# Port Campbell and Surrounds Suggested Holiday Itinerary

## **Explore Port Campbell**

- Visit Port Campbell Visitor Information Centre for maps, pamphlets and friendly advice. Ask about the Craters to Coast Discovery activities. Free family fun. 9am to 5pm daily. 1300 137 255. Meander through the Port Campbell village; visit local shops & cafes.
- Port Campbell Shopping +61 3 5598 6379 Opens 8am daily.
- Forage on the Foreshore All day breakfast & Local produce
- Spence Australia Handmade Crafts and Unique Souvenirs
- The Alcove Café +61 3 5598 6003 Opens 6am daily.
- Follow the Discovery Walk to Two Mile Bay. Accessible from Scenic Lookout and beach 3.6km return walk.
- Watch the sunset over the bay while enjoying a "Prickly Moses" local beer on tap at 12 Rocks Cafe Beach Bar **+613 5598 6123**. Stay for dinner.
- Visit the Historical Museum at Port Campbell. Open most days 11am-3pm.
- Walk out onto the Port Campbell pier and have a fish (amateur fishing licence required).
- Enjoy a BBQ at the Playground at Port Campbell, play a game of tennis or enjoy the skate park.
- Enjoy unusual pizza concoctions and chocolate pizza at Nicos Pizza & Pasta +613 5598 6131.
- Try local crayfish (in season) at Waves Restaurant +613 5598 6111.
- Take a local tour with **Port Campbell Touring Company** +613 5598 6424.
- Hire a bike from Port Campbell Hostel +613 5598 6305 and cycle along the coast.
- Summer Seaside Markets (Sundays during January). Stalls bursting with fresh local produce, gifts, crafts, clothing and plenty of refreshments. 10
- Port Campbell Boat Charters + 61 428 986 366 www.portcampbellboatcharters.com.au

#### 12 Apostles Gourmet Trail

Take a leisurely drive and visit these gourmet businesses as part of a 70km loop that includes the coastal attractions east and west of Port Campbell.

- Sample & indulge Belgian Chocolate from G.O.R.G.E. Chocolates open 7 days 10am-5pm +61 488 557 252.
- Taste award winning cheese at Apostle Whey Cheese open 7 days 10am-5pm +613 5598 7367 Stay until 4pm and watch the dairy cows being milked.
- Try a local wine at Newtons Ridge Estate Vineyard & Winery Cellar Door open Oct Easter 10am 5pm or by appointment. +613 5598 7394.
- Pick Victoria's tastiest strawberries at Berryworld, Timboon 10am-4pm Tues -Sun November-March +613 5598 3240.
- Enjoy gourmet lunch, award winning whisky & <u>Timboon Fine Ice-cream</u> at <u>Timboon Railway Shed Distillery</u> +613 5598 3555 10am-4.30pm. Dinner Fri evenings & breakfast Sat, Sun & Public Hols 9-11am.
- Timboon Cheesery (23 Ford and Fells Rd TIMBOON) +61 3 5598 3322 Open 7 days 11am-4pm

## Explore North of Port Campbell to Timboon/Hinterland and Beyond

- Ride or walk the Camperdown to Timboon Rail Trail. Try the 10km round trip from the Timboon Rail Shed to the stunning historical Trestle Bridge Craters To Coast Bicycle Hire +61 438 407 777.
- Power Creek Reserve offers multiple signed loop trails to walk, run or mountain bike through in lush Old Growth Forest. Look out for Koalas & Kangaroos, just a stones throw from centre of Timboon.
- Grab your decks and helmets to glide and grind at the Timboon Skate Park or for younger ones enjoy the Adventure Playground right next door. BBQ facilities are also available. Timboon Quality Butchers 12 Main St TIMBOON + 61 3 5598 3485
- Enjoy a coffee, lunch or feast on local produce at a number of eateries in Timboon. Margaret's Home Baking try one of Marg's delicious home made pies or cakes Shop 2, 15 Main St Timboon + 61 428 559 832. Railway View Hotel 2 Curdievale Rd TIMBOON + 61 3 5598 3873 2
- Visit <u>Timboon Toy Box</u> to browse and purchase some great toy and game options for the memorable holiday mementos. Timboon +613 5598 3798.

