



Welcome to

Wombat Bend at Finns Reserve



Wombat Bend is a popular play space that attracts visitors from the local area and across Melbourne.

Children and people young at heart love exploring Wombat Bend's sensory play activities, accessible path networks, picnic area, maze, swings, slides, climbing cube, amphitheatre, flying fox, carousel and native forest walk.

With its range of facilities, this all inclusive play space, is a place to share and enjoy:

- **Barbecues and picnic tables** – these facilities are provided for shared use and are not able to be booked. Please clean up after you finish with them and be mindful that another group may be waiting to use the barbecues and/or tables.
- **Skateboards and scooters** – Council encourages children to learn to ride skateboards and scooters in a supervised and safe environment. Parents and carers are encouraged to use common sense and if it is busy please use the shared path just outside Wombat Bend.
- **Shade** – Wombat Bend is designed around the natural environment. The variety of trees and landscaping provide some shade. However, sun protection is recommended including a hat and sunscreen; for more information visit www.sunsmart.com.au

Other activities at Finns Reserve

- **Visit the Main Yarra Trail** – directly outside Wombat Bend this trail follows the Yarra River. Walk to the suspension bridge to see the ducks and, if you look very closely, you may even spot the platypus that frequents this section of the river – dawn and dusk are the best time for platypus sightings. For the health of the river system and wildlife please do not feed the ducks. Children must be supervised at all times.
- **Walk to Westerfolds Park** – did you know Westerfolds Park is just one kilometre away? Cross the Yarra River on the suspension bridge and follow the Main Yarra Trail for a fun bushland walking experience.
- **Challenge your fitness** – the fitness stations nearby Wombat Bend are suitable for chin ups, sit ups, tricep dips, push ups and step ups.

For more information please call Manningham City Council on 9840 9333.