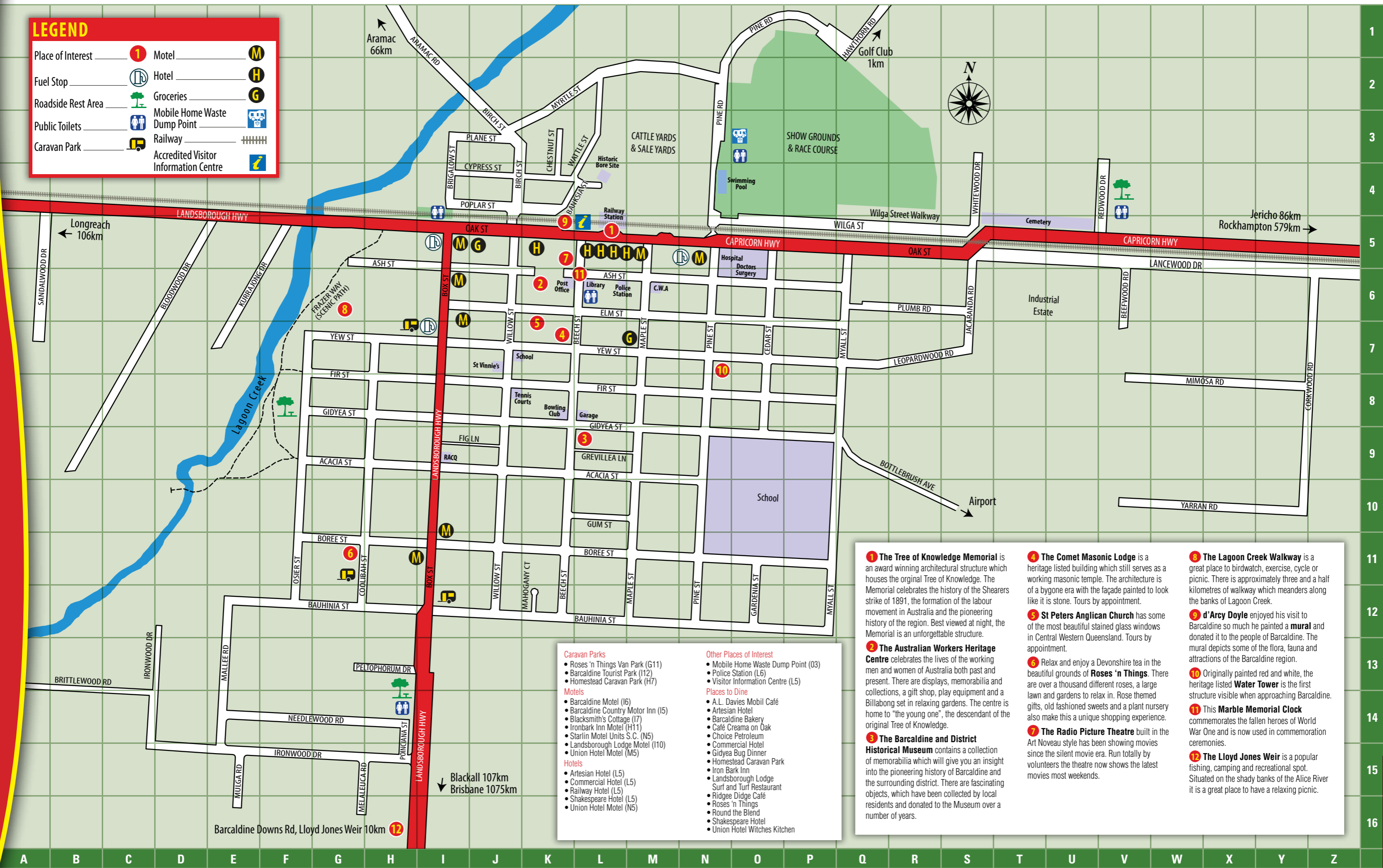


BARCALDINE TOWN MAP



LEGEND

Place of Interest	1	Motel	M
Fuel Stop	⛛	Hotel	H
Roadside Rest Area	🌳	Groceries	G
Public Toilets	🚻	Mobile Home Waste Dump Point	♻️
Caravan Park	🚐	Railway	🚂
		Accredited Visitor Information Centre	📍



