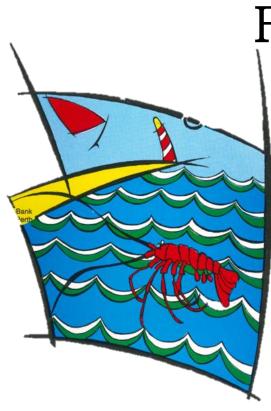


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THE PROGRAMME

THURSDAY JUNE 30th

10.00am-5.00pm — NATIONAL AUSTRALIA BANK HOLE-IN-ONE COMPETITION at Geraldton Senior High School, Carson Terrace. Prize mcney \$1,000.00. Try your luck and golf skill. Everyone is eligible to enter.

2.30pm — CROWNING OF LITTLE MISS SUNSHINE & LITTLE MISS TINY TOT

Northgate Shopping Centre. Quest organised by Dawsons Studio of Theatre and Dance. Forms available at the Studio, Druids Hall, Durlacher Street. This afternoon event includes a floorshow of dance as well as the presentation of the beguiling little Princesses.

4.00pm - MERRY-GO-ROUND IN THE SEA

Dedication ceremony by Mayor Faye Simpson in the grounds of Geraldton Museum. All welcome. Announcement of winners of Sunshine Festival Short Story and Poetry Competitions.

6.30pm - GERALDTON FISHERMANS CO-OP

CRAYPOT KILOMETRE. Westrail Marshalling yards to Victoria Hotel and back along Marine Terrace to the Clock Square. \$800 in Prize Money, special division for Sporting Clubs. Entry Fee \$5.00 per team. Forms at Tourist Bureau.

7.15pm — OFFICIAL OPENING OF 1988 BATAVIA COAST GERALDTON SUNSHINE FESTIVAL BY MAYOR FAYE SIMPSON

Crowning of Festival King. Presentation of prizes to Craypot Kilometre winners. Festival Queen Quest entrants presentation. Down Trown Traders Mardi Gras. Live music, food stalls and entertainment. Childrens Fancy Dress Competition. Superchook from Kentucky Fried Chicken will present the children with vouchers and prizes of Double Passes to Crocodile Dundee II. Dress up for the Crocodile Dundee Look-a-like competition.

8.30am-11.00pm - GERALDTON CITY BOWL

Thursday 30th June to Wednesday 6th July. Ten Pin Secret Score Tompetition. Phone 21 6000 to book your game for your chance to win.

SUNSHINE FESTIVAL ROLLERSKATE SESSIONS From 9.30am to 11.00pm - Tiny Tots; Ladies; General; Family; Rock 'n' Roll; Skateboard sessions. Phone 21 5611 for information and advanced bookings.

FRIDAY JULY 1st

9.30am — JACKSONS DRAWING SUPPLIES PAVEMENT ART COMPETITION. Queens Park

Theatre Favement. Sponsored annually by Jacksons Drawing Supplies, this event is free to enter. Several age categories with prizes in each. Just arrive with your own chalk. No cravons please.

10.00am-4.30pm — OLD FASHIONED FARM DAY OUR SELECTION' NARNGULU

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11.00am & 8.00pm - MORNING MELODIES

Queens Park Theatre. Two shows today sponsored by the Sunshine Festival Queen Quest entrants. ATA in association with the Australian Bi-Centennial Authority proudly presents Morning Melodies for your enjoyment. Re-live the old sing-a-longs of the Gaslight Music Hall with special guest television star. Norman Yemm, Funded by the Program for older Australians. Tickets on sale. \$11.80 Adults, Concession \$7.80.

Fri. 1st, Sat. 2nd, Sun. 3rd. SANDY CHAMBERS WORKSHOP FOR PORTRAIT SCULPTURE. Geraldton Regional Art Gallery. Phone for bookings on 21 6811. Sponsored by Friends of Gallery.

SATURDAY JULY 2nd

Till Noon — NATIONAL AUSTRALIA BANK HOLE-IN-ONE COMPETITION at Geraldton Senior High School, Carson Terrace. Prize money \$1,000.00. Try your luck and golf skill. Everyone is eligible to enter.

