluten-free and award-winning Bayside Barista in nearby Safety Bay is the ultimate choice.



DIVE AMONGST A SHIPWRECK

Get under the water and explore the vessels, aircrafts and assorted debris of the Churchill Park Dive Trail. The trail began to take form in 1985 when the MV Petrel was sunk to form an artificial reef. It has since been joined by motorboats, planes and several chicken coops. Teaming with local marine life, it is now one of WA's most popular dive spots.



GET PUMPED ON ADRENALINE WITH ONE OF OUR EXTREME SPORTS

If you consider yourself an adrenaline junkie, Rockingham is the destination for you. Speed around on a jet ski with Jet Ski Tours Perth or try wakeboarding at Perth Wake Park. The adventure is yours.

EVENTS

ROCKINGHAM'S VIBRANT EVENTS CULTURE WELCOMES A RANGE OF FAMILY-FRIENDLY HEADLINERS, WITH SOMETHING HAPPENING YEAR-ROUND. WE HAVE PICKED THE BEST UPCOMING EVENTS TO ADD TO YOUR CALENDAR.



JANUARY

Celebrate Australia Day

Soak up the sunshine and community spirit at Rockingham Foreshore this Australia Day, with free children's activities, food trucks and local acts from 5pm, concluding with fireworks over Cockburn Sound.

Australian Freestyle Kiteboarding National Championships

The best freestyle kiteboarding in the country will be on display at The Pond in Safety Bay over a 4-day action-packed weekend.



Darren Smith, Hunting Zephyrs, 2023



FEBRUARY

Rocky Fringe Festival

The Rocky Fringe Festival is back with three unique venues across Rockingham hosting a range of diverse acts including comedy, cabaret, music, magic, mediums and children's shows.

Weekend on the Green

The West Australian Symphony Orchestra takes over the Village Green on Saturday evening with free, live music. Expect classical masterpieces and brilliant scores, plus dinner and drinks from local food vendors. Then on the Sunday evening, there's more fun in the great outdoors with a theatre show, food vendors and activities to ensure entertainment for all ages.

MARCH

Catalpa Festival

This festival celebrates one of the most exciting chapters in

Rockingham's history – the daring mission to liberate six Irish political prisoners on the American whaling ship Catalpa. The event celebrates this great escape with activities for the entire family, including musicians, roaming entertainment, historical re-enactments, food vendors and kids activities.

BMD Rumble Pro Tour, Port Kennedy

As Australia's only Pro Skateboarding tour, the BMD Rumble Pro Tour Series will be showcasing some of the best that skateboarding has to offer when they visit the Port Kennedy skate park in March.

OCTOBER

Castaways Sculpture Awards

Celebrating local art, culture and environmental awareness, the annual Castaways Sculpture Awards showcase sculptural works made from up-cycled and

repurposed materials. These must-see works created by emerging and professional Western Australian artists will be displayed at the Rockingham Foreshore and Rockingham Arts Centre.

NOVEMBER

Rockingham Beach Cup and Carnival

As Western Australia's only beachside racing event, the Rockingham Beach Cup and Carnival combines breathtaking coastline with horse racing. This iconic event encompasses a whole weekend, with the horse race taking place on Sunday.

DECEMBER

Christmas Lights Launch

Festive lights shine in all their glory when the City of Rockingham lights up the foreshore for their annual Christmas celebration. There's Christmas stalls, food vendors, live entertainment, children's activities and even a special appearance from Santa himself.

New Year's Eve

Welcome in the New Year with a bang! Secure a spot on the foreshore, buy a tasty dinner from one of the food vans or nearby restaurants and settle in. There will be live entertainment and then get ready for the stars of the show, with impressive fireworks over the ocean at 9pm and again at midnight.



EXPERIENCE LAIDBACK
COASTAL LIFE, ARTS, FOOD
AND CULTURE ALONG
ROCKINGHAM FORESHORE.

ROCKINGHAM FORESHORE



Rockingham is where the coast comes to life and there's no place that highlights this quite like the foreshore. Surf, sand and sublime dining all meet along the water's edge, with a timber boardwalk connecting the beach with hospitality venues and retail outlets. The boardwalk offers a

perfect vantage point to laze on shaded deck chairs and take in the view. Partake in a walk, run or ride along the **Foreshore Flow** pedestrian path.

Rockingham Foreshore is pleasantly protected, making for perfectly glassy, calm waters. Go for a dip, rent a SUP (Stand Up Paddle board) from **Surf Mania**

or simply sit back and watch the sunset, soaking in stunning coastal views.

Settle in at **Val Street Jetty** or wander south-west along the cape to **Palm Beach** where you can cast a line across the serene waters to catch dinner for the night.

Get even closer to the rich marine life when diving among the



Churchill Park Dive Trail. Located around 50 metres out from Rockingham Foreshore, the dive trail is easily accessed via Flinders Lane car park and features small wrecks, small airplanes, and children's playground equipment. Watch an assortment of sea creatures pass you by, including Western Australian seahorses for those with a keen eye. If you're new to diving, looking to improve your abilities, or for an expert's insights into the area, book in for a tour or lesson with **Scubanaautics Diving Academy.**

In addition to a world of aquatic activities, there's ample art and history to be absorbed too. A short stroll away from the coast you'll find the **Rockingham Arts Centre** where creative workshops and free exhibitions are hosted year-round.

A stone's throw away, on the Village Green, visit **The**

Rockingham War Memorial which commemorates Australian soldiers missing in action. Observe the powerful monument made to represent the Army, Air Force and Navy, featuring a QF 25-pounder field gun, a propeller, and an anchor.

Visit the **Rockingham Museum** to discover how Rockingham came to be and how it has evolved ever since. There's plenty to uncover, from first settlement in 1829 when Europeans established Sulphur Town on **Garden Island** to modern day tourism. Did you know, Rockingham was named after the ship Rockingham that arrived here in 1830 as part of the Peel settlement scheme, before sinking five kilometres off the coast of Garden Island?

Continue north-east along the foreshore and nearby, the seaside **Naval Memorial Park** presents another opportunity to reflect

on years gone by and honour those who served in the Royal Australian Navy.

