

12. On your right is ***Chorizema cordatum x varium***, or Heart-leaved Flame Pea, a showy weeping shrub with vivid orange/pink flowers and bright green prickly foliage (photo below left). This plant is native to the moist southwestern parts of Western Australia.



13. Turn back now towards the Visitor Centre to see on your right ***Prostanthera phyllicifolia***, or Spiked Mint-bush, which has many small mauve flowers on a lax bush which scrambles down a bank (photo above). This plant is native to eastern mainland Australia.

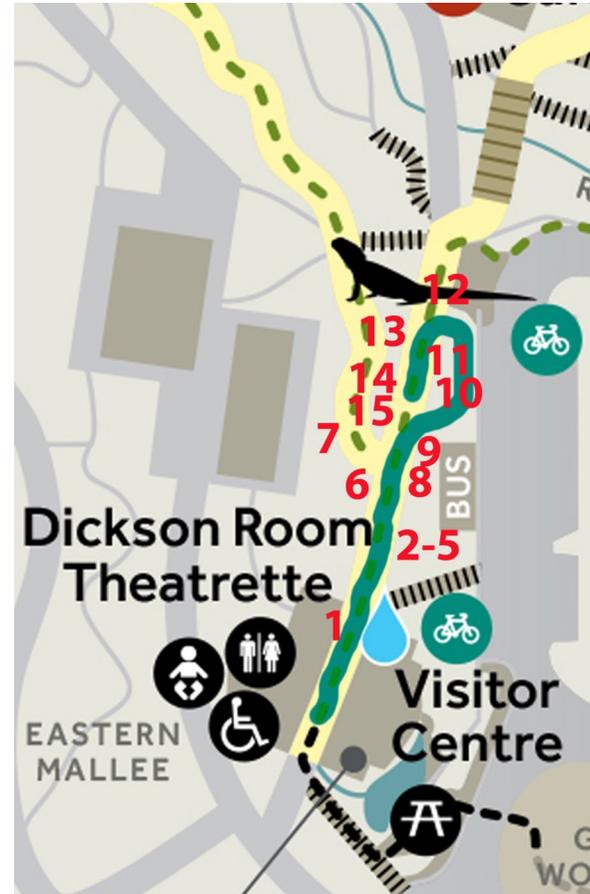


14. Still on your right is ***Hibbertia empetrifolia***, a low scrambling shrub with green leaves and wiry stems ending in bright yellow flowers (photo above). Also known as Tangled Guinea-flower, this plant is native to southeastern Australia.



15. Again on your right is ***Boronia megastigma*** 'Lutea' a small neat bush with yellow bell flowers (photo above). This plant has a magnificent scent for the 75% of people who are able to smell it.

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Only a short walk today between the Visitor Centre and the café, as so many plants are in spring flower



1. As you leave the Visitor Centre look up to your left to see ***Pandorea pandorana*** 'Golden Showers', a vigorous twining vine with masses of tubular brown and gold flowers (photo above). This species is widespread in Australia down the east coast from Cape York to Flinders Island in Bass Strait. This vine also occurs in central Australia.

2. On your right is ***Prostanthera ovalifolia***, a medium sized shrub with highly aromatic leaves and masses of purple flowers (photo next page top left). This plant is native to the inland areas of New South Wales and southern Queensland.



3. Also on your right is *Acacia pubescens* or Downy Wattle, with gold ball flowers on fringed foliage (photo above right). This endangered wattle is native to the Sydney Basin in central New South Wales. Much of its habitat has vanished with the growth of the city of Sydney.



4. Still on your right is *Phebalium daviesii* or St. Helens Wax Flower, a small shrub with bright green leaves and creamy yellow star flowers (photo above). This plant, listed as critically endangered, is native to a small area near the George River on Tasmania's north-east coast.



5. Again on your right is *Hibbertia circinata*, a critically endangered plant native to the summit of Mt. Imlay, southwest of Eden, NSW (photo above). This small shrub has dark green, hairy leaves and bright yellow flowers, with five oval petals notched at the base.

6. On your left is *Acacia cognata* 'Green Mist', a weeping shrub with green linear leaves and pale yellow ball flowers (photo below). This cultivar is a dwarf form of the Bower Wattle, which is native to New South Wales and Victoria.



7. Again on your left is *Pandorea sp. Mt. Maroon*, a small trailing plant with cream bells with maroon centres and markings, native to southeastern Queensland (photo below).



8. On your right is *Asterolasia* 'Lemon Essence', a compact shrub with masses of lemon yellow star flowers (photo below). This plant was developed at the ANBG.



9. Low on your right is *Boronia* 'Purple Jared' with green foliage and deep purple bell flowers (photo below). This plant is a cross between *Boronia megastigma* and *B. heterophylla*. For those of you (75%) who can smell boronias, it has a glorious scent .



10. On your right and left is *Grevillea* 'Scarlet King' an attractive cultivar with dark red tooth-brush flowers contrasting with white stems and grey-green divided foliage (photo below).



11. On your left is *Olearia phlogopappa*, or Alpine Daisy Bush, with grey foliage and mauve flowers (photo below). This plant is native to southeastern New South Wales, Victoria and Tasmania. The plant has a musky odour, but the flowers themselves have a light, pleasant scent.