1.00pm — JOHN TOOVEY FOOD & LIQUOR MARKET CANOE DESCENT OF THE CHAPMAN RIVER

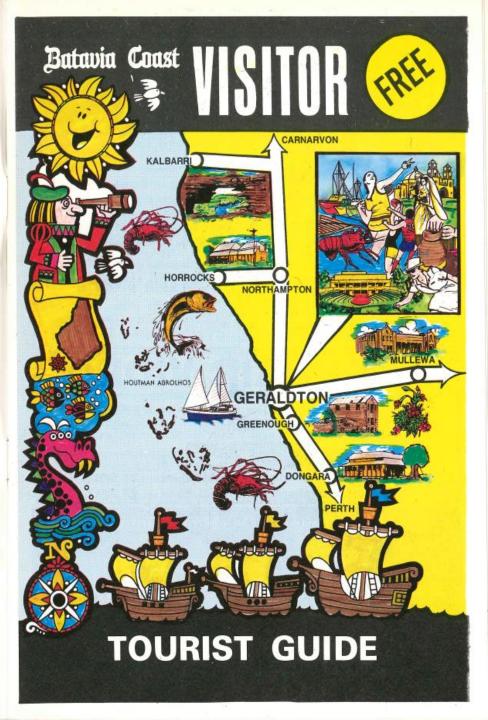
1.00pm start at the Place Road entrance to the river ... just follow the signs. The race proceeds down the Chapman River to Spalding Park. Three categories are: Surf skils, Canadian, and Kayaks. Only \$2.00 entry fee, for great prize money. Entry forms at the Tourist Bureau and Chapman Road Veterinary Centre. Direct all enquiries to Chris Cooper. Phone 21 7422.

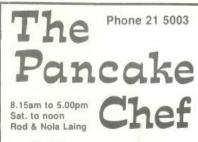
1.00pm — THE FESTIVAL RODEO - WOORREE PARK Presented by Armchair Videos ... 3 big Geraldton stores. All the fun of the Fair and the very best Australian Rodeo action plus thrills with plenty of spills. Fun Fair plus hot food and soft drink stalls, fully licensed bar. See the Bond Brewing Shire Horses Team Display. Follow the signs left off the Airport/Mullewa Road (just past Rovers Footy Ground). Gates open at 12.00 midday and action starts at 1.00pm. Golden Crust Bakery, Watsonia Foods, T. Whitehead and Co. (Carriers), Emu Export Lager and Coca-Cola support, and trust you enjoy, the Sunshine Festival Rodeo.

2.00pm — QUASAR KNOCK OUT COMPETITION Prizes courtesy of Coca Cola for:- ★ Most original 'space age team name; ★ Competitors in space age costumes; ★ Winning team. Bookings on 23 1359 or 21 8496.

2.00pm - PET FANCY DRESS PARADE

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facilities including Dormitory style accommodation for 109 persons with its own catering facilities. It will be the home of many community special interest groups and the Geraldton Lions Club. Tennis court hire will be another feature.

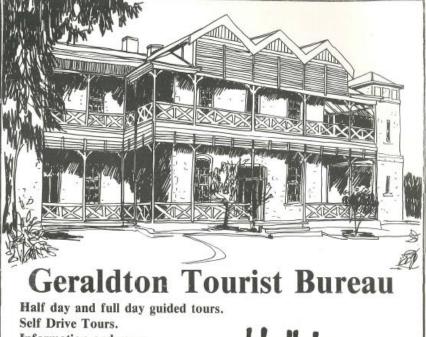
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CIVIC CENTRE - Cathedral Avenue. Open Monday to Friday 8.30am to 4.00pm.

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FAMILY BEACHES - Pages Beach, West End (includes picnic areas). Town Beach (includes boat launching facilities).

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Point Moore. St George's Beach, Bluff Point) Windsurfer's) Paradise!

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Museums

PUBLIC MUSEUMS

GERALDTON MUSEUM

One of Australia's leading regional museums, this branch of the Western Australian Museum was established in Geraldton in December, 1980. The Museum complex comprises two buildings which are located in a foreshore park landscaped by the Geraldton Town Council.

Exhibits in the Maritime Display Building, take visitors on a journey back more than three and a half centuries to the earliest known contact by Europeans with the Australian continent. During the 17th and 18th centuries Dutch East Indian Company's ships followed westerley prevailing winds, "the Roaring Forties", on their way from the Cape of Good Hope to Java. Three of these ships, the 'Botovio' (1629), the 'Zuytdorp' (1712) and the 'Zeewijk' (1727) were wrecked in the region before England's Captain James Cook was born.