After all that reflecting and exploring, you're bound to be hungry. The foreshore features an array of places to eat, drink and be merry. Whether you're after some waterfront scenery or a



ROCKINGHAM has so much to offer, and we want to make sure you discover it all. Drop into the Rockingham Visitor Centre and see our friendly staff who will ensure you make the most of your visit to our beautiful coastal city.

Our knowledgeable staff can assist you with accommodation bookings, tours and experiences as well as providing local insight and information. We stock a huge range of maps and brochures to help plan your itinerary and make your trip a memorable one. Visit our website or call us now!

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gourmet restaurant to treat your tastebuds, there are plenty of eateries to choose from along this bustling dining strip.

Ostro Eatery is the ultimate brunch spot, bursting with poke bowls, vegan brekkies and fresh, modern dishes.

If you're seeking a fine dining experience to finish off your day in style, **Latitude 32** and

Rustico Tapas & Wine Bar serve exceptional food with unbeatable ocean views. While Latitude 32 specialises in premium cuts of meat and fresh seafood, Rustico serves a series of share-style dishes that are exploding with flavour. Try the fried goat's cheese with orange blossom honey or the smoked chorizo with lime glaze, and you'll quickly

understand why they've been awarded a Gold Plate.

Cee & See Caravan Park is a great option for families wanting a caravan site or chalet with spectacular views over Cockburn Sound. **Quest Rockingham** offers a relaxing experience through its stylish apartments, perfect for couples looking to chill.

JUST BEYOND THE FORESHORE

South-west along the cape and at the southern end of Cockburn Sound is the iconic **Point Peron**, a whole new world of wonder that is integral to Rockingham's identity and military history. From its rugged limestone cliffs to its protected beaches, Point Peron offers the perfect outlook of **Shoalwater Islands Marine Park**, with panoramic sunset views, and the **Cape Peron Loop Trail**, ideal for bushwalking. Grab your snorkel or paddle along the crystal-clear waters – you might even spot the resident bottlenose dolphins.



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A SHOPPING, DINING AND ENTERTAINMENT HUB, CENTRAL ROCKINGHAM IS A FABULOUS SPOT TO SPEND A RELAXED DAY INDULGING.

Locals and visitors alike are drawn to the one-of-a-kind, laidback lifestyle Rockingham offers. There's something for everyone here – be it shopping, culture or nature.

Treat yourself to some retail therapy at **Rockingham Shopping Centre**, brimming with the latest apparel and beauty boutiques, or head to one of the local cinemas to catch a film on the big screen.

If you have kids in tow, stop by **iPlay** arcade or visit **X-Golf** and take a swing on their digital golf courses and driving range

while the littlies take a putt on the **Hey Caddy** mini golf course. Alternatively, head towards the foreshore and grab a lane at **Zone Bowling**.

When it comes to food and drinks, Syren Street is a premier alfresco dining and entertainment area. There's plenty of restaurants to choose from including neighbourhood kitchen and bar **Martini & Co**; **Wara Sushi** with its sushi train and authentic Japanese cuisine; or **2 Fat Indians** for a range of tasty dishes from the Indian sub-continent.

If it's hearty or gastro-pub fare with a fresh tap brew that you're after, **Cheeky Monkey Brewing Co** offers award-winning craft beer on tap, including limited release brews on rotation which you can enjoy on their sun-soaked outdoor terrace or in front of their indoor fire.

Meanwhile, **The Pipers Inn** prides itself on being Western Australia's only authentic Scottish bar; while the **Swinging Pig** is a classic English themed bar and bistro, with a quintessential Australian atmosphere.



BALDIVIS & KARNUP

Enjoy tranquil, welcoming country atmospheres when visiting Baldvis and Karnup – two communities not to be overlooked when exploring the region.

Baldvis holds tucked-away treasures, with **Baldvis Children's Forest** being one of our all-time favourites. Thanks to the local community's efforts, this unique 20-hectare conservation reserve is open to the public and remains a beautiful spot to take the family on a day out.

With magnificent flora and fauna to discover as well as barbecue facilities, this bushland haven is a great way to explore the outdoors with your little ones.

Another picturesque setting, **Golden Ponds** is a hub that has it all. Set on 100 acres of charming countryside and surrounded by stunning lakes, it's the ultimate wedding destination, weekend getaway, spot to eat or place to fish. You can even catch marron!

For some action and excitement, **Perth Wake Park** is WA's only cable wake park. Also located in Baldvis, **Perth Aqua Park** is located on the same site and this huge inflatable fun park has over 100 interconnected obstacles.

A top recommendation for a satisfying breakfast or lunch is award-winning **Brother of Mine**. Roasting their own coffee on site, you can be guaranteed the freshest of brews. For those looking for authentic Italian, **Catalano and Co** will not disappoint. As the region's oldest winery, **Peel Estate Wines** celebrates

over 40 years of history. This charming winery regularly hosts a series of family-friendly live music events. Simply bring a picnic and savour the relaxing atmosphere and natural surroundings – and of course, a glass of wine (or two)!

Look out for the regular high tea and music and markets events held at **Peel Manor House**, too.



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Penguin Island

SAFETY BAY & SHOALWATER

VENTURE PAST ROCKINGHAM AND YOU'LL FIND AN AQUATIC PARADISE THAT IS SECOND TO NONE.

Both Shoalwater and Safety Bay boast never-ending aquatic itineraries – with immersive outdoor activities such as diving, snorkelling, and kayaking, to name a few.

Just off Shoalwater's sparkling shores, you'll find one of Western Australia's most protected marine areas, **Shoalwater Islands Marine Park**. Spanning 6,000 hectares,



Shoalwater Islands Marine Park is home to the famous **Penguin Island** and playful bottlenose dolphins, sea lions and some little penguins – which happen to be the smallest of their species!

Cavernous reefs provide excellent diving and snorkelling opportunities through the marine park. If it's waves you're chasing, check out the surf break to the west of Penguin Island.

Penguin Island is open to visitors from mid-September to early June and is easily accessible by ferry. Spotting the little penguins in the wild is rare, but there's plenty of other local wildlife residents to see. Make sure to pack a picnic and your

snorkelling gear to make the most of the crystal-clear waters.

Birdlife is also abundant across the marine park and can be observed from the purpose-built network of boardwalks along the coastline and on Penguin Island. Look up and spot pelicans soaring above the water.

