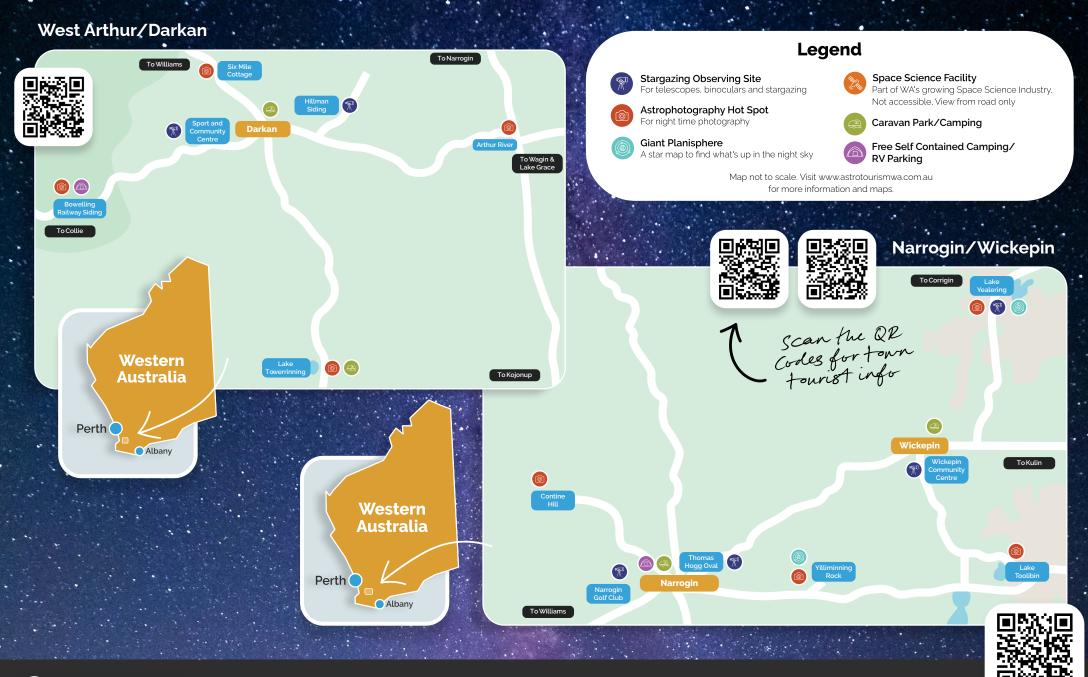
## Astrophotographers' Paradise Stargazing Map (Southern Wheatbelt)







## Astrotourism Towns Stargazing Map

Western Australia is a world-class dark sky tourism destination. When you stargaze here, you'll have the best experience.

# Stargazing Tips For Beginners

New to stargazing? Follow these top tips for a great experience under the

- You don't need a telescope to go stargazing. Naked-eye stargazing is an Milky Way:
- amazing experience. It's peaceful and awe-inspiring.
- Turn out the lights, including your mobile phone. When you turn out the
- lights, you'll be able to see the stars better. Take some time for your eyes to adjust to the darkness. This is called night
- vision, and it takes about 10-15 minutes. Download a stargazing app. Try to identify and learn about stars,
- constellations and other objects in the night sky.
- Watch out for meteors (shooting stars) and satellites.

#### **Reduce Light Pollution &** Save the Stars!

Globally, light pollution is rapidly increasing every year. There are now some people who cannot see the Milky Way and some children will grow up never seeing a star!

By reducing light pollution and becoming better lighting managers, we can save the view of the stars, protect wildlife and improve our human health.

### See the Giant Planisphere Signs!

Not to be missed, these interactive signs are a giant star wheel that helps you find out what's up in the night sky. You'll start identifying stars and constellations before you know it!

### **Aboriginal Astronomy**

Aboriginal people have been studying the stars for tens of thousands of years and the stories are intrinsically linked to land, sea and culture. Souvenirs available at stargazersclubwa.com.au/shop



#### What's up in the night sky tonight?

Scan here to find out what to see and where to look.



#### Itineraries under the stars

Ready to go on a stargazing adventure? Check out these itineraries to all corners of our world-class dark night skies!

