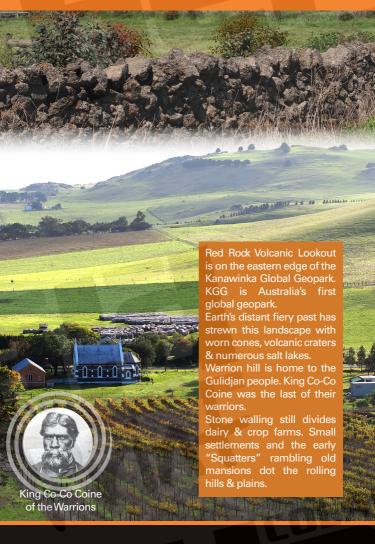


## RED ROCK LAKES & VOLCANIC CRATERS



1. Turn north off the highway onto an ancient lake bed raised by Warrion's eruption 80,000 years ago forming Lake Colac and the salty Lake Corangamite.

2. Red Rock Regional Theatre and Gallery (RRRTAG). A converted old Cororooke church, reflects the charm of its rural location. The state of art theatre and art gallery with a reputation for excellence is run by the community. The gallery opens weekends 11-4pm. Check www.redrockarts.com.au for other events.

**3. Corunnun Homestead.** From Lineen's Rd view the red stables seen by the lake. It is said to be Victoria's oldest continually lived in homestead. (Closed to the public).

4. Lake Corangamite Nature Reserve is Australia's largest permanent salt lake and home to migratory birds, endangered Corangamite Water Skink, lava flows and stone remnants of ancient Aboriginal fish traps and is part of the Ramsar Wetlands.

- **5. Red Rock Look Out** has breath taking 360° views and steep craters. Erupting as recently as 4,000 years ago, it has important dreaming lines for the local Gulidjan people.
- **6. Coragulac House** built in 1873 is the only one of the Robertson's mansions open for group viewing (strictly by appointment) www.coragulachouse.com.
- 7. Stone Walls. Warrion's volcanic lava is strewn north of Warrion Hill. The walls were created to clear the land and form barriers to cattle and rabbits. Melrose Rd and Duckholes Rd have good examples. In winter the depressions in these areas become swamps and home to migratory birds.
- **8. Beeac** has an excellent interpretive park and windmill display.
- **9. Meredith Park** tourist spot on the northern shore of Lake Colac.

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