Similarly, Safety Bay is an aquatic paradise and perfect for thrill-seekers, with kite surfers flocking to **The Pond**. This world-class kitesurfing destination is frequented for its mirror-like flat water conditions and consistent winds. The Pond hosts many international and local kitesurfing competitions, much to the awe of spectators who love catching the

sport in action.

If you're looking to get out and ride some waves, **WA Surf** and **Seabreeze Kitesurf School** can be found near **Safety Bay Yacht Club** for lessons and equipment.

Worked up an appetite? Head to **Azacca Kitchen**, which has quickly become a crowd favourite thanks to its craft beer and flavoursome dishes.

For a casual evening meal, there's **Bayside Fish Shack** at **Bayside Shopping Centre**, where traditional fish and chips meets an extended menu of inspired creations. Enjoy their renovated courtyard dining area or takeaway for a sunset picnic on the beach.



Also in Safety Bay, **Rocky Bay Patisserie** is renowned for their Banh Mi, whilst **Bayside Barista** serves yummy breakfast and lunches that are 100% gluten free and are accredited with Coeliac Australia.

Further down the coast towards Waikiki, the smell of authentic spices, stir fries and coconut curries will lead you directly to **Kao Suay Thai Cuisine**. This is perfect for hungry families or groups looking to share and taste an array of flavours.

Café Barco is another hotspot not to miss. With views looking out towards the ocean, it's the perfect place to enjoy fresh, wholesome food and quality coffee.

PORT KENNEDY & WARNBRO



Birdie



ENJOY A FAMILY AFTERNOON OUT IN PORT KENNEDY AND WARNBRO, WHERE THE HIGH-ENERGY ACTIVITIES WILL KEEP THE KIDS ENTERTAINED FOR HOURS.

Another stunning set of coastal suburbs, Port Kennedy and Warnbro are the perfect family hotspots for an active day out with the kids.

With spectacular coastal views, **Links Kennedy Bay** golf course offers the ultimate day on the green for any golf fan. But it's the site's impressive playground '**The Nest**' that will have the kids begging parents to bring them back time and time again. This new addition, which is part of the club's redevelopment, is found opposite the modern bistro, **Birdie at Kennedy Bay**, and is brimming with activity.

Have the kids try their hand at one of its several mini golf courses and discover if they show natural talent for life as a pro. The rope bridge, nest swing, soft rock walls and giant slide will keep them busy all afternoon. We recommend a bite to eat at Birdie while you're there, which takes pride in supporting local farmers and sourcing fresh ingredients for its delicious dishes.

If the little ones have more energy to burn, visit **Flip Out Port**

Kennedy, where you can test gravity and embrace the aerial freedom of trampolining. Or take the adrenaline up a notch at **Lazerforce** for a round of laser tag.

There's something to entertain any age, and plenty of good excuses for parents to embrace their own inner child.

Down the road in Waikiki you'll also find the **Waikiki Village**

Shopping Centre, packed with eateries for a casual bite to eat and a variety of shops to explore. Stock up on supplies for a picnic lunch or sunset dinner to enjoy at the stunning and serene **Waikiki Beach**.

Alternatively, take the plunge and dive the **Saxon Ranger Dive Wreck**, sunk in the Warnbro Sound (see pages 21 and 24 for more information).



CLEAN, GREEN, AND RELAXED, THE SUBURBS OF SECRET HARBOUR AND SINGLETON BOAST EXCELLENT PARKS AND BEACHES THAT SPRAWL AS FAR AS THE EYE CAN SEE.

SECRET HARBOUR & SINGLETON

Surrounded by a spectacular coastline and laid-back lifestyle, it's easy to let time slip by while enjoying the good life in Secret Harbour and Singleton.

Secret Harbour Beach has garnered a reputation as the only beach in the Perth metro area that has waves all year round, so come equipped with your surfboard. You can also hire a board and book lessons with **Gone Surfin Surf School**.

Singleton also has a spectacular coastline with clear waters, 2.5 kilometres of

pristine white sand and a beach appreciated by both surfers and bodyboarders for its consistent waves, averaging over one metre. It's regarded as a great spot for a bit of beach fishing, with mullet and tailor in good supply.

The kids will go mad for the **Harbour Playground** along Secret Harbour's foreshore. This ocean-themed attraction is dominated by a soft-fall giant octopus, tempting kids to climb to the top by gripping its many coloured tentacles.

The idyllic **Tuart Park** is another wonderful spot outdoors to

explore. Take the time to enjoy its peace and tranquillity.

After you've got your fitness fix and the kids have burnt off energy, enjoy a bite to eat or peruse the local shops at **Secret Harbour Square** – a hub for vibrant bars and casual cafés. Or next to the beach, **Surfing Lizard Café** has dishes packed with vibrant Asian fusion flavour and fresh produce.

Keep your eye on upcoming events at the **Surf Club** too. Soak up the best views in town with Friday Sundowners and Sunday Sessions on the Sundeck, featuring live music and games nights.

Head over to the **Whistling Kite** where the fun continues, with DJ Sunday Sessions and Friday Sundowner specials.

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Art for all

With an annual program of incredible exhibitions, the Rockingham Arts Centre has become a hub for arts and culture in the region. The gallery exhibits the works of artists from all over Western Australia, spanning paintings, sculpture, textile and photography. It is hoped that visitors to the centre will leave with a better understanding of art practices in Western Australia.

Aiming to facilitate local art groups, the centre also displays local community art group exhibitions, and offers a number of bookable spaces alongside an on-site ceramics studio and writers centre.

Rockingham's commitment to community engagement and art extends beyond the centre's four walls. Take a stroll through the Village Green and discover the

sculptures that abound. There are more than 30 public artworks around town and the foreshore.

Take a cultural tour

With its bountiful land and lake systems, pre-settlement Rockingham was a fruitful hunting ground for the Nyungar

people. Fishing and foraging were commonplace in and around the fresh waters of Lake Richmond, a water body with significant ceremonial and mythological ties for the Nyungar people.

Lake Richmond was seen as the embodiment of the Wagyl, which represents the life and spirit of water and created water bodies surrounded by dune systems through its movements across lands. But the coastline just one kilometre away holds the most significance for the Aboriginal people.

