

# Greater Shepparton *It's all here...*

Located at the base of the Newell Highway and on the junction of the Goulburn and Broken Rivers, Greater Shepparton is an easy two hour drive from Melbourne and a fantastic place to visit and experience.

With magnificent food and wine, beautiful countryside and waterways, the area has glorious weather and plenty of activities for everyone!

Greater Shepparton is home to a number of iconic and well known features, one being the MoovingArt public art exhibition. These lifesize colourful bovines are scattered throughout the municipality to reflect and celebrate the contribution of the dairy industry in Greater Shepparton. Be sure to spot Batcow and Moootilda traipsing around the municipality. The region is also home to Australia's best vanilla slice and novelty vanilla slice, just ask the friendly staff at the Visitor Information Centre as to where you can see the cows and experience a piece of heavenly slice.

Spring is a marvelous time to visit the region with the blossom from fruit trees on display throughout the orchards scattered around the area. This exhibition of colour is a parade of beauty of nature's early production of one of the region's core economies - fruit. You can also stock up the car with produce from the factory sales outlets the area has on offer. Bargains galore are available at the outlets which are sure to please the taste buds as well as the bank balance!

A family friendly destination, Greater Shepparton offers visitors an exciting experience through its diversity of attractions, wineries, galleries, shopping and townships. Experience it with the help from the friendly staff at the Visitor Information Centre, who can assist you with your travel plans to the region and make your stay a memorable one.

## Events:

**JANUARY** - International Dairy Week

**FEBRUARY** - Bushmarket

**MARCH** - SheppARTon Festival  
- Taste of Tatura

**MAY** - Dutton Rally

**AUGUST** - Winter Market

**SEPTEMBER** - Annual Mammoth Scale Fly In  
- Shepparton Swap Meet

**OCTOBER** - Shepparton Agricultural Show

**NOVEMBER** - Spring Car Nationals  
- Half Iron Man Triathlon

**DECEMBER**  
- Scott Peoples Memorial Cycle Race

## Accommodation

### Central Shepparton Apartments

507 Wyndham Street  
Shepparton VIC 3630  
ph: (03) 5821 4482  
email: [info@sheppapartments.com.au](mailto:info@sheppapartments.com.au)  
web: [www.sheppapartments.com.au](http://www.sheppapartments.com.au)

Modern two bedroom apartments. All apartments are 4 star rated, spacious and tastefully furnished to the highest standards for your comfort. 24 hour automatic reception, off street parking, some apartments have spas, all within walking distance to the CBD and opposite the beautiful Lake Victoria. Opened December, 2007.

### Goulburn Valley Motor Village

8047 Melbourne Road  
Shepparton VIC 3631  
ph: (03) 5823 1561 fax: (03) 5823 1038  
email: [shepparton@motorvillage.com.au](mailto:shepparton@motorvillage.com.au)  
web: [www.motorvillage.com.au](http://www.motorvillage.com.au)

Whether you want to rest for the night or stay awhile, Goulburn Valley Motor Village is the perfect place, located in Shepparton the Food Bowl of Australia, with an emphasis on family, service and comfort. Enjoy your stay among the gum trees.

### Country Comfort Shepparton

481 Wyndham Street  
Shepparton VIC 3630  
ph: (03) 5821 5822 fax: (03) 5821 0894  
reservations.[shepparton@countrycomforthotels.com](mailto:shepparton@countrycomforthotels.com)  
web: [www.countrycomforthotels.com](http://www.countrycomforthotels.com)

Located in the heart of Shepparton, this 3½ - 4 star property offers the very best in accommodation, including two swimming pools, spa, sauna, Ginjar Restaurant open breakfast, lunch and dinner. All day room service available with 24 hour check in.

### Belltower Motel

587 Wyndham Street  
Shepparton VIC 3630  
ph: (03) 5821 8755 fax: (03) 5831 3232  
email: [belltower@bigpond.net.au](mailto:belltower@bigpond.net.au)  
web: [www.belltowermotorinn.biz](http://www.belltowermotorinn.biz)

19 large well appointed modern units with ensuites. Inground pool and bbq. Close to fast food outlets and shops. Secure parking.  
Your hosts: Sue and Lindsay Pollock.

### Monichino Wines

70 Berrys Road  
Katunga VIC 3640  
ph: (03) 5864 6452 fax: (03) 5864 6538  
email: [info@monichino.com.au](mailto:info@monichino.com.au)  
web: [www.monichino.com.au](http://www.monichino.com.au)  
Premium wines, full bodied aroma and richness. Monichino winery estate, dedicated to creating a tradition of excellence. Cellar door open for tastings 7 days a week. 9am to 5pm Monday to Saturday and 10am - 5pm Sunday.

### Locheilan Farmhouse Cheese and B&B

Central Mundoona Road, Wunghnu VIC 3635  
ph: (03) 5826 9581 fax: (03) 5826 9581  
email: [cheese@locheilan.com.au](mailto:cheese@locheilan.com.au)  
web: [www.locheilan.com.au](http://www.locheilan.com.au)  
Authentic farmhouse cheesery. Meet Bruce the cheesemaker and farmer for tastings and sales. B&B accommodation available also.

### Giggle Kids

13A Callister Street, Shepparton VIC 3630  
Phone: (03) 5821 4661  
Giggle Kids indoor play centre. Fun for the whole family. Active kids are healthy kids, relaxed parents are better parents. Come and play on our 3 level structure. Fabulous coffee and great food. Perfect rest stop for the long distance travelers and wear out the children.

### SPC Ardmona KidsTown

Midland Highway, Shepparton VIC 3630  
ph: (03) 5831 4213  
email: [kidstown@shepparton.net.au](mailto:kidstown@shepparton.net.au)  
web: [www.kidstown.org.au](http://www.kidstown.org.au)  
Widely recognized as Australia's best children's playground. Entry is by gold coin donation.

### Shepparton Art Gallery

Eastbank Centre, Welsford Street  
Shepparton VIC 3630  
ph: (03) 5832 9861 fax: (03) 5831 8480  
email: [art.gallery@shepparton.vic.gov.au](mailto:art.gallery@shepparton.vic.gov.au)  
web: [www.greatershepparton.com.au/artgallery](http://www.greatershepparton.com.au/artgallery)  
The Shepparton Art Gallery is well known and respected for its collection of Australian ceramics from the convict period through to the present.

### Aquamoves

Tom Collins Drive, Shepparton VIC 3630  
email: [customerservice@aquamoves.com.au](mailto:customerservice@aquamoves.com.au)  
web: [www.aquamoves.com.au](http://www.aquamoves.com.au)  
Aquamoves is Greater Shepparton's premier recreational centre with both indoor and outdoor pools, spacious gym and cardio room offering a great exercise experience.

### Tatura Irrigation & Wartime Camps Museum

Lyn: (03) 5824 1867 or Mignon: (03) 5824 1367.  
Experience the fascinating history of the 7 POW and internment camps in this area during WWII with unique artifacts on display. Open 1-3pm weekdays, 2-4pm weekends and public holidays.