# Perth Discoverer

Discover Perth on a journey through the city, Kings Park, and around the Swan River. Including destinations such as Elizabeth Quay, Yagan Square, UWA and Optus Stadium, this 27km circuit provides a bit of everything our city has to offer.

### Travel Tips

- All bike paths on this route are 'shared paths'. Please give way to pedestrians at all times.
- Ride single file on bike paths. Ring your bell if approaching pedestrians from behind.
- Be alert, be predictable, and be courteous at all times.
- · Bring water bottles. You can fill them up along the trail.
- Most importantly enjoy the amazing sites of Perth.

### General Information

This cycle trail covers Perth and surrounding highlights.

#### Distance

27km circuit

### Duration

Approximately two hours of riding time, plus stops.

### Difficulty

Distance and some hills make this cycle trail an extra challenge.

### Bike Hire

Visit www.westcycle.org.au and search 'Bike Hire' to find your closest Bike Hire location.

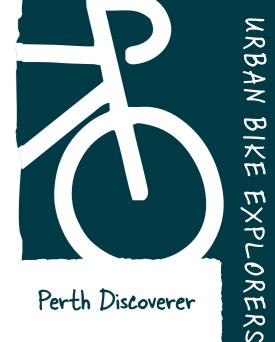
### Parking

Point Fraser, McCallum Park, Burswood Park, Kings Park, City of Perth, City of South Perth.

#### Transport

Free public transport is available within the area shaded on the map. This connects the CBD to destinations where bikes can be hired including Kings Park and Point Fraser.





# Trail Notes

This trail is all cycle path with small sections of on-road bike lanes, and roads in Kings Park. Start your journey at Elizabeth Quay, or anywhere along the trail.

#### 1. Elizabeth Quay/Barrack Square

- From the Bell Tower at Elizabeth Quay/Barrack Square (1) head towards the city along Barrack Street.
- At the intersection with Wellington Street continue through the lights and cross the railway before turning left onto the bike path at Roe Street.
- Follow the bike path along Roe Street past the Perth Train Station and Horseshoe Bridge and turn left into Yagan Square (2).

#### 2. Yagan Square

- Pass through Yagan Square before turning right onto the bike path running adjacent to Wellington Street.
- Continue along the bike path past Kings Square and the Perth Arena. After crossing under the freeway and the lights on George Street turn left and use the bike path, which heads up the hill to the intersection with Hay Street.
- Cross the lights at Hay Street and veer right to cross the lights on the freeway exit. After crossing the freeway exit head up the bike path adjacent to Hay Street and follow this to the left as it takes you past Parliament House (3).

#### **3. Parliament House**

· Follow the path past Parliament House to the end of Harvest Terrace to the intersection with Malcolm Street. Turn right at Malcolm Street and head up the hill for approximately 200m to the entry into Kings Park (4). Note: This intersection can be quite busy and care should be taken crossing Malcolm Street.

#### 4. Kings Park

- Continue along Fraser Avenue and turn right at the roundabout to access May Drive or exit the roundabout and continue straight into Lovekin Drive/Forest Drive (left turn shortly after entering Lovekin Drive). Whichever route you take all three eventually end up at the intersection with Poole Avenue.
- Travel along Poole Avenue for approximately 400m before exiting left onto the bike path, which leads to the University of Western Australia (5).

#### 5. University of Western Australia

- Either continue through the underpass into the campus or halfway through turn left and take the bike path past the University tennis courts and then follow this around the Swan River for approximately 3kms as it takes you back to the Narrows Bridge.
- Note: If you are looking for a spot to stop with views back to the city and places to eat along the river turn right after crossing the lights on University Drive and take the bike path a short distance to Matilda Bay.
- Just after heading under the Freeway/Narrows Bridge turn left and cross Riverside Drive.
- Take the bike path, and head towards David Carr Memorial Park. Prior to getting to the park turn left onto the bike path and head up the small hill onto the bridge.
- After crossing over the Narrows Bridge follow the bike path, crossing Mill Point Road and heading onto the South Perth Foreshore (6).

#### 6. South Perth Foreshore

- Follow the bike path for approximately Ikm to the Mends Street Jetty Precinct. Food and drink is available at both the Mends Street Jetty and Coode Street precincts (approximately 1.5km further along the bike path).
- After passing Coode Street the bike path continues for approximately 2km passing through McCallum Park before coming to the Causeway Bridge.
- At the Causeway you can either cross the bridge and then turn left and follow the path past Point Fraser (8) and back along the Swan River for approximately 2km to return to Elizabeth Quay/Barrack Square (1), or continue your journey to the Optus Stadium (7).

#### 7. Optus Stadium

- Passing under the Causeway Bridge, Optus Stadium is approximately 1.5km along the bike path that continues along the Swan River through Burswood Park and the Crown Precinct.
- Take the opportunity to look around the Stadium Precinct before heading across the Matagarup Bridge and turning left onto the bike path, which runs along the Swan River behind Trinity College.
- Turn left at the junction of the bike path and follow this under the Causeway and into Point Fraser (8).

#### 8. Point Fraser

 Continue along the bike path around the Swan River to return to Elizabeth Quay (1).

### Parliament House

Opened in 1904, Parliament House is the home of the Western Australian Government. Public tours are available at selected times.

## Kings Park

Kings Park is one of the world's largest and most beautiful inner city parks. It is rich in Aboriginal and European history, and visitors can enjoy bushland, sweeping views of the Swan and Canning Rivers, the city skyline and the Darling Ranges to the east.



## Elizabeth Quay

Elizabeth Quay is a key tourism precinct. Containing cafes, hotels and restaurants its tourist highlights include the Perth Bell Tower with its Swan Bells, the Elizabeth Quay Bridge, public art walk and BHP Water Park.

### Yagan Square

Yagan Square is a community, meeting and celebration place and tourist destination. Named after the prominent Noongar leader, Yagan, this is a showcase of WA in the heart of the CBD that recognises and celebrates the state's heritage, produce, environment and culture.



# Optus Stadium

The Stadium is a spectacular addition to the city. The surrounding precinct contains a number of attractions including two state of the art playgrounds, the Camfield pub and the Matagarup Bridge.

## Point Fraser

Point Fraser is an urban wetland buffering the Swan River. It includes bird habitat, a playground, and restaurant precinct.



# University of Western Australia

Established in 1911, UWA was the first university in Perth. With beautiful sandstone buildings and lovely gardens it is worth exploring as part of your journey.

### South Perth Foreshore

The South Perth Foreshore includes cafes and restaurants (Mends St and Coode St), playgrounds, scenic parklands, and stunning views of the Perth City skyline.