"Point Peron (Boya Kaarla) is spiritually important to the Nyungar people," says Justin Martin, owner of Djurandi Dreaming, a tour guiding and Aboriginal art company based in Wadjuk country (Perth). "Boya Kaarla, or the place of many fires, was known to be a gathering place for many Nyungar of the past. In some parts of the cape, important men of the Nyungar community were buried."

Explore the sacred land on a walking tour, either with Djurandi Dreaming or In Culture Tours. A 1.5-hour walking tour through either company will see you paired up with a host ready to share





insightful knowledge of the land and the Nyungar dreaming stories associated with the area, while exploring coastal caves and foraging for native edibles around the point. “Getting out on country is a must-do for all,” says Justin.

Explore what lies beneath

Eleven metres under the surface of the Indian Ocean lies the skeletal remains of the Saxon Ranger. Once a fishing trawler servicing the south coast, the stricken vessel that washed up on the Rockingham Foreshore is now almost unrecognisable. Its deck and galley have come alive with sea grasses and corals, and the trawler’s many nooks and crannies have become hiding holes for fish, octopi, sea stars and more.

The wreck sits just under 2km from shore at Warnbro Sound, marked by a yellow wreck marker visible from the Bent Street boat ramp. If you’re an experienced diver, guides aren’t necessary, but you will need a dive pass which can be purchased for a nominal fee from the Rockingham Visitor Centre (19 Kent Street).

Dive into history

Across the way, housed in a quaint Art Deco build circa 1946, is the Rockingham Museum. Step inside and take a step back in time, where photos, artefacts, maps, local newspapers, and the Rockingham Cemetery Records lay out the history of the city and its founding families. Deceivingly small from the outside, you can easily lose a few hours exploring the maze of different rooms. Entry is \$2.50 for adults and just fifty cents for children under 12. Check the museum’s website for up-to-date opening hours.



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NATURE'S GIFTS

Cape Peron

HIKE, SWIM, KAYAK OR DIVE – THE CHOICE IS YOURS WHEN IT COMES TO ROCKINGHAM'S INCREDIBLE AQUATIC PARKS.

ROCKINGHAM LAKES REGIONAL PARK showcases an incredible variation in landscape, from coastal plains to rich wetlands – the natural flora, fauna and attractions found within the park are beautiful and diverse. Bushwalking, scuba diving, swimming, snorkelling and wind surfing are all possible here, so take your pick and begin your adventure. Entry to the park is free.

EXPLORE SOME OF THE PARK'S MAIN ATTRACTIONS...

CAPE PERON

Hidden within rugged limestone cliffs are sandy beaches, offshore reefs, underwater caves, and coastal hiking trails – this is Cape Peron, considered the hub of Rockingham Lakes Regional Park. Here, ocean enthusiasts can dive and snorkel along the beach, or launch their boat, while hikers can enjoy impressive lookouts, historical bunkers, and artefacts from WWII. Embark along the hiking trail for excellent coastal views of the Shoalwater Islands Marine Park.

LAKE RICHMOND

Visit Lake Richmond and walk among some of the oldest living lifeforms on our planet, as you

ponder the origins of life on Earth. These living fossils called thrombolites are estimated to be 6 million years old.

Enjoy a stroll around the lake and along the boardwalk and observe the thrombolites, flocks of pelicans, black swans, a variety of ducks and heron, as well as other significant flora and fauna. A purpose-built lookout allows visitors to view the lake safely, without impacting the natural surrounds.

NARAGEBUP

Let the kids immerse themselves at Naragebup, Rockingham's Regional Environment Centre, with its reptile exhibits and marine pond displays. This community resource also educates on environmental issues and sustainable lifestyle choices.

LAKE WALYUNGUP

A 430ha salt lake that reaches 3.5 metres at its deepest point, Lake Walyungup is popular with land sailors and perfect if you're looking for an easy, flat track to enjoy a relaxing walk.

PAGANONI SWAMP

Located on Rockingham's southern border, Paganoni Swamp is one of few intact vegetation communities in the metro area inhabited by threatened species, including the Carnaby's black cockatoo. Meander the relatively short (approx. 1 hour) informal walk trail and you're likely to spy brushtail possums, quenda, reptiles, and other mammals.

SHOALWATER ISLANDS

MARINE PARK is a sanctuary of wildlife, stunning shores, reefs and deep waters to explore. Together with its island nature reserves, the marine park encompasses over 6,000 hectares and stretches from Garden Island's causeway to the southern tip of Becher Point. Here, you can add diving, snorkelling, swimming with dolphins, kayaking and wildlife cruises to your itinerary. Entry to the park is free.

EXPLORE SOME OF THE PARK'S MAIN ATTRACTIONS...

PENGUIN ISLAND

Penguin Island is a unique destination within the marine park. Just 12.5 hectares in size, the island sits within a necklace of reefs, islands, and rocks, which begin in the waters of Safety Bay and extend to Point Peron.

Catch the ferry from Mersey Point to reach Penguin Island and once you're there, enjoy a relaxing walk along the island's breathtaking perimeter. Guided 30 minute walks are available, which include commentary on the beaches, lookouts and seabirds on this nature reserve. You can

also pack a picnic and spend the day soaking up the beaches, or go snorkelling within the crystal waters to observe the rich marine life. You may even come across a sea-lion, as they often visit from Seal Island and can be seen sunbaking on the beach.

SEAL ISLAND

Did you know that the Australian sea lion is the rarest seal species in the world? You can find these cool, playful creatures lounging around and playing in their natural habitat at Seal Island, which lies north of Penguin Island.

This rugged limestone island is home to an abundance of impressive wildlife. As well as



many sea lions, you can find little penguins, colonies of pelicans and thousands of other sea birds. On a calm day, the water is so flat it is like a mirror, perfect for gliding along in your kayak or with your SUP (Stand Up Paddle) board.

As one of the area's breathtaking natural wonders, Seal Island should undoubtedly be on your list of things to see when you next visit Rockingham. Simply hop on your kayak and paddle out to the island to respectfully admire resident sea lions – many of which might swim up to get a closer look. While people are not

permitted to be on Seal Island, it's a stunning spot to observe from a respectable distance.

Alternatively, opt for a guided kayak tour with Capricorn Sea Kayaking or Rivergods Kayak Adventures, or a guided cruise with Perth Wildlife Encounters for a little more luxury and plenty of insights.

