

Public art and heritage trail

GREENBANK TO VERESDALE



TRAIL NO.2 in a series of five public art and heritage trails throughout the City of Logan



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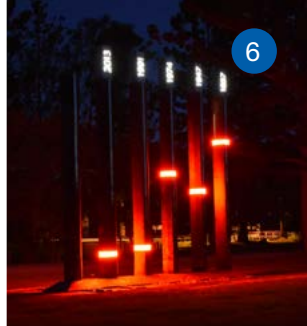


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The City of Logan: Rich in history, creative in spirit

Follow the Mt Lindesay Highway from Greenbank to Veresdale and discover public art and heritage unique to the City of Logan. With more than 20 sites to visit, you could create your own 'highlights' tour, or gather some friends, pack the car and explore them all!

- 1** **Gallipoli's mirage** by Jacques van der Merwe is best seen from the Greenbank RSL car park. It commemorates 100 years since Australian and New Zealand troops first landed on the beach at Anzac Cove in April 1915.
- 2** Look for the **painted poppies** along Anzac Avenue and a mural **Lest we forget** at the highway underpass.
- 3** **Park Ridge State School** opened in 1895. The current school office building was built around 1900 at Browns Plains and moved to Park Ridge in 1913.
- 4** **Greenbank State School** opened in 1893. It is a simple 'tin and timber' structure built around 1892.
- 5** The story of **Jerry's Downfall** dates from at least 1866. Jerry, a South Sea Islander from the 'Townsvale' plantation, capsized a bullock drey of cotton while crossing Chambers Creek.



6 **Tully Memorial Park** is a lovely picnic ground with a plaque commemorating Captain Patrick Logan's crossing of Logan River in July 1827. Flood markers show the levels of the 1887, 1947, 1974, 1991 and 2013 floods.

7 **Maclean Cemetery** was established around 1904, with land for the cemetery originally donated by the Brennan family.

8 **Maclean Bridge** was first built in 1863 to cross the Logan River or 'Dugullumba' in Yugambah language. A higher timber structure was built in 1876 and a third bridge, still in use, was built in 1934.

9 **Sri Selva Vinayakar** is a Hindu temple built in traditional Indian style by temple builders and sculptors invited from South India.

10 Mundoolun (meaning 'death adder') was settled by the Collins family in the 1840s. The heritage-listed **Memorial Church of St John the Evangelist** (Mundoolun Church) was built in 1901 as a memorial to John and Anne Collins by their children. Bullum (John Allen) of the Wanggeriburra people was adopted by the Collins family. He died in 1931 and is buried in the cemetery.

11 **Jimboomba House** was built around 1851 for the Henderson family. It served as a stage coach depot on the Casino mail route. The house was relocated from its original site on the property and is now a restaurant.

12 The early 20th century **Jimboomba Public Hall** has been an important part of Jimboomba's social life for many years.

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13 **Dorrington House** is an original late 19th century homestead. First located on Queen Street, it was moved to its current location on Johanna Street in 2006.

14 Jimboomba Uniting Church is a simple weatherboard building in the English Gothic style constructed in 1909. Now known locally as **The Little Brown Church**, inter-denominational services were held here until 1967.

15 Outside Jimboomba Library you will find **Flowing water**, a sculpture by Japanese artist Tatsumi Sakai. It was created in 2008 during the International Sculpture Symposium organised by the Beaudesert and District Creative Arts Projects.

16 **Jimboomba Colonial Village** on Cusack Lane is a great place to stop for a snack. These old houses were moved here in the late 1990s, raised and built in underneath to become cafes and shops.

17 **Jimboomba State School** was opened in 1890 in a hall owned by the Presbyterian Church. This school building was constructed around 1900.

18 The historic **Broomfield Homestead** was built for George Harrison and his family around 1887, from timber found on the property. The homestead is privately owned and can be glimpsed through the trees from the highway.

19 Townsville National School opened in 1873. The original school building fell victim to termites and another building was moved here from Kalbar. The school's name changed to Veresdale in 1874 and to **Woodhill State School** in the early 1900s, after the Ferguson family property name.



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20 The **Bethania to Beaudesert rail line** opened in 1888 as a branch of the Brisbane to Beenleigh railway line. Passenger services ceased in 1961 and the last goods train rolled on the tracks in 1996. The old tracks can best be seen at Hiscock Road.