Opened to the public in December 1985, exciting new displays in the nearby Old Railway Building are concerned with the rich natural and cultural heritage of Geraldton's hinterland - the vast Midwest region. Historical items, Aboriginal artifacts, natural history specimens, fossils and minerals are presented in multidisciplinary displays which illustrate interaction of people, flora and fauna with their environment. A feature of the Museum is its modern exhibits and exciting audiovisual displays as well as a theatrette where visitors can view a slide-tape production on the regions natural heritage. Developed after five years of research and photography, the slide programme includes colourful photos of wildflowers and other spectacular scenery from around the region.

During the school holidays the Museum also organizes special activities for the whole family.

While in Geraldton the opportunity to visit one of Australia's leading regional Museums should not be missed, Geraldton Museum is located in Marine Terrace, near a well known landmark — the Yellow Submarine.

Admission to the Museum is free, however school parties and other groups are requested to book in advance. Group bookings and other enquiries may be directed to the Curator's Office, Phone (099) 21 5080.

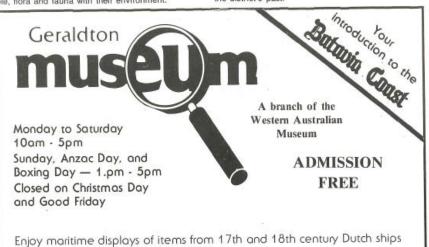
HISTORICAL SOCIETY MUSEUMS

GREENOUGH PIONEER MUSEUM

Greenough. This was the home of a district pioneer and was constructed in 1860. Most rooms have been refurnished with furniture and household items of that era.

WALKAWAY STATION MUSEUM

Walkaway. These buildings were constructed in 1887 and the station remained operational until 1966. Today they house a wide range of items drawn from the district's past.



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Although archaeological evidence suggests Aboriginal settlement of the Geraldton region extends back at least 40,000 years, it was probably not until the 17th century that Europeans took an interest in the west coast of 'New Holland'. Dirk Hartog left a crude plaque on the northwest coast in 1616. Thirteen years later Dutch East India Company sea captain Francisco Pelsaert was unlucky enough to run his vessel 'Batavia' aground in the Houtman Abrolhos with tragic results. At least two other Dutch East India Company vessels were subsequently wrecked in the region, 'Zuytdorp' (1712) and 'Zeewijk' (1727). Although the events surrounding these wrecks include some of the most treacherous and blood-thirsty episodes in the annals of maritime history, the. Dutch had no major impact on the region's development.

During the first half of the 19th century two British sea captains played prominent parts in the later settlement of the region. Captain Phillip King's voyage in 1822 completed the circumnavigation of Australia's coastline from Rottnest northward.

Seventeen years later a small party led by George Grey was shipwrecked at Gantheaurme Bay. After struggling ashore Grey and his party walked southward to Fremantle naming the Hutt, Bowes, Chapman, Greenough, Irwin and Arrowsmith rivers en route. Grey noted the fertility of the sand plain country south of the Chapman River and named this vast tract of land the Victoria district.

While Grey's report generally painted a very promising picture of the economic viability of the region, that of a later visitor did not. In 1842 H.M.S. Beagle visited Champion Bay under the command of Captain Stokes. His subsequent unfavourable report cooled much of the Swan River Colony's earlier enthusiasm for the district. The discovery by the Gregory brothers of a coal seam in the Irwin River in 1846 and of high quality lead ore in the lower Murchison in 1848 drew attention to the region's potential for mining. These discoveries together with the Gregory's reports on the pastoral potential of both the Greenough flats and areas to the north east of Champion Bay attracted the interest of Governor Fitzgerald and resolved the earlier controversy over the feasability of settling the district. By 1850 the Geraldton townsite had been gazetted, a harbour surveyed at Port Gregory and a garrison established. Pastoral settlement followed rapidly on the heels of mining and a number of families trekked north to take up leases on either side of the Greenough. During the 1850s and 1860s pastoral development accelerated while to the north lead and copper mining formed the basis for the developing Northampton township.

In 1853 a convict depot was established at Port Gregory however within 4 years it had closed and the contingent was moved to Geraldton. With the expansion of mining around Northampton and Geraldton, the port of Champion Bay eventually superceded Port Gregory and by the 1860s was the major sea-port north of Fremantle.

