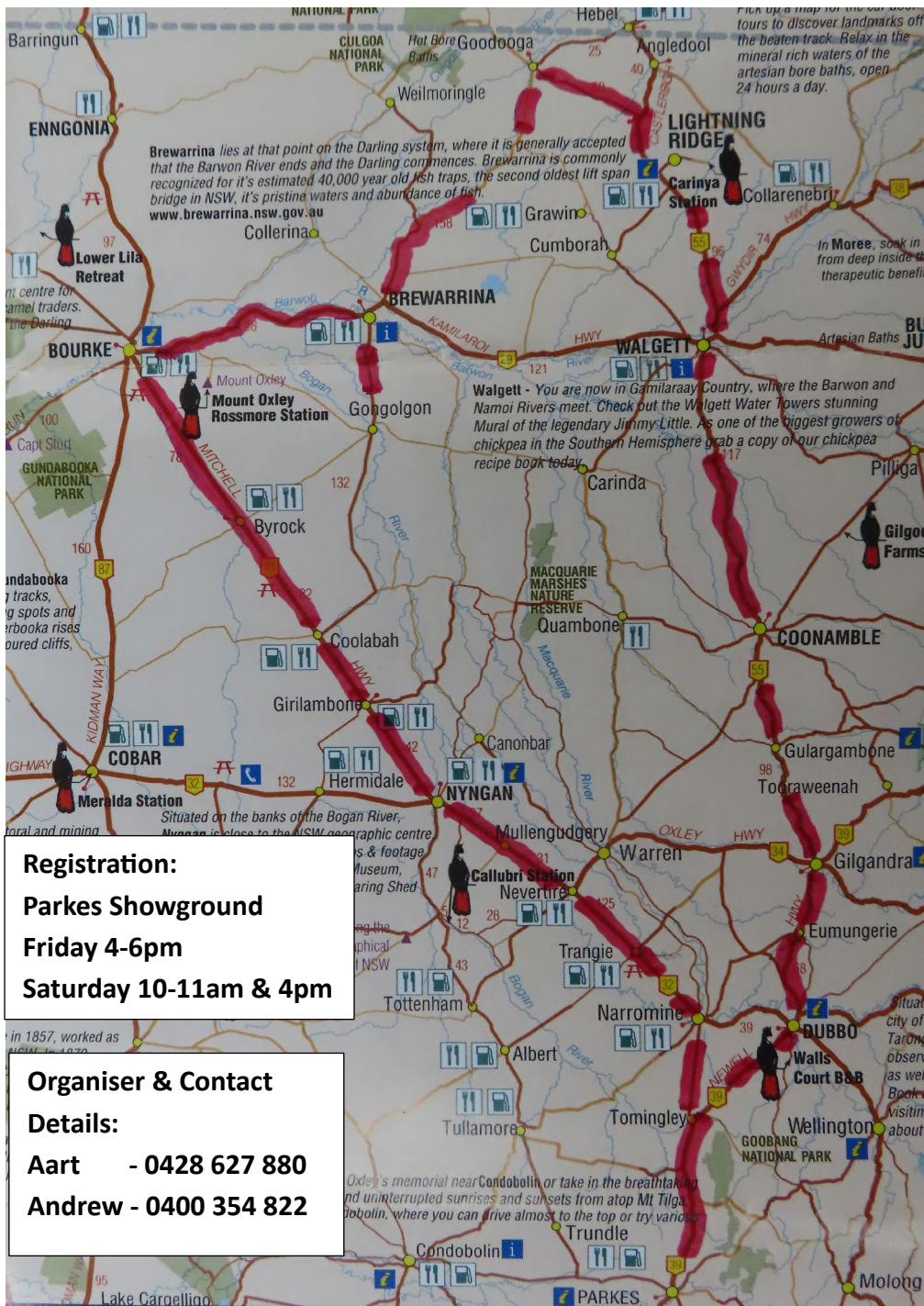




THE FUN WITH FAMILY BOURKE & BACK TAG

Friday 25th September to Saturday 10th October 2026

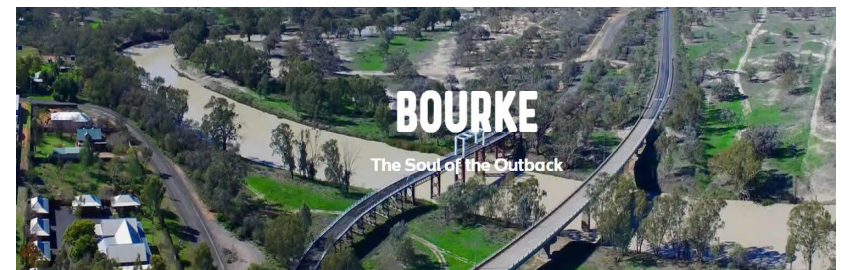
Parkes/Lightning Ridge/Bourke/Parkes

THE PURPOSE OF THE BOURKE & BACK TAG

IS

TO CARRY THE AA MESSAGE TO
OUTBACK NSW

WHILST HAVING FUN WITH FAMILY



THINGS TO SEE AND DO

Parkes

Parkes Telescope
Henry Parkes Museum
Elvis Exhibition
Motorcar Museum
Aircraft Museum

Dubbo

Western Plains Zoo
Old Dubbo Gaol
Royal Flying Doctor Service
Western Plains Cultural Centre
Dubbo Escape Rooms (Family)
Cinema

Walgett

Jimmy Little Water Tower Mural
COD Fishing

Lightning Ridge

Artesian Bore Baths
Black Opal Tours
Chamber of the Black Hand
John Murray Art Gallery
Amigo's Castle
Nettleton's First Shaft Lookout
Australian Opal Centre/Museum

Goodooga

Artesian Bore Baths

Brewarrina

Aboriginal Cultural Museum
Indigenous Fish Traps
Hospital Creek Memorial

BOURKE

Back of Bourke Information and
Exhibition Centre
Aboriginal Art site walking track
Historic Cemetery
Percy Hobson Mural
Crossly Engine
Jandra Paddleboat
Mount Oxley Lookout
(Rossmore Station)
Dunlop Station
Mays Bend Campsite
Darling River Run
Numerous National Parks with
walks and driving tours

Various rivers and waterholes all
the way along this journey allow