THE SISTERS

Find The Sisters peeking out above the water's surface at the southern end of the Shoalwater Islands Marine Park. These limestone reefs welcome marine life, making it a fantastic spot for scuba diving and snorkelling.

The reef walls are coated with soft and hard corals, anemones, sponges, and sea stars. Sea cucumbers, nudibranchs and bryozoans are scattered over various underwater surfaces, while crayfish and molluscs hide under ledges and in caves.

SAXON RANGER DIVE WRECK

The Saxon Ranger was brought to Australia from the UK in the early 70's to work the south coast trawler fisheries out of Albany and Tasmania. Encountering an unlucky bout of weather, it washed up during a gale in 2003 on the Rockingham Foreshore, before it was salvaged and purpose-sunk in Warnbro Sound in 2006.

The incredible Saxon Ranger Dive Wreck remains in Warnbro Sound and is one of many sites that make up the West Coast Dive Park and is well worth exploring for any aquatic adventurer with the necessary skills.

The wreck can be reached by boat via Carlisle Street boat ramp, Donald Drive boat ramp or Port Kennedy boat launching facility. Remember to purchase a recreational dive permit before diving the Saxon Ranger. Permits can be purchased from the Rockingham Visitor Centre and must be displayed on the vessel.



EMBRACE NATURE

Wander among living fossils at Lake Richmond (below) or experience the magic of Cape Peron (left).



WONDERFUL WALKING TRAILS

 Dog-friendly trails

Lake Walyungup



ROCKINGHAM IS TEEMING WITH TRAILS TO EXPLORE – FROM LAKE LOOPS AND BUSH WALKS, TO COASTAL JOURNEYS AND THE FORESHORE FLOW.

Penguin Island Boardwalk Walking Trail

1.5km | Easy

This easy loop trail allows walkers to closely observe the impressive flora and fauna of the island.

Cape Peron Loop Trail

3.6km | Moderate

The Cape Peron loop track offers excellent views of the area's abundant marine life from the cliff top. Operators such as In Culture Tours and Djurandi Dreaming offer guided tours of the area.

Tern Island Nature Reserve

8.7km return | Easy

Tern Island Nature Reserve is a wonderful spot to view local wildlife or watch kitesurfing at The Pond. Begin at the carpark at the end of Boundary Road and follow signs along the coast to journey through the reserve before turning around at the tip of Tern Island.

Foreshore Flow

23.5km (one-way) | Easy

The Foreshore Flow is a paved path designed to be shared by commuting cyclists and pedestrians. It offers spectacular views from the Rockingham Foreshore, passing cafés, beaches, and cultural heritage icons. Begin at Weld Street, walking south-west.

Lake Richmond

3.1km | Easy

Enjoy a leisurely walk around Lake Richmond. Wander along the boardwalk to view a critically endangered thrombolite community, which extends over three hectares.

Warnbro Beach Trail

14.8km | Moderate

This long beach walk begins at the northern end of Warnbro Beach and follows a mix of shared paths and sandy dune trails. This moderately challenging walk could be made easier with the use of two cars, with one based at the southern end of the beach to avoid the return. Some parts are dog friendly – refer to dog beach areas (on page 28).

Cooloongup Walk Trail

9.8km | Easy

Begin this flat loop trail on the corner of Gibb Road and Willmott Drive. It runs through scrub and bush, offering shade in some sections and is a mix of sandy and paved terrain.

Lake Walyungup Loop

5.8km | Easy

An easy loop trail around the shallow, saline Lake Walyungup.

Don Shepherd Nature Reserve & Nyoongar Trail

575m | Easy

Don Shepherd Nature Reserve is a small reserve located on the corner of Baldivis Road and Karnup Road. The reserve is a mixed woodland, consisting of Banksia, Tuart, Jarrah and Casuarinas with an understorey containing lovely flowering shrubs. The entrance of the trail is found opposite the carpark off Karnup Road.

Baldivis Children's Forest

2km | Easy

Baldivis Children's Forest is a unique public reserve of 20 hectares and contains tuart woodlands and a conservation category wetland. Local students have played a key role in establishing plants indigenous to the area.



AQUA-PACKED ADVENTURES



KNOWN FOR ITS PRISTINE BEACHES AND MARINE HAVENS, THERE'S SO MANY TOURS AND EXPERIENCES YOU CAN BOOK TO MAKE THE MOST OF ROCKINGHAM'S COAST.

Swim with wild dolphins

What could be more exhilarating than swimming with wild dolphins? The crew at Perth Wildlife Encounters have come to know over 200 local dolphins as friends, and your guide will use an aqua scooter to playfully loop and spin with them just inches from where you're peacefully snorkelling on the surface. On most days, it's clear the dolphins are having as much fun as you are!

Snorkel with rare sea lions

Get up close and personal with local sea lions on Perth Wildlife Encounter's 3 Island Wildlife Snorkel tour. The half-day tour covers three renowned snorkelling locations in the Shoalwater Islands Marine Park. Spot dolphins and a range of birdlife

before jumping in the water to frolic with Australian sea lions. When you're not in the water, graze on a platter of fresh seafood on the boat. Tours take place from September to April.

Scuba with Scubanautics Diving Academy

Discover the underwater world of Rockingham by masking up and scuba diving with Scubanautics Diving Academy. Whether you are a complete beginner or are looking to up-skill, Scubanautics runs scuba courses and club dives all year round. If you are already qualified, visit their dive store to hire equipment and adventure to the Saxon Ranger shipwreck in Warnbro Sound, Little Penguin Trail on Penguin Island, Churchill Park Dive Trail or Point Peron.



Learn to kite surf with WA Surf

If you've ever wanted to learn to kite surf, this is the place. Rockingham is known for its incredible windsurfing conditions and is home to an internationally recognised windsurfing bay called The Pond. If you'd like to learn from the best in the business, book a kitesurfing or wing foiling lesson with WA Surf in Safety Bay. You can hire or purchase gear if you've already mastered the art of kite surfing, or book a lesson between October and April.

Zip around on a jet ski

Discover Rockingham's coastline on a thrilling jet ski, available to hire or experience as part of a tour. Jet Ski Tours Perth run tours around Cockburn Sound and Garden Island, but if you would rather explore the beach by yourself, hire out one of their jet skis and take it for a spin within designated

areas of the Sound. No licenses or previous experience necessary.

