

FACT SHEET



QUEENS PARK RESERVE MASTER PLAN

Queens Park is a 44 hectare reserve that forms part of the 37 kilometres of coastal Crown land managed by the Great Ocean Road Coast. The reserve has a unique character resulting from its dense forest, steep slopes and spectacular sea views.

The reserve's natural and scenic values combined with proximity to town make it one of Lorne's most accessible and rewarding bushwalking precincts – a role the park has fulfilled for over a century.

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In early 2016, Great Ocean Road Coast released the Master Plan for Queens Park Reserve. This master plan identifies environmental, cultural and social assets of Queens Park Reserve, and outlines 47 strategic actions for their effective management.

- Actions are prioritised as high, medium or low, and assigned an action timeframe of short (1-2 years), medium (3-4 years), long (5 years) or ongoing.
- In 2016-17, Great Ocean Road Coast is focussed on a selection of high priority actions aimed to:
- Improve directional and interpretive signage within the reserve;
- Promote Queens Park walks amongst the wider public and tourists; and
- Improve track sections to provide more sustainable and enjoyable trails with better drainage and mitigate risks relating to steep gradients and aging stairs.

Working closely with volunteer group Friends of Queens Park and a local design agency, Great Ocean Road Coast are developing style and content of new directional and interpretive signage across the park.

Consultation was undertaken in spring 2016 to gather feedback from the wider community on content produced so far. Content is being refined in line with feedback received, and it is anticipated the first instalment of signs will in place after Easter 2017.

Planning is underway for a staged rollout of proposed track improvements, with initial works planned to commence following peak season.

GET INVOLVED

Want to get more actively involved? Friends of Queens Park Lorne works collaboratively with Great Ocean Road Coast in the management and conservation of Queens Park. To volunteer, contact John Wilson on 5289 1689 or by email: jw175843@bigpond.net.au

MORE INFORMATION

For more information on the Queens Park Master Plan, visit For more information on the Queens Park Masterplan, visit: www.gorcc.com.au/projects/448.



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