

IAN LEIGHTON

HORSEMANSHIP

Banyandah

5527 Riverina Hwy, Howlong, NSW.

The beautiful 'Banyandah' is a property of 400 acres situated on the Murray River on the NSW/Victorian border. We are grateful to Jane Reid for providing such a beautifully appointed property for the hosting of our training and teaching workshops.

The facilities include The Light House which provides a meeting area, teaching space and accommodation. The Cattleman's Hut, float/truck parking, day yards for 40 horses, 3 round sand arenas 50m, 27m and 17m plus stables. The 'Playground' for horse and rider with many obstacles both natural and manmade and a large 50m x 75m sand arena nestled amongst the shady gums on the river flats.

Directions to "Banyandah Naturally"

"Banyandah Naturally" is on the Murray River and located between Corowa and Howlong, on the Riverina Highway. It is approximately 30 minutes west of Albury.

"Banyandah" is on the **southern side** of the Highway.

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Traveling west from Howlong, "Banyandah" is 7 km on the LHS (about 5 min drive) You will pass Kismet Riverside Retreat also on the LHS. When you reach the Banyandah entrance you will see a cattle grid and **gateway made from massive red gum posts** and clearly signed. In the paddock to the right, directly opposite the entrance, is a billboard advertising the Howlong Caravan Park. Turn left over the grid and travel about 2 km along the gravel road until you arrive at Light House, stables and cattle yards.

Traveling east from Corowa, "Banyandah" is about 16km on the RHS (about 10 min drive) Take the Riverina Highway to Howlong /Albury. Look for a large bill board sign on the LHS advertising the Howlong Caravan Park. Directly opposite is the **entrance made from the massive red gum posts** and clearly signed. Turn right over the ramp and travel about 2 km along the gravel road until you arrive at The Light House, stables and cattle yards.

Accommodation/Camping & Yards

Horse Yards and Accommodation must be booked directly with Jane Reid at Banyandah

Ph: 02 6026 8800 or email: banyandahnaturally@bigpond.com.au Please note that bookings are essential for all accommodation.

Accommodation is available in either The Light House or The Cattlemen's Hut for camping (please note prices as shown may be subject to change – please check the website for current rates at the time of booking <http://banyandahnaturally.com.au/tariff.html>)

The Light House

Overnight per bed: BYO linen \$70

Surcharge: request provided linen \$20

Please – no swags in The Light House

The Cattleman's Hut

Camp overnight

Single site – unpowered \$15

Single site – powered \$25

2 persons – powered \$40

The Cattleman's Hut is available for basic cooking and eating plus bathroom/shower facilities.

Horses

Facility fee & horse day yard per day \$20

Please bring all your horse feed needs. It is possible to have horse feed delivered to Banyandah by contacting the Corowa Feed Store (02) 6033 0645. Please allow one week for this to be organised and pay directly via credit card at time of order.

Please see www.banyandahnaturally.com.au for more information. Separate payment must be made directly to the venue for accommodation and yards.

Food

Subject to numbers, evening meal catering will be available and we highly recommend and invite you to enjoy the set main course in The Light House. We will need a commitment of at least 10 people each night to have this confirmed – approx. cost \$27 per night. This is a great way to relax and socialise, and enjoy some luxury after a day of riding!!

Closer to the clinic date we will ask you to confirm which nights you would like to participate in the catered evening meal. Once we have confirmed numbers – payment can be made preferably by direct credit to the caterer's bank account. I'll forward bank details once we have confirmed numbers so that payment is not made prematurely. Alternatively, she will accept cash/cheques on the first evening.

For those who are doing full self-catering, please bring your meal over and join the group dining each evening.

Everyone will need to bring their own breakfast & lunch supplies – please note there are refrigeration and cooking facilities available for both Light House and Camping guests. Supermarkets, cafes and restaurants are located in Howlong or Corowa, a 10-minute drive away.

Extra Information

Please bring all weather clothing; we will be riding regardless of the weather. Spectators please bring your own chair. We will be working in various areas weather depending and fixed seating may be limited if you have spectators with you or need a rest from sitting on your horse.

Please no dogs at the venue and please ensure you clean up progressively throughout your stay including meal areas. Manure must be collected and left in designated area. Please be sure to clean up after yourselves and your horses and if everyone can help out during the day by cleaning the arena & working areas, this would be much appreciated. You are welcome to take photographs but please no videoing. We ask that you do not post any images on social media or share publicly without the consent of Ian Leighton Horsemanship for the privacy of all participants.