With the establishment of the first government railway line from Northampton in 1879, growth progressed steadily if not spectacularly and Geraldton became the service, retail and transportation centre for the region. However, in the 1890s the proclamation of the Murchison goldfields led to an explosion in development as Geraldton became the link between the outside world and the rich gold deposits of Cue, Day Dawn and Mount Magnet.

In the years following Federation, Geraldton consolidated its position drawing additional trade from the emergent farming communities to the south-east. Railways constructed by the Midland Company and later the Government, led to the development of townships such as Perenjori, Mingenew, Three Springs and Morawa which added significantly to the growth of the region's production, revenue and population. Although lead mining experienced a brief revival during the European scramble for arms from 1908-1920 and gold mining towns have had brief but bright periods of existence it has been the wool, wheat and fishing industries which have contributed to much of Geraldton's subsequent growth.



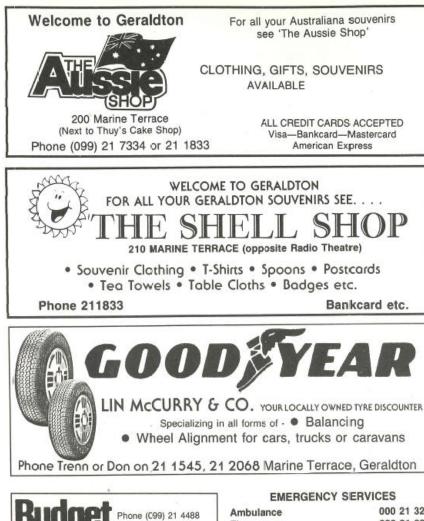
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POINT MOORE LIGHTHOUSE

Willcock Drive. Western extremity of Point Moore. The lighthouse was built in 1879 and named after the Advocate General for the colony 1830-1852, G.F. Moore. The lighthouse was brought out from England, and it was originally built in the wrong position and had to be moved.

GERALDTON MUSEUM

Marine Terrace. Constructed originally as the State's first government railway station in 1879. The building was renovated in 1979 for museum purposes and was established as a branch of the Western Australian Museum on the 1st December 1980.

THE HERMITAGE

Cathedral Avenue. Set into the sandhills overlooking the Indian Ocean, the Hermitage was built as a retirement home for Monsignor Hawes.

"THE RESIDENCY"

Marine Terrace. Originally the home of the first Government Resident in Geraldton. Now the headquarters of the Cultural Trust.

MISSION TO SEAMEN BUILDING

Marine Terrace. The first school house built in Geraldton.

GERALDTON ART GALLERY

Cnr Durlacher St & Chapman Road. The renovated Art Gallery was originally the Town Hall, opened in 1907.

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CANNON

Marine Terrace. This cannon was cast in 1616 from the Admiralty of Rotterdam and is a vivid reminder of the massacre that followed the ship wreck of the Batavia in 1629 on the Abrolhos Islands.

COURTHOUSE / GOVERNMENT BUILDINGS

Cnr. Forrest St & Marine Terrace. These buildings, along with the former Town Hall and the Railway Station, were part of the resultant wealth from the Murchison Goldfields and erected to acknowledge the important contribution of the region to the colony. Construction was completed in 1897.

VICTORIA DISTRICT HOSPITAL

Cnr. Chapman Road & Bayly St. Originally built in 1887, with extensions in 1895 after the typhus outbreaks in the goldfields. The site is soon to be restored as a community cultural and recreation complex.

BIRDWOOD HOUSE

Cnr. Forrest St & Chapman Road. Birdwood House was opened in 1935 and built in honour of those who fought and died in war. General Birdwood fought for the Australian Army in World War 1.

RAILWAY STATION

Chapman Road. A new station was built at this site in about 1894 to meet the needs of the Murchison goldfields and Cue. Additions were made in 1915. Passenger services stopped in 1970 and it now serves as a bus terminus. The original station building is situated at the other end of Marine Terrace (now occupied by the Geraldton Museum).

STOCK FENCES

Chapman Road/Adam to Trigg Streets. In the early years the stock was off-loaded at sea and had to swim to shore. The fences served to gather them together before the, were driven into the town stock yards. Remains of the iron stock fences in the dunes and in the reef can still be seen.

