

Jellurgal Cultural Centre

See Jellurgal's in-house Aboriginal artists create traditional artwork. Browse the paintings for sale and traditional Aboriginal artefacts.

Jellurgal's boardwalk multimedia interpretation display features interactive iPads where you can navigate your own cultural journey and explore the traditional lives of the Yugambeh people.

Visitors are encouraged to share Jellurgal's library resources at the information hub, including Aboriginal books, reference material and historical documents.

Jingi Café, serving tea, coffee, bush tucker themed fare and snacks, is open from 9am to 2pm.





For your Jellurgal Journey

We suggest flat shoes, a hat and sunscreen for the walking track sections of the tour. Inclement weather may cause some tours to be transferred to another date or necessitate changes to the format. If time permits, pack your swimming attire and towel and enjoy a swim in the pristine Tallebudgera Estuary before you depart.

Contact us

Bookings online at www.jellurgal.com.au or phone 07 5525 5955

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Jellurgal Aboriginal Cultural Centre is an initiative of Kalwun Development Corporation.



Touch the spirit that lives in the heart of the Gold Coast. Feel the legend of Jellurgal.



Jingi Wallal Wahlu

Greetings to you! Jellurgal Aboriginal Cultural Centre, Tours and Information Hub offers amazing and accurate insight into the spirituality and society of the Yugambeh Aboriginal people, one of the oldest living cultures in the world.

The Yugambeh are the custodial owners of the Gold Coast. Without threat or fear, they respected and shared the resources of this beautiful and bountiful coastal paradise for thousands of years before the first European settlers arrived on their doorstep.

At Jellurgal Aboriginal Cultural Centre, you will learn about the Aboriginal history of the Gold Coast, meet its traditional land owners, and hear the dreamtime stories associated with the creation of Jellurgal.

Jellurgal Aboriginal Cultural Centre, Tours and information Hub is Aboriginal owned and operated.

About Jellurgal

Embark on a journey of discovery along a picturesque beachside rainforest walkway that wraps around the magical mountain known as Jellurgal.

Towering above the ocean and surrounding lands, almost as untouched today as it was thousands of years ago, Jellurgal was the stage for corroborees and ceremonies.

On your guided tour of Jellurgal, there are countless culturally significant sites, including an ancient midden.

These mounds are the remains of shellfish and other marine animals gathered for meals by Aboriginal people. After thousands of years, discarded shell remains built up on the sites and some shell mounds are more than 50 metres wide and more than one metre deep.

Tours

Jellurgal Dreaming (full tour) | 9am - 2pm

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Designed for international travellers, interstate visitors and locals wishing to learn more about the Aboriginal history of the region.

Part One

Jellurgal Dreaming includes an informative overview in the 'Dreaming Amphitheatre'. Depart the centre for a brief bus trip to David Fleays Wildlife Park, where you can see Australian native wildlife such as kangaroos, koalas, crocodiles and brolgas in their native habitat. Wander along the pristine mangrove boardwalk and learn about the importance of these coastal tracts to the Aboriginal people.

Part Two

Return to Jellurgal for a mesmerising, authentic Aboriginal corroboree and traditional fire starting demonstration.

You begin your Jellurgal trek with an ancient smoking ceremony and ochre anointment on the beach at Burleigh Cove, performed by members of the local Yugambeh tribe.

Visit the midden and other significant Aboriginal sites along the way. The Jellurgal trek takes 45 minutes but there is an option to return to the Centre at the Midden, 15 minutes into the Tour.

The Jellurgal Dreaming tour includes lunch and refreshments at Jingi Café, located at the Centre.

Jellurgal Journey (half tour) 11.30 - 1.30pm Half tours are available. See website for details.

