




Ballan

Nature, art and adventure

Nestled just 80km west of Melbourne along the Western Freeway, Ballan is a charming highlands village that invites you to slow down, explore, and soak in its natural beauty and heritage.

Nature, parks and scenic escapes

With the Werribee River winding nearby, Caledonian Park to the west, Pykes Reservoir to the east, and the Brisbane Ranges to the south, Ballan is a haven for outdoor lovers. Enjoy peaceful walks, refreshing swims, tranquil picnics, and lush gardens.

 Fishing fans will love Bostock Reservoir, a local hotspot for hooking rainbow and brown trout.



A creative community

Ballan is quickly gaining a reputation as a creative hub, attracting artists inspired by its landscapes and peaceful vibe. Browse local galleries, markets, and stores to discover unique handmade treasures and artworks.

Whether you're seeking relaxation, inspiration, or a taste of country hospitality, Ballan invites you to slow down, explore, and enjoy.

Discover Ballan in just one day. Turn over for ideas!

For more tourism information use the QR code to visit:
<https://www.moorabool.vic.gov.au/Services-and-support/For-visitors>





Your guide to a memorable day

Arrive in Ballan

- Start with a coffee and breakfast at a local café for a cozy country vibe.

Explore local heritage

- Visit the Flack Post & Telegraph Office, a heritage-listed building showcasing local art.
- Stroll past the Ballan Post Office and admire its historic architecture.
- Walk the Ballan Historic Tree Walk.

Nature walk and scenic views

- Head to Caledonian Park for a riverside walk along the Werribee River. Great spot for photos and a short stroll.
- Drive to Pykes Creek Reservoir (10 mins away) for beautiful water views and a peaceful break.
- Stop at the Ballan Mineral Springs to take in the quiet surrounds and local Indigenous artwork.
- Quick visit to Bostock Reservoir for more scenic views and birdwatching.

Country pub or café lunch

- Grab lunch at a local pub or café.

Local treats and shopping

- Browse the unique local shops.
- Grab a coffee or sweet treat at the local eateries before heading home.
- If it's market day (held once a month) browse local produce and crafts.

Check opening times . Moorabool Shire Council does not endorse the services provided above and it is for individuals and businesses to use their own judgement.

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