

ABORIGINAL RESOURCES

Aboriginal Tourism Regional

Brambuk Aboriginal Cultural Centre	Located at Halls Gap in the Grampians/ Gariwerd National Park. The centre is a unique attraction where you can learn about the culture of the Indigenous communities of south-west Victoria. Experience Koorie culture through activities, displays, exhibitions, rock art site tours, and school educational and holiday programs. The gift shop offers a unique selection of authentic local and interstate indigenous arts and crafts. The bush tucker Café is licensed and serves delicious bush tucker meals and snacks.	Address Dunkeld Rd., Halls Gap Website www.brambuk.com.au Tel. +61 3 5356 4452 Hours Mon-Sun, 10.00a.m. 5.00p.m.
Budj Bim, Lake Condah	Budj Bim Tours offer guests to Gunditjmara country (south western Victoria) a unique interpretation of the Budj Bim National Heritage landscape. Walk with the Gunditjmara people and see the aquaculture systems (40,000 years) and stone house foundations (8,000 years) that are part of the Gunditjmara story. Budj Bim is the Gunditjmara name for Mt. Eccles, meaning "High Head"	Address 21 Scott St Heywood Vic 3304 Website budjbimtours@windamara.com Tel. 03 5527 1699 Hours Daily
Burrinja	Burrinja has a large collection of significant Aboriginal and Oceanic Art works displayed in a unique gallery setting. Located 40 minutes east of Melbourne in the beautiful Dandenong Ranges. Burrinja provides a distinctive view of contemporary and traditional Aboriginal art. Burrinja presents regular specialist exhibitions and showcases bush foods on the café menu in Uncle Neil's Place.	Address 351 Glenfern Road Upwey Website www.burrinja.org.au/ Tel. (03) 9754 1177 Hours Tues-Sun. 10.30-5.00
Johnny Mullagh Cricket Centre	The Centre tells the story of Johnny Mullagh and the group of talented Aboriginal cricketers who toured England in 1868 and became Australia's first international cricketing stars, and the fascinating history of Harrow.	Address 19 Blair Street Harrow VIC 3317 Website www.johnnymullaghcricketcentre.com.au/ Tel. 03) 5588 1387 Trading Hours
Kirrit Barreet Aboriginal Art and Cultural Centre	Kirrit Barreet is an art and cultural centre that exhibits highest quality local and regional Aboriginal arts and crafts. It is also an education centre providing cultural talks and tours, didgeridoo playing and artist workshops. An extensive range of gifts and books available.	Address 403-407 Main Road, Ballarat Website http://badac.ballarat.net.au Tel. 03 5332 2755 Hours Daily 10.00 - 5.30
Krowathunkoolong Keeping Place	The Krowathunkoolong Keeping Place has an excellent display of artifacts and history of the Gunnai/Kurnai provides interpretation of the art, history and culture of the area.	Address 37-53 Dalmahoy Street Bairnsdale 3875 Website Kooriekare@net-tech.com.au Tel. 3 5152 1891

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Mia Mia Gallery

The Mia Mia Art Gallery and Café is situated in a beautiful parkland setting approximately 30 minutes drive from Melbourne CBD. It offers an impressive collection of Aboriginal art for sale. The gallery's artist in residence program regularly features

Address Westerfolds Park, Fitzsimons Lane
Melbourne 3106 VIC
Website <http://www.miamiagallery.com>
Tel. 3 9846 4636
Hours Wed- Sun 10 am-4pm

Narana Creations

Narana Creations is a non-profit organisation run by the Indigenous community. All hand painted and handcrafted items are authentically made and supplied with a certificate of authenticity.

Address 410 Torquay Road Geelong VIC 3216
Website www.narana.com.au/
Tel. (03) 5241 5700
Hours Mon – Fri: 9am – 5pm
Sat: 10am – 4pm
Sun: Closed
Closed on Christmas Day and Good Friday.

Worn Gundidj-Tower Hill

Tower Hill is situated inside a crater of a large volcano site where ash layers reveal that Aboriginal people lived in the area at the time of an eruption 30,000 years ago. Today Tower Hill is a thriving reserve and natural history centre, where visitors can experience the bush, enjoy magnificent scenery, see Australian birds and animals in their natural habitat and learn about local Indigenous culture. Since 1993 Worn Gundidj has been at the forefront of designing and manufacturing high-quality fabric products that originated from Aboriginal artwork unique to the Southwest coast of Victoria Australia

Address 1-3 Rooneys Road
Warrnambool Vic
Website <http://www.worn Gundidj.org.au>
Tel. (03) 55615315
Hours

Harry Nanya Tours

An Aboriginal owned and operated accredited tour company specializing in daily tours of the World heritage listed Mungo National Park. Mungo National Park spiritual and cultural significant sites include evidence of the oldest human occupation dating back to Aboriginal life 60,000 years ago to the present day.

