

## **GETTING AROUND HEATHCOTE**

Situated in a tranquil bush setting at the foot of the McHarg and McIvor Ranges, Heathcote is home to a wide range of wineries and regional produce.

The following operators and organisations offer a range of services and programs that respond to community and client transport needs in Heathcote.

Blue Wren Shuttle Services (Local shuttle service)	0421 357 804
Flying Doctor Community Transport (Medical transport)	(03) 7046 4664
Organs Coaches (Heathcote to Bendigo)	(03) 5422 1788
Public Transport Victoria	1800 800 007
Public Transport Victoria For TTY	(03) 9619 2727

## **CHARGE UP!**

Charge points around Heathcote for electric wheelchairs and scooters are:

**Heathcote Visitor Information Centre**Corner High and Barracks Street, Heathcote

# BUSHFIRE PLACES OF LAST RESORT (formerly known as a Neighbourhood Safer Place)

A Bushfire Place of Last Resort is an area that may, as a last resort, provide some sanctuary from the life threatening effects of a bushfire.

The Heathcote Bushfire Place of Last Resort is the Holy Rosary Primary School Oval; bounded by Ebden Street, Pohlman Street and Playne Street (entry off Ebden Street or Pohlman Street).

# ACCESSIBLE PARKING PERMITS AND SPACES

These bays can only be used for vehicles displaying valid 'Disability Parking (ADP) Permits' (blue label), providing the vehicle has been parked by, or for the convenience of, the permit holder.

Vehicles displaying a 'Double Time Permit' (green label) must not be parked in an accessible parking bay. These vehicles can be parked in a standard parking bay for up to twice the normal time limit for that bay once the fee is paid.

To apply for a permit head to

www.accessibleparking.vic.gov.au/permits

## **COMPANION CARD**

Companion Cards are issued to people with a significant, permanent disability, who can demonstrate that they are unable to access most community activities and venues without attendant care support. On sighting the Companion Card, participating organisations issue the cardholder with a second ticket for their companion at no charge. Companion Cards can be used on all Victorian public transport. For more information contact the Victorian Companion Card Information Line on 1800 650 611 or go to www.companioncard.vic.gov.au

#### **CHANGING PLACES**

Changing Places facilities are larger than standard accessible toilets, with extra features and more space to meet the needs of people with disability and their carers. Each facility has a height adjustable, adult-sized changing bench, a tracking hoist system, and space for two people either side of a peninsula toilet.

Locations in the Kangaroo Flat area:

#### **Heathcote Visitor Centre**

106 High Street, Heathcote – MLAK key required for access

Over 259 locations Australia wide view more

### changingplaces.org.au

To order a MLAK key visit

masterlocksmiths.com.au/mlak

Please note keys are subject to eligibility requirements.

# **CONTACT US**

If you experience any issues getting around Heathcote please let us know by contacting Customer Service on **1300 002 642** or email **requests@bendigo.vic.gov.au** 

If you are deaf, or have a hearing impairment or speech impairment, contact us via the National Relay Service. Phone **133 677** then ask for 1300 002 642.

To contact us in your own language through the translating and interpreting service call 13 14 50 and ask them to contact the City of Greater Bendigo on 1300 002 642.

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