

WHAT SETS THE
CORNER COUNTRY
APART FROM THE REST?



Wild Dog Fence

Location

- Only New South Wales district bounded by two states
- Unincorporated Area
- Large area of low population, freedom, space, room to move and breathe

Significant local Aboriginal heritage sites and connections

- Milparinka waterhole, Yandama Creek, silcrete quarries,
- rock engravings, Mutawintji National Park

Significant sites from Australia's (Sturt's) first Inland exploration

- Depot Glen, Poole's Grave, Mt Poole Cairn, Fort Grey, Mt Wood
- Other sites named after expedition, Mt Stuart, Mt Browne,
- Piesi Creek, Floods Creek, Mt Arrowsmith



Evelyn Creek, Milparinka

Significant sites from Burke and Wills Expedition

- Mt Wright, Mutawintji NP
- Koonebury Hills
- Torrowotto Swamp



Sturt's Depot Glen

Landuse

- Established history of pastoralism
- Largest original station properties in NSW,
- largest landholder S Kidman and Co properties,
- remarkable pioneer stories



Steam Engine, Mt Wood

Gold Mining Heritage

- Communities of Milparinka and Tibooburra predate Broken Hill
- Mt Browne goldfields available for fossicking
- Significant mining heritage sites

Wild Life

- Amazing arid zone flora
- Significant native animal habitat
- Remarkable arid zone fauna including four of the six species of large kangaroo and the largest race of red kangaroos in the outback
- Rare plant and animal species, such as the flame spider flower grevillea and grey falcon
- Largest self-managed national park in NSW



Large Red Kangaroo

Diverse landscapes

- Red sand dunes of the Simpson Strzelecki Dunefields
- Vast gibber plains
- Salt and fresh water lakes
- Myriad ephemeral creeks
- Embraces the Murray-Darling and Lake Eyre Basins
- Cracking clay soils
- Quartz fields
- Ancient sandstone mesas and jumpups
- Granite tors around Tibooburra
- Saltbush steppes and Acacia woodlands



Gibber plain

Bright skies, clear nights

- Brilliant stars not affected by artificial light

Strong local community identity (Milparinka and Tibooburra)

- Local personalities
- Local events
- Award winning heritage precinct, Milparinka
- Established Visiting Volunteer Program, Milparinka
- Key regional infrastructure, Tibooburra
- Most remote school in NSW, Tibooburra



Milparinka Heritage Precinct

Wild Dog Fence

- Longest single fence in the world
- Junction of three states



Three state's marker