



Fleurieu Peninsula South Australia

Visitor Guide

Fleurieu Coast

Photo: Wanda Raskawan

South Coast Surf 2/79 Main Road (08) 8558 2822
Terry White Chemmart Main Road (08) 8558 3446
 Open Mon to Fri 9.00am–6.00pm, Sat 9.00am–4.00pm, Sun 9.30am–10.0pm.
The Community Op Shop 69a Main Road 0477 492 063

FOOD AND DRINK
31 Jetty 31 Jetty Road 0439 313 020
 Little coffee shop serves from 6am, 7 days a week with homemade cakes and pastries. Takeaway only.

Aqua Blue Kiosk & Restaurant 100 Jetty Road 0488 086 602
 Open for takeaway or dine-in with spectacular views of the sea. If the sun is up they are open!

Bloom & Brew Co 52A Main Road (08) 7529 9801
 Open for all-day brekky, gourmet burgers and dogs, fish and chips, salads, kids meals, cakes, coffee, lots of milkshake flavours to choose from too.

Caffe on Bungala 48a Main Road 0403 349 664
 Breakfast or lunch open for modern deli, seasonal coastal food.

Fast Eddie's Normanville 91B Main Road (08) 8558 2771
 Open for pizza, fish & chips and takeaway food.

Fleurieu Food & Wine 0422 110 964
 In-house catering and local food experiences

Lady Bay Hotel St Andrews Boulevard (08) 8558 0644
 Open for pizza, modern regional food and great views (especially at sunset).

Normanville Bakery 89 Main Road (08) 8558 2177
 Open for cakes, pastries, sandwich bar, milkshakes, coffee and drinks.

Normanville Foodland 85 Main Road (08) 8558 2008
 Open for variety goods, fresh meat, fruit and veg, ice, dry cleaning, and cold drinks.

Normanville Hotel 46 Main Road (08) 8558 3200
 Open for restaurant, counter meals, function room and bottle shop.

Normanville Surf Life Saving Club Jetty Road
 Open November–April Fri, Sat & Sun afternoons, open January 7 days for bar service.

One Little Sister Café 4/48 Main Road (08) 8558 3759
 Open for homemade, house made and made from scratch food & coffee, we are licenced and dinner Fri & Sat

Edwards Avenue – 12 Edwards Ave (24 hrs)
 Normanville Beach Foreshore – 47 Jetty Rd (24 hrs)



Normanville Foreshore.

NOTE: Business and events may be operating different to their listing hours. For up-to-date information on retail and outlet opening and closing times contact the Fleurieu Coast Visitor Centre (08) 8558 0240 or visit here:

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- Free WiFi
- Free bike hire
- Local produce and souvenirs
- Event bookings/tickets
- Kangaroo Island Sealink bookings
- National Park passes
- Local historical museum entry
- Visitor information and maps

Facilities including:
 This award-winning, nationally-accredited centre provides excellent visitor information and maps

at 163 Main South Road, Yanakilla, phone (08) 8558 0240, email cooee@flourieucast.com.au or visit www.visitflourieucast.com

For more detailed information about specific attractions and accommodation options please ask our friendly Visitor Centre volunteers at the Visitor Centre. For more detailed information about specific attractions and accommodation options please ask our friendly Visitor Centre volunteers at the Visitor Centre. Collect a detailed map from the Visitor Centre. Church Yanakilla. Collect a detailed map from the Visitor Centre. Yanakilla Historical Museum and Shrine of Our Lady of Yanakilla Christ (Jervis), Delamere, Rapid Bay, Second Valley, Lady Bay, Normanville, Kangaroo Island and Starfish Hill Wind Farm), Morgans Beach (Cape Raywood Nursery, Talisker Mine ruins, Sappers Road Lookout (News Ingalalla Waterfalls, Deep Creek National Park, Tapanappa Lookout, drive include Mary McMillin's Cottage, Torrens Vale Lookout, Parawa, discover some of the Fleurieu Coast's natural wonders, highlights of the table seascapes. This scenic route is 85km in length, and allows you to travel the Southern Ocean Drive and take in the lush farming land, historical, aquatic, arts and other recreational attractions.

Kangaroo Island, it has a temperate climate, amazing and varied scenery, welcoming locals, fine foods, beer, wines and spirits and culture, excellent accommodation options and a wide range of facilities including:

The Fleurieu Coast is on the western side of the Fleurieu Peninsula. It's one of the most beautiful and diverse regions in South Australia.

