

KING ISLAND TOURIST INFORMATION CENTRE

King Island Visitor Information Centre.
 5 George Street, Currie (King Island Business Centre Building)
 Monday to Friday 11am – 3pm
 Saturday 10:00am-12pm
 Closed Sundays and Public Holidays
 King Island DVDs, Books and postcards also available for purchase at the visitors information centre or the post office in Currie.
 Ph: 1800 645 014 or (03) 6462 1355
 Email: tourism@kingisland.org.au
 Website: www.kingisland.org.au

QUICK TIPS

We recommend you book ahead for any tours, visits to golf courses or eateries.

Only Telstra “3G/4G” mobile phone service is accessible on the island.

Phones available for purchase at King Island Newsagency located within Post Office.

There is no Passenger ferry service to the Island.

There is no taxi service or ride share service on the Island.

It is strongly recommended that rental cars are arranged prior to arrival.

Strict quarantine requirements. No Fruit, Plant or Seafood Items if coming from other States other than Tasmania.

ACCOMMODATION

Alexandra's	Currie	Alexandra Quigley	M: 0456 655 534	russell.ally@bigpond.com
Bass Lodge	Loorana	Willari Madeleine	M:0492 444 319 M: 0417 580 550	stay@basslodgekingisland.com.au
Boomerang By the Sea	Currie	Kerr family	0476 030 542 0429 621 517	info@boomerangbythesea.com www.boomerangbythesea.com
Blencathra Coastal Spa Getaway	Currie	Grant Jordan	M: 0429 320 868	grantwwjj@hotmail.com
Bold views	Grassy	Mark Lovell & Maureen Tremaine	M: 0476 791 778 M: 0427 235 647	mdlmgmt@gmail.com www.boldviewskingisland.weebly.com
Buttons by the Beach	Bungaree	Adrian Deehan	M: 0414 838 039	buttonsbythebeach@gmail.com
Cape Wickham Golf Links	Cape Wickham	John Geary	P:03 6463 1200	golf@capewickham.com.au www.capewickham.com.au
Currie Harbour Accommodation- Gilligan's	Currie	Ian Gilligan	M: 0448 153 353	bookings@Currieharbouraccommodation.com.au
Ettrick rocks	Nugara	Sam & Angela Giudice	P: 1300 195 596 M: 0425 756 855	info@ettrickrocks.com.au www.ettrickrocks.com.au
Green Ponds B & B	Currie	Sonia Louis	P: 03 6462 1171 M: 0429 831 047	kigreenponds@bigpond.com www.kingislandstay.com
Island Breeze Motel	Currie	Julie Takurua	P: 03 6462 1260 M: 0475 351 807 F: 03 6462 1563	enquiries@islandbreezemotel.com.au www.islandbreezemotel.com.au
King Island Accommodation Cottages	Naracoopa	Bob & Angie Dalton	P: 64611326 M: 0418 941 350	bookings@kingislandac.com.au www.kingislandaccommodationcottages.com.au
King Island Beach Shala	Naracoopa	Jacqui & Shimon	M: 0477 641 067	info@hawthornyyoga.com www.thekingislandbeachshala.com
King Island Breaks	Loorana	David Looker		kingislandbreaks@gmail.com www.kingislandbreaks.com.au

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King Island Holiday Village/ King Island Motel/Waverider Lodge	Grassy	Ian Johnson & Lucinda Dengerink	P: 03 6461 1177 M: 0408 546 469	kiholiday@kingisland.net.au www.kingislandholidayvillage.com.au
King Island Hotel (Parers hotel)	Currie	John Smith	P: 03 6462 1633	enquiries@kingislandhotel.com.au
King Island Light View Villa	Currie	Lyn Mauric	M: 0488 151 156	jfandlmmauric@bigpond.com
Kittawa Lodge	Pearshape	Nick Stead	M: 0437 962 020	info@kittawalodge.com https://kittawalodge.com/
Lunarsea	Grassy	Janet Fuller	0476 977 394	info@lunarsea.com.au
Main Street Views	Currie	Merilyn Cox	P: 03 6462 1667 M: 0428 889 279	am.cox@bigpond.com
Netherby Rocks	Currie	Erin Tucker	P: 03 8586 7486 M: 0422 440 409	info@netherbyrocks.com.au www.netherbyrocks.com.au
Sea Elephant Bay Retreat	Naracoopa	Anna De La Rue	M: 0439 394 794	annadelarue29@gmail.com
Shore House	Loorana	Willari	M: 0492 444 319	stay@kingislandescapes.com.au www.kingislandescapes.com.au