21 **Hiscock Road Cottage** was built around 1875. It is a colonial style cottage with a short ridged roof and has verandas around the perimeter.

22 David and Jane Ferguson donated the land for the **Woodhill Cemetery** when their 11-year-old son George was killed after a fall from a horse in 1873. The site was proclaimed a crown reserve for cemetery purposes in 1879.

23 Built in 1879 as the Veresdale Courthouse, **Woodhill Community Hall** was relocated to Woodhill in 1894. The **Woodhill War Memorial** is in front of the hall.

24 From the back deck of **Veresdale Hotel** you can look across what once was Robert Towns' cotton plantation 'Townsvale'. South Sea Islanders arrived here in August 1863 to work on the farm as indentured labourers.

25 Continue along Mt Lindesay Highway to find the **Australian South Sea Islander Wayfinder** sculpture by Logan artist Kakae Pakoa. Located close by in Scenic Rim, the sculpture commemorates 150 years since the arrival of the first indentured South Sea Islander labourers in Queensland.

GREENBANK AND PARK RIDGE

- Gallipoli's mirage**
Greenbank RSL, 54 Anzac Ave, Hillcrest
- Painted poppies and mural**
Anzac Ave
- Park Ridge State School**
3776 – 3796 Mount Lindesay Hwy
- Greenbank State School**
22-36 Goodna Rd

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- Jerry's Downfall Monument**
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NORTH MACLEAN

- Tully Memorial Park**
Beryl Pde
- Maclean Cemetery**
Lot 75, Scott Ln

SOUTH MACLEAN

- Maclean Bridge**
Logan River
- Sri Selva Vinayakar**
4915-4923 Mount Lindesay Hwy

MUNDOOLUN

- Memorial Church of St John the Evangelist (Mundoolun Church)**
Mundoolun Rd. 1.4 km from the Beaudesert-Beenleigh Rd intersection
Opening hours: Sun 9.30am - 5pm;
Mon - Wed 9.30am - 12.30pm

JIMBOOMBA

- Jimboomba House**
Hills International College and Hills Golf Course, 105-111 Johanna St
- Jimboomba Public Hall**
14 Johanna St (entrance from Honora St)
- Dorrington House**
Rotary Park, Johanna St
- Little Brown Church (Old Jimboomba Uniting Church)**
Rotary Park, Johanna St
- Flowing water sculpture**
18-22 Honora St
- Jimboomba Colonial Village**
Cusack Ln
- Jimboomba State School**
97 – 109 Brisbane St