INTRODUCTION



Rapid Bay, Photo: Jean Crosswell

and from the coast to the Mount Lofty Ranges, is the traditional land of the Kaurua people, who have lived here for thousands of years. Traditionally, they lived in independent groups within their own lands, coming together for trade, social, ceremonial and religious reasons. The Kaurua people lived by the coast in summer months and moved to the foothills in the colder weather for better shelter and firewood. The inland areas also contained more mammals to hunt, and creeks and swamps contained fish and other water life. Their well-established travelling tracks are reflected in some of the region's road routes today.

Normanville G3

Normanville was once the area's main port, however most of the original jetty has been washed away. Today the pristine beach, with its heritage-listed sand dunes, is the main attraction. The dunes stretch all the way from Lady Bay (F4) to Carrickalinga (G3) and, accompanied by the clear waters, make the perfect backdrop for a leisurely stroll or swim. The township has a large range of shopping, art and craft, accommodation (including caravan parks) and eateries. Visitors can also enjoy golf, horse riding, cycling, fishing and other recreational activities.

ATTRACTIONS

Art Adventures (by appointment only) 0417 578 493
Banksia Park Playground James Avenue (behind Mitre 10). Playground with picnic area.

Bungala Park 42 Main South Road. Lots of room for the kids to run around with free BBQs, shelters, art poles and historic Bungala Cottage. Park your RV and enjoy the convenience of spacious parking just a short, scenic stroll away from the charming beachside town of Normanville.

Great (Big) Gorge Walk 3.6km return walk and running trails adjacent to the Yanakilla River, on the route of the historic coach road. This walk starts from Garnett Kelly Reserve (F4).

Ingalalla Falls are nestled in the Second Valley Forest 10km south of Normanville on Hay Flat Road. The waterfalls are easily accessible (within 500m of the carpark) and are the perfect place for a picnic, with many shaded areas. In autumn, the leaves of the deciduous trees provide a colourful backdrop to the pine forest.

Lady Bay The northern part of the beach is sandy, while the southern part adjacent the ex-HMAS Hobart Memorial lookout reveals rockpools at low tide. There are stunning views of the coastline in both directions.

Links Lady Bay Day Spa is focussed on providing in-clinic and mobile spa services with the highest levels of customer satisfaction. They will do everything they can to meet your expectations. For details phone 0410 743 838 or visit www.ladybaydayspa.com.au

Links Lady Bay Golf Course overlooks the magnificent Fleurieu Coast and is located just 2km from Normanville. This superb championship golf course offers a challenging experience and clubhouse facilities.

Normanville Beach popular for swimming, sailing, beach and jetty fishing. There is a boat access point (tractor or 4WD required) and the beach is patrolled by the Normanville Surf Life Saving Club on weekends and public holidays during the peak period. Adjacent to national heritage-listed sand dunes. Two beach wheelchairs are available to enable all people to enjoy Normanville beach. To loan, contact Normanville Surf Life Saving Club.

Tennis court hire Normanville Jetty Caravan Park (08) 8558 2038
Tennis court hire and gym Lady Bay Hotel (08) 8558 0600

Walking and cycling trails There are many walking and cycling trails in the area from the Historic Walk of Normanville, bushwalking in Deep Creek and Talisker Conservation Parks or the cycling trail from Normanville to North Bay, Carrickalinga. Pick up a range of detailed maps from the Visitor Centre.

YogaTherapia & True Nature Adventures 0404 847 938
 Yoga classes, private tuition and guided hikes.

RETAIL

A Birdy Told Me 4/79 Main Road 0490 907 876
A Little Spa Main Road 0417 823 721
Ampol 77 South Normanville 216 Main South Road (08) 8327 5970
Maudie and Fox Edwards Avenue 0437 879 179
Mitre 10 Mary Street (08) 8558 3100

Normanville Meat & Seafood 75 Main South Road (08) 8547 6459
Normanville Newsagency 2/48 Main Road (08) 8558 3420
Normanville Post Office 1/89 Main Road (08) 8558 3049