AIRLINES AND AGENTS

Air Adventures	Ocean Grove Vic	P: 1800 033 160	www.airadventure.com.au
Austrips	Devonport, Tas	P: 1800 777 726	www.austrips.com.au Holiday Packages Available
King Island Airlines	Moorabbin, Vic	P: 03 9580 3777	www.kingislandair.com.au Holiday packages available Daily flights from Moorabbin Airport
King Island Pleasure Tours	King island	M: 0421 062 246	www.kingislandtravel.com Customised holiday packages available
King Island Surf Safaris	Barwon heads	M: 0409 864 055	www.kingislandsurfsafaris.com.au Private charter flights & surf packages from Avalon & Barwon Heads
Kirkhope Aviation	Moorabbin, Vic	P: 1300 206 130	www.kirkhopeaviation.com.au Private Charter Hire- Flights from Moorabbin Airport Golf packages available
REX Airlines	Tullamarine, Vic	P: 13 17 13	www.rex.com.au Daily flights from Melbourne Tullamarine Airport
Sharp Airlines	Essendon, Vic & Tasmania	P: 1300 556 694	www.sharpairlines.com.au Holiday packages available Flights from Essendon Airport, Hobart, Wynyard and Launceston
Short Stop Charters	Essendon, Vic	P: 1300 727 412	www.shortstop.com.au Tours to King Island on DC3 Plane. Flights from Essendon
Southern Golf Getaways	Avalon & Barwon heads, Vic	M: 0409 864 055	www.southerngolfgetaways.com.au Private Charter Flights & golf packages from all Victorian Airports
The Golf Travel Agency	Balmain, NSW	P: 02 9555 5311	www.thegolftravelagency.com.au Exceptional tailored golf holidays at market leading prices for groups of all sizes.
Vortex Airlines	Moorabbin, Vic	P: 03 8586 7474	www.vortexair.com.au

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				Private Charter Hire- Flights from Moorabbin Airport
CAR HIRE				
King Island Car Rentals	Currie	Adam & Anna Hely	P: 03 6462 1282	Sedans, station wagon, RAV 4's, 8-seater wagon, 4x4 dual cab, 12-seater bus admin@kicr.com.au
GOLF COURSES				
Cape Wickham Golf Course	Cape Wickham		P: 03 6463 1200	Open Daily, bookings essential email: golf@capewickham.com.au
King Island Golf & Bowling Club Inc	Currie		P: 03 6462 1126 F: 03 6462 1594	The original 9-hole golf course established 1932. Bar overlooking the ocean Visitors welcome Hire of clubs also available at KI IGA Supermarket www.golfkingisland.com
Ocean Dunes Golf Course	North Rd Currie		P: 0447 830 202	Bookings: enquiry@oceandunes.com.au 0447 830 202 Pro Shop: golf@oceandunes.com.au 0448 544 653
MEDICAL SERVICES				
King Island Hospital	35 Edward St Currie		P: 03 6462 9900	Emergencies call 000
King Island General Practice	35 Edward St Currie		P: 03 6462 0200	Located within hospital Mon-Fri 9am-1pm, 2pm-5pm Sat afternoon After hours call GP Assist 1800 022 222 Emergencies call 000
King Island Pharmacy	Main St Currie		P: 03 6462 1395	Monday - Friday 9.30am - 5.30pm
REAL ESTATE SERVICES				
Harcourts (King Island Real Estate)	Edward St Currie	Mandy Potter	P: 03 6462 1474	
Harcourts Nutrien		Tony Maguire	M: 0417101392	
RECREATION				
Beachcombing			Martha Lavinia Beach and Naracoopa	Nautilus Shells wash up every 7 years during autumn. King Island Beaches are shell collector's paradise
Bird Observing	King Island		Around 200 species.	Download the Birds of King Island Checklist and recommended bird walks at https://www.birdsofkingisland.com/birds-of-king-island . 'Wings on King' survey and registration allows visits to birding sites on private land Checklists also available inside KIRDO or

