

Two days in
Toogoolawah
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All Roads Lead to Toogoolawah

Pack your bags and bikes, Toogoolawah awaits just a short two-hour drive from Brisbane.

Welcome to Toogoolawah!

It's time to get everyone out of the car and burn off some steam on Australia's longest recreational rail trail.

It's Trail Time

Explore the wonders of the Brisbane Valley Rail Trail by bike. Journey beyond the town's boundaries and enjoy a comfortable ride taking in views of plentiful pastures and acres of farmland along the track. Go as far as you like before retracing your steps back to town. If you're up for a longer ride, head north and ride the 22km return journey to the historical Yimbun Tunnel that has stood the test of time since its construction in 1909.

Lunch is calling!

Located right along the Brisbane Valley Rail Trail, the Hav' A' Chat Café offers fantastic views of Australia's longest recreational rail trail. Indulge in fresh house made meals and treats. Sip on Somerset's own Somerset Coffee for the perfect midday recharge for your next adventure.

Mid Afternoon Musings

After a morning of adventure, nestle into your home away from home for the night, at Peddlars Rest. Offering a variety of accommodation from cosy, quiet queen rooms to a fully self-contained family suite. With a secure bike storage area, cyclists can have peace of mind and rest easy for the night. As for the rest of the afternoon, have a well-earned rest in your room or if you've still got energy to burn, head out for an afternoon stroll around town.

Stroll through a world of yesteryear as you pass by the historical shopfronts of Cressbrook Street and surrounds. With its bright pink and green shopfront, you can't miss Two Galahs Gallery on Fulham Street, featuring an array of hand-crafted goods, local art, crafts and artisan wares. Drop into the Toogoolawah History Museum and discover a treasure trove of historical artifacts and memorabilia. The museum's local historian even offers a family search service to visitors, so you never know what you might uncover during a visit to the Toogoolawah History Museum!



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Before you know it, it's time to freshen up and head out for some good old-fashioned country hospitality at The Exchange Hotel Toogoolawah.

Dinner Time!

The Exchange Hotel Toogoolawah has been pouring beers and serving cheers for over a century. Established in 1911, the Exchange has not lost its old-world charm and country hospitality. Serving value for money hearty meals and drinks seven days a week, it's not surprising that the Exchange Hotel Toogoolawah is a favourite among locals and visitors alike.

Picture This...

It's Saturday night at the movies in Toogoolawah! Head to the Alexandra Hall and watch it come to life with the Toogoolawah Pictures. Grab your tickets at the historical box office and enjoy a cinema experience of yesteryear. The perfect combination of old meets new, visitors to the Toogoolawah Pictures can relax back into the old canvas chairs and watch the latest blockbusters on the silver screen.

Sweet Dreams!

After a night with the stars at the Toogoolawah Pictures, it's time to see the real stars of Toogoolawah up above. With no city lights to spoil the view, take a star lit stroll back to Peddlars Rest. Look to the skies and let the myriad of shimmering stars add sparkle to the end of your night.

DAY 2

Rise and Shine!

Awaken to an early complimentary, continental breakfast at Peddlars Rest or take a stroll down Cressbrook Street for a decadent and delicious, hot café breaky. Drop into Picnic Society and feast on farm fresh flavours for breakfast, perfect for fuelling your day ahead adventures ahead.

Choose your own Adventure

What better way to start your day than a llama-led trail adventure along the Brisbane Valley Rail Trail. For a trail experience with a twist of llama, meet up with the friendly folk at Ottaba Llamas. Discover a different side to the Brisbane Valley Rail Trail and let a llama be your personal tour guide as you discover the natural beauty of the Somerset scenery.

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For the real thrill seekers of the family, why not soar the skies of Somerset with Skydive Ramblers. Queensland's largest and longest established skydiving operation, Skydive Ramblers has been the number one choice for skydiving in Queensland for more than 40 years.

Time for Lunch?

Is lunch time calling already? Lucky the Toogoolawah Hotel has your midday munchies covered with daily lunch specials and exceptional counter meals. Experience real true blue, Aussie hospitality at this beautiful century old hotel.

Arty Afternoons

Head to The Condensery, Somerset Regional Art Gallery, a state of the art, unique cultural precinct, formerly home to the Nestlé condensed milk factory packing facility. The gallery presents an ever-evolving array of exhibitions, arts education and cultural programs, sure to spark curiosity, creativity and joy for visitors of all ages. Grown ups can peruse the art in peace while the kids are kept busy in the dedicated children's Creation Station area.

One Last Sweet Stopover

A trip to Toogoolawah wouldn't be complete without satisfying your sweet tooth at Sister Bake Co – The Fudge People. A true blue, family-owned Australian business, Sister Bake Co produces handmade fudge using the finest South East Queensland ingredients. Two sisters bake their hearts out, using time honoured fourth generational recipes to create some of the sweetest treats you'll ever eat. Sister Bake and Co is the perfect stop off on your way home, to stock up on sweet treats for the ride and souvenirs to commemorate your stay.

Happily Ever After

As you glance the last of Toogoolawah in your rear-view mirror, and smile back at the grinning faces in the back seat, rest assured you'll depart with happy hearts and a story like no other.

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