

MURGON—Things to do

Museums

Visit the Qld. Dairy & Heritage Museum right on the edge of town...a village type complex with great displays on the dairying industry and heritage buildings showcasing many collections including a Lapidary display from local gems and Telephones & Exchange switchboards.

Aboriginal craft

Visit the Ration Shed Museum at Cherbourg & learn how life was & is for this aboriginal community. Purchase a piece of aboriginal art from the Art Gallery. Have a cuppa at the Yurri Muntha Cafe & then take in the views over BP Dam from the Bertie Button Lookout.

Drives

Take a scenic drive in the country. See our map for the Winery Drive, Boat Mountain/Tableland Drive or the Agricultural Drive. Take a picnic lunch and pull up at one of the Rest Areas or enjoy lunch at a country Pub or one of the Wineries.

Wineries

Sample some of our local wines with a platter or a delicious lunch at our Wineries...5 to choose from. Join in the fun at Moffatdale Ridge's Tuscan Feast...held on the last Sunday of each month.

Shopping

Indulge in some retail therapy. Find yourself a momento of Murgon at one of the many gift stores in town. We have everything you could need...Newsagency, Pharmacy, Country Clothing & Sports stores, Camping, Electrical, Hardware, Saddlery and lots more. Check out the Op Shop for a bargain.

Markets

Grab yourself a bargain at our CBD Markets held every 2nd Sunday of the month or check out our neighbouring towns for a market somewhere most weekends (see our Market Guide).

Boating/Fishing - Charter Boat

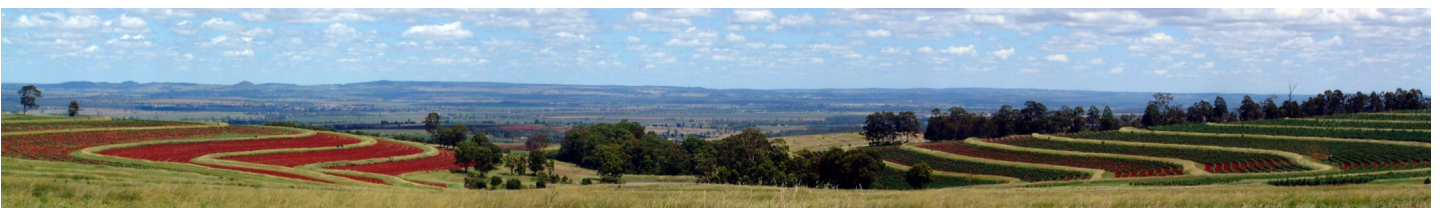
Bring your boat and drop in a line on the Bjelke-Petersen Dam or just enjoy a relaxing day on the water by hiring the Charter Boat...have a BBQ on board (Bookings in advance are necessary).

Bush Walking/Bird Watching.

Take the time to look around and enjoy Mother Nature at her best. Boat Mountain Conservation Park is a haven for wildlife and bird species. Then, just a short drive from this park while taking in the spectacular views from the Tableland area, you will find another short 20 min walk in the Jack Smith Regional Park where in the Spring you can see the Wonga Vine in flower twisting around the tree trunks. Another place to see birdlife in abundance is at the Bjelke-Petersen Dam...the king parrots, rainbow lorikeets and many other birds visit the park there. Koalas, wallabies and kangaroos are also regular visitors to the water's edge.

Camping

Camp in town or at the Caravan Parks just out of town - one set in the Bush & the other by the Water at BP Dam...relax and enjoy the birds and sunsets. Have a chat with fellow campers around a campfire.



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Pack a picnic and head out to the Dam where you'll find plenty of shady places, barbecues & picnic tables...watch the sun set over the water while you enjoy a barbecue in the cool of the evening. Kapernick Park up at Tableland also has a Rest Area & Toilets where you can take in spectacular views overlooking the valley and as far away as the Bunya Mts. You'll also find a Rest Area by the creek at Fick's Crossing....just a short drive from town.

Cafes/Restaurants

Try some Barramundi & Chips, grab a homemade Pizza or Curry for Dinner tonight or dine out at the Services Club or Lily Pond Restaurant. Meals on Friday night at the Golf Club.

Coffee Shops

Take a break and enjoy some delicious freshly baked Cake & Coffee at our Coffee Shops or Bakeries.

Old Time Dancing

Put on your swing skirt & dancing shoes and go dancing...starts at 1 pm every Thursday afternoon at the PCYC or visit the fully air conditioned gym and get yourself back on track.

Swimming

Take a refreshing swim at Murgon's brand new Aquatic Centre (opening Summer 2015) with modern amenities including outdoor showers and Kiosk or take a picnic and relax on the green lawns.

Golf, Bowls

Call in and have a game. Visitors are always welcome at these very active Clubs.

Cards/Bingo

Try your luck! Games on each week at several venues.

Visit the Men's Shed

Pop in and have a chat to the blokes on a Wednesday or Saturday morning.

Relaxing Massage/Beauty Treatment

Take some time out for yourself & enjoy a relaxing massage or a beauty treatment.

Saleyards

Check out the Cattle Sales - on every 2nd Tuesday morning.

Aero Club.

Meets every 2nd Saturday of the month at Angelfield. Feel free to drive in if you can't fly in. Come for breakfast!

Library/Movie

Borrow a book from the Library or hire a DVD from the Video Shop.

Neighbouring towns

A short 15 min drive away you can visit the Wondai Timber Museum, Art Gallery & Heritage Museum as well as an Antique Shop & Second-hand shop.

**You can learn more about Murgon & the South Burnett on our website:*

www.murgon.net.au