Wildlife watch on a Dolphin, Sea Lion & Penguin Island Cruise

Embark on a 60-minute glass bottom boat cruise and take advantage of the best wildlife spotting opportunities with the crew at Perth Wildlife Encounters. Dolphins, sea lions, pelican rookeries and birds of prey are regularly sighted and the cruise includes a 30-minute guided wildlife walk on Penguin Island. There's also an opportunity to swim, snorkel, or explore the nature trails on this beautiful nature reserve.

Try wake boarding at Perth Wake Park

Tear up the water with a wakeboard or kneeboard at the state's only cable wake park,

Perth Wake Park. First-timers can join introduction sessions on the beginner friendly lake, and experienced riders can head straight to the obstacle-filled main lake. Once you have worked up an appetite, visit the café or bar. At the same location is Perth Aqua Park, a large inflatable water park open in summer.

Make a splash on the Family Fun, Splash Cruise

If you're looking for a fun trip that the whole family can enjoy, join Perth Wildlife Encounters' for a 90-minute cruise through the Shoalwater Islands Marine Park. You'll be on a specially designed vessel that features a boom net, so you can enjoy a safe and exhilarating swim while discovering a vibrant world of marine life beneath the surface.



Point Peron

THERE ARE PLENTY OF WAYS TO DISCOVER THE BEST OF ROCKINGHAM WITH YOUR FURRY FRIENDS IN TOW.

DOG-FRIENDLY ROCKINGHAM

Explore the foreshore on four paws

Many of Rockingham's beaches are dog-friendly, with plenty of designated trails and walks where you can take your pup to stretch their legs. There are ten designated dog exercise areas along the coast, including Rockingham Dog Beach, Singleton Foreshore, Secret Harbour Dog Beach and Warnbro Dog Beach, and dog-friendly trails at Cape Peron, Lake Walyungup and Lake Richmond.

There are also four enclosed dog parks to visit, all featuring separate spaces for small dogs. The parks were built to encourage socialisation and to stimulate your furry friend through several activity zones.

You'll find the Rockingham enclosed park on the south-western end of Bayview Reserve in Rockingham; the Baldvis enclosed park in Barri Barri Park within the Acrasia Road Reserve; the St Clair Reserve enclosed park on the corner of Chelmsford Avenue and Warnbro Sound; and the Seahaven enclosed park on the corner of Chalmers Avenue and Charthouse Road.

Pawsome dining for pets

Bring your canine companion along for a bite to eat after a day of exploring Rockingham, with plenty of local eateries happy to welcome you and your pup.

Ostro Eatery not only offers fresh and delicious brunch options for you, but has a dedicated puppy

menu for your hungry pooch. With woofles and puppy chinos on offer, there's plenty to keep everyone happy. Across the road from Rockingham Beach, the venue is ideally located for a bite to eat after a morning spent on the sand, and offers alfresco seating.

For other pet-friendly breakfast venues, grab award-winning coffee at Brother of Mine, try the gourmet jaffles and coffee at Jaffleato, chow down on decadent pancakes at Rowdy's Café, or grab an all-day breakfast from Lulu's Café.

Later in the day, share some fish tacos at Café Barco, sample gourmet burgers at Pengo's Café, or dabble in Asian fusion at Surfing Lizard Café.

You'll also find pet friendly options at Rustico Tapas & Wine Bar, which offers up ocean views and vino, and over surf and turf at Steel Tree Baldvis.



Sit and stay

If you're looking to bring your pup on an overnight stay to Rockingham, there's a number of pet-friendly accommodation options. Offering fully self-contained units, with stunning lake views and private balconies, is Yaran Suites. Located within Lakeview Apartments, and opposite Rockingham City Park, there's ample space for your pet to stretch their legs and get some fresh air.

Offering a pet-friendly oceanfront accommodation option is Cee & See Caravan Park, where you'll find pet-friendly powered van sites. The park is opposite Rockingham Dog Beach where your pup can run and dig in the sand to their heart's delight.

You'll also find a range of pet-friendly holiday homes in the region.



Dog Beach Exercise Areas



You **must** clean up after your dog

These beaches are off-leash areas, however, please ensure your dog is under effective control at all times.

Dogs are strictly prohibited on all other beaches
Penalty: minimum \$200



Create long-lasting happy memories of your seaside stay in Rockingham!

Situated in an idyllic oceanfront location, Cee & See boasts 32 powered van sites, 7 self-contained chalets (1 or 2 bedroom), and beautifully presented amenities. Relax at the beach, take a short walk to the vibrant Rockingham Foreshore Precinct, or enjoy local adventure, nature-based and wildlife tours and attractions.

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GOLF COAST

Rockingham and surrounds is a paradise for the avid golfer looking to test their skills across a range of courses.

The region's proximity to the ocean and fairly flat terrain make it ideal for links-style courses, consisting of dunes and sandy soils.

Leveraging Rockingham's natural splendour, the courses' designs mean there are sweeping views to enjoy as you make your way around the holes.

For the longest course

Situated about 6 kilometres east of the town centre, **Rockingham Golf Club** dates back to 1947.

The course, which extends to almost 6,200 metres, offers a variety of terrain, with the first nine holes being classed as golf link and the remaining nine being surrounded by a greater proportion of trees and higher soil quality.

It is not uncommon for native fauna to spring up on the grass, while kangaroos and birdlife often grace golfers with their presence.

For local golfer David Franklin, who has been playing the sport for 25+ years, the wildlife, the stunning greens and fairways are the highlights of the course.

David says if you're up for a challenge, the fourteenth hole is the most likely to test your abilities. "The length and shape of the hole (make it a challenge), and the green has many slopes and deviations."

Though it's not all tough. Any type of player from beginner to experienced, from junior to senior can feel comfortable yet challenged at Rockingham Golf Course, which is nice and open says David.

Once you're finished with your game, take a break at the club

house for the best vantage point of all. From here you can observe the tee box, the eighteenth green and part of the fairway, driving range, practice facility, and some native wildlife too. If you're hungry, the salt and pepper calamari is a treat.

For testing your skills

Secret Harbour Golf Links, about an hour south of Perth, attracts golfers from around the globe.

