

ACCESSIBILITY INFORMATION

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Getting there

The meeting point for the experience is outside the Tahbilk Wetlands View Restaurant located at 142 Mulberry Dr, Tabilk VIC 3608. This is 5km from the centre of Nagambie. The restaurant is well signed from the entrance of the winery.

Carparking is available within wooden fencing, divided into two sections adjacent to the restaurant building. The left section (closest to the building) has a flat, direct walkway to the entrance of the restaurant. The main entrance to the restaurant is up a relatively steep slope. There are picnic tables to the right of the entrance. Prior to the experience, accessible toilets can be accessed in the restaurant by asking your guide.



Restaurant

Entry to the restaurant is via a glass door with wooden detailing and a lever handle. The door is moderately heavy and swings outwards. Inside the restaurant is polished wooden floorboards. Tables are 750mm high with moveable chairs. There are glass doors with wooden detailing that provide access to a wooden deck. There is a small 2cm lip on the ground between the inside and outside area of the restaurant.

Toilet Facilities

Toilets are available at Tahbilk Wetlands Restaurant (or at the Cellar Door at the winery). There is a designated accessible toilet and change table. Please see photos here.

Please note: for approximately 1.5 hours of the experience, a toilet will not be available.



The boat pathway

The path to the boat from the Restaurant has a surface of compressed clay soil and rocky gravel. It is approximately 20m down to the landing with a moderate decline (or incline upon return).

The boat can be boarded via a ramp however there can be up to a 10cm lip between ground and the ramp and a small drop into the boat (10cm on an angle). There is also a 5cm lip in the sliding door frame to get into boat interior.

Ramp is 152cm wide and the door into the boat is 95cm.



Caption: Ramp access to the boat. Right: Pathway to access boat landing.



Pictured here – landing 2 (on the left) and Landing 3 (on the right)

Disembarking the boat uses the ramp however access is onto a moderately steep grassy bank within a metre of the walking path. May be difficult for a wheelchair but our guides can assist.

Walking Paths

The Indigenous Flora Trail along the Tahbilk wetlands is relatively flat. There is a mixture of gravel, rocky, firm clay and wooden board walk along the paths. In wetter months, paths can be slippery in some sections. Paths are 1.5m-2m wide.



Caption: Terrain of trails.

Sound

The experiences are generally quiet apart from the sounds of Country such as birds, frogs, water and the wind. We travel by bus that has a diesel engine. The boat we take at Tahbilk Wetlands is electric, so we float along quietly with no engine noise. Given Tahbilk's proximity to Puckapunyal Army Base, there can be the sounds of distant explosions. There is quiet music played on occasion during the experience.

Service dogs are permitted within this experience. Water and shelter are available for service animals.

Allergies

During our ceremonies we utilise smoke to cleanse our spirit and land and ensure your safe passage on Country. Please notify us prior if eucalyptus smoke may cause an issue. As our experiences aim to engage all senses, we will invite guests to touch and smell elements of Country such as plants.

Minimal food is provided – usually biscuits or cakes using native ingredients such as wattleseed or lemon myrtle. If you have any allergies please advise.

Dietary requirements can be catered to upon request.