Address 190 Deakin Avenue Mildura VIC
Website www.harrynanyatours.com.au/
Tel. (03) 5027 2076
Hours Daily weather permitting

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Bunjilaka
(Melbourne
Museum)

The premier Aboriginal Cultural Centre for the State., just completed its 6.5 million dollar renewal. Bunjilaka is a living cultural centre, artist space and exhibitions gallery celebrating the culture and survival of Victoria's Koorie people and illuminating the relationship between Indigenous people and the land.

At Bunjilaka, you can immerse yourself in a culture 60,000 year old, and be captivated by the extraordinary stories, art and ancient history of Aboriginal people. Come and listen to Indigenous people tell their own stories of Life of Law, of Land. Specialised tours of Bunjilaka, including hand feeding of eels in the Milarri Garden are available daily.

Other public activities include traditional and contemporary song and dance performances, face painting, topical talks by museum staff, craft demonstrations and international award winning films. (Check our website for details) Bunjilaka is a place where everyone can come and learn more about Australia's Indigenous culture.

Address 11 Nicholson Street Carlton VIC 3053
Website www.museumvictoria.com.au/bunjilaka/
Tel. 1311 02
Hours **Open daily 10am - 5pm.** Closed Good Friday and Christmas Day.

Brimbank
Park

In Keilor contains many Aboriginal sites and artifacts. Archaeological studies at Keilor have found that the Brimbank Park area is among the oldest known human-inhabited sites in Australia, with Aboriginal occupation extending back over 40,000 years. Its traditional owners are the Wurundjeri people.

Address off Keilor Park Drv, Keilor East Mel Ref 14 H9
Website <http://parkweb.vic.gov.au/learning-and-discovery/teachers>
Tel. 13 19 63
Hours Daily

Koorie
Heritage
Trust

An interactive sound and visual permanent exhibition traces the history of the oldest living culture in the world through to modern day issues. Four galleries showcase the best of emerging and established Koorie artists with exhibitions. Visitors can purchase authentic Koorie art and gifts from the retail outlet.

Address 295 King St. Melbourne 3000
Website www.koorieheritagetrust.com
Tel. 03 86222600
Hours Daily except Christmas and Boxing Day

Royal
Botanic
Gardens

Aboriginal Heritage Walk Spirit ~ Connection ~ Land

Journey into the ancestral lands of the Kulin nation and explore their rich and thriving culture on this award-winning walk in the Royal Botanic Gardens Melbourne.

Experience a traditional smoking ceremony with our Indigenous Guides and discover traditional uses of plants for food, tools and medicine.

Address Birdwood Avenue South Yarra VIC 3141
Website <http://www.rbq.vic.gov.au/rbg-melbourne>
Tel. 3 9252 2300/ 03) 9252 2429
Hours 7.30am to sunset every day of the year

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General websites

Victorian Aboriginal Community Controlled Health Organisation

www.vaccho.org.au/

National Aboriginal Community Controlled Health Organisation

www.naccho.org.au/

Victorian Aboriginal Child Care Agency Co-operative Limited

www.pathwaysvictoria.info/biogs/E000016b.htm

Victorian Aboriginal Corporation for Languages

www.vaclang.org.au/

Victorian Aboriginal Education Association Inc

www.vaeai.org.au/

Victorian Aboriginal Legal Service Co-operative Limited

www.vals.org.au/

Public Records Office Of Victoria.

www.prov.vic.gov.au/

Australian Human Rights Commission

www.hreoc.gov.au/

National Archives of Australia

www.naa.gov.au/

Victorian Koorie Health

www.health.vic.gov.au/aboriginalhealth/

AIATSIS

www.aiatsis.gov.au/

Bunjilaka, Museum Victoria's Aboriginal Cultural Centre

www.museumvictoria.com.au/bunjilaka/

Aboriginal Catholic Education

www.yarrahealing.catholic.edu.au/

Message Stick

www.abc.net.au/tv/messagestick/

Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Learning and Engagement Centre
Libraries

www.learningplace.com.au/ea/issu-csq/

Reconciliation Victoria

www.reconciliationvic.org.au/

Australians for Native Title and Reconciliation - Victoria

www.antarvictoria.org.au/

Black Pages is Australia's first and only free national on-line Indigenous
Business and Community Enterprise Director
Gary Foley

