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Great Ocean Road Virtual Tour
Travel Notes

Fairhaven to Lorne

From the Fairhaven Surf Club the Great Ocean Road hugs the Ocean until it rises to 95 metres above sea level at Big Hill near Cinema Point. It follows high on cliffs before swinging back to sea level at Cathedral Rock and follows the coast to Lorne

Approximately 1.5 km past the surf club if you can park, stop and look back, you can get an excellent photo of the Aires Inlet Lighthouse and the pole house. A further 3.5 kilometres from the Fairhaven Surf Club, the Great Ocean Road Memorial Arch is worth stopping at as it gives a good history lesson about the construction of the road and gives good views back to the Aires Inlet light house and Lorne(from beach). Allow 20 minutes for this stop. 5.4 km past Fairhaven there is a car park with good views back towards Fairhaven. Cinema Point lookout is getting a bit overgrown but about 100 metre on you can park and get a good view back to Aires Inlet and Fairhaven.

After Big Hill car park the Great Ocean Road follows close to the sea until Lorne. The road provides excellent views along the coast and overlooks Lorne.

Side Trips from Lorne

Approximately 500 metres past the Erskine River bridge turn right into William Street and drive 10 km to the Erskine Falls. It is a well formed bitumen road that rises up the Otway Ranges. The falls are accessed via a large number of steep steps. If you are not fit

Teddys Lookout

Go back towards Lorne and turn right passed water treatment plant into Gay Street. You will come to a round about and continue (second exit) straight ahead into George Street follow this(approximately 1 km) until you come to Teddy's Lookout car park. Teddy's Lookout gives stunning views along the Great Ocean Road to South West of Lorne. It is a short approximately 200 metre walk from the car park to the lookout. Allow around 30 minutes for this side trip. To return to the Ocean Road turn along George Street for approximately 1 km and turn right into Bay Street. Bay Street intersects with Great Ocean Road at a roundabout. Turn right to continue along the tour.