

# **A JOURNEY TRAVERSING AUSTRALIA'S GREATEST RIVER**

From the Riverland to the Murray Mouth, follow one of the world's longest rivers through 2,500kms of ever-changing landscapes. Experience the history and nature unique to each township while indulging in local food, wine, beer and spirits.



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#### 1 WILKADENE WOOLSHED BREWERY

An enchanting scene overlooking the glorious Murray River. Filled with down-to-earth charm and a homespun atmosphere, this rustic riverfront brewery is the perfect place to knock the top off a cold one at the end of a long river run. Pull up in your kayak or houseboat and head straight to the bar!

#### 2 MURRAY RIVER TRAILS (GREAT WALKS OF AUSTRALIA)

Discover the magic of this amazing river landscape and learn the stories you can't read about in books. Book your unique river tour catering for a range of interests including nature, wildlife, food, wine and soft adventure. All tours depart from Renmark and are available from March to November.

## **3** RENMARK

Fancy a tasting of locally made gin or brandy? Clock in at the impressive Twenty Third Street Distillery for a range of experiences to open your senses to new dimensions and flavours. In the theme of good spirits, Angove is home of St Agnes Brandy, and swill some organic local wines from the region's oldest winery. Pep up with a cup of freshly roasted coffee at Arrosto Coffee or head over to the Renmark Club for a meal and stunning views of the Murray River. Indulge in wine and authentic Greek cuisine at Mallee Estate Wines or treat yourself to Hotel Renmark's many offerings. The Frames offers luxury accommodation along the Murray, choose between 5-star self-contained rooms with a view or go glamping to check out the greatest lightshow under the stars.

#### **4** RIVERLAND WINE CENTRE

Hosting over 25 different Riverland wineries, the wine centre's interactive storyboards take you through the journey of each winery and help whet your appetite for the delicious wine and produce this region has to offer.

## **5** CANOE ADVENTURES

Explore the wonders of nature along the banks of the river, in the golden light of sunrise or sunset on a guided kayak tour. Whether you are an experienced kayaker or a first time paddler, this adventure is a must whilst in the Riverland.

## **6** THE VILLAGE, LOXTON

Step back into yesteryear, into a museum with an aura of old-world charm that tells the stories of the region's early settlers. Explore over 45 fully-furnished buildings on the banks of the Murray River, showcasing unique artefacts, vintage vehicles, farm machines and live demonstrations at the bakery and blacksmith shop before heading to the Loxton pioneer playground for more hours of fun for the whole family.

## 7 919 WINES CELLAR DOOR

Tucked away off the main drag, sit down to some environmentally conscious and vegan-friendly wines. With the flight including Touriga, Sangiovese and Durif, '919' brings to the table a unique Mediterranean series of wines less common to this region.

# **GREAT WALKS OF AUSTRALIA**

South Australia has some of the most acclaimed natural heritage walks in the world. Several are accredited and guided by 'Great Walks of Australia'. Learn more online.

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## **8** LAKE BONNEY

A stone's throw from Barmera, this freshwater lake is the ideal spot to cool off and spend the day with the family. Lake Bonney is the Riverland's most popular aquatic playground and a water sports lover's dream: it's a safe swimming spot, windsurfing, kitesurfing and water skiing await.

#### BANROCK STATION WINE & WETLAND CENTRE

Located within an internationally recognised wetland complex and supported by a globally significant wetland centre, this region's iconic brand offers fine dining and exceptional wine topped off with one heck of a view.

#### **10** OVERLAND CORNER HOTEL

A mere 600 feet from where the steamers used to dock, the Overland Corner Hotel is so much more than just another pub on the passage from Sydney to Adelaide! It's a living museum with a unique history and fantastic beer selection.

## 11 WAIKERIE

Affectionately known as the town where the sun shines year round, it's the perfect place to sample the local fruit and incredible regional produce. With its name derived from the local indigenous meaning of 'many wings', the area fittingly showcases a variety of rare birds which you can spot whilst visiting Waikerie Water and Nature Park or on the Waikerie Cliff Top Walk. Make sure you take a few snaps of the Waikerie Silo Art and head next door to Illalangi Gourmet Foods, a local providore and café that showcases the Riverland produce.

