The Goulburn River is one of four Heritage Rivers in Victoria. The Broken River flows into the Goulburn in the heart of Shepparton. Their floodplains and swamps between Shepparton and Mooroopna have great cultural significance and are integral to maintaining the rivers’ health and supporting our community.

**KEY:**

- PICNIC AREA
- BBQ AREA
- FISHING
- PLAYGROUND
- BOAT RAMP
- TOILETS
- WHEELCHAIR ACCESS
- WHEELCHAIR ASSIST

Note: Please be aware most areas highlighted in this publication are natural environments and have limited infrastructure available. Please refer to the legend in this publication for more information on featured sites and their accessibility.

Further information is available at www.riverconnect.com.au or the Greater Shepparton Visitor Information Centre.

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### 1 Gemmills Swamp Nature Conservation Reserve

Gemmills Swamp is a high value wetland situated on the floodplain of the Goulburn River. It is home to many native bird species that can be viewed from two bird hides located at the site. The Bioremediation Wetland, off McFarlane Rd, treats stormwater runoff from Mooroopna before it enters Gemmills Swamp.

### 2 J. A. Douglass Park

Situated on Echuca Rd in Mooroopna, J. A. Douglass Park borders Gemmills Swamp and is a gateway to various walks and bird hides.

### 3 Kailtheban Park

Accessible via Archer Street in Mooroopna, Kailtheban Park is believed to have been a favoured camping and fishing site for the Kailtheban tribe, part of the Yorta Yorta Family Group.

### 4 Chinaman Garden Reserve

Ah Wong, a Chinese immigrant, set up a market garden, selling vegetable produce to Mooroopna and surrounding residents. Chinaman Garden Reserve, is the site of this former vegetable garden and provides views of the Goulburn River. Accessible off McLennan St, Mooroopna.

### 5 The Flats

The Flats is a significant Aboriginal area, home to many Aboriginal families after the Cummeragunja Walk Off in 1939. Interpretative signage is located on the signed walk, which can be accessed by foot from the shared path running alongside the Midland Highway. Ample car parking is located on McLennan Street, Mooroopna.

### 6 KidsTown

A children’s adventure playground in a bush setting designed to entertain, stimulate and inform children. A kiosk is open daily. Mon – Fri: 10am to 2pm. Sat – Sun: 10am to 4pm.

### 7 Daintons Bridge

Named after the first engineer to build a bridge over the Goulburn River, James Henry Dainton, this site features a boat ramp, located on the southern side of the bridge. A fishing jetty is also accessible at this site when river levels are low. Good trailer parking is available on site.

### 8 Stuarts Reserve

A sealed loop track to the north or south of the playground along The Boulevard, giving you great access and views to the Goulburn River.

### 9 Jordans Bend

A good section of remnant vegetation in the heart of Shepparton which is home to the endangered Squirrel Glider. RiverConnect conducts spotlight walks in this area.

### 10 Shepparton Weir/ Fishway

The weir was built to provide a reliable river height for urban water extraction. The newly constructed Fishway enables fish to move up and downstream, essentially using the Fishway as a ladder.

### 11 Reedy Swamp

Reedy Swamp is the southern point of the Lower Goulburn National Park and provides valuable habitat and breeding sites for a large number of waterbirds.

### 12 Victoria Park Lake Precinct

This attractive environmentally sustainable public open space is used for a wide range of recreational activities and is close to Aquamoves, Cafes and a Skate Park.

### 13 The Confluence

Only accessible along the shared path network (walk or cycle), the confluence is the point where the Broken River flows into the Goulburn River.

### 14 Australian Botanic Gardens Shepparton

The former Kialla tip site has been transformed to showcase local indigenous species of the Shepparton and Mooroopna Region. Follow compacted pathways to the top of the huge mound and enjoy the spectacular views across the surrounding bushland along the Goulburn and Broken Rivers to the Strathbogie Ranges. Entry is off Riverview Drive.

### 15 Raftery Bend

A beautiful stretch of bushland, with access to the Goulburn at a number of bends. Access via the northern end of Raftery Road.
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