SAINT GEORGE'S CHURCH

Chapman Road, Bluff Point. The foundation stone was laid in July 1935, and opened in 1937 by John Frewer (Bishop for the North West). The structure's use of local materials (Frank Green offered building stone from his Narra Tarra property) reflects much about most early buildings in Geraldton.

NAZARETH HOUSE

Crowtherton Street, Bluff Point. The sisters of Nazareth were invited by Bishop Collins to build a home for the elderly and orphans (during the war children from England and Malta came to live here). Building began in 1938 and it was opened on 18th September 1941. Designed by Monsignor Hawes as a monastery.

CHAPMAN RIVER BRIDGE

North West Coastal Highway, Bluff Point. Prior to the bridge being built, when the river was in flood, an early Magistrate (Mr Thomas Burges) would hold court on one bank of the river. The constable from Champion Bay would bring the accused and witnesses to the other bank and call out the charges. After swearing in the witnesses they would shout out their versions and Mr Burges would consider the evidence and shout back a verdict. The bridge was built by convicts in 1868.



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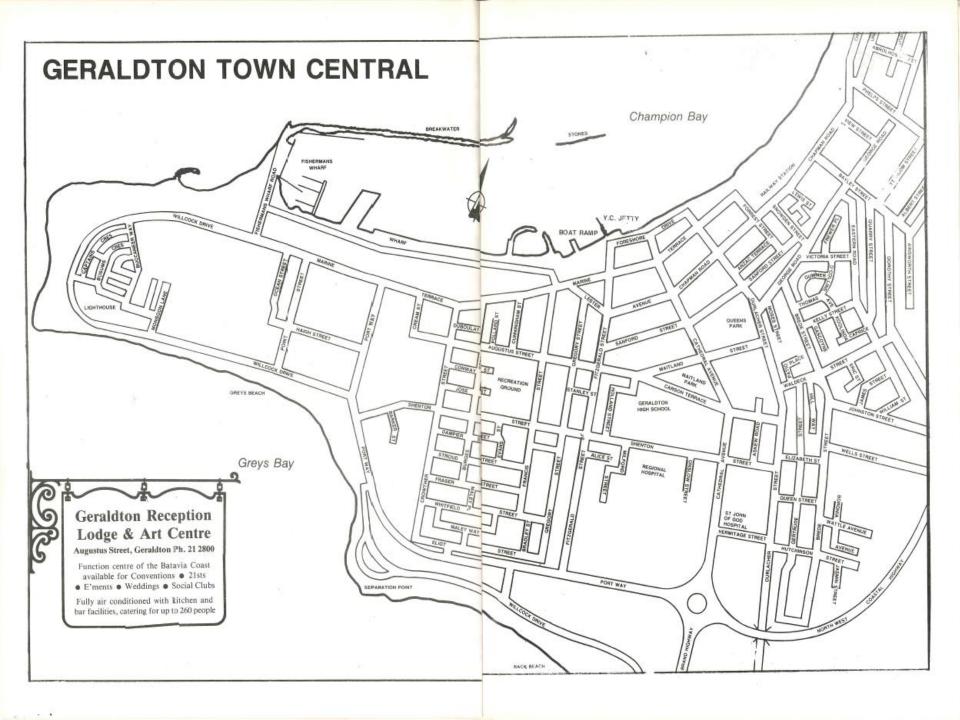




Chapman River Playground - Bluff Point









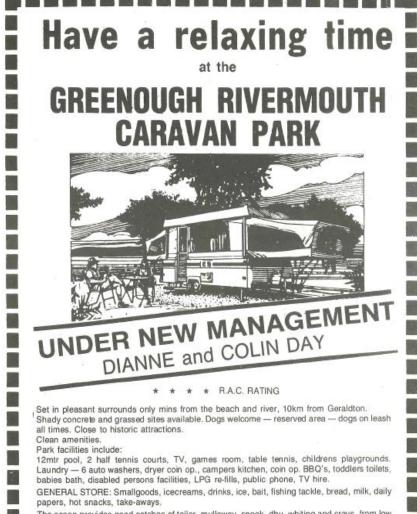
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Wintersun Hotel, 441 Chapman Road, Bluff Point. Wine and dine with Geraldton's finest cuisine and dance to our resident singer and musician Joe Mosca. Open Mon - Sat 6pm - 9pm.

