

Shire of Yalgoo Population 120

Yalgoo 527km north of Perth

Situated along the historic Miners' Pathway Yalgoo offers true outback adventure and unique attractions, including prolific seasonal wildflowers and the Courthouse Museum showcasing over 80 Years of Yalgoo history. Be sure to view the Railway Station, historical Yalgoo cemetery, Monsignor Hawes convent chapel and the fascinating Jokers Tunnel.

Accommodation is available at the Yalgoo Caravan Park or the historic Yalgoo Hotel Motel. A general store is open 7 days a week and self service credit card diesel/petrol bowsers are available 24/7. A vibrant and colourful water playground will open for Christmas 2010.



Places of interest

Jokers Tunnel

Located 10 kilometres south of Yalgoo, the tunnel was carved through solid rock by early gold prospectors and is a great place to view native flora and fauna.

Court House Museum

Once located in the Day Dawn townsite near Cue, the Court House was transported in 1921 to Yalgoo and is now a museum with displays of old photographs, gold rush history, memorabilia and artefacts.



Court House Museum, Yalgoo

Monsignor Hawes Dominican Chapel of St Hyacinth

Designed in 1920 by the famous priest and architect Monsignor Hawes for the Dominican Sisters who were based in Yalgoo.

Wildflowers

White, cream, yellow and pink everlastings are prolific in the Yalgoo shire from late July to early September.



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Monsignor Hawes Dominican Chapel of St Hyacinth

Paynes Find 424km north-east of Perth

Renowned for its glorious carpets of wildflowers during the season, Paynes Find is also recognised for its Gold Battery. Established in 1911, the Paynes Find Gold Battery is the only working battery in the state. Take a tour and enjoy the museum and displays.

You can commence your Miners' Pathway adventure from the Gold Battery in Paynes Find, after which you will travel north through Mount Magnet and Cue to Meekatharra, south-east to Sandstone, west to Yalgoo via Mt Magnet and finally south-east again to finish at Payne's Find, viewing Jokers Tunnel and historic Field's Find cemetery on the way. For information on the Miners' Pathway self drive see page 21.

The Paynes Find Roadhouse/Tavern offers travellers a welcome break with fuel, snacks, meals and accommodation available.

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Visit Paynes Find to see the only working Gold Battery left in Western Australia. Established in 1911, the Battery guides you to the town's Museum filled with relics of the mining, pastoral and sandalwood industries



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Walk amongst the wildflowers in Paynes Find



Paynes Find Gold Battery Tourist Centre

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sandalwood industry. Guided tours of the gold battery, wildflowers and rock display. Crafts and souvenirs. Open daily 1st August – mid October.

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