

LOCAL ACTIVITIES FOR FAMILIES

Within walking distance of the motel

Boardwalk Playground

There is a small playground and BBQ area located at the end of the boardwalk. Head to the back of the Harbour View Motor Inn for access to the boardwalk and turn left. The playground is a pleasant 5 minute stroll along the boardwalk.



Pelican Park Adventure Playground and Skate Park

Located on the Hastings Foreshore Reserve is the fantastic Adventure Playground. From the Harbour View Motor Inn it's a 20 minute walk along the boardwalk. Turn right onto the boardwalk at the back of the property and follow the path towards the harbour.



The Hastings Jetty

With its heritage listed fishing shed, the Hastings Jetty is a pleasant place to stroll along looking at the boats and chatting to the fisherman. Watch out for the pelicans who like to frequent the area.



Pelican Park Aquatic Centre

Located adjacent to the Hastings Jetty on the foreshore reserve is the Pelican Park Aquatic Centre. With three heated pools including a toddler pool with a pelican slide the aquatic centre caters for all ages.

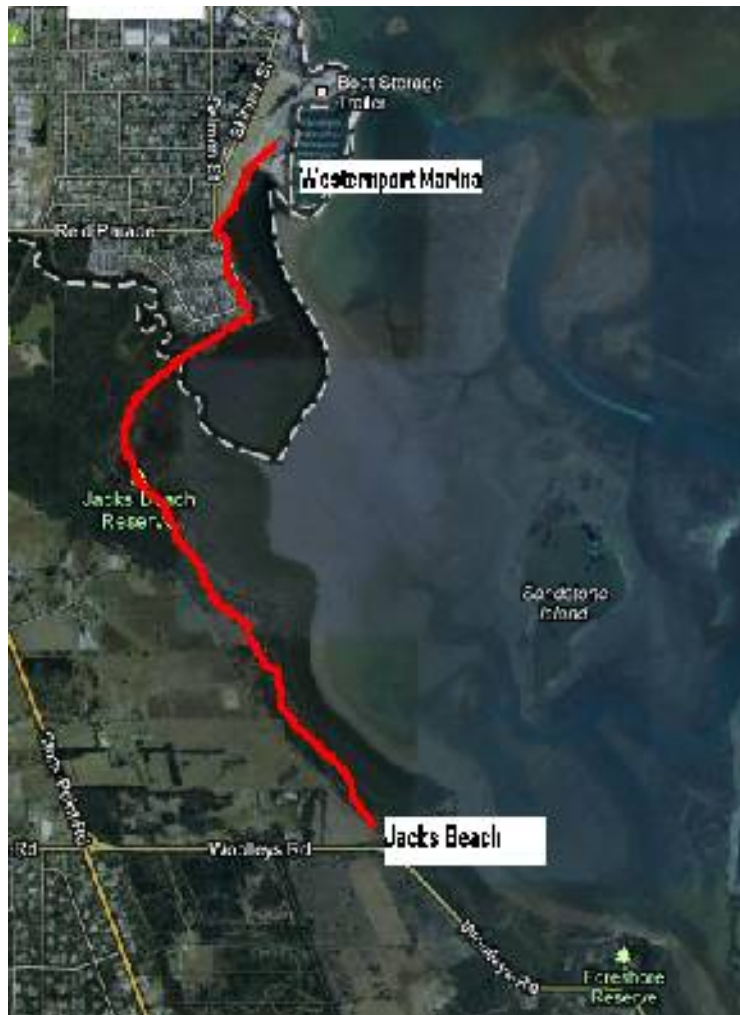
2 Marine Parade, Hastings. 1300 850 197

Open 8am to 7pm Weekends and 6am to 9pm Weekdays



Westernport Marina & Bittern Coastal Wetlands Walk

Just a little further on from Hastings Jetty is the Westernport Marina. Using the marina as your starting point follow the gravel path at the back of the marina building and this will lead you to the wooden boardwalk. Proceed along the boardwalks over the white mangrove swamps to Wooleys Road carpark at Jack's Beach. This walk highlights the southern most mangroves in the world, with good views to French Island and Sandstone Island. The walk is a 4km trip one way.



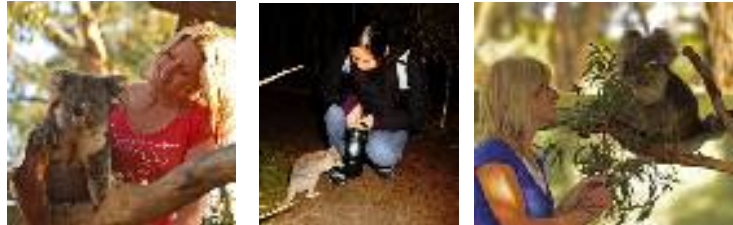
A short car journey away

Moonlit Sanctuary

A fantastic way to see Australian Wildlife. Children (and adults) can enjoy a hands-on animal experience either during the day or in the evening by lantern. Winner of the 2010 Victorian Tourism Awards, Moonlit Sanctuary is well worth a visit.

550 Tyabb-Tooradin Road, Pearcedale.

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Rain, Hayne and Shine Farmyard

A “hands-on” farm experience for children of all ages. Rain, Hayne and Shine farm has a large variety of friendly farm animals that children can pat and feed.

490 Stumpy Gully Road, Balnarring.

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Ashcombe Maze and Lavender Gardens

Australia’s oldest and most famous hedge maze, Ashcombe Maze also features a circular rose maze, lavender labyrinth and stunning gardens. For children there is the Great Gnome Hunt. A magical place for all the family.

15 Shoreham Road, Shoreham.

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Sunny Ridge Strawberry Farm

Home of Australia’s largest strawberry producer. Explore the picturesque strawberry fields and pick your own delicious strawberries (Nov – Apr). The strawberry café serves heavenly strawberry creations including farm made strawberry icecream.

Corner Mornington-Flinders and Shands Road, Main Ridge.

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