The Tjirruki Dreaming has great significance for the Kaurua people and the Yanakilla area. Tjirruki was an ancestral being of the Kaurua people of the Adelaide plains. Tjirruki's nangani (nephew) Kulitwui, who foraged his sister's son, killed a karti (emu) belonging to Tjirruki, who forgave him. However, Kulitwui was subsequently killed by his part brothers, Jurawi and Tejawui. Tjirruki had to decide if Kulitwui had been lawfully killed, and determined he was murdered and avenged the crime by spearing and burning the nephews, killing them in the vicinity of Warrupara (Rapid Bay) for burial in a perki (cave). Along his journey, he stopped and wept and his lukt (tears) formed the freshwater springs along the coast at Karildun (Hallett Cove), Timbarang (Fort Noarlunga), Potaranga (Red Ochre Cove), Ruvawung (Port Willunga), Witawall (Sellicks Beach), and Kongaratanga (near Wirrina Cove). So sad was Tjirruki he decided he no longer wished to live as man and his spirit became the Tjirruki (glossy ibis), and his body became the barule (iron pyrites) outcrop at Barukunguga, the place of hidden fire (Burkunga – north of Nairne in the Adelaide Hills). (Reference: www.mariton.sa.gov.au)

TJIRRUKI DREAMING



Fishing with nets in the sea at Rapid Bay (circa 1840s).

KAURUA NATION

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At the Fleurieu Coast Visitor Centre and District Council of Yanakilla, we're committed to creating a welcoming and inclusive experience for all visitors. We believe everyone should be able to explore and enjoy our region with comfort, confidence, and ease.

You'll find the accessibility symbol throughout this guide, highlighting experiences, attractions, and facilities that are accessible to people of all abilities.

For more detailed information on accessible tourism services, attractions, accommodation, and facilities across our region, visit the Accessibility and Inclusion section of our website at www.visitflourieucast.com.au.

ACCESSIBILITY AND INCLUSION

seas resort. By 1855 he had laid out the plans for the town that he planned to build a community that would become a fashionable

and in 1849 was the first grantee of land at the Bungala Flats where Rapid, Robert Norman came to South Australia on the *Flaglion* in 1844

On the original stone is now in the Mortlock Library with a replica located on the Rapid Bay foreshore, along with a replica of an anchor from the 1920s a large rock was found at Rapid Bay inscribed with 'W L 1836,

covered with fine grass, variety of shrubs, flowers and trees, in the enthalled with Rapid Bay, describing the area as a delightful place, for a harbour and find a site for the capital of the colony. Light was

Cygnat Light had been sent by the South Australie Company to search Bay) on 8 September 1836 aboard *The Rapid*, accompanied by *The*

Colonel William Light arrived at Yattagoltinga (now known as Rapid

EUROPEAN HISTORY



Kangaroos at Blowhole Beach. Photo: Nikki Firth.



Deep Creek National Park. Photo: Harry Vick.

New Year's Eve Pageant held on the evening of New Year's Eve through the streets of Normanville culminating in fireworks display and more...

Christmas gifts. market, cards, fun games, tasty treats, and unique

Village Green from 4pm–7pm. Enjoy the kids community Village Green from 4pm–7pm. Enjoy the kids community

22–24 November 2026 at Wirrina Cove Holiday Park. **Wirrina Bluegrass and Acoustic Roots Festival (F4)** the Showgrounds, Main South Road, Yanakilla.

NOVEMBER Yanakilla Classics Motor Show (G3) November 2026 at the Showgrounds, Main South Road, Yanakilla.

Yanakilla Agricultural Show (G3) Saturday long weekend at Yanakilla Showgrounds, Main South Road, Yanakilla.

OCTOBER Nature Festival SA Fleurieu Coast 2026

AUGUST Fleurieu Food Festival 2026

MAY Heritage Fleurieu Coast Festival 2026

APRIL Anzac Day Dawn Service Ceremonies 25 April 2026 Yanakilla (G3) War Memorial Reserve, Myponga (I2) Myponga Memorial Community Centre & Inman Valley (M4) Inman Valley Memorial Hall.

JANUARY Australia Day (G3) 26 January 2026 at the Normanville Village Green.

MONTLY Yanakilla Acoustic Music (G3) in the Agricultural Hall, Main South Road, Yanakilla, third Saturday of the month (March to November) from 7.00pm (08) 8558 2728 or 0439 861 001.

A detailed monthly events guide is available from the Fleurieu Coast Visitor Centre or at www.visitflourieucast.com

EVENTS

ATTRACTIONS Carrickalinga Beach is a popular swimming, snorkelling and fishing beach and was named SA's top beach by Lonely Planet in 2013.

