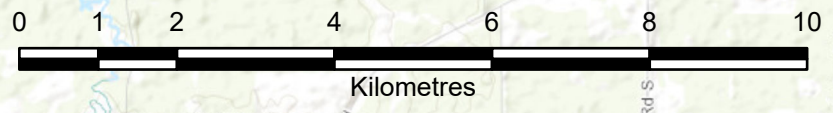
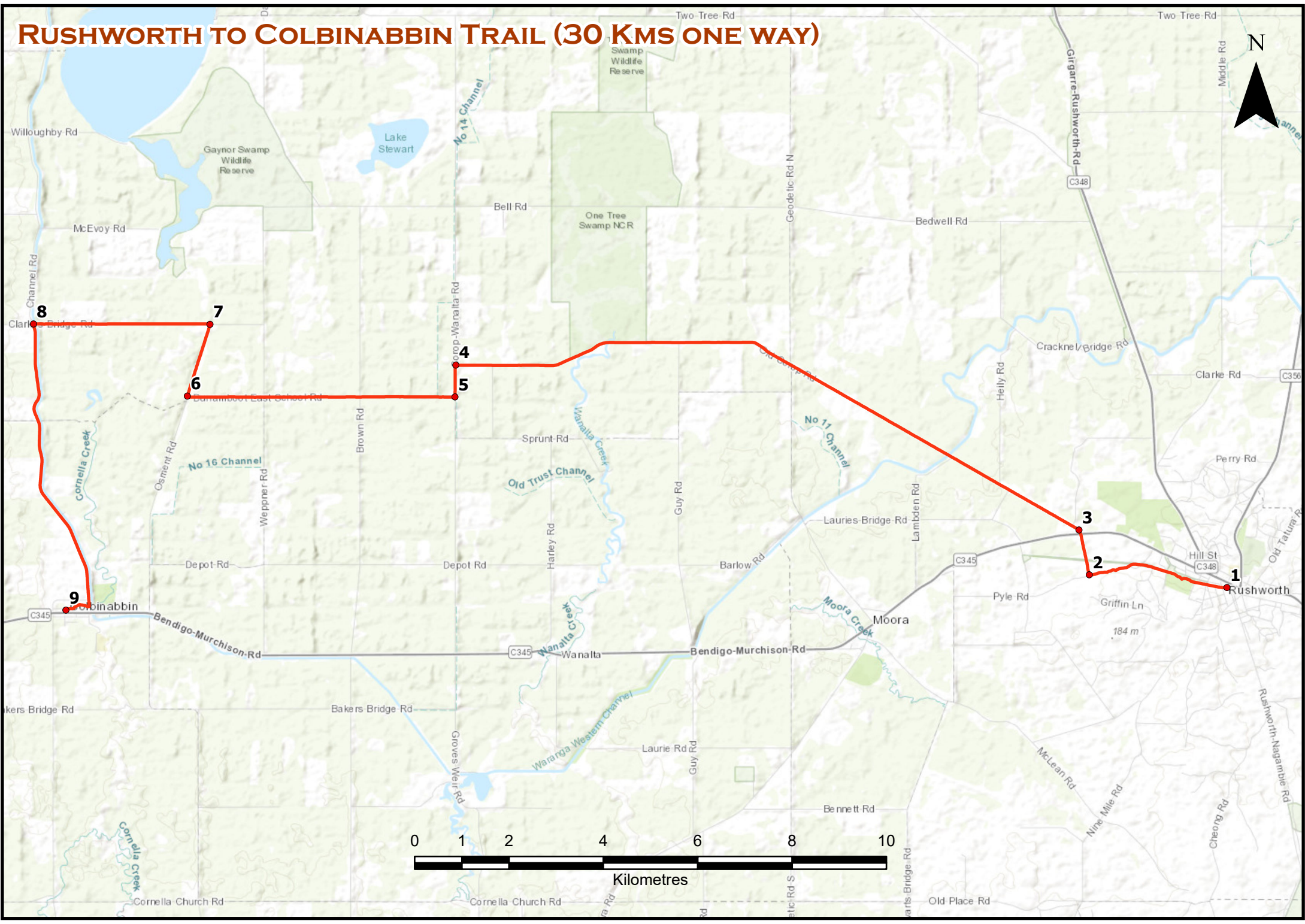
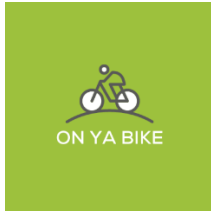


RUSHWORTH TO COLBINABBIN TRAIL (30 KMS ONE WAY)





The Wanalta Wander (30 kilometres one way)

A scenic ride from Rushworth to Colbinabbin on the quiet country back roads of Corop, crossing the Wanalta Creek and passing the One Tree and Two Tree Swamp wetlands.

**Your adventure begins at the Rushworth Rail Trail Head.
Distances shown are Down Line, from Rushworth.**

- 1. From the Rushworth Rail Trail head west along Parker Street noting our historic 'Wizard', a Fowler Steam Traction Engine that was built in Leeds, England, in 1907. Continue along Parker Street to the Ironbark Stadium and continue through the recreation reserve until the track crosses Pound Street and eventually becomes Pyle Road. Note the original alignment of the Colbinabbin railway on the right hand side.**
- 2. Pyle Road meanders through the forest until you turn right into Schade Lane (2.5k).**
- 3. Follow Schade Lane to the Bendigo - Murchison Road (3.2k) and cross over to Old Corop Road. This first section is bitumen. Follow Old Corop Road, crossing Geodetic Road North and Guy Road and you're back on the gravel. Continue along Old Corop Road and you soon reach the One Tree and Two Tree Swamp and the Wanalta Creek Bridge, roughly halfway and a good spot to have a break. This area abounds with birdlife, and you might even spot a Brolga. The word Corop is believed to be the local Aboriginal word for the call of the Brolga.**
- 4. Continue on Old Corop Road until you turn left the Corop Wanalta Road (14.7k),**
- 5. After 500m turn right into the Burrumboot East School Road (15.2k).**
- 6. Follow the Burrumboot East School Road, and turn right into Osment Road (19.7k).**
- 7. Follow Osment Road and turn left into Clarkes Bridge Road (20.9k).**
- 8. Follow Clarkes Bridge Road, cross over the irrigation channel and turn left in Channel Road (23.9k)**
- 9. Follow Channel Road into Colbinabbin and turn left into Meade Lane (29.1k) which will take you to the Public Toilets, picnic area and of course the not to be missed Silo Art.**

The Colbinabbin General Store and the Colbinabbin Country Hotel are both highly recommended as great places to relax, have a meal and a refreshing drink.

**Accommodation is available at the Colbinabbin Country Hotel.
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and make sure you see the fabulous Colbo Silo Art.