Designed by Australian golfing great Graham Marsh, Secret Harbour Golf Links reflects the traditional Scottish courses, making it a unique challenge for WA players.

We spoke to the club's general manager Ben Sweeny, who first got into the golfing game 28+ years ago, and says the course caters for a range of experience levels.

"We have the course set up to suit all skill levels from beginners to pros," he said.

"Using different starting tees, golfers of all levels can tee off a starting position that suits their game. Black tees are for professionals, blue tees are for competition players and white and red tees are for social and beginner players."



Links Kennedy Bay

Secret Harbour Golf Links



He added that the fourth hole was one of the most scenic parts of the course, where you can tee off overlooking a picturesque view and test your putting skills.

He described the eighth hole as a course highlight, providing some expert tips on how to tackle it.

“Depending on wind, you need to hit anywhere from a six iron to driver,” he said.

“Make sure you don’t go too far otherwise you are in the water. Your next shot is straight over the water onto a slippery green – too far and you are in the bush, too short and splash. The green has many slopes, so it takes some skill to sink your putt.”

When asked about his favourite club house meal, Ben says he can’t go past a steak sandwich.

For a family friendly golf day

About 17 kilometres south of Rockingham, you’ll find **Links Kennedy Bay** with a reputation renowned for excellence. It has been repeatedly included in Golf Australia’s top 10 courses across the country, including in 2021, just prior to the commencement of redevelopments set to be completed in June 2025.

Golfing great Graham Marsh has been commissioned to redesign the new 18-hole course, so we can expect standards of excellence to be maintained from Links Kennedy Bay, which in the meantime offers a modified nine-hole course.

Its new clubhouse is a great example of its attention to detail. The clubhouse recently won a prestigious accolade at the WA Architecture Awards, commending it for blending into the natural landscape.

Keep the kids entertained with on-site mini golf and rock climbing, or let them run wild at ‘The Nest’ playground. You’ll be able to keep them in eyesight from the flagship venue, Birdie Restaurant, which certainly doesn’t disappoint. The eatery offers a locally-focused bistro menu and bar.



PLAN YOUR GETAWAY

THERE'S PLENTY TO PACK INTO YOUR DAY OR WEEKEND AWAY IN ROCKINGHAM. WITH SO MUCH TO SEE AND DO, WE'VE MADE THINGS EASY BY SUGGESTING SOME OF OUR TOP PICKS TO INSPIRE YOUR RETREAT OR ADVENTURE.



FAMILY FUN

9am Start your morning at one of the many famous beachfront cafés along our foreshore – the 'Little Lulu's Breakfast' or 'Little Lulu's Pancakes' from **Lulu's Café** will go down a treat with the kids.

11am Head to Mersey Point and take a five-minute ferry ride across beautiful Shoalwater Bay to explore **Penguin Island**. Take your snorkel to swim in the crystal-clear water and book on the 30 minute guided walk of the island, to learn more about the island's wildlife and conservation efforts.

Perth Wildlife Encounter's Dolphin, Sea Lion and Penguin Island cruise departs from here too, so you can discover all the scenic highlights from within a glass bottom boat. Make sure you plan ahead with a packed lunch or snack as there is no food available on the island. Alternatively grab some lunch to go from Pengos Cafe before you hop on the ferry.

6pm Enjoy dinner at **Birdie**, a family-friendly bar and restaurant at the world-class **Links Kennedy Bay** golf course and clubhouse.



GROUP ADVENTURE

8am Wake up in the stylish **Quest Rockingham** apartments, just a two-minute stroll from the glimmering, calm foreshore.

10am Explore **Shoalwater Islands Marine Park** from a unique perspective with a sea kayaking tour with **Rivergods** or **Capricorn Seakayaking**. Take in Rockingham's beautiful coastal scenery, admire the diverse marine life and encounter many species of native wildlife.

4pm Enjoy a well-earned rest on your balcony before heading to one of our award-winning restaurants.

6pm Watch the sun go down over the ocean while enjoying a sumptuous meal at **The Knock Restaurant**.

6.30am Enjoy an early breakfast at **Bayside Barista** in Safety Bay.

8am Join **Perth Wildlife Encounters' 3 Island Wildlife Snorkel Tour** for the chance to snorkel with sea lions.

2.30pm Partake in a wine tasting at **Peel Estate Wines**, learning about vinos that showcase the warmer climate and limestone rich area of Karnup.

6pm Relax with good food and wine at **Little Hanoi Vietnamese Restaurant**.



NATURE EXPLORER

8am Spend the night at **Cee & See Caravan Park** directly on the Rockingham Foreshore and wake up to a spectacular sunrise. Stroll over to the stunning beach and take a refreshing morning dip.

9am Kick-start the day with coffee and a freshly baked cupcake from the **Vanilla Sprinkles** vintage caravan, which you'll find parked up at Point Peron.

10am Join your Whadjuk guide, Steven Jacobs, on a walking tour of Point Peron through **In Culture Tours**. Learn about the dreamtime stories associated with the area on a 1-kilometre walk.

12pm Refuel with lunch at **Ostro Eatery** – the hearty pastas and juicy burgers will keep you going through the afternoon.

2pm Take the plunge and continue exploring **Point Peron** by snorkelling in its crystal-clear waters. The limestone caves and local marine life offer plenty to see, while the surrounding **Shoalwater Islands Marine Park** offers even more opportunities to snorkel, scuba dive and kayak.

6pm Have dinner at **Azacca Kitchen** and watch the golden sun set over the water.

9pm Sleep well, ready for an 8am start for your swim with wild dolphins through **Perth Wildlife Encounters**.



ADRENALINE JUNKIE

8am Fuel up with a 'Breakie Bagel' to-go from **Bean at the Beach** and grab a Bulk Nutrient protein shake and raw, keto treat for the road.

9am For those who want to get the heart racing, join **Jet Ski Tours Perth** on their Blast Tour. This on-water adventure over 1.5 hours will take you from Garden Island to Carnac, with plenty to see on the way.

12pm After your adrenaline-packed jet ski tour, relax over lunch at **Chandlers** with a glass of bubbly. Try the chilli crab linguine, slow-cooked pork belly or buttermilk chicken burger. You've earned it!