				<p>www.kingislandlandcare.org.au</p> <p>Visit Shag Lagoon Bird Hide located on the blue tourist map</p>
Bush Walking			<p>Nature Reserves</p> <p>Pegarah Private Nature Reserve</p> <p>Bootlace Private Forest Reserve</p>	<p>Lavinia State Reserve & Pegarah State Forest</p> <p>Unique Bird, Fauna & Flora. 100 acres GPS mapped, signage, easy grade tracks.</p> <p>By appointment only. 03 6461 1201</p> <p>Pristine covenanted 500 acre forest with high biodiversity including endangered plants and birds. 2km easy track. Cost: \$5 per person. By appointment only 0417487263</p>
Diving	King Island		Crayfish and Abalone	Recreational licenses are required and can be obtained from Service Tasmania 11.00am - 4.00 pm Mon, Tues, Thurs, Fri
Fishing	King Island		Also see King Island Fishing tours under tour operators	For detailed advice ask a local or call into T Perry or Reefuel in Currie for supplies. Catches range from Australian Salmon, Gummy, and School Shark & Mullet (preferably at night). Naracoopa Jetty, Currie & Grassy Wharves Diving/ Fishing licences available for catch limits at Service Tasmania or on http://dpiwwe.tas.gov.au/sea-fishing-aquaculture/recreational-fishing/recreational-sea-fishing-licences
Hunting- Game				License & landowner permission required
King Island Field Naturalists	Currie	<p>Graeme Batey</p> <p>Liz Cambra</p>	<p>M: 0427 351 378</p> <p>0429 158 846</p>	<p>Monthly Excursions. 1st Sunday in month</p> <p>NOTICES AT KI CHEMIST & FOODWORKS</p> <p>Recording birds, animals, plants, rocks, historical sites, beach and sea life</p>
King Island Horse Racing Club	Currie	Audrey Hamer	0429 621 575	Race Meetings commence December 2022
King Island Community Radio	Currie	Wade Roskam		Tune into 100.5fm on your car radio for pre-programmed music Program includes live broadcasts and interviews on Fridays 2pm and Saturdays 12pm.
Lawn Bowls	Currie	KI Golf & Bowling Club	P: 03 6462 1126	Seasonal Bowling
POKI Community Market	Currie Town Hall	Mandy Potter	M: 0414 999 951	Products of King Island Markets held in Currie every few months on King Island showcasing Produce & items produced on the Island.

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Sailing – King Island Boat Club		Rod Temple	M: 0418 302 454	Twice monthly. Grassy Port headquarters, Hosts visiting cruising & racing yachts Contact for mooring bookings at Grassy Harbour
Surfing			Bouyweather.com	Red Hut Point, Porky Beach, Martha Lavinia, Phoques Bay, British Admiral Beach
Public BBQ Facilities				Penny's Lagoon, Naracoopa Esplanade, Grassy and Currie Harbour - Electric BBQ'S
Public Picnic Facilities				Grassy – Blackwood Street, Naracoopa Esplanade, Calcified Forest, Penny's Lagoon, Cape Wickham, Currie Harbour
Public Playgrounds				Currie – War Memorial Park, Lighthouse Street, Grassy, Naracoopa Esplanade
Public Toilets				Penny's Lagoon, Cape Wickham, Currie Harbour, Grassy Boat Club, Huxley Street Currie, Calcified Forest, Naracoopa Esplanade, Sea Elephant, Grassy Sports Oval
Shipwreck Trail		Self-Guided		Daily & Self-Guided obtain book from Tourism Information Centre

RECREATION / PLACES TO VISIT

Bird Hide	Loorana			Overlooking Shag Lagoon. 1km down Heddles Road approx. 4km north of the King Island Dairy
Blow Hole	Sea elephant			Popular spot for fishing & swimming, tide dependant to see natural blowhole in operation.
Calcified Forest	Off south road			15 Minute walk from car park to viewing platform Preserved ancient forest 7000 years old
Disappointment Bay	Off cape Wickham rd			Large sandy bay, with large orange rocks. Seating available, viewing platform, steps onto the beach.
Huxley Hill Wind Farm Viewing Area	South rd, Currie			Visit the informative electronic display which overlooks the wind towers. Located in a tin shelter at the end of the gravel road.
Kelp Industries	Netherby Rd Currie		P: 03 6462 1340	Visit the onsite unmanned Information Centre Open Mon-Fri 10am - 4pm
Martha Lavinia Beach	Martha Lavinia			Popular surfing beach 4wd access required
Penguins	Grassy harbour			Down Port Road & drive to the end of the breakwater and turn car around so no reversing is done in the dark. Penguins come to shore at dusk, so rug up. Fewer penguins during the colder months No flash photos/ no bright lights / keep distance/ drive slowly, no

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				reversing after dark and use dim lights on car. Penguin brochure available at Tourism Info Office. KIRDO
Penny's Lagoon	Cape Wickham rd			Freshwater lake, popular swimming hole. Facilities include toilet, picnic area & barbecue
Reefuel- Petrol Station	Currie		P: 03 6462 1334	Gifts, clothing, bait, tackle & fuel Open 7 days a week 7.30am - 6.00pm
Sea- Elephant River	Sea elephant			Walkway along part of the river, view the abundance of bird life, Toilets, picnic area, interpretative signage
Sealers Wall	South road			About 1km south of Surprise Bay, 19 th Century stone wall connects two rocky outcrops. 4wd access only
Seal Rocks	South road			80m boardwalk to the viewing platform allows for spectacular view of the Southern Ocean.

