



New **doctor** information pack.

About Parkes.

Parkes is a rural town in central New South Wales, which boasts a lively, contemporary atmosphere and a diverse range of local attractions which make the town a major tourist destination. Parkes is an important location for the Australian scientific community, as it is home to the CSIRO Parkes Observatory, as well as the iconic CSIRO Parkes Radio Telescope ("the Dish"), two key locations from which Australian scientists have assisted NASA during several missions. The adjoining Visitor Discovery Centre is popular with tourists travelling through central New South Wales, eager to learn about astronomy and Australia's role in space exploration, and visit the main feature of the classic Australian comedy film "The Dish."

Other attractions in the area include the Henry Parkes Centre, which displays several interesting art and history exhibitions (including an array of Elvis Presley artefacts!); Bushmans Hill, a century-old gold mine; The Big Fish Fossil Hut, which displays information about and specimens of prehistoric wildlife (including dinosaurs!) that inhabited eastern Australia over the past 700 million years; the Wiradjuri Amphitheatre, which reveals the cultural and spiritual indigenous heritage of the area; the Parkes Aviation Museum, which exhibits the long history of aviation in Parkes; and the Parkes War Memorial commemorating Australian wartime history and sacrifice.

Residents of Parkes enjoy warm summers and mild winters, beautiful regional scenery, and plenty of local parks and reserves, perfect for relaxing with a picnic or barbecue.



Things to see & do in Parkes.

CSIRO Parkes Radio Telescope Visitor Centre

A Telescope Rd, Parkes

P 02 6861 1777

csiro.au/parkes

McFeeters Motor Museum

A Oxford St, Forbes

P 02 6852 3001

motormuseum.com.au

Twisted River Wines

A 6056 Henry Parkes Way, Manildra

P 02 6364 5447

twistedriverwines.com.au

Big Fish Fossil Hut

A 2 Ween Street, Parkes

P 02 6869 1422

Henry Parkes Centre

A Newell Hwy, Parkes

P 1800 624 365

visitparkes.com.au

Memorial Hill Lookout

A Centre of Parkes

Parkes Aviation Museum

A Muzycuk Dr, Parkes

Public Art Trail

parkes.nsw.gov.au

Wiradjuri Amphitheatre

A Wentworth Street, Parkes

visitparkes.com.au

For more things to see & do in Parkes such as the Parkes Elvis Festival visitparkes.com.au

How to get to Parkes.

FROM SYDNEY

- Fly 1HR via Regional Express
- Drive 5HRS via Great Western Hwy

FROM CANBERRA

- Drive 3.5HRS via B81



Useful information.

SHOPS & SERVICES

Coles

A 31 Bogan, Parkes
P 02 6863 6200

Woolworths

A 299 Clarinda St, Parkes
P 02 6862 7202

IGA Parkes

A 362 Clarinda St, Parkes
P 02 6862 2522

ALDI

A Caledonia & Clarinda St, Parkes
P 13 25 34

newsXpress

A 284 Clarinda St, Parkes
P 02 6862 2296

Australia Post

A 34—36 Welcome St, Parkes
P 13 13 18

Ron Dunford Chemist

A 280 Clarinda St, Parkes
P 02 6862 1099

Commonwealth Bank

A 299 Clarinda St, Parkes
P 13 22 21

ANZ

A 211 Clarinda St, Parkes
P 02 6441 4120

Westpac

A 270 Clarinda St, Parkes
P 02 6816 3566

ANZ

A 211 Clarinda St, Parkes
P 02 6441 4120

Caltex

A 352-360 Clarinda St, Parkes
P 02 6862 1790

BP

A Forbes Rd, Parkes
P 02 6862 1188

Shell

A 46 Peak Hill Rd, Parkes
P 02 8280 1009

Parkes Shire Library

A 25 Bogan St, Parkes
P 02 6861 2309

SCHOOLS & CHILDCARE

Parles Public School

A 77-85 Currajong St, Parkes
P 02 6862 1702

Parkes High School

A 2A Albert St, Parkes
P 02 6862 1844

Middleton Public School

A 39 Victoria St, Grafton
P 02 6642 2011

Parkes East Public School

A 2 Want St, Parkes
P 02 6862 2021

Parkes Christian School

A 243 Back Trundle Rd, Parkes
P 02 6862 4164

Holy Family Primary School

A 37 High St, Parkes
P 02 6862 1610

RESTAURANTS, PUBS & CAFES

Bellas Cafe

A 245 Clarinda St, Parkes
P 02 6862 4212
bellascafe.com.au

Fu Yuan Chinese Restaurant

A 342 Clarinda St, Parkes
P 02 6862 2478

Star Hotel

A 350 Clarinda St, Parkes
P 02 6862 2254

Bent Food & Wine

A 10 Court St, Parkes
P 02 6862 2229
bentfoodandwine.com.au

Hong Loch Chinese Restaurant

A 210 Clarinda St, Parkes
P 6862 4233

Parkes Indian Cuisine

A 33 Welcome St, Parkes
P 02 6862 3333

Chong Hing Restaurant

A 178 Clarinda St, Parkes
P 02 6862 2586

Astro Dish Restaurant

A 10/16 Bogan St, Parkes
P 02 6862 3000
astrodishrestaurant.com.au

Ikon

A 7-9 Bushman St, Parks
P 02 6862 6236
ikonparkes.com.au

ACCOMMODATION

The Old Parkes Convent

A 33 Currajong St, Parkes
P 02 6862 5385
parkesconvent.com.au

Astro Dish Motor Inn

A 10-16 Bogan St, Parkes
P 02 6862 3000
astrodish.com.au

Station Motel

A 82 Peak Hill Rd, Parkes
P 02 6862 8444
stationmotel.com.au

Hotel Gracelands

A 7-9 Bushman St, Parkes
P 02 6862 3459
gracelandsparkes.com.au

OTHER MEDICAL SERVICES

Parkes General Practice

A 25 Church St, Parkes
P 6862 6668

Currajong Street Medical Centre

A 61 Currajong St, Parkes
P 02 6862 1699

Parkes Diagnostic Imaging

A 1/344 Clarinda St, Parkes
P 02 6862 3399

Parkes Community Health Centre

A 18 Coleman Road, Parkes
P 02 6861 2400



About the **Medical Centre.**

Ochre Medical Centre Parkes

A 335 Clarinda St, Parkes

P 02 6862 2511

E ohmcparkes@ochrehealth.com.au

Open Mon – Fri 8:30AM-5:30PM
Closed Weekends & public holidays

Ochre Health took over the running of Clarinda Street Medical Centre on Monday 3rd November 2014. The practice has been in operation at the current premises for more than 50 yrs. The doctors provide primary healthcare for a wide range of medical problems including general practice consultations, minor surgery (skin cancers etc.), sports injuries, obstetric, WorkCover, diabetic, pre anaesthetic checks, pre employment medicals, counselling & mental health. Our nursing team are available for immunisations, vaccinations, BP monitoring, INR monitoring, ECG's, health assessments & diabetes management, all supervised by the doctors.

DWS No

RVTS Yes

RLRP No

GPRIIPS Yes

RA3 / MM4

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