EXPERIENCE THE TRAIL

Located within the picturesque Perth Hills, the Railway Reserves Heritage Trail retraces the Silvan railway that formerly linked Mundaring, Wanneroo and Wooroloo in the 1880s.

The Trail begins its journey at Bellevue, following the old Eastern Railway line on both sides of Great Eastern Highway. The two lines rejoin at Mundaring, forming a unique 24km loop entirely on rail formations before crossing into Wooroloo.

Getting on the Trail

The trail can be accessed via the many entry points along the Silvan route. If you are using public transport, Eastern Transperth 99, 99M and 99A provide bus routes to most villages along the Trail, or simply cycle directly to the Trail from Midland Station. Visit www.transperth.wa.gov.au or call 13 62 13 for more information.

For further information visit www.railwayreserves.com.au

2014 Parkerville, Stoneville, Mt Helena Bushfire

On 12 January 2014 the Parkerville, Stoneville, Mundaring bushfire destroyed 57 homes and affected 273 properties.

TRAIL ETIQUETTE AND SAFETY

Be aware of all fire weather warnings in the area you are visiting. Fire danger season in Western Australia runs from October to March.

- Be sun smart - wear plenty of sunscreen and cover up for your journey
- Do not feed or approach wildlife
- Do not wander onto adjacent private land
- Do not pick the wildflowers
- Take all your litter home with you
- Extinguish your cigarettes with care
- Use your bell to warn other Trail users
- Always ride on the left hand side, except when overtaking
- Pedestrians and horse riders have right of way over cyclists on road crossings
- Exercise caution at all driveways and road crossings
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DISCOVER: A place of historical significance

While on your journey, discover the historical trailhead and alongside of Mundaring Station, former home of the Hamersley Goldfields Railway. The Station was open to the public in 2015 through the efforts of the “Hamersley Goldfields Railway Historical Society”.

Appreciate the historical and cultural significance as you remain the Trail, linking the importance of the old rail lines to your experience today.

RELAX: A place to unwind

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For Trail related matters, please contact Shire of Mundaring on 08 9290 6666.

www.mundaring.wa.gov.au

For more information on Perth Hills visit: Mundaring Valley Centre

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Accommodation

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Plan your journey...

The charming communities along the Railway Reserve Heritage Trail are a legacy of early settlements and farming industry that shaped agriculture along the railway system. Whether you choose to walk, cycle or ride, enrich your journey by exploring the notable highlights that can now be found at each village.

From Bellevue

Make your choice to start your journey on the Southern Section, which leads back to the starting point in March 1886 at the Northern Section, which was the starting point. Bellevue, which sits along the line, is a testament to railway construction.

From Swan View

The replica Swan View Station is an example of the many railway stations along the Trail. Made to exact specifications, the replica station provides a glimpse into the past and serves as an important reminder of railway history.

From Boya

The Old Station is a historical landmark and is part of the railway heritage along the Trail. The building dates back to 1890 and was originally built to overcome a granite barrier formed by a fold in the granite obstructions. Make a deviation to Boya, where during the summer months you can take a dip in the heated outdoor pool or follow the nearby heritage trail to the Farm Mountain Bike Park.

From Darlington

The grade-sealed Darlington to Parkerville section is a highlight of the Trail and is a testament to railway engineering. The railway line was originally constructed to overcome a granite barrier formed by a fold in the granite obstructions. Make a deviation to Darlington, where during the summer months you can take a dip in the heated outdoor pool or follow the nearby heritage trail to the Farm Mountain Bike Park.

From Mount Helena

Mount Helena was formerly the junction of the two lines, originally named Darlington Railway Platform. This village along the Darlington Railway Platform was used to start the grade-sealed Darlington to Parkerville section. Mount Helena is a great place to relax and take a diversion along the Eagle View Trail.

From Glen Forrest

Glen Forrest is a historic village and is part of the railway heritage along the Trail. The village along the Glen Forrest Railway Platform was used to start the grade-sealed Glen Forrest to Parkerville section. Glen Forrest is a great place to relax and take a diversion along the Eagle View Trail.

From Parkerville

Parkerville was the former junction of the two lines, originally named Darlington Railway Platform. This village along the Darlington Railway Platform was used to start the grade-sealed Darlington to Parkerville section. Parkerville is a great place to relax and take a diversion along the Eagle View Trail.

From Mundaring

Mundaring was the former railway station on the railway line that was opened on 1 July 1896 as an alternative route to the steep incline and narrow-gauge track. The biggest railway cuttings can be found along the Trail in the Mundaring Weir precinct. Serving as a reminder of Mundaring's railway heritage, the former Mundaring Railway Station Platform was established in 1949, and Mundaring Stationmaster's House, established in 1902, is still used by the railway heritage trail.

From Mundaring Arts Centre

The Mundaring Arts Centre is a testament to the rich history of the area and provides a great spot for many accidents back in the late 1800s as the trains tried to navigate the dangerous bend. Make a deviation to Mundaring, where during the summer months you can take a dip in the heated outdoor pool or follow the nearby heritage trail to the Farm Mountain Bike Park.