

Our over 50s mid-week rate attracts an additional discount on top of our reduced mid-week rate.

Banks 4 queen/double rooms each with ensuite	
2 nights	\$ 970
3 nights	\$1455
4 nights	\$1940
Available Monday – Thursday nights Check In: 2pm Check Out: 10am	

There’s so much to do you might just have to come again!

Please note that all bedrooms are upstairs.

Contact Christine on 0419 356 720
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Banks Accommodation
78A Hesse St, Queenscliff

Over 50s Mid-Week Special

Queenscliff is a wonderful place to be mid-week, even in the cooler months. Avoid the hustle of the weekend day trippers and enjoy its historic charm and wide range of local delights.

Banks provides 4 queen/double rooms, each with ensuite, a large living/dining area with a well appointed kitchen and a delightful garden.

Banks is right in the heart of Queenscliff providing walking access to all the local attractions and, although it is so close to everything, its history as an old Bank with double brick walls ensures it is very quiet inside and provides plenty of privacy.

Things to do mid-week in Queenscliff

Historical

- **Classic Heritage Walk**
1 ¼ hrs – Weekends 2pm every Saturday
Mid-week make an appointment with the Queenscliff Information Centre (18 Hesse St) on 5258 4843 (groups of 4+)
OR you can purchase the self guided booklet which takes you on a 45 min walk
- **Museum** – (18 Hesse St) open Mon-Thurs 11-3pm
- **Fort Queenscliff** – check the website for tour times
- **Maritime Museum** (Wharf St)

Sport

- **Golf** – the Queenscliff Golf Club on Swan Island offers a unique course surrounded by wetlands and wild life. The island is sand which makes it an all weather course.
- **Fishing Charters** are available from the Harbour. A range of options are on offer from short 4hr trips to full day expeditions OR just fish from the pier.

Indulgence

- **Day Spa** – Timeout for the Girls– Wellness packages comprising of beauty therapy and massage (Queenscliff Harbour)
- **Shopping** – Hesse St offers a wonderful array of shops from clothing and homewares to gourmet produce. You'll be sure to find something unique to take home or just enjoy browsing.
- **Galleries and Antiques** – you'll find a range of art, antiques and collectables in Hesse St from the renowned Seaview Gallery to the Vintage Market Bazaar and more
- **Cruises** – scenic day and sunset cruises leave from the Harbour

Food and Wine

- **Cafes** are plentiful in Hesse St – treat yourself to a cooked breakfast or take a break from your shopping and enjoy a coffee and cake
- **Dining** – there is a wide range of dining choice within walking distance of Banks from Fine Dining to a good counter meal at one of the nearby pubs
- **Wineries, Farmgate and The Bellarine Taste Trail** – if you fancy a day out exploring the Bellarine by car you can visit the wineries and farmgates (blueberries, cheeses and olive oil to name a few), many of which are part of the Bellarine Taste Trail. Pop into the Queenscliff Information Centre and the friendly staff will be able to give you a map and some recommendations to suit your tastes.

Children

- **The Bellarine Railway Heritage Steam & Diesel Trains** at the bottom of Hesse St – the 45 minute trip from Queenscliff to Drysdale provides views of Swan Bay and continues through the hills to Drysdale. Periodically **Thomas the Tank Engine** weekend events are held here which include Thomas train rides and loads of activities within a fenced off area. Visit www.bpr.org.au for details.
- **Citizens Park** – stroll a block away, along Stokes St, for a BBQ in this magnificent park. There are fabulous views of the bay, plenty of shade, space for the kids to play games and a 'cool' playground courtesy of the government stimulus package. There are toilet facilities in the park.
- **Beach** – walking distance to two lovely beaches. The front beach is calm with an outlook across to Point Nepean and is ideal for very young children. The back beach stretches all the way to Point Lonsdale and provides swimming between the flags and rock pools to explore when the tide is out.
- **Adventure Park** – Water Park - halfway between Queenscliff and Geelong – an entry fee into the park gives you unlimited use of rides and attractions. There are picnic tables in the gardens, gas bbq hire and shaded undercover marquees. Visit www.adventurepark.com.au for details.
- **Ferry to Sorrento** – the ferry leaves every hour on the hour from 7am to 6pm from Wharf St, a short walk past the pier. It's a fun trip for kids with plenty to see and they may even spot some dolphins
- **Dining** – the pubs are all very child-friendly offering kids meals and coloring books. The Esplanade also provides a sandpit out in the beer garden.

Walks/Sightseeing

- **The Bellarine Rail Trail** starts from the bottom of Hesse St at the Railway Station. A short walk along the trail will give you wonderful views of Swan Bay and its wildlife.
- **Beach** – head to the top of Hesse St to get to the beach and you can walk along the beach all the way to Point Lonsdale. Watch the ships go out through the heads and on a clear day you can see across to Point Nepean.
- **Train to Drysdale** – weekends and mid-week Tuesday and Thursday
- **Visit the Harbour Precinct** – the Observation Tower has great views
- **Bikes** – can be hired from Beacon Big 4 Resort – popular rides are the Rail Trail and Point Lonsdale