



Wanderer's Plain Reserve

At a glance

Country: Barapa Barapa and Wamba Wemba

Catchment: North Central

IBRA Region: Riverina

Victorian Bioregion: Victorian Riverina

Size: 2,130 hectares

120+ plant species

20+ animal species

4 habitat types

Management priorities include the weed control, pest animal management, and strategic ecological grazing.

About the property

The original sections of the Wanderer's Plain Reserve was purchased by Trust for Nature in 2010 with thanks to the support of the National Reserve System. Since this time, the reserve extended gradually to its current size of over 2000 hectares.

The reserve is a remnant grassland and provides excellent habitat for a variety of grassland-dependant species. The reserve protects a significant area of the national critically endangered "Natural Grasslands of the Murray Valley Plains".

The nationally significant Plains Wanderer (*Pedionomus torquatus*) is known to be present within the local area.

An array of native flora species are present including a number of species with state significance. This includes Chariot Wheels (*Maireana cheelii*), Murray Swainson-pea (*Swainsona murrayana*) and Buloke Mistletoe (*Amyema linophylla*).



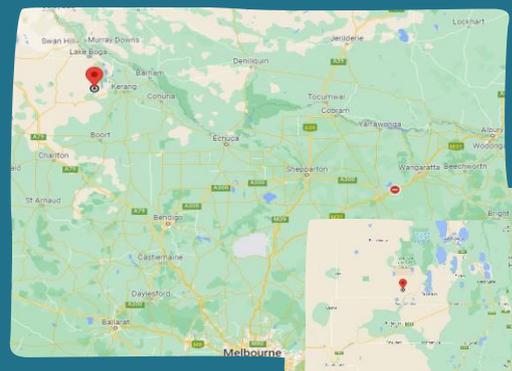


Wanderer's Plain Reserve is habitat forever

Key habitats: Chenopod Grassland, Lignum Swampy Woodland, Riverine Chenopod Woodland and Semi-arid Woodland

Notable flora species: Chariot Wheels (*Maireana cheeli*), Veined Peppercross (*Lepidium phlebopetalum*), Leafless Bluebush (*Maireana aphylla*), Bush Minuria (*Minuria cunninghamii*) and Yakka Grass (*Sporobolus caroli*)

Notable fauna species: Australasian Bittern (*Botaurus poiciloptilus*), Hooded Scaly-foot (*Pygopus schraderi*), Bandy Bandy (*Vermicella annulata*) and Curl Snake (*Suta suta*)



Location

Wanderer's Plain Reserve

Lake Charm-Quambatook Road, Sandhill Lake

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