



A nice walk from town, this geological reserve offers hills of fine pink clay with an almost talcum-powder texture.



McIvor Creek Swing Bridge

Cross the river in town at the end of Jennings Street by walking over this timber swing bridge - hanging from a single steel rope.



O'Keefe Rail Trail - - - A

This 49km cycling/walking trail connects Heathcote to Bendigo and runs along a former rail alignment of the Melbourne-Sydney line.



Mount Ida

Offering spectacular views of Heathcote and the surrounding area, Mount Ida is also great for bushwalking and viewing flora and fauna.



Barrack Reserve

With picnic and barbeque facilities in a pretty setting by the river, grab some local produce and sit back and relax.



Heathcote Play Space

This fantastic playground is just the place to keep the kids happy. A flying fox, water pump, swings and more offer something for all ages.



Valley of Liquid Ambers

This pretty valley is close to town and perfect for a picnic. In autumn, it is beautifully coloured thanks to the lovely trees.



Lake Eppalock

* Refer to map

Just 15 minutes down the road, central Victoria's largest water storage is perfect for fishing, swimming, water skiing and more.



Wineries

The region's climate and rich Cambrian soil provides the perfect conditions for producing great wines. Over 30 cellar doors showcase award winning wines including Shiraz and other varieties such as Cabernet Sauvignon, Grenache, Tempranillo, Marsanne, Sangiovese and Viognier.



Cycling and Walking Trails

* Please note that not all trails are signed. Refer to map for more information.



McIvor Creek Trail

Walk or ride along the McIvor Creek through the township of Heathcote. The trail is approximately 2km one way.



A beautiful and slightly challenging walk to a large rock perched above Heathcote, offering spectacular views. The full loop is approximately 2.6km.



Pink Cliffs Loop Trail

A peaceful 8km trail that leads past the historic cemetery and up to the Pink Cliffs.

* Please note some sections are on road.



A pleasant 1km loop from the Visitor Centre through to the Liquid Amber trees, to the picnic area along McIvor Creek.



Shopping

Enjoy boutique gifts, homewares, food and wine in the main street: a market on the first Saturday of each month; or salvage vintage treasures.



Be sure to pick up these other great brochures for what to see and do while in the Heathcote region.



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