

Walks, Attractions & Mountain Biking

Southern Queensland Country

STOP 1: Brisbane to Lockyer Valley

MOUNTAIN BIKING TRACKS NEARBY

Brisbane Valley Rail Trail [47 KM FROM BRISBANE]: The trail starts in Wulkuraka and ends in Yarraman. The trail provides shorter sections according to your preference.

Spring Bluff Railway Station [135 KM

FROM BRISBANE]: Take the M2 Warrego Highway exit towards Esk/Toowoomba and onto Murphys Creek Road to reach the station. Take a walk through the heritage-listed site's picturesque gardens and learn about the interesting history of the area.

Cunningham's Crest Lookout [68 KM

FROM SPRING BLUFF RAILWAY STATION]: Take the Murphys Creek Road and onto Warrego Highway/A2 to reach the second stop. The lookout celebrates the site's European and Aboriginal history through murals, mosaics, poetry, and sculptures featured on-site. The site also overlooks panoramic Laidley Plains.

Glen Rock State Forest [68 KM FROM

CUNNINGHAM'S CREST LOOKOUT]: Take Mount Sylvia Road and onto E Haldon Road to reach the forest. The forest conserves a diverse range of landforms and is home to vulnerable species such as the powerful owl and brush-tailed rock wallaby.

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Glen Rock State Forest [ONSITE]: The park has two shared trails - Blackfellow Creek Trail and Christies Loop

STOP 2: Lockyer Valley to Toowoomba

Picnic Point Lookout [73 KM FROM GLEN ROCK STATE FOREST]: Take the E Haldon Road and onto Mount Sylvia Road to reach the lookout. Spread across 160 acres, the heritage-listed lookout

overlooks Lockyer Valley and Main Range. Tour through well-groomed gardens, take a stroll to the waterfall or explore the hour-long Firetail Circuit.

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Picnic Point Lookout [ONSITE]: The site has an easy shared-use trail - Picnic Bridle Trail.

Mount Peel Bushland Park [11 KM FROM

PICNIC POINT LOOKOUT]: The park has two easy mountain bike trails - Bunda Trail and Wakka Wakka Trail.

Stenner Street Skills Park [3.4 KM FROM

PICNIC POINT LOOKOUT]: The park has five short tracks for dirt jumps. The difficulty level ranges from easy to very difficult.

Glen Lomond Park [4 KM FROM PICNIC

POINT LOOKOUT]: The park has two easy shared-use trails - Bridle Trail and Spur Track, plus one intermediate trail - Hell Hole Trail.

Federation Park [16 KM FROM PICNIC POINT

LOOKOUT]: The park has an easy shared-use trail - Prime Minister's Circuit.

Cobb+Co Museum [4.8 KM FROM PICNIC

POINT LOOKOUT]: Take the Tourist Road and head on to Margaret Street to have a look at the National Carriage Collection, ranging from the horse-drawn era to Rolls Royce of Carriages.

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Jubilee Park [13 KM FROM COBB+CO MUSEUM]: The park is sited as part of Mount Lofty, and has several mountain bike tracks, catering to difficulty levels ranging from easy to very difficult.

Redwood Park [4.2 KM FROM COBB+CO

MUSEUM]: The park has three intermediate shared-use trails - Grass Tree Trail, Redwood Bridle Trail, Eagles Nest Trail.

Ravensbourne National Park [47 KM

FROM COBB+CO MUSEUM]: Take the Tollbar/Toowoomba Connection Road/A21 and onto Seventeen Mile Road to reach the park. Take a stroll under the towering trees and keep an eye out for the extensive birdlife around.

Crows Nest National Park [34 KM FROM

RAVENSBOURNE NATIONAL PARK]: Take the Esk Hampton Road/State Route 85 and onto New England Highway/A3 to visit the park. Witness the creek scenery, waterfall, and eucalypt forest. Be on the lookout for the park's wildlife that includes platypus and echidnas.

STOP 3: Toowoomba to South Burnett

Coomba Falls [73 KM FROM CROWS NEST

NATIONAL PARK]: Continue on the New England Highway/Toowoomba Road/A3 and onto Kingaroy Cooyar Road to reach the falls. Take a dip in the natural swimming hole and have a look at the location's granite cliffs.

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Kilkivan to Kingaroy Rail Trail [118 KM

FROM COOMBA FALLS]: The trail starts in Kilkivan and ends in Kingaroy. The trail provides shorter sections according to your preference.

Kingaroy Observatory [43 KM FROM

COOMBA FALLS]: Continue on the Kingaroy Cooyar Road to reach the destination. Marvel the incredible skies closely.

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East Nanango Circuit Ride [12 KM FROM

KINGAROY OBSERVATORY]: The ride is ideal for gravel bikes and mountain bikes, starting at Nanango's railway siding and ends back in Nanango.

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Greenwood Creek Circuit Ride [21 KM FROM KINGAROY OBSERVATORY]: The ride starts from Pioneer Park and ends back in the Nanango township.

Lake Boondooma [128 KM FROM KINGAROY OBSERVATORY]: Take the Chinchilla Wondai Road/State Route 82 and onto Mundubbera Durong Road/State Route 75 to reach the lake. Relax by the waterside or try your hand at fishing.

STOP 4: South Burnett to Western Downs

Bunya Mountains National Park [133 KM FROM LAKE BOONDOOMA]: Take the Mundubbera Durong Road/State Route 75 to reach the park. Explore and discover the rainforests, waterfalls, scenic views and extensive birdlife.

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Chinchilla Weir [155 KM FROM BUNYA MOUNTAINS NATIONAL PARK]: There are tracks around the weir that are suitable for mountain biking.

New Mountain Bike Trails are coming to the Bunya Mountains in 2022.

STOP 5: South Burnett to Western Downs

Sundown National Park [316 KM FROM BUNYA MOUNTAINS NATIONAL PARK]: Take the Toowoomba Karara Road/State Route 48 and onto Texas Road/State Route 89 to reach the park. Tour around for the woodland birds and, pastoral and mining heritage remains.

Girraween National Park [90 KM FROM SUNDOWN NATIONAL PARK]: Take the

Bruxner Highway and onto New England Highway/A15 to reach the park known for its enormous granite outcrops and balanced boulders.

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Mt Marlay Mountain Bike Trails [29 KM FROM GIRRAWEE NATIONAL PARK]: Mt Marlay has trails for every level of difficulty. It has four tracks – Green Granite (green = beginners), The Grape Escape (blue = intermediate), Hammerhead and Tankslapper (black = experienced).

Passchendaele State Forest [54 FROM GIRRAWEE NATIONAL PARK]: The park has a popular firetrail for mountain biking.

Broadwater State Forest [45 KM FROM GIRRAWEE NATIONAL PARK]: The park has a popular firetrail suitable for mountain biking.

