



VISIT *Murrabit*

Murrabit is a small country town situated north of Kerang and in close proximity to the Murray River. The natural bush setting along the river attracts visitors for camping, boating and fishing.

MUST DO'S:

- Join the hundreds of eager shoppers on the first Saturday of each month at the **Murrabit Country Market**, one of Victoria's longest running markets, operating since 1977. Be sure to check out the brightly coloured murals depicting native flora and wildlife by Paul Oswin.
- Visit the **Murrabit Bridge**, the first all steel bridge over the Murray River between New South Wales and Victoria. Constructed in 1926, the bridge remains in operation today and its lift span is utilised a number of times per year, to allow passage of large vessels and paddlesteamers.
- Enjoy a picnic at **Miss Keats Picnic Park**, an excellent location to view the bridge and river. Miss M.G. Keats MBE, a Murrabit local, was the first woman to graduate with a Bachelor of Veterinary Science from the University of Melbourne in 1923.
- The iconic **Murray River** is just 2km from town, and anglers travel up or downstream of the Murrabit Bridge to catch Murray Cod and Yellow Belly. Boats can be launched at the modern concrete boat ramp just downstream of the bridge.
- Enter the **Murrabit Cod Challenge** fishing competition held in March.
- Discover the history of Murrabit and district at the purpose-built **Murrabit Heritage Shelter** at the community park or enjoy the playground and barbecue facilities.
- Follow the **Murrabit Railway Heritage Trail and Walking Track** through town along the former railway line to the Murray River and bridge crossing, a 5.2km round trip.
- Try a round of golf on the 13-hole course with sandscrape greens. The **Murrabit Golf Course** is open through the cooler months and welcomes new players.
- Join in the relaxed competition of the annual **Easter tennis tournament** hosted by the Murrabit Lawn Tennis Club for over 70 years.
- Experience local football and netball at the **Murrabit Recreation Reserve** and try a traditional piping hot pie or hot dog to get you through a wintery Saturday afternoon.

