

PEMBERTON

INFORMATION BOOKLET

Pemberton Day Trip

Don't have time to plan all the activities you want to do in a day? Here are some of our favourite attractions in Pemberton put into a helpful day trip guide. All activities can be done in a day round trip directly from Ampersand Estate!



KEY THAT LINKS WITH MAP

- 1. The first stop of our ideal day trip around Pemberton is to **Beedelup Falls.** To view the full beauty of Beedelup, we recommend dedicating an hour to wandering through the wonderful Karri Forrest that surrounds the cascading falls. Don't forget to bring your cameras to capture your memories!
- 2. The next stop is the magnificent drive to our third stop. Along the drive down **Old Vasse Road**, soak in the rich history of the ancient forest as your drive past the towering Karri tress and farms that have been operational for over a century. There are multiple fruit and vegetable stalls that we highly reckoned you stop and check in at—remember to bring coins and cash as most stalls surrounding Pemberton don't accept eftpos!
- 3. Heartbreak Trail is the most scenic drive in all of Pemberton. Featured as one of our Hidden Gems, this is one place in Pemberton that you do not want to miss out on seeing in your visit. The amount of time you can spend here varies from 1-3 hours. You can get off at the campsites along the Warren River and kayak, canoe or simply sit at one of the picnic sites for a morning snack!
- 4. The **Cascades** is another of Pemberton's infamous water sites and is the perfect place to go for a simple, easy walk in the gorgeous surrounds of forest or watch the magnificent sight of water flowing over the rocks.
- **5. Wild at Heart**, open seven days a week is the best place to have lunch in Pemberton! There are many amazing cafe's open throughout the week that we recommend you also visit which you can find in out Food section.
- 6. The **Gloucester Tree** is the most iconic tourist destination in Pemberton, built as a fire lookout in the 1940s, it provides an awe-inspiring view at top that reaches right down to the coast. We recommend visiting for around two hours if you are planning to make the climb!
- 7. If you aren't too tired from the **Karri Lookout**.
- 8. After your afternoon exercise, head down to **Big Brook Dam** for a swim in the beautiful dam or a relaxing picnic on the sandy shore. We recommend you bring your canoe or kayak to this destination and find time in your stay to make the hour walk around the damn!
- 9. On the way back to Ampersand after a long day out, stop in at the **Southern Forrest Chocolate Company**, open seven days a week from 10am-40m! The salted caramel chocolate truffles are absolutely divine and we recommend you dedicate time in your day to stop in and grab a well deserved treat!
- 10. After your fun day trip to Pemberton, crack open a bottle of your favourite **Ampersand Wine** or make yourself a refreshing cocktail with our rainfall gins and vodkas!

VIEW YOUR TRIP



Popular attractions

Big Brook Dam

Big Brook dam, built in 1986, is one of Pemberton's most well-known and loved attraction by locals and visitors with numerous activities for all ages to enjoy. Spend the day swimming at the sandy beach area, take advantage of BBQ and picnic facilities, enjoy a splendid walking trail that loops around the dam itself.

The Cascades

Enjoy a beautiful day exploring the series of waterfalls that flow from Lefroy Brook known as the Cascades. Along a 6 kilometre loop around all the mesmerising waterfalls and surrounding native trees that is home too many marsupials and wildflower that can being spotted along the circuit.

Pemberton Pool

Pemberton Pool has been an iconic destination for both locals and visitors for many years. The pool is situated by Pemberton Mountain bike park and is perfect for a BBQ on a nice sunny day out with family and friends.

The Gloucester Tree

The Gloucester Tree was one of eight fire look-out trees built in the south-west between 1937 and 1952, the enchanting 61 metre tree is now popular attraction that is just a few short minutes out of town. You can climb approximately 5 metres to the lookout structure where you can relish the spectacular views over the Karri forest and farm land.

Family Activities

Fine below all the best activities that you can do in the Pemberton region that suit the entire family!

LAVENDER BERRY FARM:

The Lavender Berry Farm is the best place to go for food as a family! Enjoy your amazing meal as the kids are entertained by the farm animals, magical gardens and playground. Make sure to the famous 'Pemby Pancake' covered in berry sauce and ice cream!

*Dog friendly cafe

ADDRESS: 174 Browns Road, Pemberton WA 6260

PEMBERTON TRAM:

The Pemberton Tram takes you on an adventure through the forest, following the old train lines that take you right through to the cascades. For an exiting adventure full of learning and fun, book a train ride for the whole family!

TIMES: Ticket office opens from 9am to 4pm and the tram departs from the station at 10:30am and 2:00pm Monday-Sunday.

WEBSITE: www.pemtram.com.au

TIMBER PARK MANJIMUP:

The Manjimup Timber and Heritage Park is a great place to take the kids, full of fun and learning, this is a stop that we highly recommend you add to your trip! Take a wander through the historic sites of Manjimup's timber industry and play on the large playground.

KARRI VALLEY RESORT:

Karri Valley Resort is only a ten minute drive from Ampersand Estate and is full of amazing activities for kids and families to enjoy! For just twenty dollars, your whole family can enjoy activities that vary from canoeing and mini golf to archery!

WEBSITE: www.parksandresorts.rac.com.au/karri-valley/resort-info/things-to-do/



Tours

PEMBERTON DISCOVERY TOURS

Discover Pemberton's hidden treasures on this exhilarating half-day 4WD adventure.

The Beach & Forest Eco Adventure is a journey allowing visitors access into the southwest corner of the Warren & D'Entrecasteaux National Park which is inaccessible to conventional vehicles and hire cars. You will travel through the Landlocked Yeagarup Dunes, old growth Karri Forest through to the mouth of the Warren River where it meets the Southern Ocean.

