

6 Boscabel Area Reserves

These areas are water, timber and gravel reserves and patches of privately-owned bush. Feature birds in these areas are Wedge-tailed Eagle, Peregrine Falcon, Spotless Crake, Tawny Frogmouth, Splendid Fairy-wren, Jacky Winter, Scarlet and Red-capped Robins, Hooded and Western Yellow Robins, Crested Shrike-tit and White-browed Scrubwren.

7 Bush Heritage Block

This is a great birding area to visit with over 80 species recorded. Fifty species have been found to be breeding on this block.

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BIRDWATCHING AROUND KOJONUP

Kojonup has many areas to see new and exciting species. The following are recommended areas to visit.

1 Flora and Fauna Sanctuary

A small area of bush set aside as a Flora and Fauna Sanctuary on the NW corner of the town of Kojonup. This is a good bush-walking area close to the town where wildflowers and birds may be observed in abundance. Brush-tailed Wallabies may be encountered.

2 Farrar Reserve

This old Railway Water Reserve is found about seven kilometres west of Kojonup along the Blackwood Road. It contains a good-sized dam where Musk Duck and Little Grebe may be seen. Splendid Fairy-wren, Scarlet, Red-capped and Western Yellow Robins, Varied Sittella and Regent Parrot have all been observed here.

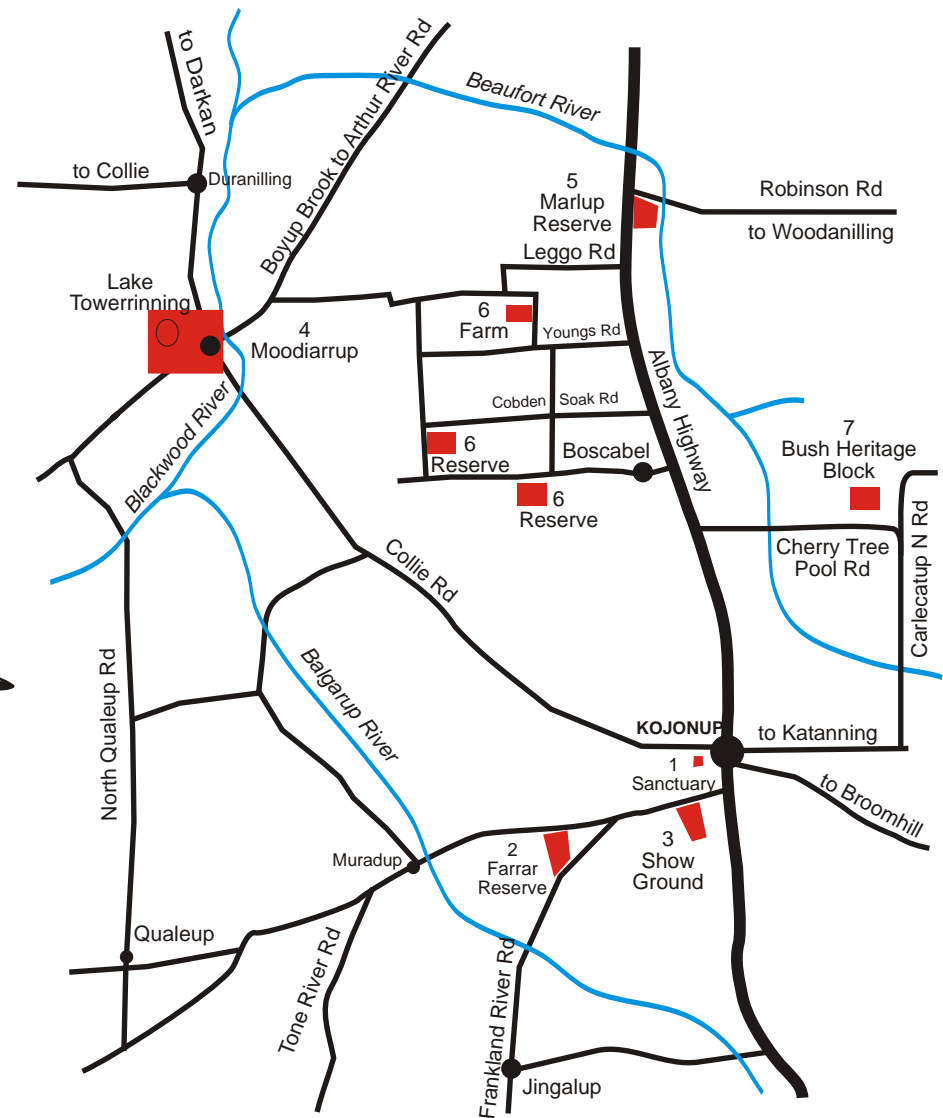
3 Show Ground and Golf Club Complex

This is an area of bush around the Show Grounds and sporting venues - Golf Course, Rifle and Pistol ranges, Motor Cross and Speedway tracks. Little Eagle, Short-billed and Long-billed Black Cockatoos, Elegant Parrot, Restless Flycatcher and Mistletoe Bird may be sighted in this area.

4 Lake Towerrinning Reserve

This reserve is situated about fortysix kilometres NW of Kojonup via the Collie Road. The lake is used a lot for boating sports during the summer. This area is good for both water birds and bush birds.

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5 Martup Reserve

Martup reserve is situated on the corner of Albany Highway and Robinson Road, about thirtyfive kilometres north of Kojonup. The reserve has several pools, part of the Beaufort River, where a

number of waterfowl may be seen. Large Wandoo with Jamtree and Sheoak thickets make up the bushland where many birds - Little Eagle, Sacred Kingfisher, Western Yellow Robin and Varied Sittella may be seen. A good range of orchid species can be found in season.