- Caravan Parks**
- Roses 'n Things Van Park (G11)
 - Barcaldine Tourist Park (I12)
 - Homestead Caravan Park (H7)
- Motels**
- Barcaldine Motel (I6)
 - Barcaldine Country Motor Inn (I5)
 - Blacksmith's Cottage (I7)
 - Ironbark Inn Motel (H11)
 - Starlin Motel Units S.C. (N5)
 - Landsborough Lodge Motel (I10)
 - Union Hotel Motel (M5)
- Hotels**
- Artesian Hotel (L5)
 - Commercial Hotel (L5)
 - Railway Hotel (L5)
 - Shakespeare Hotel (L5)
 - Union Hotel Motel (N5)
- Other Places of Interest**
- Mobile Home Waste Dump Point (O3)
 - Police Station (L6)
 - Visitor Information Centre (L5)
- Places to Dine**
- A.L. Davies Mobil Café
 - Artesian Hotel
 - Barcaldine Bakery
 - Café Creama on Oak
 - Choice Petroleum
 - Commercial Hotel
 - Gidyea Bug Dinner
 - Homestead Caravan Park
 - Iron Bark Inn
 - Landsborough Lodge
 - Surf and Turf Restaurant
 - Ridgee Didge Café
 - Roses 'n Things
 - Round the Blend
 - Shakespeare Hotel
 - Union Hotel Witches Kitchen

1 The Tree of Knowledge Memorial is an award winning architectural structure which houses the original Tree of Knowledge. The Memorial celebrates the history of the Shearers strike of 1891, the formation of the labour movement in Australia and the pioneering history of the region. Best viewed at night, the Memorial is an unforgettable structure.

2 The Australian Workers Heritage Centre celebrates the lives of the working men and women of Australia both past and present. There are displays, memorabilia and collections, a gift shop, play equipment and a Billabong set in relaxing gardens. The centre is home to "the young one", the descendant of the original Tree of Knowledge.

3 The Barcaldine and District Historical Museum contains a collection of memorabilia which will give you an insight into the pioneering history of Barcaldine and the surrounding district. There are fascinating objects, which have been collected by local residents and donated to the Museum over a number of years.

4 The Comet Masonic Lodge is a heritage listed building which still serves as a working masonic temple. The architecture is of a bygone era with the façade painted to look like it is stone. Tours by appointment.

5 St Peters Anglican Church has some of the most beautiful stained glass windows in Central Western Queensland. Tours by appointment.

6 Relax and enjoy a Devonshire tea in the beautiful grounds of **Roses 'n Things**. There are over a thousand different roses, a large lawn and gardens to relax in. Rose themed gifts, old fashioned sweets and a plant nursery also make this a unique shopping experience.

7 The Radio Picture Theatre built in the Art Noveau style has been showing movies since the silent movie era. Run totally by volunteers the theatre now shows the latest movies most weekends.

8 The Lagoon Creek Walkway is a great place to birdwatch, exercise, cycle or picnic. There is approximately three and a half kilometres of walkway which meanders along the banks of Lagoon Creek.

9 d'Arcy Doyle enjoyed his visit to Barcaldine so much he painted a **mural** and donated it to the people of Barcaldine. The mural depicts some of the flora, fauna and attractions of the Barcaldine region.

10 Originally painted red and white, the heritage listed **Water Tower** is the first structure visible when approaching Barcaldine.

11 This Marble Memorial Clock commemorates the fallen heroes of World War One and is now used in commemoration ceremonies.

12 The Lloyd Jones Weir is a popular fishing, camping and recreational spot. Situated on the shady banks of the Alice River it is a great place to have a relaxing picnic.

BARCALDINE REGIONAL MAP



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Base yourself in Barcaldine and travel the region experiencing the real outback

4 Wheel Drive Tracks

1 Barcaldine to Jericho via Narbethong Road

- Travel 25km from Barcaldine south on the road to Blackall
- Turn left onto the Narbethong Road and travel 70km to Yalleroi
- Turn left and travel 40km north to Jericho
- Jericho to Barcaldine 87km sealed road

2 Barcaldine to Aramac, Lake Dunn, Grey Rock and Horsetailer's Gorge

- Travel 68km to Aramac
- Turn right after the grid near the hospital and travel 67km to Lake Dunn
- Return back along the Lake Dunn road and turn left into the Jericho Road. The turn off is approximately 35km from Lake Dunn.
- Travel 35km to Grey Rock
- Travel 2km up the road east to Horsetailer's gorge
- Return back the same roads or alternatively travel 175km to Jericho

3 Barcaldine to Muttaborra to Longreach

- Travel 153km to Muttaborra
- Two different routes from Muttaborra to Longreach; Crossmoor or Cramsie
- Crossmoor 114km to Longreach from Muttaborra
- Cramsie 124km to Longreach from Muttaborra

4 Barcaldine to Isisford and Blackall

- Travel 4km south of Barcaldine to the Barcaldine Downs Road
- Turn right and continue on this road until you connect with the Ilfracombe to Isisford road
- Travel approximately 40km south to Isisford
- Travel 125km to Blackall

If you are looking for an off bitumen experience the tracks listed are a great way to get off bitumen and explore the countryside. Some of our roads are partially bitumen but it is recommended that you check road conditions before setting out especially in the rainy season. The unsealed roads in our area are unsuitable for low clearance vehicles. Please also make sure you have sufficient food, water and mechanical supplies in case of break downs.

Some of the fauna you may encounter include: Kangaroos, Wallabies, Dingoes, Cattle, Sheep, Pigs, Goats and birdlife such as Brolgas, Bustards, Galahs and Cockatoos. You may also see the occasional large Snake or Goanna.

