

Lockhart

Covering over 500 hectares of thriving bushland, Galore Hill Scenic Reserve provides a natural habitat for a wide variety of native flora and fauna including grey kangaroos, echidnas and 140 different species of birds.

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visit LOCKHART SHIRE Galore Hill Scenic Reserve is one of the most impressive landmarks in the Riverina region, rising over 200 metres above the surrounding plains. It is a very special area and as such the Wiradjuri people ask that you come here respectfully and enjoy the:

garray (land); balugan (animals); and mayiny (people) of this place.

Over 850 different varieties of Australian native plants grow here and in springtime Galore Hill is a colourful array of wattles, grevilleas, hakeas, and flowering eucalyptus.

Folklore has it that Galore Hill Scenic Reserve is indebted to early settler Henry Osborne for its unusual name. It is said that, after climbing to the top, Osborne shouted to the world: There's land enough and galore for me.

Galore Hill is a popular destination for locals and visitors, with opportunities for picnicking, nature study, geology, photography, bush walking, rock climbing, mountain biking and horse riding.

Signed walking tracks take in the caves of infamous bushranger, Daniel 'Mad Dog' Morgan's. These caves were used by the bushranger as a refuge from the authorities. A lookout tower on the Summit affords 360-degree, panoramic views of the surrounding countryside. The best time to visit is late Winter – Spring as Canola fields are in full bloom (pending season).