Milk & Honey homewares & gifts 39 Main St TIMBOON + 61 427 454 355

Timboon Pharmacy 15 Main St TIMBOON +61 5598 3038

- Play a round of golf at Timboon, Cobden or Camperdown.
- Throw a line in at Curdies River, Curdievale and fish for Bream (amateur fishing licence required).
- Visit Camperdown Court House Information and Arts +613 5593 3144 in the heritage listed Camperdown Courthouse for local crafts, maps and information on the Volcanic Lakes and Craters district including Mt Leura Reserve. Loaf and Lounge 223 Manifold Street Camperdown +61 3 5593 1521
- Try trout and salmon fishing at Lake Bullen Merri and Lake Purrumbete Camperdown. Fishing supplies available from Lakes and Craters Holiday Park +61 355 931 253. Lake Edge Café 658 Lake Purrumbete Estate Rd Wed - Sun 10am - 4pm
- Elephant Bridge Hotel 2810 Hamilton Hwy +61 3 5597 9231

## Explore East of Port Campbell to Princetown and beyond

- Explore Loch Ard Gorge 3.5km of walking tracks and view mutton birds returning at dusk (Seasonal November to March).
- Visit The 12 Apostles at Sunrise. Best photo opportunity 1 ½ hours after sunrise. Sunset at 12 Apostles and see Little Penguins just on dark.
  - Binoculars available at Port Campbell Visitor Centre 1300 137 255.
- Walk down Gibson Steps and along the beach. Photograph some of the 12 Apostles from the beach.
- Explore the fabulous coastline with a helicopter flight at 12 Apostles Helicopters +613 5598 8283.
- Drive up to Simpson and explore the Heytesbury Settlement Historical Park. Pat and Feed the animals at Great Ocean Road Wildlife Park +613 5237 5262.
- Walk the last spectacular section of Great Ocean Walk. Transfers with Timboon Taxis +61 438 407 777. Take a walk on the wild side enjoy the Great Ocean Walk with 12amorningxpress www.visit12apostles.com.au operates mid-week during school term thanks to Popes Timboon For more information on the Great Ocean Walk visit Parks Victoria
- Explore the **Serpentine Wetland Boardwalk** at Princetown.
- Fish the Gellibrand River Estuary or walk along the beach at Princetown (amateur fishing licence required). View the Kangaroos at dusk behind the Princetown Recreation Reserve.
- Princetown Tavern 31 Old Post Office Rd PRINCETOWN +61 3 5598 8068
- Visit Wreck Beach and experience evidence of shipwrecks. Tide dependant.
- Stay for the Glow Worms on the rainforest walk at Melba Gully State Park, Parks Victoria 131 963.

## Explore West of Port Campbell to Peterborough and beyond

- 5 Visit the following natural wonders: **The Arch, London Bridge** and **The Grotto** in the *Port Campbell National Park;* Sunset at London Bridge see Little Penguins just on dark. Binoculars available at Port Campbell Visitor Centre 1300 137 255 1
- Enjoy a BBQ at the playground at Peterborough. Peterborough Licenced Grocer 16 Macs St Peterborough +61 3 5598 5225

Play a round of golf at Peterborough.

- Peterborough Antiques 20 Macs St Peterborough + 61 429022572
- Peterborough General Store 15 Macs St Peterborough +61 3 5598 5305
- Spend the morning fishing at Peterborough Estuary or beach (amateur fishing licence required).
- Explore the rock pools at Rubbish Tip Bay (Wild Dog Cove) Tide dependant.
- Visit the Bay of Martyrs in the Bay Of Islands Coastal Park. Walk east to Peterborough along the Peterborough Walking Track (approx 3km one way).
- Visit Bay of Islands further along in the Bay Of Islands Coastal Park. Stunning rock stacks nestled in a lovely bay.