RETAIL AND SERVICES

ATM	Currie		Westpac 24 hours	ATM located on outside of Westpac Bank
Australia Post & Newsagency	Main st Currie		P: 03 6462 1792	Post Office - Mon - Fri 9am – 5pm Newsagency - Mon – Fri 9am – 5pm Sat 9am – 1pm; Sun Closed
EJ's Motors and Repairs	Grassy		P: 03 6461 1113	Mon - Fri 10am - 5pm, Sat 10am - 4.30pm, Sun 11am - 3.30pm
Elders Ltd	Currie		P: 03 6462 1566	Mon - Fri 8.00am - 5.00pm
Grassy Harbour Discount Supermarket	2876 grassy rd grassy		P: 0428 807 990	Supermarket Mon - Sat 11am - 5.30pm General Groceries, Bread, Milk, Daily Papers. No fresh fruit, vegetables or meat available
Jim McKenzie Agencies	Currie		P: 03 6462 1415	Contact for information/pricing regarding the shipping service to the Island for Cargo, vehicles, etc.
King Island Butchery	Currie		P: 03 6462 1435	Quality King Island meat products Monday to Friday 9am - 5pm
King Island Cloud Juice	Currie	Duncan McFie	P: 03 6462 1910	Pure rainwater available. Available from Supermarkets and cafes
King Island Courier	Currie	Pam Rolley	P: 0459 749 351	Thursday @ Post Office
King Island Council	Currie		P: 03 6462 9000	Located, Corner of George and Meech Streets
King Island Crayfish			Order in Advance (seasonal)	24 hours' notice required minimum Supermarkets: Foodworks & IGA, Restaurants
King Island Dairy	869 North Rd Loorana		P: 03 6462 0947	Open Mon, Tues Wed, Fri & Sun 10.30am-4:30pm Cheese tastings, purchases, cheese platters, tea & coffee, beer & wine. Group bookings call or email kid.store@saputo.com.

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King Island Distillery	Currie	Heidi Weitjens	P: 0488 243 377	Boutique batches of native gin, ruby vodka, 40 degrees south vodka and single malt whiskey Open Sat & Sun, 1 – 5pm; Wed, Thurs & Fri, 1-4pm.
King Island Foodworks	Main St Currie		P: 03 6462 1144	Open 7 days- 7am - 6pm Online grocery ordering & delivery available https://kingisland.myfoodworks.com.au Take away coffee also available
King Island Flowers	Lymwood	Denise Brewer	P: 64611256 / 0417820725	Plants, flowers and garden decor, available 7 days 9am to 3pm Delivery to Currie
King Island Golf & Bowling Club	Currie		P: 03 6462 1126	Currie has a 9-hole links course Saturday from 9am
King Island Honey	Currie	Sean Freeman		Available from Butcher shop, Kelp Craft or kingislandhoney@gmail.com
King Island IGA & Liquor Store	Currie		P: 03 6462 1244	Open 7 days 7am – 6pm
King Island Motors-Petrol Station	Netherby Rd, Currie	Service station, fuel, parts.	P: 03 6462 1155	Monday – Friday 8am - 5pm 24hr Automated Fuel System
King Island Prime Meats	Currie		03 64621976	Supplier of wallaby meat products to local supermarkets www.kingislandprimemeats.com.au
King Island Seafood	North Rd Currie	Donna & Max Summers	P: 03 6462 1774 M: 0428 621 774	24 hours' notice required minimum. For orders over 5 kilos only call to order crayfish, oysters, abalone 1 day in advance to ensure next day delivery/pick up For orders less than 5 kilos orders can be placed with K I IGA & K I Foodworks
Marriage Celebrant		Anna De La Rue	M: 0439 394 794	Thinking of marriage or renewing your vows? E: annadelarue29@gmail.com
Online Access Centre / King Island Regional Development Organisation Visitor Information	5 George St. Currie		P: 03 6462 1778 F: 03 6462 1790	Public Internet Access, Wi-Fi, Business services available. Tourism Information Monday – Friday 11am – 3pm Saturday 10am – 12 noon
Parks & Wildlife Services	Currie	Shelley Graham	P: 6462 1608	
Sourdough Mumma	Nugara	Jarred & Lee	M: 0435 951 678	Handmade traditional organic sourdough bread. You can choose between a plain, fruit or multigrain sourdough - using all organic ingredients.
TG & DJ Perry Pty Ltd	Currie	Terry Perry	P: 03 6462 1182	Bait & fishing gear, electrical goods, gifts & toys Monday - Friday 8.30am - 5.30pm Saturday 9am - 12.00pm
Westpac	Currie		P: 03 6462 0022	Branch & ATM available Cnr Main & Edward Streets

