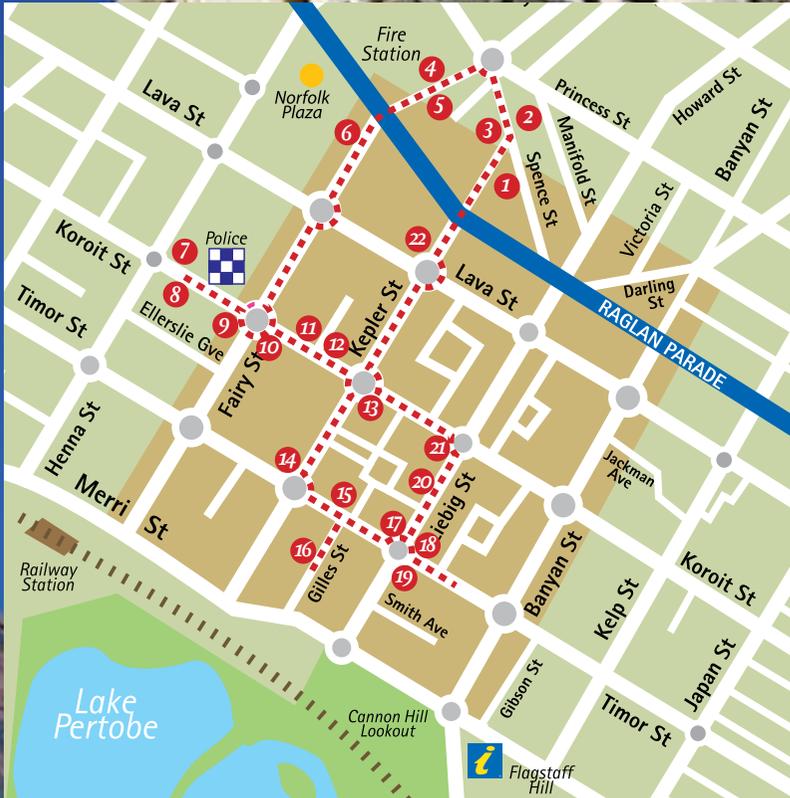


Warrnambool is home to many historic buildings and the CBD provides a cluster of sites which can be appreciated as you wander through the city streets.

CBD HERITAGE TRAIL

3km heritage walk to some of Warrnambool's most famous and attractive buildings



SUGGESTED STARTING POINT:

1 SWAN RESERVE

On the site of the former Municipal Victoria Saleyards and named after Cr. James Swan, Mayor 1927–8 (note the old limestone wall). Originally Swan Reserve occupied the median strip currently between Kepler and Fairy Streets. The name was transferred to the old saleyards site.

2 ST. JOHN'S CHURCH

Completed in 1875, designed by Andrew Kerr and rebuilt after it was burnt down in 1920.

3 IERNE

This two-storey residence on the corner of Kepler and Spence Streets was built in 1883 for Dr. Fleetwood.

4 WARRNAMBOOL PRIMARY SCHOOL no. 1743

Was opened in 1876. The bell tower was a later addition.

5 VICTORIAN VILLAS

Opposite Warrnambool Primary School. These 19th century homes are noteworthy for their distinctive Italianate-style barge boards.

6 FAIRY STREET

- No. 181 was McSweeney's Cordial Factory.
- No. 165 old Olive Branch Hotel.
- Hammond's Paint Shop was once Elliot's Boot Factory.
- Lava Street corner - the building with the wheat sheaf motif was Smith's Bakery and, moving south, McConnell's Livery and Letting Stables, and W.J. Taggart, Tailor.
- Lynch's store today housed the merchants Russell and Powell.
- West Lava Street corner - a row of historic buildings once housing:
 - W Stevens Produce Store
 - Lance, plumber
 - Sambell, chemist
 - Robinson & Morse vehicle maker (Callaghans today)
- The shops in a southerly direction from the Caledonian Hotel were once known as Gray's Coliseum.

7 CHRIST CHURCH (KOROIT ST.)

1854–6 double nave church (Nathaniel Billing, architect) and the tower added in 1882 (Andrew Kerr architect).

8 ELLERSLIE COLLEGE

Built as a school and notable for the carved limestone.

9 ROYAL ARCHER HOTEL (KOROIT ST.)

Originally in the area between Ellerslie College and the corner building.

10 NAYLER'S CORNER (KOROIT ST.)

The Retravision Store today was formerly known as Nayler's Corner (General Store). The building next door was Salter's store and later Murrell's the furrier. Note the clerestory skylights.

11 AMBLESIDE (KOROIT ST.)

Once a residence and surgery for a number of doctors.

12 THE FORMER WARRNAMBOOL STANDARD OFFICE (KOROIT ST.)

The westerly section was once part of the business of Bloomfield Brothers, skin and hide dealers.

13 OZONE COFFEE PALACE

The Warrnambool Hotel is on the site of the Ozone Coffee Palace, built in 1890, burnt down in 1929 as the Hotel Mansions and the most magnificent building ever erected in Warrnambool.

14 INTERSECTION OF KEPLER & TIMOR STS

Four buildings of note - the former Bank of Australasia, (now a nightclub), the National Bank, the Western Hotel (1869), once a Cobb and Co. staging post and the former A.M.P. office, now part of TAFE.

15 TIMOR STREET

Many Heritage listed buildings - note the tiled entrance on No. 198 and the protective hub stone at the lane.

16 GILLES STREET

An historic precinct including the old Court House (1871), the old Police Station and stables, lock up and residence and the old Customs House.

17 COMMERCIAL HOTEL

Built in 1856 and now the Whalers' Hotel.

18 CRAMOND AND DICKSON STORE

At the corner of Liebig and Timor Streets was the Cramond and Dickson store trading from 1856 to 1973.

19 TIMOR STREET

Flanking the Civic Green are two remnants of what was once Warrnambool's main commercial centre - the Regal Cafe, once known as Scherell's building which housed the National Bank and, fronting Liebig Street, the former Steam Navigation Company office (1886) which is now part of the Art Gallery.

20 LIEBIG STREET

Most of the two-storeyed buildings were erected in the late 1800s.

21 FLETCHER JONES CORNER

Corner of Liebig and Koroit Street where the famous men's store was located (now Kodak Express).

22 ST. JOSEPH'S CHURCH (KEPLER ST.)

Completed in 1872 with the spire added in 1886 and slightly shortened following damage caused by a lightning strike. The original church on the site stands on the Raglan Parade/Kepler Street corner.