



# FUN THINGS IN ALBANY FOR KIDS TO DO

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**Eyre Park** – This is Albany's biggest and best public playground. Complete with big slides, great swings, flying fox, enclosed sandpits with digging tools, basketball courts, ladders and castles and all things that spin and make you dizzy! This park has free gas BBQ provided and a sheltered picnic area. Toilets are on site.

**Emu Point Playground** – Climb, balance, swing and spin on the amazing playground equipment then play on the floating pontoon swimming area which is suitable for all ages. The pontoon has ramp entrances for easy access with a swim lane rope for those not so confident swimmers. BBQ facilities are also close by for a family picnic.

**Middleton Beach Playground** – The play ground along Middleton Beach have various swings, slides (and a pirate ship) for different age groups. There is a shark net installed for swimming. Free gas BBQ's and shady picnic areas are also available. There is public toilets. There is also an café right next to the Pirate Ship that offer coffee and Ice Creams

**North Rd Complex Playground** – Just outside of the pool complex is a great climbing play ground with various swings all inside a giant sand pit. Fun for all age groups and capabilities.

**Albany's Historic Whaling Station** - Fun for the whole family with a whale themed kid's playground with a nifty slide right out of a whale's mouth, and fantastic swings. Also the tour of the complex features three multimedia exhibits complete with whale skeletons. There is an original whale chaser ship which you can explore inside and out. A fantastic Australian Wildlife Park and gorgeous Botanic Garden will complete a fun filled day out for the whole family. Located on Old Whaling Station Road, Frenchman's Bay. Phone 9844 4021

**Laserscape** - Is one of the trendiest and most hi tech ways to have fun in Albany. You get let loose in a large outdoor location, with unlimited free ammunition and NO PAIN! For more info phone 0428 413 679. You can also check it out on [www.laserscape.biz](http://www.laserscape.biz)

**Albany Bike Hire** - Will drop off and pick up at any accommodation in the city area, including the Visitors Centre. Bikes for all ages and sizes. Phone: 0428 415 168 or [www.albanybicyclehire.com.au](http://www.albanybicyclehire.com.au)

**Albany Wacky Golf** – Brand new crazy fun 18 hole mini golf. Enjoy the lovely café, arcade machine, air hockey, pool table, board games and dress-ups!! Fun for the whole family. Located 2/138 Chester Pass Rd...the big shed behind Horse World. Open 10am – 6pm Mon to Wed, 10am – 6pm Thurs to Sat, Sunday 10am – 5pm. Phone 9843 0554

**Golf for Kids - Grove Park Golf Links** is a great golf course for kids to get out and try their skill. Children's golf clubs are available for hire for a great fun family day out. The course is also renowned for its huge family of resident kangaroos which have learnt to dodge most of the balls. Located at 780 Frenchman Bay Rd, Little Grove or phone: 9844 4277

**Mini Golf - BIG4 Emu Beach Holiday Park** offers a 9 hole miniature golf course (closed to the public during peak holiday season being Dec – Jan, Easter and public long weekends) Open from 9am – 4.30pm, 7 days, bookings essential. For bookings please phone: 9844 1147

**Brig Amity** - Is a great historic place for mums and dads to visit, and a fun place for kids to play on a real sailing ship without even getting wet. Pretend you're a pirate, sailor or captain, wherever your imagination takes you. See the storage compartment at the very bottom of the boat, the eating area and the bunks where they all slept. Located on Residency road Phone: 9841 6885

## **Museum of the Great Southern**

This is the place to find out all about Albany. This museum offers some amazing exhibitions all year round which change every school holidays. Variety of other activities offered throughout the year as well! Located Residency Road Phone: 9841 4844

### **Model Railway**

A great miniature railway which is set up just like a little town, with every detail you could imagine. Located in the old railway building Proudlove Pde. Open each Saturday 1:30-4:00 and Wednesdays in school holidays. Phone: 9841 8136

### **Albany Leisure and Aquatic Centre**

Has two heated swimming pools, little kids paddle pool with beach entrance, river ride, a whirlpool and 7 sporting courts (basketball, volleyball, badminton and tennis). A fantastic water slide has the thumbs up with all the kids. There is a great wall climb for the more adventurous who love a challenge and don't mind heights. Heaps of fun. Crèche is available so mum and dad can have a swim or use the great gym. Located on Barker Road Phone: 6820 3400

**Sanford Rd Skate Park** – Albany's biggest and newest skate park which caters to all ages and all abilities. Suitable for skate boarders and bike riders alike, this park has a vast array of 4-5 foot high street courses alongside a tight configuration of bowls, spine, quarter pipes, hips or rails for the more experience riders

**The Snake Run** – Albany's original long downhill skate park which is reputedly the oldest park in the world still in use. It is a fast run with vert walls and hip. This park is more suitable for the intermediate and advanced skater. Located at the corner of Hare St and Hay St off Middleton Rd

### **PCYC**

For all types of entertainment for all ages, PCYC is definitely worth a look. Kids can call in any time and use the pool tables etc. in the "drop in centre" and every Friday night is STRIKE catering for the young teenagers with all sorts of indoor games (basketball etc.). Other fantastic activities available are learning air rifle, archery, gymnastics, police rangers, discos, boxing, aikido, jujitsu, badminton and various fun activities over the school holidays. 77 Sanford Rd Phone: 9842 1716

### **Albany Orana Cinemas**

4 big screens with all the latest block buster's showing daily, including 3D To check the timetable go to [www.oranacinemas.com.au](http://www.oranacinemas.com.au) Located at 451 Albany Highway Phone 9842 2210

### **Princess Royal Fortress**

A great place for kids to run around in these amazing grounds with lots of hands on excitement for the kids. Whether it is exploring the underground bunkers, swinging off the giant cannons and naval guns or examining the giant torpedoes, this fortress has something for everyone with some of the best views in town. Home of the new National Anzac Centre this is a must do for everyone visiting Albany. BBQ facilities are available to the public free of charge. Forts Rd, Mt Clarence

### **Canoe Hire**

Hire a canoe to explore the King River. Call into the Happy Days Caravan Park or phone 9844 3267 The address is 1584 Millbrook road

### **The Old Marron Farm – Bird and Animal Park and Segway Rides**

Walk through the massive walk in aviary and meet some new feathered friends. Kids get to feed the birds who like to perch on heads and shoulders. There is also an animal park where kids get to pat the resident animals. Mum and Dad can enjoy a feed of fresh marron and there is a great kid's menu available. They also have Segway tours (bookings essential) minimum age of eleven years. 304 Two Peoples Bay Rd Phone: 0408 011 617