Tours operate daily and can be booked online www.pembertondiscoverytours.com.au

PHONE: +61 (0)427 133 335

EMAIL: infopembertondiscoverytours.com.au

TRAVEL WITH ME: FOOD TOURS

Travel on a guided tour to the best food destinations in the Southwest with Travel With Me. This is the perfect tour for all foodies to take when visiting the region.

WEBSITE: www.travelwithme.com.au/category/southern-forests-2022/

PEMBERTON HIKING AND CANOEING

Many of the most amazing hidden gems in the Pemberton region are on the banks of rivers or deep in the forest of our national parks. Pemberton Hiking and Canoeing offer a unique tour service that provides a guided journey through the amazing destinations, transforming them from a sight into an adventure!

WEBSITE: www.hikingandcanoeing.com.au

DONNELLY RIVER CRUISE

Sit back and enjoy the beautiful views along the Donnelly river whilst learning about the ecology and geology of the area, the fauna and flora and some of the history of the area. Donnelly River cruise takes you from the lush Jarrah and Karri forests, through the Paperbark and wetlands, to the limestone cliffs and majestic Southern Ocean.

WEBSITE: www.donnellyrivercruises.com.au

PHONE: +61 (0)427 771 018



National Parks

GLOUCESTER NATIONAL PARK

Home to Western Australia's most famous Karri tree, Gloucester National Park starts only 3km from the town of Pemberton. Enjoy activities such as bush walking, mountain biking and climbing the popular 'Gloucester Tree' that offers a spectacular view from the top of the lookout.

THE GREATER BEEDELUP NATIONAL PARK

The Greater Beedelup National Park is 22km west of Pemberton, just situated on Vasse Highway, that undergoes a sensational scenic drive through Karri forests. One of Pemberton's biggest attractions is the mesmerising Beedelup Falls which are the best viewed in winter and in spring when they are full flowing with fresh rain water. There are also a number of different unique and exciting walking, cycling and four-wheel drive tracks to endure.

WARREN NATIONAL PARK

Just 15km south-west of Pemberton is the majestic Warren National Park, that is known for showcasing the best of the regions old-growth Karri Forest. The park offers opportunities such as bushwalking, fishing, four-wheel driving and canoeing.



Places to eat

CHEFINGOS

PHONE: 9776 0011

ADDRESS: 13626 Vasse Hwy, Pemberton WA 6260 Vasse

Hwy, Pemberton WA 6260

OPENING HOURS: Bookings only

HIDDEN RIVER ESTATE

PHONE: (08) 9776 1437

MENU: www.hiddenriver.com.au

ADRESS: 156 Mullineaux Road Pemberton, Eastbrook WA

6260

OPENING HOURS: Tuesday to Sunday 11am-4pm

IASPERS

PHONE: 0403 610 626

MENU: jasperspemberton.com

ADRESS: 23 Brockman St, Pemberton WA 6260 **OPENING HOURS:** Bookings recommended

Tuesday to Friday 5pm-9:30pm Saturday 12pm to 3 and 5pm to 9:30 Closed on Monday and Sunday

LAVENDER AND BERRY FARM

PHONE: (08) 9776 0395

ADDRESS: 174 Browns Rd, Pemberton WA 6260

OPENING HOURS: Wednesday to Sunday 9:30am to 4pm

LAKESIDE RESTAURANT

PHONE: 9776 2020

ADDRESS: RAC Karri Valley Resort, 11342 Vasse Highway

Yeagarup, Beedelup WA 6260

OPENING HOURS:

7am-9:30am Breakfast

12pm-2pm Lunch

5:30pm-8:30pm Dinner

PEMBERTON HOTEL

PHONE: (08) 9776 1017

ADDRESS: 66 Brockman St, Pemberton WA 6260

OPENING HOURS FOR THE KITCHEN:

7am-10am breakfast 12pm-2pm lunch 6pm-8pm Dinner

WILD AT HEART CAFE

MENU: www.wildatheartpemberton.com

PHONE: 0458 760 015

ADDRESS: 52 Brockman St, Pemberton WA 6260 **OPENING HOURS:** 8am to 4pm Monday to Sunday

Food Experience

The Southwest of Western Australia is famous for the wide range of farm fresh produce that supplies the nation with the best quality food. Here are our favourite food experiences in the region!

GUADAGNINO & CO:

For one of the best farm experiences in the area, take a visit to the Guadagnino Family farm! The farm offers a wide variety of fresh produce to buy in their store front. With a friendly, welcoming service, this is the best place in the southwest to buy your fresh produce.

PEMBERTON TROUT FARM:

This destination is open to the public for fishing of Rainbow Trout. Head down to the beautiful dam located amongst the Karri trees and catch your own trout to enjoy! Pemberton Rainbow Trout pairs beautifully with Ampersand Riesling & Sauvignon Blanc for an evening meal.

PRICE: Private bookings are available but are essential for their Private Fly Fishing Experience. Current pricing and opening hours can be found on the website linked below.

WEBSITE: www.oldvassetroutandmarronfarm.com.au

SOUTHERN FOREST CHOCOLATE COMPANY:

The Southern Forrest Chocolate company is located just outside of Pemberton, only a short drive from Ampersand Estate and has a wide range of delicious artisan chocolates available to suit all. Head in to see how the chocolate is crafted and take home a treat to enjoy on your holiday!

OPEN: 7 days a week from 10-4

ADDRESS: 12511 Vasse Hwy Channybearup WA 6260

PEMBERLEY OF PEMBERTON:

The Pemberley Wine Experience is a 75 minute wine tasting session that takes you through the wonderful selection of Pemberley wines. This individualised tasting is accompanied by local seasonal offerings and guided tour of the vineyard.

PRICE: The session is by booking only and is \$20/person.

WEBSITE: www.pemberleyofpemberton.com/wine-experience