for superb fishing opportunities.

Many locations have dedicated
bicycle paths to ride on safely
with numerous dog friendly parks
and ovals to kick a ball around.

Beautiful parks and garden to lay
back read a book, listen to nature

The Bourke and Back Tag

SUGGESTED ROUTE FOR 2026

ALL DISTANCE AND TIMES ARE APPROXIMATE

Parkes 157 kms	Friday 25th Sept to Sat 26th Sept 1h 46m
Eumungerie 239 kms	Sunday 27th Sept to Mon 28th Sept 2h 33m
Walgett 78 kms	Tuesday 29th September 51m
Lightning Ridge 109 kms	Wednesday 30th Sep to Thurs 1st Oct 1h 11m
Goodooga 166 kms	Fri 2nd Oct 1h 45m
Gongolgon 50 kms	Sat 3rd Oct 30m
Brewarrina 98 kms	Sun 4th Oct to Tuesday 6th Oct 1h 2m
Bourke 204 kms (Direct to Parkes 434 kms / 4h 36m)	Tuesday 6th Oct to Thurs 8th Oct 2h 6m
Nyngan (Overnight) 230 kms	Friday 9th Oct 2h 30m
Parkes	Sat 10th Oct

Suggested Meetings – All Venues to be announced at previous Meeting

Parkes	Sat 26th Sept	@ 6.00pm Showground
Dubbo	Sun 27th Sept	@ 7.00pm
Walgett	Tues 29th Sept	@ 6.00pm
Lightning Ridge	Thurs 1st Oct	@ 7.00pm
Gongolgon	Sat 3rd Oct	@
<u>(Orana Haven Rehab)</u>	<u>Meeting 10am & BBQ after</u>	
Brewarrina	Sun 4th Oct	@ TBA
Professional Awareness Lunch	Tues 6th Oct	@ 12.00 TBA
Bourke	Wed 7th Oct	@ 6pm Park
Parkes	Sat 10th Oct	@ 1pm Showground