Dark Sky Community Carrickalinga has just recently been accredited with being the first Dark Sky Community in Australia. Where else this close to a capital city can you get such an amazing night experience.

Fleurieu Stars Multicultural Night Sky Tours, Forktree Road.

Lookout The view from the Forktree Road Lookout is stunning.

Playground Located on Tuna Crescent.

Open Thur to Sun (extended hours mid-December to January).

Side Hustle Pizza 1 Broadbeach Drive, Carrickalinga (08) 7282 2025

Delamere 935 Forktree Road 0423 697 566

Delamere General Store (08) 8598 0200

Hunger Eze 21 Rapid Bay Road, Delamere 0468 463 428

Deep Creek National Park (08) 8598 0263/(08) 8550 3400

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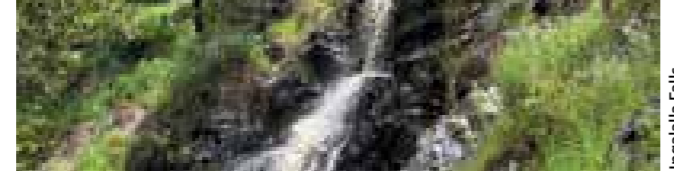
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Ingalalla Falls.



Second Valley. Photo: SAIC

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Intimate groups our tours combine exceptional gourmet experiences with the exploration of the regions landscapes. (08) 7721 1685 or

Deep Creek Experiences is a premium tour operator offering high-end, guided tours in the stunning Fleurieu Peninsula. With a focus on small

TOURS & TRANSPORT

SECOND VALLEY 5 Long weekends

YANKAILLA G3 Yanakilla Craft and Produce Market

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Rapid Bay. Photo: SAIC

Cape Jervis D6

Some of the State's best ocean and rural views can be found at Cape Jervis. This little town is the mainland port for the Sealink Kangaroo Island ferries and the beginning of the beautiful and challenging Heysen Trail. Be sure to stop at the lookout before the ferry terminal and enjoy the panorama. Nearby the lighthouse can be viewed. Deep Creek National Park and Talisker Conservation Park are close.

ATTRACTIONS

Cape Fishing Charters offer half-day (Mon–Fri) and full-day(5) fishing charters (7 days), sightseeing, bird watching, photographic tours, marine services, passenger transport and many other water experiences. Contact the team on 0409 691 846, and they'll deliver.

Fishery Beach is a popular fishing beach that was home to a whaling station in the 1840s/1850s and some ruins remain. In 1862 it became a shipping port for the export of ore from the nearby Talisker Mine. On clear days Kangaroo Island can be seen. This is also the point where the submarine cable leaves the mainland and feeds power along the seabed to the Dudley Peninsula on Kangaroo Island.

Fishing Charters are available departing from Cape Jervis and Wirrina Cove. Ask at the Visitor Centre for a list of operators.

Morgans Beach is a popular fishing and swimming cove with steep sand hills that are a favourite of children.

The port area is the base for the Sealink Kangaroo Island ferry. There is a boat ramp for launching boats and fishing is popular. You can also see the lighthouse here.

Starfish Hill Wind Farm is located across two hills on the tip of the Fleurieu Peninsula near Cape Jervis. It is the first wind farm built in South Australia. There are 23 wind turbines with 15 located on Salt Creek Hill and eight on Star Fish Hill. Each of the turbines has three blades with a tower height of 68 metres and overall height of 100 metres from the ground to the blade tip. It provides enough Energy to meet the needs of about 18,000 households.

FOOD AND DRINK

Cape Jervis Community Club Flinders Drive (08) 8598 0088 Evening meals every Thursday and first Saturday of the month – Bookings essential.

Cape Jervis General Store/Tavern Flinders Drive (08) 8598 0276

Open for café meals, takeaway, fuel, pub lunch and bottle shop.

CJ's by the Sea, Sealink Terminal Café Main South Road (08) 8202 8633

Kiosk providing pies, pasties, tea and coffee.

Flinders Drive – Lot 11 Flinders Drive (24 hrs)

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Carrickalinga G3

Carrickalinga has been a favourite holiday destination of many Australians for a long time and is now the first Dark Sky Community in Australia. Famous for its golden beaches, clearwater, amazing night sky and beautiful sunsets, Carrickalinga is also a great spot for crabbing, fishing and all sorts of holiday activities. Many private holiday homes are available for rent.



Carrickalinga Beach. Photo: Jesse Ehlers.

