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Forest Heritage Centre

FROM THE FOREST TO FINE WOOD

Your on site guide to the
Dwellingup Forest Heritage Centre

— alive in the jarrah forest —

DISCOVER

- forest displays and trails
- forest canopy platforms
- gallery of fine wood pieces
- a timber getters hut and Aboriginal mia
- places to sit, relax and have a mug of tea
- a great place to wake up in the forest

MEET

- wood designers and makers at work
- our friendly staff, School of Wood students and volunteers
- our current artisans in residence

BOOK

- a place in our weekend fine wood workshops
- our conference and training facilities
- a discounted group tour or educational program

Open 10 - 5pm daily

Forest Heritage Centre

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The FHC is the first site on the Living Windows trail of the Southwest

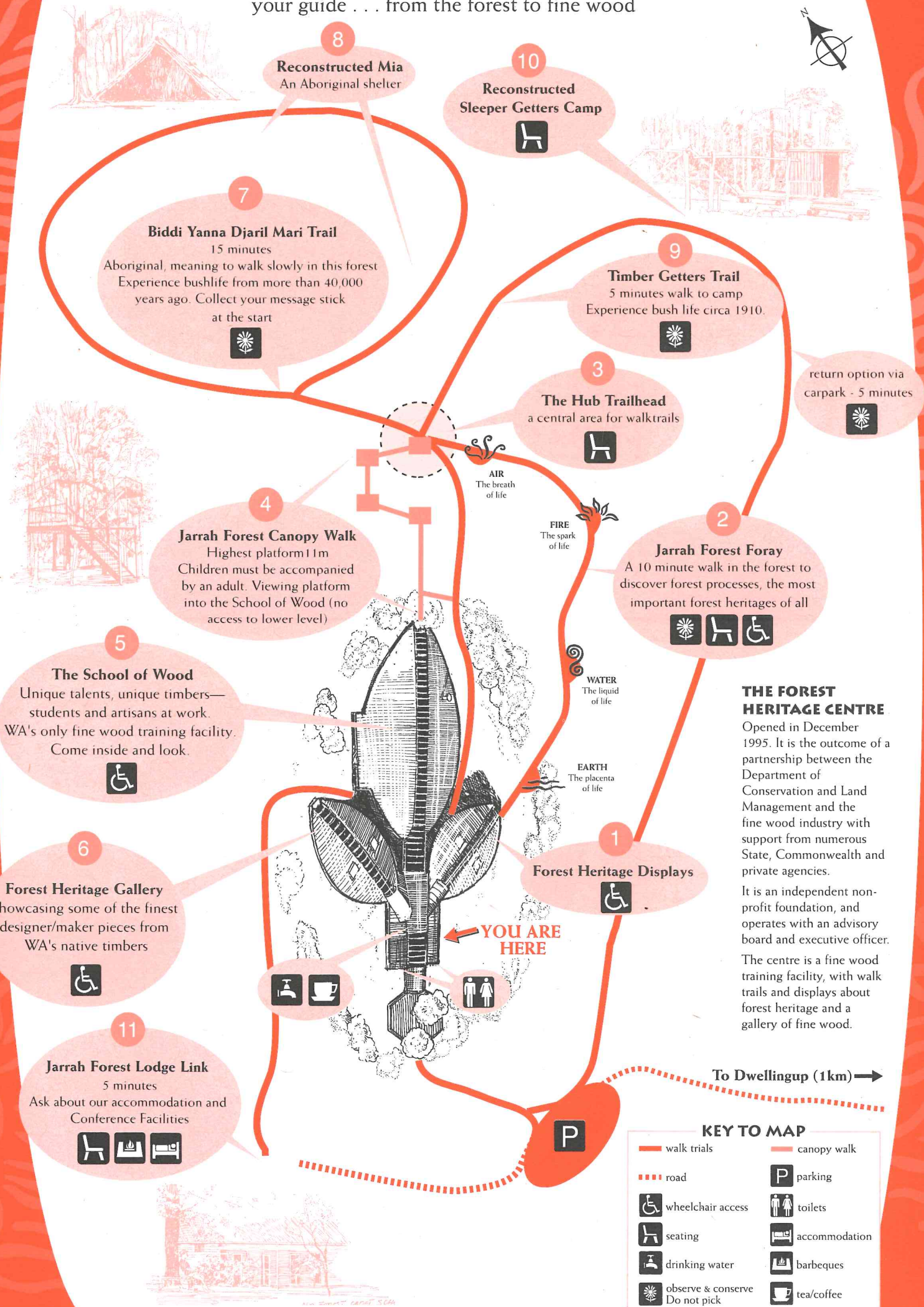


The FHC Inc is a non-profit organisation. Our mission is to increase awareness and understanding of how Western Australia's forest heritage can be most effectively conserved, managed and utilised.