2pm Up for more? Try your hand at cable wakeboarding with **Perth Wake Park**. It's fast and exhilarating and whether you're a pro or a beginner, they have you covered. The PWP Bar and Deck is a great place to relax and watch the action.

5pm Have a drink and dinner at **Martini & Co** and celebrate an outstanding action-packed day.





GETTING AROUND

It's a short trip to Rockingham from Perth, easily accessible both by car or public transport. A quick 40-minute drive south of Perth's CBD will get you to central Rockingham, while a 45-minute train ride from Perth Underground Station, along the Mandurah line, will find you at Rockingham Station.

From here, the 555 bus service will have you at Rockingham Beach in around 20 minutes. The service also makes stops at the Rockingham Shopping Centre, with the main foreshore very walkable once you've reached your destination.

For those driving into town, free public parking is available around the Rockingham Foreshore. Be sure to check signage as some

Public Parking at the Rockingham Foreshore

Adhere to parking restrictions to avoid an infringement.

1. Val St | 15 timed bays | 2 ACROD
2. Harrison St (between Val Street and Railway Tce) | 12 timed bays
3. Railway Tce | 22 timed bays | 6 motorcycle timed bays
4. Rockingham Beach Rd | 43 timed bays | 88 untimed bays | 11 motorcycle untimed bays | 4 ACROD
5. Kent St | 20 timed bays | 49 untimed bays | 4 ACROD
6. Gary Holland (rear car park) | 216 untimed bays | 10 ACROD | *
7. Flinders Lane Foreshore | 1 timed bay | 22 untimed bays | 2 ACROD
8. Flinders Lane (street parking on both sides) | 8 timed bays
9. Flinders Lane (between Kent and Patterson) | 78 untimed bays
10. Rockingham Museum Car Park | 77 untimed bays | 4 motorcycle untimed bays | 2 ACROD
11. Wanliss St (between Kent and Rockingham Beach Road) | 51 untimed bays | 9 motorcycle untimed bays
12. Wanliss St Foreshore | 80 bays untimed | 2 ACROD

*1 electric vehicle charging station available

The parking information outlined above is correct as of October 2024. Please visit the City's website rockingham.wa.gov.au/parking for the most current information, as parking capacity and timing restrictions can change at short notice.

bays are timed. For best access to the foreshore you'll find more than 130 timed and untimed bays on Rockingham Beach Road, and a further 80 untimed bays at the Wanliss Street Foreshore. Additionally, you'll find an electric vehicle charging station at the Gary Holland car park.



To plan your trip, go to Transperth's Journey Planner at www.transperth.wa.gov.au/Journey-Planner or scan the QR code.

NAVIGATING THE TOWN AND THE BEAUTIFUL ROCKINGHAM COAST IS A BREEZE, WITH A RANGE OF PROVISIONS MADE TO ENSURE THE FORESHORE IS ACCESSIBLE TO ALL.



ACCESSIBLE BEACHES

Beach access matting is placed down on a seasonal basis to assist with access to the foreshore, as well as being permanently placed at Singleton Foreshore. Between October and April, dependent on weather, find access matting at:

- Rockingham Foreshore, in front of the Beach Bowl, accessed by the ramp.
- Palm Beach, Rockingham, to the west of the jetty, accessed by the ramp.
- Governor Road Reserve, East Rockingham, via the sealed pathway adjacent to the toilet block.
- Bell Park, Rockingham, adjacent to the toilets near the Wanliss Street car park and accessed by using the short ramp.
- Phoebe Hymus Park, Rockingham, via the sealed pathway from Alexandra Street car park - please note the ramp is steep in this location.

You can confirm the matting is in place before heading to the beach by contacting the City on (08) 9528 0333.

Mobi-Chair and Sandcruiser beach wheelchairs, as well as Sandpiper children's beach wheelchairs, are available to hire free of charge. Both are available from the Cruising Yacht Club, and Mobi-Chairs are additionally available from the Rockingham Visitor Centre, while Sandpiper chairs are available from Seaside Camp for Children. These portable chairs can be taken down on beach access matting during the summer months and into the water. Contact the organisations directly to arrange booking and collection.

Beach walkers are also available to hire free of charge from the Rockingham Visitor Centre and the Mike Barnett Sports Complex, and provide additional support and accessibility on a stroll down the sand. Bookings are essential.

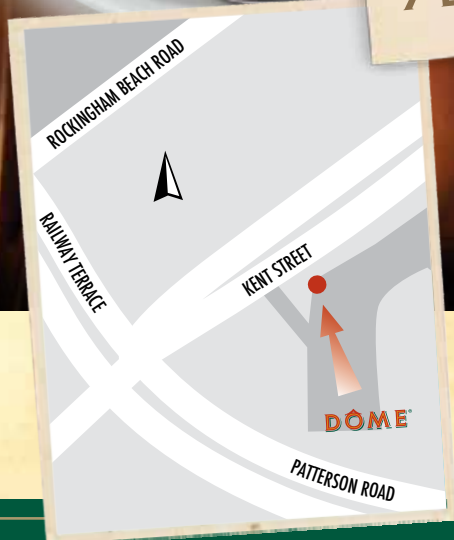


The City also provides Changing Places, which are larger than standard accessible bathrooms and specifically designed for people with high support needs who may not find standard accessible bathrooms suitable. These include amenities such as an adult-sized, height-adjustable changing table, ceiling hoist, centrally located toilet and a shower with seat. You can find Changing Places at Churchill Park on the Rockingham Foreshore, and at Stockland Baldivis.

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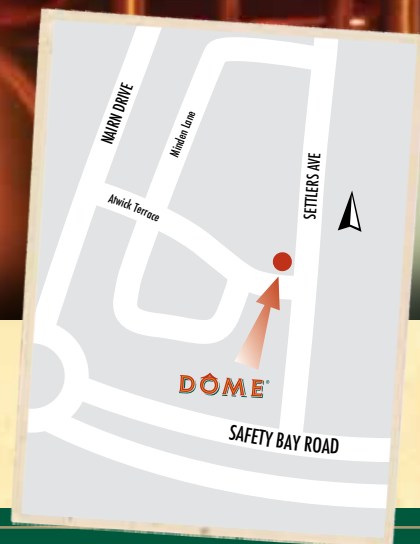
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