Fancy a cycle around the stunning Swan Valley?

HERE’S FOUR DIFFERENT SWAN VALLEY ROUTES TAKING IN SOME OF THE VALLEY’S MOST EXCITING SIGHTS AND SURROUNDINGS!

**ROUTE ONE**

**GUILDFORD - SWAN VALLEY - WEST SWAN ROAD**

- 15km
- 30km return
- G8S MAP START POINT (Guildford Map)
- £5 MAP END POINT (Swan Valley Map)

This hearty cycle starts in historic Guildford and focuses largely on the Western aspect of the Swan Valley, taking in an abundance of attractions including Sandalford and Lancaster wineries, the Margaret River Chocolate Company, Aboriginal art galleries and olive mill.

- Arrive at Guildford station by rail or car.
- From Guildford Station, turn left and cycle along the shared use walk/bike path for around 200m, until you reach the railway crossing.
- Cross the railway line then continue 300m diagonally through Station Square past St Matthew’s Church.
- If you require more information on the Swan Valley, cross the street and call into the Swan Valley Visitor Centre. Otherwise, turn left off the park onto Meadow Street and continue cycling straight ahead.
- The distance from the roundabout by the Visitor Centre (Stirling Square past St Matthew’s Church) is 3km.

**EXTENSION**

**32KM SWAN VALLEY FOOD & WINE TRAIL LOOP**

**DETOURS**

- More experienced cyclists may wish to continue 3.3km further along West Swan Road to Great Northern Highway. The complete loop back to the Visitor Centre in Guildford is 32km including detours.

**ROUTE TWO**

**MAALI FOOTBRIDGE TO WEST SWAN ROAD**

- 4km
- 1km return
- G10 MAP START POINT
- £10 MAP END POINT

This family friendly course begins halfway up the Swan Valley and takes in many wineries, breweries, galleries and attractions.

- Drive to the Maali Footbridge carpark, which you can access by turning left onto Barret Street from Great Northern Highway.
- Cross the Swan River using the Maali Footbridge and turn right onto West Swan Road.
- Continue on the shared use path until you reach West Swan Oval, let the kids run free on the playground, enjoy a picnic and then head across the road for a game of Siga Golf.

**DETOUR ONE 2.8KM**

- Turn left onto Boulevard Avenue, Courtenham, then right onto-Adam Road, then right onto-4.8km

**DETOUR TWO 3.8KM**

- Turn left onto-Moor Road, then right onto-Moor Road, then right onto-Haddrill Road. Where you've finished exploring, turn right onto Haddrill Road and take a short right onto-Haddrill Road for 1km until you reach-Campbell Road.

**DETOUR THREE 3.8KM**

- Continue past Lennard Street where you will pass the studio of art-1.5km

**DETOUR FOUR 3.8KM**

- Continue along the loop of Swan Road and Railway Parade. Turn right here, then left onto Barrett Street to return to the start point.

**ROUTE THREE**

**MAALI FOOTBRIDGE, SWAN RIVER - EASTERN SWAN VALLEY**

- 18km
- 60km return
- CIRCULAR ROUTE
- £0 MAP START POINT
- £10 MAP END POINT
- £10 MAP END POINT

This route showcases many of the Swan Valley’s exciting attractions on the eastern side.

- Ride 1.1km from Maali carpark to Great Northern Highway. Turn right, taking great care while crossing this busy road.
- Travel for 500m before turning left onto Lennard Street. (Note: the remainder of this route is on-road).
- Travel along Lennard Street for 100m, before turning left onto Railway Crescent (see detour one).
- Continue for 4.3km until you reach Haddrill Road. Turn right onto Haddrill Road (see detour one continued) and continue for 2.1km, passing wineries, breweries and restaurants (see detour two).
- Turn right onto 4km

**DETOUR ONE 1.5KM**

- Likes Hill Park (B11)

**DETOUR TWO 4.8KM**

- Whitman Park (C12)

**DETOUR THREE 1.5KM**

- Whitman Park (C12)

**DETOUR FOUR 1.5KM**

- Art adventure (A10)

**DETOUR FIVE 3.5KM**

- Art adventure (A10)

**ROUTE FOUR**

**MEMORIAL AVENUE – MEET THE WINEMAKERS**

- 3km
- 0.3KM WINERIES
- £3 MAP START POINT
- £3 MAP END POINT

This fast and fun ride is great for the whole family and takes in five wineries.

- Park at Basketwll Oval, turn left in right to visit any of the five wineries along Memorial Avenue.

**USEFUL CONTACTS/FURTHER INFORMATION**

The Department of Transport is dedicated to encouraging people to cycle and in promoting safety. The Department can advise you on whom to contact about cycle lanes, other bike rides in the metropolitan area and about cycling clubs.

Publications on cycling activities and a range of maps are available from Metropolitan Bike shops, the Bicycle Alliance and local Government Authorities.

Active Transport phone 6551 6000 or visit www.transport.wa.gov.au/activetransport/cycling

Report any hazards on bike paths to City of Swan, phone 9267 9267.

For visitor information, maps, gifts and souvenirs, accommodation and your bookings contact:

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**THE SWAN VALLEY**

Load up your bike, or hire one if you prefer, and take a leisurely pedal around this charming corner of the world.

Stock up on seasonal produce from our famous road-side stalls, picked straight from the back yard. Think plum logs, sweet cherries, asparagus and vine-opened tomatoes.

Call in to top-notch restaurants and cafes along the way - from fine dining to salt-of-the-earth pub grub; to traditional high tea, there’s a taste to suit all.

The area is bustling with artisan wares to purchase, from extra virgin olive oil, specialty cheese, marinated olives, tapenades, dried fruits, pickles and preserves to handmade chocolate, fudge, truffles, nuts and nougat.

The Swan Valley is also home to some of the oldest vines in Western Australia, celebrating over 180 years in winemaking in 2014, as well as some of the states most iconic wineries such as Sandalford and Houghton.

With little rain and a hot sun overhead, the Swan Valley’s earth plays the perfect host to world-class varieties of Chenin Blanc, Verdelho, Shiraz, Cabernet and Petit Verdot. The long, hot summers mean grapes can be treated to extra opening time, creating the ultra high sugar levels needed for fortifieds and rare and coveted liqueurs such as Shiraz and Verdelho.

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**Happy cycling!**

**We’re bicycle friendly**

Great news - the Swan Valley is packed with cycle friendly businesses that are set up to make your visit easy and enjoyable.

Keep an eye out for the cycle friendly sticker at the front door of participating businesses otherwise obtain a full list before you set off from the Swan Valley Visitor Centre.

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**SWAN VALLEY FOOD & WINE TRAIL MAP**

including cycle routes

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**Introducing the SWAN VALLEY HERITAGE CYCLE TRAIL**

The Swan Valley Heritage Cycle Trail takes in the rich history, interesting characters and natural elements of the Swan Valley.

The mostly flat trail stretches over 13km, following West Swan Road, and features a shared-use path that is suitable for riders of all ages and fitness levels. It can be returned at three points - Stirling Square in Guildford, on the Moa Foreshore and West Swan Hall.

A stunning showcase of fresh produce stalls, pretty picnic spots, exciting galleries, and a host of world class wineries and restaurants, there are countless opportunities to enjoy an abundance of experiences.