THE EMERALD ROOM 21 1422 At the Hospitality Inn in Cathedral Avenue. For that Special Dinner, A-la-carte dining, open 7 nights a week. Top cuisine, live music Friday and Saturday.

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Bookings Phone 21 6644



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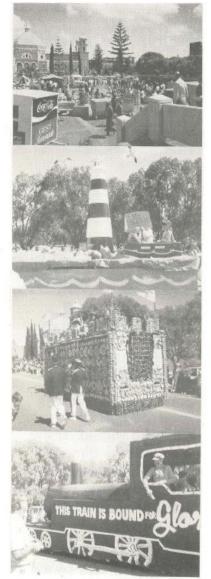
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BATAVIA MOTOR INNE 21 3500 54 Fitzgerald Street. Dine amidst a unique and exciting atmosphere echoing the ghosts of the Batavia wreck and mutiny. Fully licensed with Cocktail Bar. 3 course meal 6pm to 7pm Monday to Saturday. Also a-la-carte 7 nights a week.

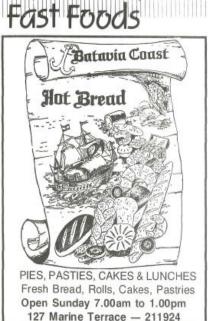
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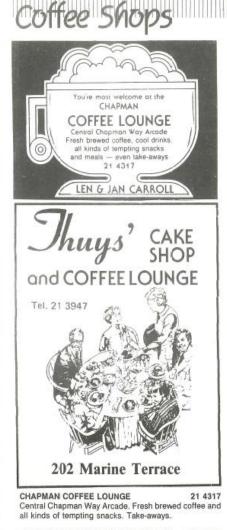
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Greenough River mouth, 10km south of Geraldton



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Windsurfing - all year round



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Excellent fishing (Photo PACE SPORTS)



HISTORIC GREENOUGH

Greenough is situated 25km south of Geraldton on the Brand Highway and features many examples of our early picneering history dating from the 1850's. The Greenough Village complex looks very much as it did in its heyday. It was restored and is maintained by the National Trust (W.A.) and features Pioneer Tea Rooms and a Fine Art Gallery where works by significant Mid West artists are displayed and sold. Guided tours through the buildings are thoroughly recommended. Adjacent to the Village in Company Road

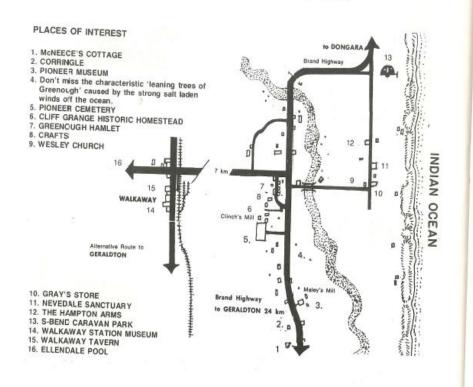
is the Hampton Arms Historic Inn (1861), a fully licensed Inn where mine host Judy Kennington and her staff all kinds of animals can be seen.

Cliff Grange Historic Homestead, built in 1857. A magnificent collection of Victoriana can be viewed. Also a gemstone collection considered to be one of the finest in W.A. Guided tours available. The Greenough River Pottery in the Old Stone Barn, Macartney Road, is known Australia wide for its product

and potter Margaret Linden can be seen at work. Sales of her work are conducted from the premises. A continuing restoration program is being undertaken by the National Trust as funds become available.

GREENOUGH - WALKAWAY

Enjoy a leisurely drive to Greenough and Walkaway. Approximately 24 kms south along Brand Highway to Greenough and a further 7 kms to Walkaway (turn left at the Greenough Hamlet).





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Fishing

By Courtesy of Trevor Beaver of P.A.C.E. SPORTS

The Geraldton region abounds in a great variety of fish. The off-shore angler can expect to find the folowing species of fish: Tailor; Mulloway - Silver Kingfish (called Jewfish in the Eastern States) how-ver unrelated to the W A. species of Jewfish; Whiting - mostly yellowfin; Herring - although not as aburdant as south of Perth; Skipjack; Trevally; Samson-Fish; Jewfish between end of May to end of August (however a rare prized catch off-shore); variety of Sharks - mostly Whaler family with the odd Hammer-head or harmless Shovel-Nose variety; Wobbegongs - are quite popular in reef areas.