## 12 RIVERGUM CRUISES

Hop aboard this 30-foot cruiser that fits up to 11 people for an impressive range of distinctive Murray River destinations and short or day cruise options. Perfect for those travelling by car that want a leisurely and peaceful afternoon out on the water.

#### 13 MORGAN HISTORIC WHARF PRECINCT

Explore the rich Murray River heritage at Morgan's Wharf Precinct. Take a self-guided tour and see the Landseer Building, once a shipping agents warehouse or head to the Morgan Museum where you can go on your own adventure trail dedicated to the disappearance of Henry Bryan.

## 14 BIG BEND BY NIGHT

Big Bend, on the banks of the Murray River, offers visitors the chance to see large numbers of kangaroos and the elusive wombat in the wild with unique spotlighting tours. Enjoy a bush tucker breakfast or a riverbank dinner watching the sunset changing and reflecting the colours of the sandstone cliffs. If travelling as a group, the Sunnydale shearing show is worth seeing, as is the milky way that dominates our accredited Dark Sky sanctuary.

## **15 MURRAY PRINCESS**

Watch the world go by as you step aboard the majestic Murray Princess, the southern hemisphere's largest inland paddlewheeler as you set sail along 280 kilometres of the mighty Murray.



## **16 PS MARION**

For those looking for a shorter experience, the PS Marion offers an exceptionally traditional and authentic experience. Built in 1897, it's one of the last heritage steam driven paddle steamers and the only dry dock of her kind left in the world. This is your chance to see history on the water!

#### 17 RIVER MURRAY DARK SKY RESERVE & NGAUT NGAUT ABORIGINAL SITE TOURS

Discover the highlights of the Murray River 130 million-yearold natural playground with dark sky tours. Let Juggle House Experiences introduce you to the many stars of the region and take you on a journey of discovery in one of the darkest places on earth. Visit the Ngaut Ngaut Aboriginal Site, offering guided tours to experience Aboriginal culture as you journey through the ancestral home of the Ngauguraku People.

## 18 MONARTO SAFARI PARK

Monarto is the largest safari park in Australia that covers over  $r_{1500}$  hectares in an open-range sanctuary and undertakes a major role, nationally and internationally, in breeding programs for rare and endangered species. Home to a range of exotic species such as the endangered southern white and black rhinos, Australia's largest giraffe herd and a range of unique behind the scenes experiences such as 'Lions  $_{360}$ ' - a hair-raising up-close and personal experience.

#### 19 SHELL V-POWER MOTORSPORT PARK AT THE BEND

The Shell V-Power Motorsport Park at the Bend is a world-class motorsport facility that frequently hosts high octane, crowd filled events. A thrilling series of race car and rally experiences can be booked in advance. Check the website for event dates and how to book your very own driving experience.

#### 20 LANGHORNE CREEK WINE REGION

There are nine cellar doors to explore in this scenic wine region. Stop in for lunch at The Winehouse, Bremerton, Angas Plains or Lake Breeze. Visit the architectural award winning Kimbolton Winery and drink in the views from their rooftop deck. Savour wine and chocolate at Vineyard Road. Check out the horseradish farm at Rusticana Wines, home of Newman's Horseradish, discover one of Australia's most awarded historic wineries at Bleasdale and enjoy unique wines among Windsong Wines eco-vineyard and 60 tree fruit orchard.

## **21** GOOLWA WHARF PRECINCT

The perfect place to depart for a journey along the Coorong in a rented canoe or on an organised cruise. Alternatively, spend some time around the precinct sampling local beers or a boutique whiskey at Fleurieu Distillery right on the wharf. Visit the Signal Point Experience Centre where you can immerse yourself in the best contemporary art from across the region as well as nationally touring exhibitions in a yearly calendar of exhibitions, workshops and events. Sample some of the region's freshest pipis and seafood at the Kuti Shack in Goolwa Beach, then head towards Victor Harbor on the Cockle Train.



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