www.blackpages.com.au/

www.kooriweb.org/foley/essays/essay_9.html

Aboriginal Affairs Victoria

www.dpcd.vic.gov.au/indigenous

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Aboriginal Housing Board of Victoria	www.ahvic.org.au/
Aboriginal Family Violence Prevention and Legal services Victoria	www.fvpls.org/
Office of Indigenous Policy Coordination	www.atns.net.au/agreement.asp?EntityID=2552
Creative Spirits Aboriginal Cultural History site	www.creativespirits.info/
Racism No Way	www.racismnoway.com.au/about-racism/population/index.html
Oxfam - Close the Gap	www.oxfam.org.au/explore/indigenous-australia/close-the-gap
State Library of Victoria	http://www.slv.vic.gov.au/

Written Texts

Author	Title	Publisher
Iain Luck, Pauline Byrt	Meet The Eastern Kulin - The Aboriginal People of Central Victoria Book & CD Rom (Yrs 6-10)	Hawker Brownlow Education www.hbe.com.au/flyer-library/...gunditjmara-country.../download
Zolla, N. and Gott Beth	Koorie Plants Koorie People	Koorie Heritage Trust 1992
Chris Keeler and Vicki Couzens	Meerreeng-An The Story of Aboriginal Victoria Told Through Art	Koorie Heritage Trust 2010
Shirley W. Wiencke	When the Wattles Bloom's Again- The life and times of William Barak, last chief of the Yarra Yarra tribe	Woori Yallock, 1984
Schuster, S and Tweedie, Penny	Indigenous Australia Standing Strong	Simon & Schuster Australia, 2001
Yunupingu, Mandawuy. O'Donoghue, Lowitja. McConchie, Peter	Elders: Wisdom from Australia's Indigenous Leaders	Cambridge Press 2003
ACES	Aboriginal Elders' Voices: Stories of the 'Tide Of History'	Aboriginal Community Elders Services http://acesinc.org.au/eldersbook.html
Barlow, A, and Hill, M Bird, Carmel Editor	Aboriginal People, Then and Now The Stolen Children: their stories : including extracts from the Report of the National Inquiry into the separation of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Children from their families	Heinemann, 2006 Random House Australia, 1998.

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Written Texts Author	Title	Publisher
Broom, Richard Briskman, Linda	Aboriginal Victorians The Black Grape vine Aboriginal Activism and Stolen Generations	Allen and Unwin 2005 The Federation Press, 2003
Clarke, Banjo Critchett, Jan	Wisdom Man Untold Stories – Memories and Lives if the Victorian Koories	Penguin 2005 Melbourne University Press 1988 *
CSIRO Eidelson, M	Indigenous Science The Melbourne Dreaming: A guide to the Aboriginal places of Melbourne	Scientrific magazine Nov.- Dec. 2006 Aboriginal Studies Press, Canberra, 1997
Isabella Elender Elder, Bruce	<i>The People of the Merri Merri.</i> Blood on the Wattle : massacres and maltreatment of Australian Aborigines since 1788. 3rd Ed.	Merri Creek Management Committee Inc. 2001 New Holland 2003
Gunditjmara people with Gib Wettenhall. Em press	Budj Bim Engineers of aquaculture, Builders of stone house settlements and warriors defending country. Gunditjmara people	EM Press
Hall, Robert.A Hardy, Frank Howitt, A.W	Fighters from the Fringe The Unlucky Australians The Native Tribes of South Eastern Australia Koorie Mail	Canberra : Aboriginal Studies Press, 1995 One Day Hill, 2006 Canberra : Aboriginal Studies Press, 1996. National Newspaper
Morgan,Luke Morgan, Sally Pascoe, Bruce Perkins, Charles Presland, Gary Reynolds, Henry Reynolds, Henry Reynolds, Henry Reynolds, Henry Read, T	Down at the Easter Camp My Place Convincing Ground A Bastard Like Me Aboriginal Melbourne: the lost land of the Kulin people The Law of the Land The Other Side of the Frontier This Whispering in our Hearts Why Weren't we Told Gunditjmara Country	City of Melbourne, Living Arts Freemantle Press 1988 Aboriginal Studies Press; 2007 Ure Smith 1975 Harriland Press 2001 Penguin, 1992 UNSW Press, 2006. Allen & Unwin 1988 Allen & Unwin, 1998 Hawker Brownlow Education 2007