CEDAR VALE

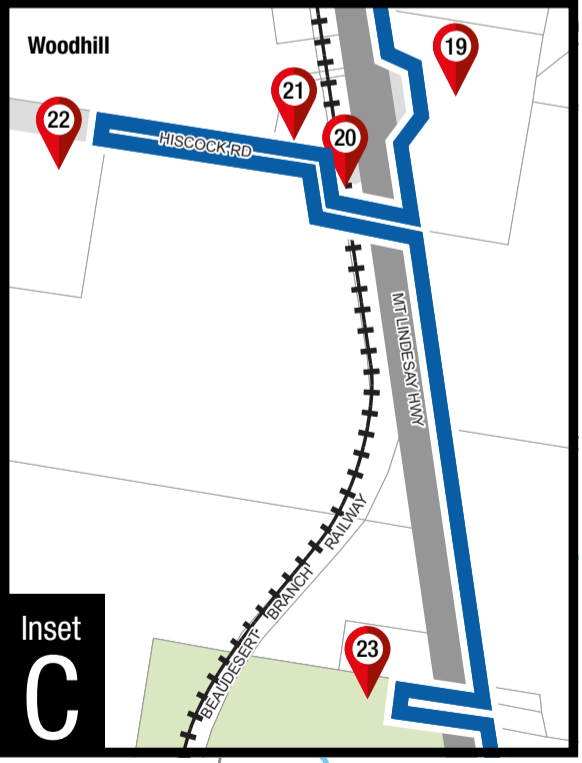
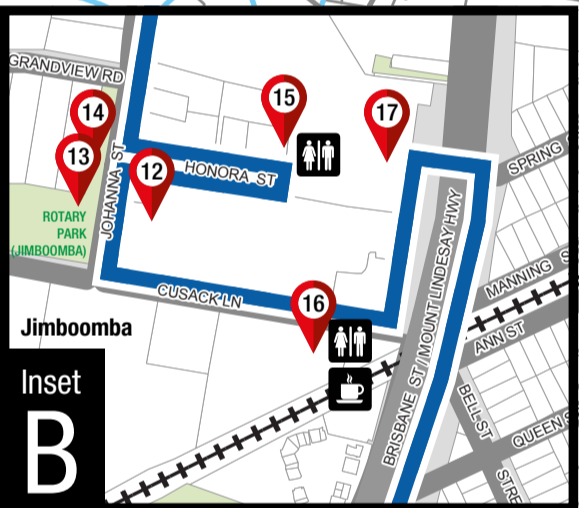
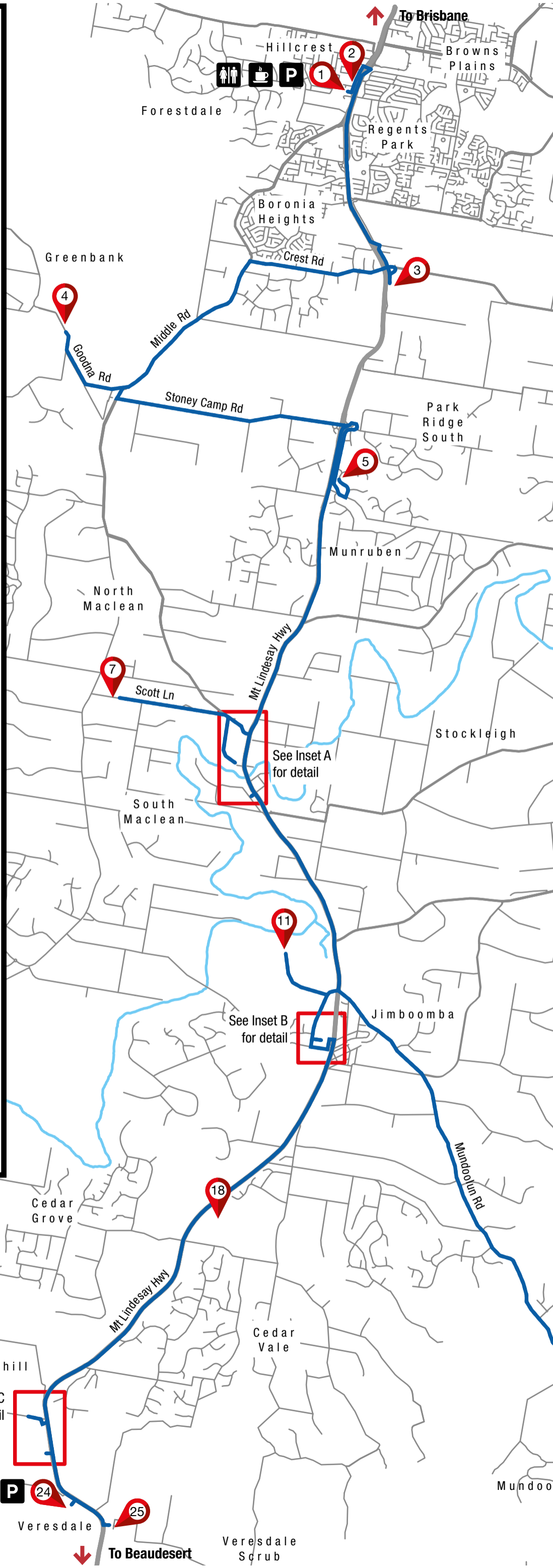
- Broomfield Homestead**
5537 Mount Lindesay Hwy (not open to public)

WOODHILL

- Woodhill State School**
6027 Mount Lindesay Hwy
- Bethania to Beaudesert rail line**
Hiscock Rd
- Hiscock Road Cottage**
14 Hiscock Rd (not open to public)
- Woodhill Cemetery**
45 Hiscock Rd
- Woodhill Community Hall and War Memorial**
6098 Mount Lindesay Hwy

VERESDALE

- Veresdale Hotel**
6202 Mount Lindesay Hwy
Opening hours: daily 10am – midnight
- Australian South Sea Islander Wayfinder sculpture**
Corner of Mount Lindesay Hwy and Worendo St



↓ To Beaudesert

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This trail highlights some of the many public art and heritage sites in the City of Logan. Contact localstudies@logan.qld.gov.au if you know of other sites that could be included.

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