



## Murray Mouth and Southern Ocean

Goolwa (SA) 4A Goolw is Gateway to the internationally significant wetlands of the Coorong National Park northern lagoon and the Goolwa Barrages, the river port of Goolwa is recognised as the nation's small boat capital, and fittingly hosts the biennial Wooden Boat Festival. You can take Coorong cruises or enjoy a ride on the historic PS Oscar W from the Wharf

Meningie (SA) 4B The Coorong town of Meningie hugs the shoreline of Lake Albert and boasts picturesque parks and enjoy the walk on the Pelican Path. Accessible to the Coorong has been developed for campers and is a kayakers paradise. Take a drive around the local region and you'll soon discover Raukkan home to David Uniapon on the Australian \$50 note and find Australia's only inland lighthouse.

Coorong (SA) 4B A long and narrow lagoon that runs parallel with the coastal dunes for 140km. Travel a beach that stretches 200km from Encounter Bay to Lacepede Bay, uninterrupted except when the mouth of the Murray opens to the sea. Explore this vast wetland ecosystem that consists of ocean beach, freshwater lakes, estuaries, saline lagoon and river mouth with beach access at Salt Creek.

Tailem Bend (SA) 3B Tailem Bend is on the Dukes Highway between Adelaide and Melbourne. Riverfront caravan, camping and boating facilities make fishing, strolling and bird-watching a joy. Houseboats moor at a pontoon and cliff steps lead directly to a comfortable watering hole and a choice of restaurants.

Murray Bridge (SA) 3B 80km east of Adelaide Murray Bridge has with a mediterranean climate. Attractions include water sports, boating, fishing, swimming, motor sports, recreation, walking trails, restaurants. It also includes skiing, swimming, houseboats and paddleboats. Just out of Murray Bridge is Monarto Zoo - is Australia's largest open-range zoo and breeding ground for arid and grassland animals.

Lameroo/Pinnaroo (SA) 3D Near the border with Victoria and east of Adelaide in the Murray Mallee. In 1906 viable farming activities came into existence due to the introduction of rail services and pioneering families moving into the district and permanently settling. Enjoy the Mallee Tourist and Heritage Centre or a great feed at the Pinnaroo Bakery. There are several large conservation parks near Lameroo and Pinnaroo. Ngarkat, Billiat and Murray Sunset.

Mannum (SA) 3B Set on the broad reaches of the Lower Murray,
Mannum is accessible via the South Eastern Freeway from Adelaide
or the scenic route through Gumeracha and Birdwood. Visit
the historic Mannum Dock Museum and learn more about
how Mannum became the birthplace of the paddle steamer
of the Murray-Darling Basin. Mannum is a river destination with
something for everyone, enjoy the river scenery or activities such as water
skiing or canoeing. You can also take a relaxing trip along the Murray on
the original paddle steamer the PS Marion built in 1897. Other overnight
cruise include the Murray Princess and Proud Mary. There is a great choice of
accommodation and wide range of houseboats for hire.

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Swan Hill (VIC) 4H This region contains a strong culture, wonderful food, and a vibrant community. All on the banks of the Murray. Wide-open spaces and the tranquillity of inland Australia. You can visit an award-winning winery or a fine restaurant featuring fresh local Murray Cod, yabbies, avocados, citrus, stone fruits and fine wine. Take in the beautiful surrounds at a golf course or explore nature's remarkable features in one of the many reserves and parks. Take a Murray cruise on a paddleboat or discover the fantastic festivals and events, arts and many unique family attractions.

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Buronga Gol Gol Redcliffs Nangiloc Robinvale (VIC) Euston (NSW) 2G Magnificent sunshine, fantastic surroundings and unspoiled river make Robinvale Euston ideal for relaxing. Situated between Mildura and Swan Hill in north-west Victoria, Robinvale and Euston are nestled on opposite banks of one of the most user-friendly stretches of the Murray. It's

surrounded with ancient River Red Gums that rise above the banks of the Murray. Feel the warmth of the sun on your skin, smell the healing balm of the native eucalyptus wafting in the gentle afternoon breeze. Robinvale is sister town to Villers-Bretonneux, France...the base for one of Australia's greatest military victories in WWI and part of the River of Honour War Trail.

Ouyen (VIC) 3F is the major service centre in the Mallee. The town began developing around a railway in 1906 after the Melbourne to Mildura line passed through the area. Blocks in the area were sold in 1910 and cleared for sheep, wheat and oats. Ouyen is now a transport and service centre for a vast area occupied by agricultural and pastoral properties. There are several large conservation parks

and pastoral properties. There are several large conservation parks near Ouyen including Murray Sunset National Park, Hattah-Kulkyne National Park and Murray-Kulkyne Park.

Mildura (VIC) 2F Mildura is a great place to indulge the senses and live life to the full. Mildura and the surrounding towns of Red Cliffs, lrymple, Merbein, Gol Gol, and Buronga have an unmistakable cosmopolitan flavour thanks to a multicultural society. Mouth watering local foods and wines, a healthy arts culture and a busy year round calendar of events are on offer here. This is a community

that loves celebrations. The area is often referred to as the Mediterranean in the outback, with its great golf courses, citrus groves and vineyards, endless sunshine and sandy river beaches. This enticing place combines the best of a cosmopolitan holiday destination with the easygoing personality of the bush. From luxury hotels and houseboats, your time in the Mildura region will be affordable, romantic and as comfortable as home.

Merbein (VIC) 2F Merbein is at the heart of the irrigation district in Victoria and predominantly supports citrus, vineyards and dried fruits. In 1887, Canadian-born irrigation experts, the Chaffey brothers, started work on locking the Murray and flooding out the surrounding area to transform it into a productive region. Visitors enjoy the delights of the Murray, as well as the local produce, which includes some fine wines. Merbein Common, on the site of the original pump which triggered the local irrigation system, is a popular recreational retreat for swimmers, boaties and anglers and home to the Great Australian Vanilla Slice.

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