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Other Attractions:

The Between the Bougainvilleas Heritage Trail contains a walking tour of the historical sites in Barcaldine. Booklets are available from the Barcaldine Information Centre.

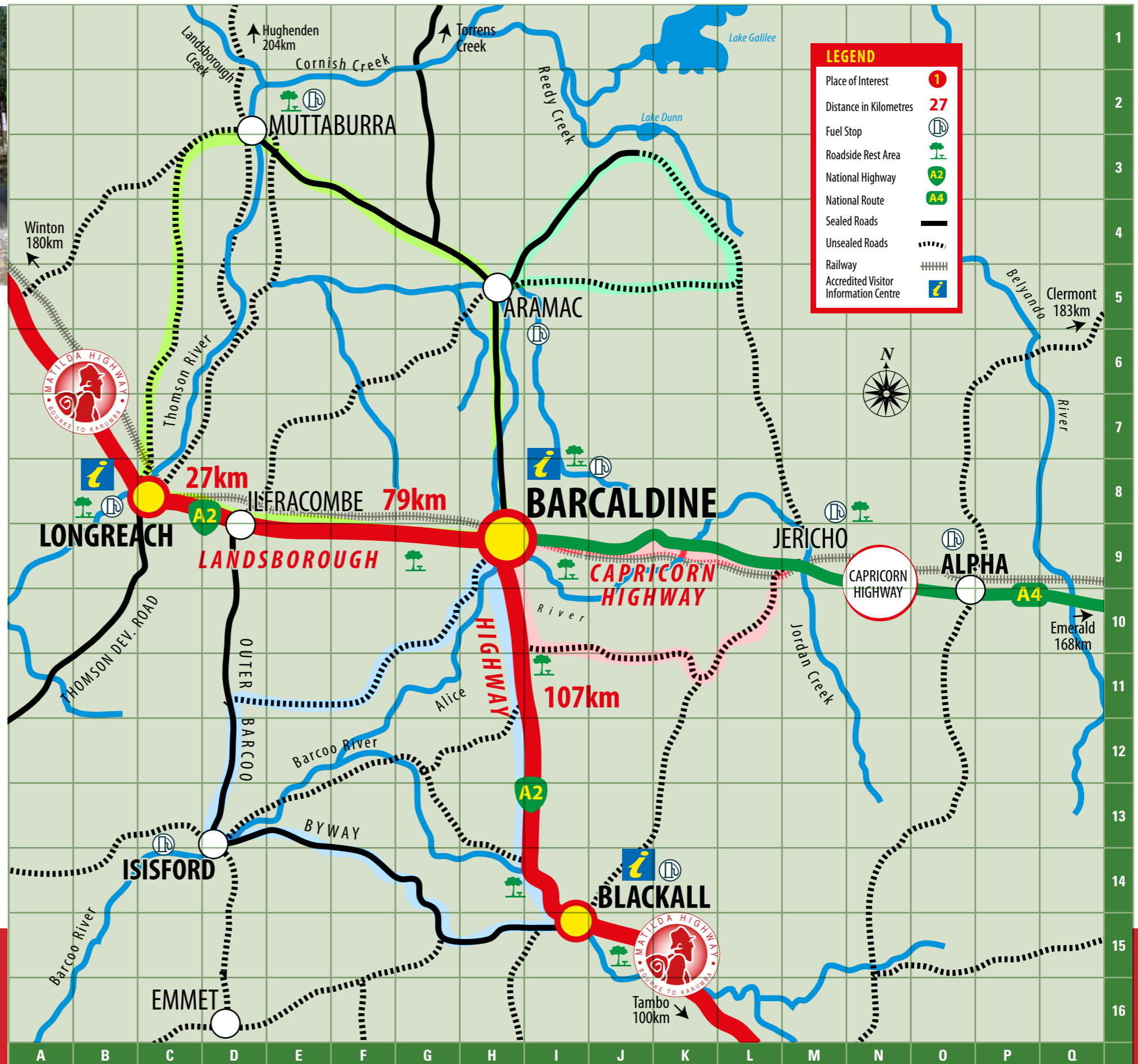
Artesian Country Tours are a unique and unforgettable experience not to be missed. Local identity Tom Lockie takes visitors on an adventure through some of the most picturesque countryside to historically significant sites in the region.

Bicycle hire is available from the Barcaldine Information Centre for a small fee.

The Botanical walkway is situated 10kms from Barcaldine on the Blackall Road. There is a 20 minute walking track with plant identification tags.

Wanpa-rda Matilda Education Centre is a unique educational facility which caters for groups of school children. The Centre provides an educational experience which includes aspects of the history of the region, aboriginal culture and life in the Outback of Queensland.

Originally on the site of the first free flowing bore in Queensland the Comet Windmill symbolises the life blood of Western Queensland, Artesian Water.



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