Jericho

Area



Jericho Guide

HEALTH SERVICES

Jericho Health Clinic, 19 Pasteur Street - Ph: (07) 4651 4235

Opening Hours:

Tuesday to Friday 8.30am – 4.00pm

Phone clinic for an appointment or leave a message and it will be answered as soon as possible.

INTERNET

Available at: -

Jericho Tourist Information Centre & Post Office, Darwin Street – Ph: (07) 4651 4129 Open: 9am to 12 noon & 1pm to 4pm

ATM

Jericho Store, Darwin Street - Ph: (07) 4651 4288

EFTPOS

Jericho Tourist Information Centre & Post Office, Darwin Street – (07) 4651 4129 Banking facilities Commonwealth Bank agency Jericho Store, Darwin Street – Ph: (07) 4651 4288 Jordan Valley Hotel, Darwin Street – Ph: (07) 4651 4148

LIBRARY

Darwin Street in Jericho Tourist Information Centre - Ph: (07) 4651 4129

Access to a wide range of resources to entertain, inform and assist in daily living, and services to extend and enhance use of these resources is provided through the Council Library. Fax, photocopying facilities available Monday to Friday.

Open: 9am to12noon & 1pm to 4pm

TELEPHONE

Telstra Next Generation. Telstra provides a range of services – Telstra agents are located in Barcaldine or phone 13 22 20. A card operated public phone is located at the Railway Station. Card available from the Jericho Tourist Information Centre.

TELEVISION

Jericho receives Digital Television.

RADIO

Jericho tunes into 1098AM Radio, 4LG Longreach and 540AM ABC Radio

Social Activities

Movies Third Saturday of the month

Markets Second Saturday of the month

SWIMMING POOL

Tyndall Street

Open September to April each season.

Entry Costs: Children \$1.00 & Adults \$1.50

Contact the Alpha Administration Office on 4985 1166 or the Jericho Post Office on 4651

4129 for more information

BINGO

Pension Thursday at CWA Hall, Faraday St, Contact Ruth Bonham - 0429600144

MOTHERS GROUP

Every second Tuesday at Langston Park, Cnr Pasteur and Faraday Sts from 9am-12noon

ART & CULTURAL

Jordan Valley Arts and Craft Group, Contact Denise Vale – Ph: (07) 4651 0331 Meet once a month on a Saturday, just phone to confirm details.

Jericho Tourist Group Markets, Contact Alvin Bonham – Ph: (07) 4651 4232 From April to October, the second Saturday of every Month from 9.30am to 12noon at the Jericho Tourist Information Centre.

TOURIST INFORMATION

Jericho Tourist Information Centre, Darwin Street - Ph: (07) 4651 4129

CRYSTAL TRUMPETERS

The story of the original Jericho and the biblical heritage is told through the symbolic monument that's called 'Crystal Trumpeters'. The structure is based on the Bible stories of the Israelites and the town of Jericho as described in the Old Testament book of Joshua.

REDBANK PARK

Enjoy the river walk, the bush track is clearly marked along the banks of the Jordan River. Beautiful camp area with a designated campfire area, fish for yellowbelly, catch some crawchies or view the birdlife. Redbank is an easy walk to the town centre.

MURALS

Located throughout the town – at Redbank Park, the Showgrounds, Darwin and Faraday Street, depicting the droving history and local wildlife

MULTICOURT, Tyndall Street

Undercover sports court with line markings for basketball, handball, netball and tennis. Cricket and rollerblading are also enjoyed.

JERICHO DRIVE IN THEATRE, Darwin Street

Latest release films showing on the third Saturday of every month. Check out the Drive In billboards for upcoming screening details.

BACK CREEK

40 kms west of Jericho is the site of the first bore sunk in Queensland at 'Back Creek'.

ACCOMMODATION

Camp Area

Jericho Showgrounds

Located on the town fringe. Powered sites and amenities blocks and plenty of hot water.

\$15 per night (Donation box at entry or pay at the Jericho Tourist Information Centre)

Redbank Park

Donation box

Jordon Valley Hotel Darwin Street 4651 4148

JERICHO STORE Darwin Street 4651 4288

Open: Monday to Friday 8.30am – 1.50pm

TRAVEL

COACH - Rockhampton Collection/drop off point - Jericho Store

Paradise Coaches travels twice a week from Emerald (Tues & Sat) to Longreach (Wed & Sun) and return. Buses travel daily to Rockhampton, Mackay and return. For reservations or timetables phone 1300 300 156 or www.paradisecoaches.com.au

<u>COACH – Brisbane</u> Collection /drop off point – Choice Roadhouse Barcaldine

Paradise Coaches travel twice a week (Tue & Sat) from Jericho to Barcaldine with connections to Greyhound Australia (GX 494) overnight service to Brisbane. For the return journey from Brisbane Greyhound Australia (GX493) (Tue & Sat) overnight service to Barcaldine connects with Paradise Coaches (Wed & Sun) to Jericho.

Greyhound Australia has a daily service from Brisbane to Mt Isa and return. Coaches depart Brisbane and travels overnight and arriving the following morning. The return journey departs Barcaldine late afternoon and travel arrives into Brisbane following morning. For Greyhound Australian reservations phone on 131 499 or www.greyhound.com.au Paradise Coaches reservations phone 1300 300 156 or www.paradisecoaches.com.au

RAIL

The Spirit of the Outback train departs Brisbane on Tuesday and Saturday evenings travelling along the eastern coastline to Rockhampton and then inland to Barcaldine arriving Wednesday afternoon and Sunday mornings. Reservations or inquiries can be made to (Queensland Rail) on 132 232.

AIRPORT

For private planes that require access to AvGas please contact:

George Bourne & Associates

0458 303 544

Emerald Airport – For booking contact 131313 or visit www.gantas.com.au.

REX Regional Express Airlines flies into Longreach twice weekly from Townsville via Winton. Check website for flight times www.rex.com.au.