Some times of the year it is best to fish off seaweed banks into water clear of weed. At high filde the rotting weed is washed by the water providing fish with food which breeds in the damp environment.

Best times for Mulloway are dawn and dusk. However good catches sometimes occur during the day.

For the Boating Angler the prime fish is: Jewfish; The Groper; Snapper; Mackerel from Nov to March; Tuna most of the year.

The maps are marked with the prime fishing locations. Southgates/Tarcoola Beach - large expanse of surf which turns up some good catches.

Greenough River - good Bream.

Greenough River 1st & 2nd Point - rock snags on bottom. However deep water, excellent for bait casting, are reliable for most local species.

Lucy's/Flat Rocks/7 Mile - surf and ree' areas. Lucy's and Flat Rocks 4WD areas.

In order that we may be privileged to use these beach areas in future please help by keeping them clean. Bowes River - immediately at mouth. Room for about 5 to fish.

Coronation - from parking area to 1st river 1 km north. Mostly sand bottom.

Drummonds Cove - huge fishable area with a mixture of surf and reef fishing. Extending from the Buller River in the north to Sunset Beach in the south.

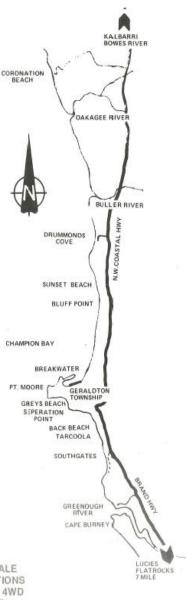
The Geraldton Breakwater is always a reliable area. The shipping wharfs often turn on a variety of fish including large Mulloway.

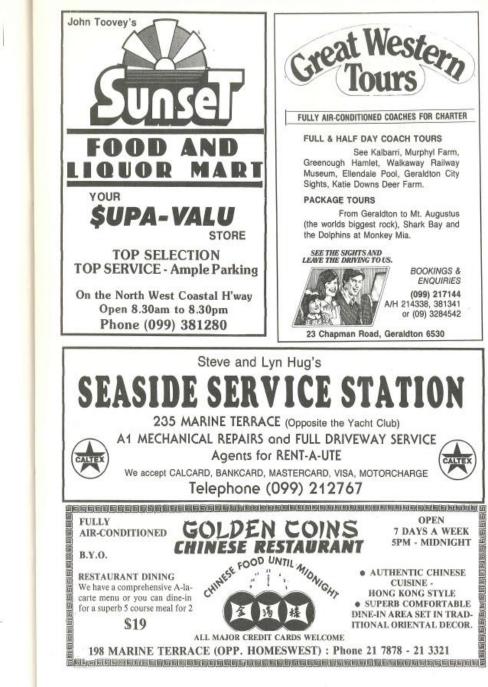
Point Moore/Separation Point - good reef fishing.

BOAT RAMPS at

Town Beach Small boat Marina St George's Beach, Bluff Point. DINGHY LAUNCHING at Western side of No. 5 shipping berth.

WARNING: ADJOINING MAP IS NOT TO SCALE LOCATIONS ARE APPROXIMATE — SOME LOCATIONS SHOWN ARE NOT SUITABLE FOR OTHER THAN 4WD VEHICLES — SEEK ADVICE BEFORE LEAVING.







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THE PROGRAMME

THURSDAY JUNE 30th

10.00am-5.00pm - NATIONAL AUSTRALIA BANK HOLE-IN-ONE COMPETITION at Geraldton Senior High School, Carson Terrace. Prize money \$1,000.00. Try your luck and golf skill. Everyone is eligible to enter.

2.30pm - CROWNING OF LITTLE MISS SUNSHINE & LITTLE MISS TINY TOT

Northgate Shopping Centre. Quest organised by Dawsons Studio of Theatre and Dance. Forms available at the Studio, Druids Hall, Durlacher Street. This afternoon event includes a floorshow of dance as well as the presentation of the beguiling little Princesses.

4.00pm - MERRY-GO-ROUND IN THE SEA

Dedication ceremony by Mayor Fave Simpson in the grounds of Geraldton Museum, All welcome, Announcemeht of winners of Sunshine Festival Short Story and Poery Competitions.

