

A BIRD WATCHER'S DELIGHT



Gemmill Swamp Wildlife Reserve

170 hectares of Goulburn River floodplain forest
and wetland



LOCATION GEMMILL SWAMP

Gemmill Swamp Wildlife Reserve is located off Echuca Road, Mooroopna

PARKS VICTORIA What you need to know

Safety in nature - plan ahead, check conditions and stay away from closed parks. Visit the Parks Victoria Safety in Nature webpage for further information.



- Enjoy the moment
- Take your rubbish with you



Press pause on your drive. Take a break every two hours.

Pause @ Stop TAC

ROAD SAFETY || PAUSE STOP

The TAC Pause Stop initiative aims to reduce driver fatigue on long journeys by encouraging road users to plan ahead, pull over, and recharge. A pause from the road might save your life. Plan your journey ahead of time. Familiarise yourself with the Driver Reviver - Pause Stop locations <https://www.tac.vic.gov.au/road-safety/pausestop>



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WHAT IS SO SPECIAL ABOUT GEMMILL SWAMP?

Gemmill Swamp Wildlife Reserve is significant in a state wide context because it provides habitat for some of Victoria's rare and vulnerable mammals, birds and reptiles including squirrel glider, turquoise parrots and superb parrots.



OTHER WETLANDS TO EXPLORE:

Once you've spent your time at Gemmill Swamp, if you're looking for other places to explore head to:

- Cussen Park, Tatura;
- Doctors Swamp, Murchison;
- Reedy Swamp, Shepparton North;
- Australian Botanic Gardens, Kialla;
- Victoria Park Lake, Shepparton.

MAKE THE MOST OF YOUR TIME IN MOOROOPNA EXPLORE MORE...

Take a step back in time with the Historical Society of Mooroopna Museum, with the largest medical collection in country Victoria.

Mooroopna Cenotaph is striking both by day and night.

Mooroopna Water Tower is illuminated in colour each evening.

KidsTown Adventure Playground is over 5 acres of play space, with slides, mazes, a disc golf course and Sprout Edible Garden. All for a gold coin entry.

HOT TIP:

Before you head to Gemmill Swamp, pick up a bite to eat from one of the Mooroopna bakeries.

WHAT TO FEED WILD BIRDS & WHAT NOT TO

DO feed birds:

- ✓ Bird nectar mix (this is suitable for honeyeaters and lorikeets)
- ✓ Fresh fruit and vegetables (suitable for fruit-feeders such as parrots, pigeons, doves and bowerbirds)
- ✓ Earthworms, mealworms and insects

DON'T feed birds:

- ✗ Avocado, citrus, onions or garlic (these are toxic for birds!)
- ✗ Bread, crackers or other human snacks
- ✗ Mince and raw meat
- ✗ Honey and sugar



MOOROOPNA MARKET

Mooroopna Market is held in Ferrari Park on the last Sunday of the month from 9am - 1pm.

FIRST NATIONS CONNECTIONS

The Flats is a significant cultural area located on the floodplain between Shepparton and Mooroopna. Interpretative signage is located throughout the walk providing insight and history into the local Indigenous People. To further immerse yourself into this environment, book a guided tour with an Elder via Yorta Yorta Nation.

STREET ART

Explore the public art walking trail along McLennan Street and don't miss the MEAC mural in Morrell street and the Foodshare mural behind Woolworths and Aldi.

MOOOVING ART:

A selection of the Moooving Art herd is on display along McLennan Street, Mooroopna.



Gemmill Swamp Nature Walk

