

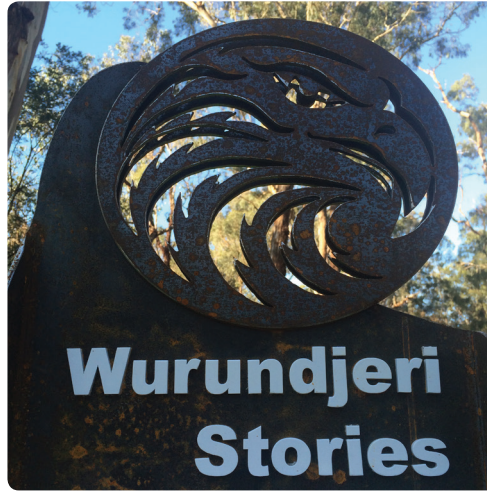
Wurundjeri Stories

Indigenous Interpretive Signage
Trail at Pound Bend

A FASCINATING WALK
THROUGH TIME



Warrandyte State Park, Pound Bend Road Warrandyte



Wurundjeri Stories is an interpretive signage trail at Pound Bend that explores the Wurundjeri history, culture, traditional life, spirituality, historical events and the people linked to this sacred site. The trail follows a flat 1km riverside path, which walkers may wish to continue along the 3.5km River Walk or Loop Walk.

Each sign features a section entitled 'Bunjil's Challenge' which encourages walkers to explore the local surrounds in search of key features such as bush tucker, and to consider traditional lifestyle scenarios, making the trail an incredibly engaging, thought provoking and interactive experience.

Wurundjeri Stories at Pound Bend can be enjoyed as:

- A self guided walk starting from the Pound Bend Tunnel sign (look for the rock emu painting) and follow the signage upstream.
- A Wurundjeri Elder facilitated excursion ideal for schools and groups who wish to experience an incredible cultural journey of stories, artefacts, dance and traditional life challenges along the trail with the guidance of a Wurundjeri Elder. A booking fee applies to this option.
- Join in the free public programs offered by Manningham City Council at this site during key events such as National Reconciliation Week, NAIDOC and National Heritage Week.

For more information about Wurundjeri Stories excursions, bookings and public programs, please visit www.manningham.vic.gov.au or phone Cultural Services on 9840 9246. For more information about the walking trails in the area, please visit www.parks.vic.gov.au

A Wurundjeri Stories interpretive sign is also located at Wittons Reserve in Wonga Park, which shares the Wurundjeri history of this site considered to be Sacred Women's Country. The sign marks the beginning of the scenic Mount Lofty walk, a section of the Wurundjeri Songline route, the major Wurundjeri travelling route to the Yarra Valley.