6.30pm — GERALDTON FISHERMANS CO-OP

to Victoria Hotel and back along Marine Terrace to the Clock Square. \$800 in Prize Money, special division for Sporting Clubs. Entry Fee \$5.00 per team. Forms at Tourist Bureau.

7.15pm - OFFICIAL OPENING OF 1988 BATAVIA COAST GERALDTON SUNSHINE FESTIVAL BY MAYOR FAYE SIMPSON

Crowning of Festival King. Presentation of prizes to Craypot Kilometre winners. Festival Queen Quest entrants presentation. Down Town Traders Mardi Gras. Live music, food stalls and entertainment. Childrens Fancy Dress Competition. Superchook from Kentucky Fried Chicken will present the children with vouchers and prizes of Double Passes to Crocodile Dundee II. Dress up for the Crocodile Dundee Look-a-like competition.

8.30am-11.00pm - GERALDTON CITY BOWL

Thursday 30th June to Wednesday 6th July. Ten Pin Secret Score Tompetition. Phone 21 6000 to book your game for your chance to win.

SUNSHINE FESTIVAL ROLLERSKATE SESSIONS From 9.30am to 11.00pm - Tiny Tots: Ladies: General: Family; Rock 'n' Roll: Skateboard sessions. Phone 21 5611 for information and advanced bookings.

FRIDAY JULY 1st

9.30am — JACKSONS DRAWING SUPPLIES **PAVEMENT ART COMPETITION.** Queens Park

Theatre Pavement. Sponsored annualy by Jacksons Drawing Supplies, this event is free to enter. Several age categories with prizes in each. Just arrive with your own chalk. Nc crayons please.

10.00am-4.30pm - OLD FASHIONED FARM DAY OUR SELECTION' NARNGULU

Joy and Stan Gratte welcome you and your family to their Edward Road property. Charabanc and cony rides, blacksmithing, crafts, leatherwork, etc. Everyone is invited to participate. You are offered Curry and Rice, Hot Dogs, cups of tea and eats all day, such as lice Cream made in an antique churn, jams, preserves, cakes and lots, lots more. Century old machinery and a horse driven Merry-Go-Round add to the atmosphere of the day.

'Our Selection' is easy to find:- Drive out of town on the Airport/Mullewa Road, turn right at the Greenough Shire offices and about 1km along you will see the sign and flags. Admission: Adults \$1.50 (15/-), Kids 50c (5/-).

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Queens Park Theatre. Two shows today sponsored by the Sunshine Festival Queen Quest entrants. ATA in association with the Australian Bi-Centennial Authority proudly presents Morning Melodies for your enjoyment. Re-live the old sing-a-longs of the Gaslight Music Hall with special quest television star, Norman Yemm, Funded by the Program for older Australians. Tickets on sale. \$11.80 Adults. Concession \$7.80.

CRAYPOT KILOMETRE. Westrail Marshalling vards Frl. 1st, Sat. 2nd, Sun. 3rd. SANDY CHAMBERS WORKSHOP FOR PORTRAIT SCULPTURE. Geraldton Regional Art Gallery. Phone for bookings on

21 6811, Sponsored by Friends of Gallery.

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1.00pm - JOHN TOOVEY FOOD & LIQUOR MARKET CANOE DESCENT OF THE CHAPMAN RIVER

1.00pm start at the Place Road entrance to the river ... just follow the signs. The race proceeds down the Chapman River to Spalding Park. Three categories are: Surf skiis, Canadian, and Kayaks. Only \$2.00 entry fee, for great prize money. Entry forms at the Tourist Bureau and Chapman Road Veterinary Centre, Direct all enquiries to Chris Cooper. Phone 21 7422.

1.00pm — THE FESTIVAL RODEO - WOORREE PARK Presented by Armchair Videos ... 3 big Geraldton stores. All the fun of the Fair and the very best Australian Rodeo action plus thrills with plenty of spills. Fun Fair plus hot food and soft drink stalls, fully licensed bar. See the Bond Brewing Shire Horses Team Display. Follow the signs left off the Airport/Mullewa Road (just past Rovers Footy Ground). Gates open at 12.00 midday and action starts at 1.00pm. Golden Crust Bakery, Watsonia Foods, T. Whitehead and Co. (Carriers), Emu Export Lager and Coca-Cola support, and trust you enjoy, the Sunshine Festival Rcdeo.

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2.00pm - PET FANCY DRESS PARADE

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