

# MACEDON RANGES

# Autumn in the Macedon Ranges

## Macedon and Mount Macedon

Autumn in Macedon and Mount Macedon is an explosion of colour.

Visit Honour Avenue, with its 154 Pin Oaks that line the road in hues of reds and oranges.

Wander through the Open Gardens that show off their autumnal colours, where you can explore hundreds of botanical species and gather inspiration for your own garden.

While you're here, why not make the most of your visit? Macedon and Mount Macedon are buzzing with a great mix of pubs, cafés, eateries, bars, nurseries and art galleries to explore.

Please note that dedicated parking is available at Tony Clarke Reserve in Macedon for those visiting Honour Avenue - only a short walk away. No parking is available on Honour Avenue throughout April.

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PARKING

#### Autumn Leaves on Honour Avenue Honour Avenue, Macedon

Take a walk under the trees down Honour Avenue. The spectacular avenue of oaks honours the 154 men and women of Macedon and Mount Macedon who enlisted for service during the World War I. The avenue is especially magnificent at this time of the year with the autumnal leaf colour. You will be so amazed by the colours that you will forget where you are, so please remember to stay clear of the road and give way to traffic.

#### Parking Tony Clarke Reserve 37 Waterfalls Road, Macedon

Visiting Honour Avenue? Dedicated car and bus parking is available at Tony Clarke Reserve, only a short walk from Honour Avenue. Easy parking with access to public toilets. Accessible parking is available at the Church of the Resurrection (cnr Honour Ave and Mt Macedon Rd).

#### Macedon Village Victoria Street, Macedon

Macedon's eating establishments hum with happy patrons during the week, even more so on weekends. Your choice of dining and coffee providers in the village of Macedon range from wood fired pizzas made using ingredients from their sustainable vegetable No parking is available on Honour Ave throughout April.

Please note that Tony Clarke Reserve will not be available for parking on ANZAC Day, Tuesday 25 April 2017.

garden to restaurants and traditional pub fare. Why not kick off your day with breakfast or a coffee at the café or bakery?

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#### Macedon and Mount Macedon Open Gardens

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Macedon, Mount Macedon and surrounds

Enjoy the beautiful open gardens in and around Macedon and Mount Macedon. Soak in the ambiance of some of Victoria's finest gardens behind the walls of the impressive Mount Macedon mansions, many National Trust-listed. Visitors return time and time again to the Macedon Ranges to enjoy public and private spaces transformed by the art of garden design. To find out more about individual Open Gardens and their locations see visitmacedonranges.com/ whats-on

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#### Mount Macedon Village Mount Macedon Road, Mount Macedon

There's more to do in Mount Macedon than just appreciate its natural beauty. Sip coffee, snack on award-winning pies and stock up on local produce. Have a drink with the locals at the pub or why not dine in! Wander through galleries and their displays of local art and craft, or visit the nurseries offering rare plants and garden ornaments.

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#### Memorial Cross and Macedon Regional Park Cameron Drive, Mount Macedon

An emotive experience can be found on the summit of Mount Macedon at the Memorial Cross, which commemorates Australia's war fallen. The vista takes in the entire southern plain towards Port Phillip Bay with spectacular views south and back towards Melbourne. Macedon Regional Park boasts

#### Hanging Rock 139 South Rock Road, Woodend

There is so much to do at Hanging Rock! Families can gather in the large shady picnic grounds and play games on the wide expanses of lawn or have coffee in the cafe. Walks can be taken on the trails and paths that weave through the reserve past local flora and fauna, or take a fishing rod and try your diverse flora and fauna, with more than 400 species of native plants and 200 species of birds recorded. Walk the Sanatorium Lake Walking Trail to discover the different vegetation zones of the stunning lake and forest surrounds, or climb Camels Hump and take in the views of Hanging Rock.

luck in the dam, which is regularly stocked with fish (don't forget your licence). And of course it's also a must to walk to the top of the rock that boasts magnificent 360 degree views.

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