TOUR OPERATORS/EXPERIENCES

HCMC Yoga retreats	Currie	Jacqui & Shimon	M: 0477 641 067	Jacqueline Brumley and Shimon Tchobutaru are Yoga teachers with over 60 years of collective experience. They run regular Yoga retreats which are a 4-day immersion of Yoga, nature, King island produce and fresh sea air. Yoga or relaxation classes can also be tailored for corporate groups
Hole in One Gallery	Main st Currie	Caroline Kininmonth	M: 0429 621 180	Open Daily
King Island Brewhouse	Pegarah	Corey & Sarah Brazendale	M: 0455 666 138	King Island Brewhouse tour, tastings and cellar door. www.kibrew.house
King Island Coach Company	Currie	Matthew Archer	M: 0499 806 243	Guided tours and transfers specialists kingislandfishingtours@gmail.com
King Island Cultural Centre	Wharf rd Currie	KI Council	P: 03 6462 9000	Open 1-3pm Thurs, Sat. & Sun. (subject to volunteer availability)
King Island Distillery	Currie	Heidi Weitjens	P: 0488 243 377 or 0488CHEERS	King Island Distillery tour, tastings, and cellar door. Have a dram with the distiller. www.kingislanddistillery.com
King Island Historical Museum	Lighthouse st Currie	Luke Agati	M: 0478 631 356	Located on the Grounds of the Currie Lighthouse Open 2 - 4pm Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday, Sunday kimuseum7256@gmail.com
King Island Pleasure Tours	Currie	Bev Kenney	M: 0421 062 246	Personalised & special interest tours To and from King Island www.kingislandtravel.com
King Island Travel and Tours	Grassy	Ian Johnson & Lucinda Dengerink	P: 03 6461 1177 F: 03 6461 1387 M: 0408 546 469	Specialty tours, 4wd tours. One day to Four Days tours. www.kingislandholidayvillage.com.au
Neptune's Garden	Currie	Ayra Baer	M: 0401 341 988	Private interactive pasta classes with a difference! Get a group together and have fun whilst learning tips and techniques to make brightly coloured pasta using natural ingredients email: ayrabaer@gmail.com
Reekara Top Shop	Reekara Community complex North rd, Reekara	Sandy Robinson	P: 0458 569 591	Locally produced Kelp craft; paintings and other hand-crafted items perfect for souvenirs. Tuesday 9.30 am - 2.30 pm Sundays 10 am - 4 pm and other times by appointment. Keep an eye out for our sign on the roadside near the complex. King Island Honey tastings when available
Southern Coast Charters		Barry & Maryann Pender	M: 0429 983 112	Fishing Charters from Port Fairy & mainland Victoria to King Island.

				Fishing charter vessel with room to sleep up to 10 people. www.southerncoastcharters.com.au
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WELLNESS SERVICES

King Island Reflexology - Currie

Anne Love M: 07424 273 301

Reiki & Aromatherapy - Currie

Belinda Smith M: 0408 797 526

Aromatherapy products for body & home, 100% pure essential oils & incense. Proudly designed, customised, blended & packaged on King Island by hand. We also offer relaxation Reiki & treatment packages.

Hawthorn Yoga in King Island - Jacqui & Shimon M: 0477 641 067

Jacqueline Brumley and Shimon Tchobutaru are Yoga teachers with over 60 years of collective experience. Jacqui & Shimon are available for group sessions (including weekly casual yoga classes) and private sessions to both locals and guests visiting the island. These sessions can be tailored to your requirements involving Yoga meditation & relaxation. Please also see their listing under tour operators.

WIFI SERVICES

Wi-Fi locations*

- outside Currie post office- Telstra Air free Wi-Fi
- Airport- Tas Gov Free Wi-Fi Service
- Currie Library – Tas Gov Free Wi-Fi service
- King Island Club, King Island Bakery, King Island Hotel
- King Island Visitor Information centre- 5 George Street, Currie

*Conditions might apply to services offered

King Island Tourism Inc & Visitors Information centre – KIRDO Building, 5 George Street, Currie – PO Box 96, Currie, TAS 7256

P: 03 6462 1355 or 1800 645 014 - tourism@kingisland.org.au – www.kingisland.org.au

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If you are looking for details of eateries on King Island, please see our Weekly What's on Guide

My Holiday Notes