

# Historic Flagstaff Road from Taroom

**BANANA  
DRIVE  
TRAILS**

- ★ **GLENMORAL & ISLA RANGES**
  - ★ **ISLA GORGE**
- 150kms loop

**FLAGSTONE ROAD**



**sandstone  
WONDERS**

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**150 km loop (approx.)**

**Not suitable for caravans.**

**Drive carefully on the dirt road.**

**Do not attempt in the wet.**

- Drive North along the Leichhardt Highway.
- Watch out for Chain Lagoons on your right a short distance out from Taroom – this is a beautiful spot if the lagoons have had recent rains.
- Continue north along the Leichhardt Highway past the Fitzroy Development Road for a distance until you see a turnoff to the left for Waterton Road (GIS -25.416333, 149.852421).
- Turn left at Waterton Road and continue for quite a distance (about 47km) until you see Flagstaff Road off to your right.
- The scenery in this space is spectacular, so take your time and revel in it.
- You will see a sign off to the left identifying Flagstaff Picnic Area.
- Turn left and follow it to the car park/picnic area (GIS -25.068757, 149.851431).
- From here you can walk the Historic Handlaid Flagstone Road and revel in the view from the lookout across the Valley and Ranges.
- This is a great spot for a picnic.
- Head back to Flagstaff Road and turn left.
- At the bottom of the range you will turn left at Glenbar Road (GIS -25.012569, 149.907269).
- After 4km, you turn right onto Glenmoral Roundstone Road (GIS -24.982258, 149.918148).
- Follow this for about 13km until you reach the Leichhardt Highway (GIS -24.992731, 150.042003).
- Turn right onto the Leichhardt Highway and head towards the Isla Gorge National Park.
- At the top of the range, turn right at the entrance and travel to the parking and camping area.
- It is a short but very rewarding walk to the lookout, where you will see fantastic sandstone outcrops and cliffs all the way into the distance.
- Drive back towards the Leichhardt Highway and turn left to head off to Theodore,
- OR, Turn right and head back to Taroom.