Opened in December 1995.

WELCOME TO THE FOREST HERITAGE CENTRE

your guide . . . from the forest to fine wood



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Reconstructed Mia
An Aboriginal shelter

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Reconstructed Sleeper Getters Camp

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Biddi Yanna Djaril Mari Trail

15 minutes
Aboriginal, meaning to walk slowly in this forest
Experience bushlife from more than 40,000 years ago. Collect your message stick at the start

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Timber Getters Trail

5 minutes walk to camp
Experience bush life circa 1910.

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The Hub Trailhead
a central area for walktrails

return option via carpark - 5 minutes

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Jarrah Forest Canopy Walk

Highest platform 11m
Children must be accompanied by an adult. Viewing platform into the School of Wood (no access to lower level)

AIR
The breath of life

FIRE
The spark of life

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Jarrah Forest Foray

A 10 minute walk in the forest to discover forest processes, the most important forest heritages of all

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The School of Wood

Unique talents, unique timbers—students and artisans at work.
WA's only fine wood training facility.
Come inside and look.

WATER
The liquid of life

EARTH
The placenta of life

THE FOREST HERITAGE CENTRE

Opened in December 1995. It is the outcome of a partnership between the Department of Conservation and Land Management and the fine wood industry with support from numerous State, Commonwealth and private agencies.

It is an independent non-profit foundation, and operates with an advisory board and executive officer.

The centre is a fine wood training facility, with walk trails and displays about forest heritage and a gallery of fine wood.

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Forest Heritage Gallery

Showcasing some of the finest designer/maker pieces from WA's native timbers

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Forest Heritage Displays

YOU ARE HERE

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Jarrah Forest Lodge Link

5 minutes
Ask about our accommodation and Conference Facilities

To Dwellingup (1km) →

KEY TO MAP

- walk trails
- road
- wheelchair access
- seating
- drinking water
- observe & conserve Do not pick
- canopy walk
- parking
- toilets
- accommodation
- barbeques
- tea/coffee

WHAT IS FOREST HERITAGE?

To some it's the good old days of whims, bush tucker and sleeper cutting.

To others it's a wild place full of wild things.

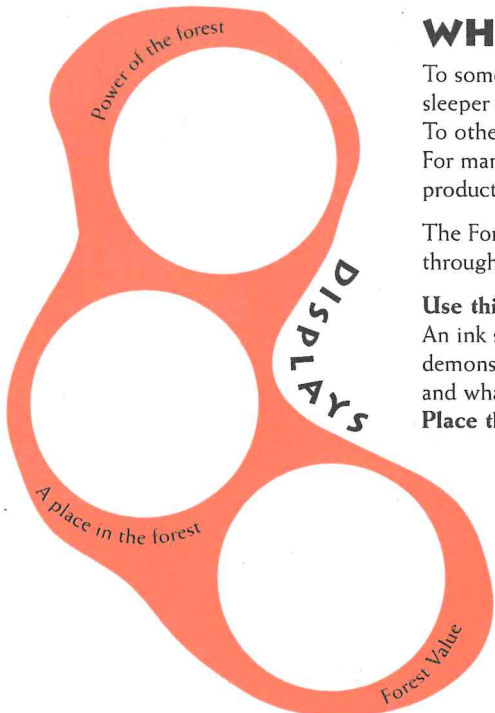
For many it's the wood, water, and minerals, the forest products we use daily.

The Forest Heritage Centre has many slices and pathways through this heritage

Use this page to record your forest heritage experiences.

An ink stamp system around the displays, trails and demonstrations will help you keep track of where you've been and what you've done...

Place the stamps in the sections shown.



GALLERY



SCHOOL OF WOOD

