#### Uki

This little village nestled at the base of Wollumbin (Mt Warning) is home to an eclectic group of friendly locals. The village consists of a small number of shops, a renowned café, galleries, studios & holistic health centres, old wares, a great bookshop & an internet café. The Uki markets are held every 3rd Sunday of the month. Check out the trash & treasure bargains, it is a great morning out. Every Saturday morning the same hall is buzzing with locals buying their weekly fresh produce at the weekly Farmers Market.

#### **Uki to Mt Warning - Driving Directions**

- ⇒ Continue out of Uki for 4km to the Mt Warning turnoff on the left.
- Located at 64 Mt Warning Rd, 600m from the corner (first right after the 2nd bridge) is Mavis's Kitchen. Set within a beautiful 25 acre farmland, they use fresh & local produce to serve simple, home cooked meals. Located in the private surrounds adjacent to the kitchen are cabins and farm house accommodation suitable for couples or families.

## Mt Warning National Park (Wollumbin)

Mt Warning (Wollumbin) is the central plug of a huge, shield-shaped volcano surrounded by a rim or caldera. Wollumbin is a sacred & spiritual place to the Bundjalung people, traditional inhabitants of the region. Under Bundjalung law, only chosen people are allowed to climb Wollumbin. Out of respect for their culture, the Bundjalung ask that you consider not climbing. Visitors are however, welcome to take a



walk among the palms & breathtaking forest giants on the 200m Lyrebird track. Mt Warning is the spot where the first rays of sunlight hit the Australian mainland.

# Mt Warning to Murwillumbah - Driving Directions

⇒ Heading back along Mt Warning Rd turn left onto Kyogle Rd & follow the signs to Murwillumbah.

#### Murwillumbah

Entering Murwillumbah turn right down Wollumbin Street, and drive straight ahead, over the bridge at the Tweed river. Follow this road to the roundabout and turn right, directly on your left is the **Murwillumbah Visitor Information Centre**.



Tweed Regional Gallery & Margaret Olley Art Centre Before leaving Murwillumbah take the time to visit the Tweed Regional Art Gallery which offers stunning views of Mt Warning from the panoramic windows inside the gallery & from the deck of the gallery's gourmet café. It is a short 3km drive from the Visitor Information Centre. Once leaving the information centre head South along the Tweed Valley Way, turn right into Scott St & left into Mistral Rd. Exhibitions change regularly throughout the year & cover various artistic mediums.

The Margaret Olley Art Centre features original architectural elements such as windows and doors, relocated from Olley's home studio at 48 Duxford St, Paddington, Sydney.

Open Wed to Sun 10am-5pm.

When exploring the hinterland please ensure that you take adequate water, wear appropriate footwear, apply sun protection & wear a hat.

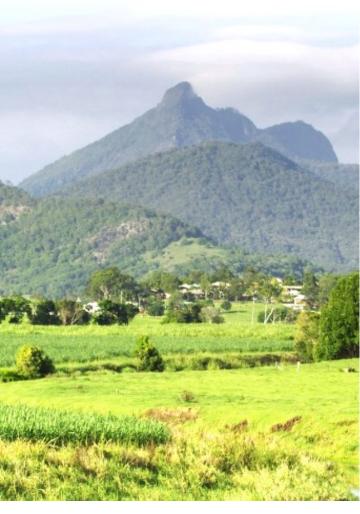


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# tourist drive

lismore, nimbin, uki & murwillumbah





## **Lismore to Nimbin - Driving Directions**

- ⇒ Depart Lismore Information Centre turning left along Molesworth Street. Turn left at the Woodlark Street roundabout crossing over the Wilson River. Turn right at the first roundabout onto Bridge Street.
- On your right you will pass the Serpentine Gallery, a community art gallery showcasing local + emerging artists. Open: Wed-Sun 10am-4pm, Sat/Sun 10am-2pm.
- ⇒ Turn left into Terania Street which turns into Nimbin Rd, follow for 30km.
- Keep your eyes open for Nimbin Rocks, there is a viewing area on the left just before you arrive into town. The towering Nimbin Rocks are estimated to be 20 million years old & are of great significance to the traditional owners from the Bundjalung nation and access is restricted.



#### Nimbin

Nimbin is known and famous for being a hippy destination and alternative lifestyle capital. Nimbin changed forever after hosting the 1973 Aquarius Festival, attracting students, hippies and visionaries from all over Australia.

Nimbin is intriguing and quirky with its unique mural streetscape of indigenous, rainforest and psychedelic facades and colourful local characters.



### **Nimbin Candle Factory**

For over 40 years, this family-run business has been making beautiful traditional, non-toxic candles using essential oils and vegetable dyes. Open daily at The Old Butter Factory by Mulgum Creek.

#### **Nimbin Artists Gallery**

A gallery run by local artists with locally made arts and crafts for sale. Open daily 10am-5pm.

#### **Hemp Embassy**

At Nimbin's Hemp Embassy you will find information and alternative hemp based products such as building materials, fashion, body products and vitamins.

## **Djanbung Gardens Permaculture Centre**

Djanbung Gardens is a living 'learnscape' of sustainability in action. Take a walk through 5ha of organic gardens and see innovative natural building technologies, wildlife and bush regeneration. Open Wed to Sat from 10am - 3pm

# Nimbin to Blue Knob—Driving Directions

- ⇒ Head North on Cullen St towards Thorburn St.
- You will pass the Candle Factory on your right—make sure you drop in and check out the colourful candles made using all renewable energy.
- ⇒ Continue on Cullen St for about 1km and it will become Blue Knob Rd. Follow Blue Knob Rd for approx 6km.

Blue Knob Hall Gallery & Café is nestled below the sacred landmark of Lillian Rock, this quaint co-operative gallery offers a changing exhibition program & a beautiful outlook over Blue Knob Mountain & Nightcap National Park. Gallery opening hours: Thu, Fri & Sun 10am-3pm, Sat 8.30am-3pm.

Blue Knob Farmers Market every Sat 8:30am-12pm.

#### **Sphinx Rock Café**

The Sphinx Rock Café situated at Mt Burrell, on the Kyogle Rd on the left hand side just before Kunghur is a great destination to relax. Visitors to Nimbin & Uki often break their journey here. Good wholesome food is served with a smile, from breakfast to evening meals. Vegans & vegetarians are fully catered for. Turn up on any Sunday and something musically innovative will be occurring from 12-3pm, entry is free. The café has internet, local art & CDs for sale. Located next to the café is a general store, & petrol station.



#### **Clarrie Hall Dam**

Just after the village of Kunghur, turn right onto Doon Doon Rd to Crams Farm recreation area at Clarrie Hall Dam. Activities permitted on the Dam include canoeing, boating (electric motor, sail or paddle only) & fishing. The Dam is stocked with Australia Bass & also supports several significant bird species. Perfect for photography, bird watching, picnics & bushwalking.

# **Clarrie Hall Dam to Uki - Driving Directions**

⇒ Return to Kyogle Rd. Turn Right towards Uki & Murwillumbah .