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# Explore Parks

Western Australia's best adventures start here.

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Hello Park Explorers!

Spring is in the air and it's the perfect time to get outside and discover the natural wonders in Perth and its surrounds. In this edition, we're celebrating new beginnings, scenic trails and exciting springtime events that make visiting WA's parks so special.

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## Welcome to the world, little one

Resident koalas Miffy and Louie have become proud parents to the first joey born in 15 years at Yanchep National Park.

Miffy gave birth around seven months ago, and her joey has recently been spotted peeking out of her pouch during the day.

National park rangers have been keeping a close eye on Miffy and her joey - occasionally catching glimpses of a tiny elbow, foot, or a curious pair of eyes.

As the joey grows in size and confidence, visitors might soon see the joey venturing out and hitching a ride on mum's back.

You can visit Miffy and the rest of the colony along the Koala Boardwalk, from 8am to 4.30pm daily. [Discover more.](#)



**Park Feature - Let's explore Beeliar Regional Park**

Discover a nature haven close to Perth - a southern corridor for conservation made up of coastal wetlands and lakes. The park is a magnet for bird watchers and nature lovers with thousands of migratory birds visiting every year - [read more](#) and add this park to your list.



[Click here to purchase your park pass for easy access to WA's parks](#)

## **Soar through the trees at Yanchep National Park**

After you've visited our local koala colony, why not glide across 16 ziplines, spot kangaroos and conquer over 70 aerial challenges at Treetops Adventure Yanchep. Choose your level of challenge and [book your adventure today!](#)



Before you go, check Park Alerts for track, trail, attraction, campground and park updates.

## Explore two-wheel trails for WA Bike Month

Pump up those tyres and improve your health and wellbeing on one of these mountain bike trails this October for [WA Bike Month](#).

- [Yalbunullup Mountain Bike Trails, Yellagonga Regional Park](#)
- [Langford Park Trails](#)
- [Kalamunda Mountain Bike Trails](#)
- [The Goat Farm Mountain Bike Park](#)
- [Noolbenger Off-Road Cycle Trail, John Forrest National Park](#)



## **Pack a picnic and discover this gentle trail close to Perth**

The landscape is coming alive with wildflowers and the weather is perfect for a hike and a picnic. If you're looking for a trail close to Perth that combines a bit of local history with nature, this could be it – the Lime Kiln Lake Trail in Yalgorup National Park.

Wander along the path under the peppermint and melaleuca trees and stop at one of the many benches along the way to enjoy the peace and quiet. [Take a closer look at the trail](#) and plan your visit.



## Spring into school holidays

Are you looking for fun, screen-free adventures for the kids? Nearer to Nature's spring school holiday calendar is packed with exciting, nature-based activities that help everyone connect with the nature - and each other!

From 'egg-cellent adventures' to 'wildlife by water', there's something for every little explorer.

Bookings are now open online for school holiday activities in [Perth](#) and the [South-West](#).



## Safety first this September

WA's national parks are best enjoyed when you come prepared, so

- Plan it - know the conditions and your limits
- Pack it - take the right gear
- Do it - adventure responsibly with your mates.

Adventure Smart - [find out more.](#)



## Every kid in a park

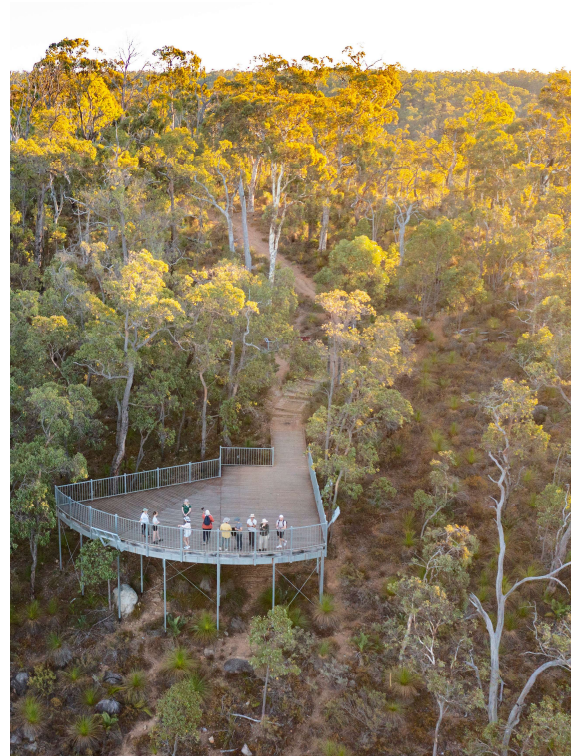
If you're exploring national parks these school holidays, [Nature Play WA](#) have created a bunch of exciting, hands-on adventures for you and your family to discover nature. [Check out the activities.](#)



## Perth Hills WanderFest

The Perth Hills are blooming with events in September - lace up your boots and join in the Perth Hills WanderFest – five trails, endless views, and a chance to reconnect with nature like never before from 26 – 29 September 2025.

[See what's happening.](#)



## Spring into Parks

Explore WA's spectacular national parks this spring and enjoy the many health benefits that come from spending time in nature - we all know a little bit of nature every day makes you feel happier and healthier. Check out the [Spring into Parks](#) calendar to find an event or activity near you.



### On the horizon.....

Stay tuned for the next edition featuring all you need to know about visiting parks in summer in the south west.

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