

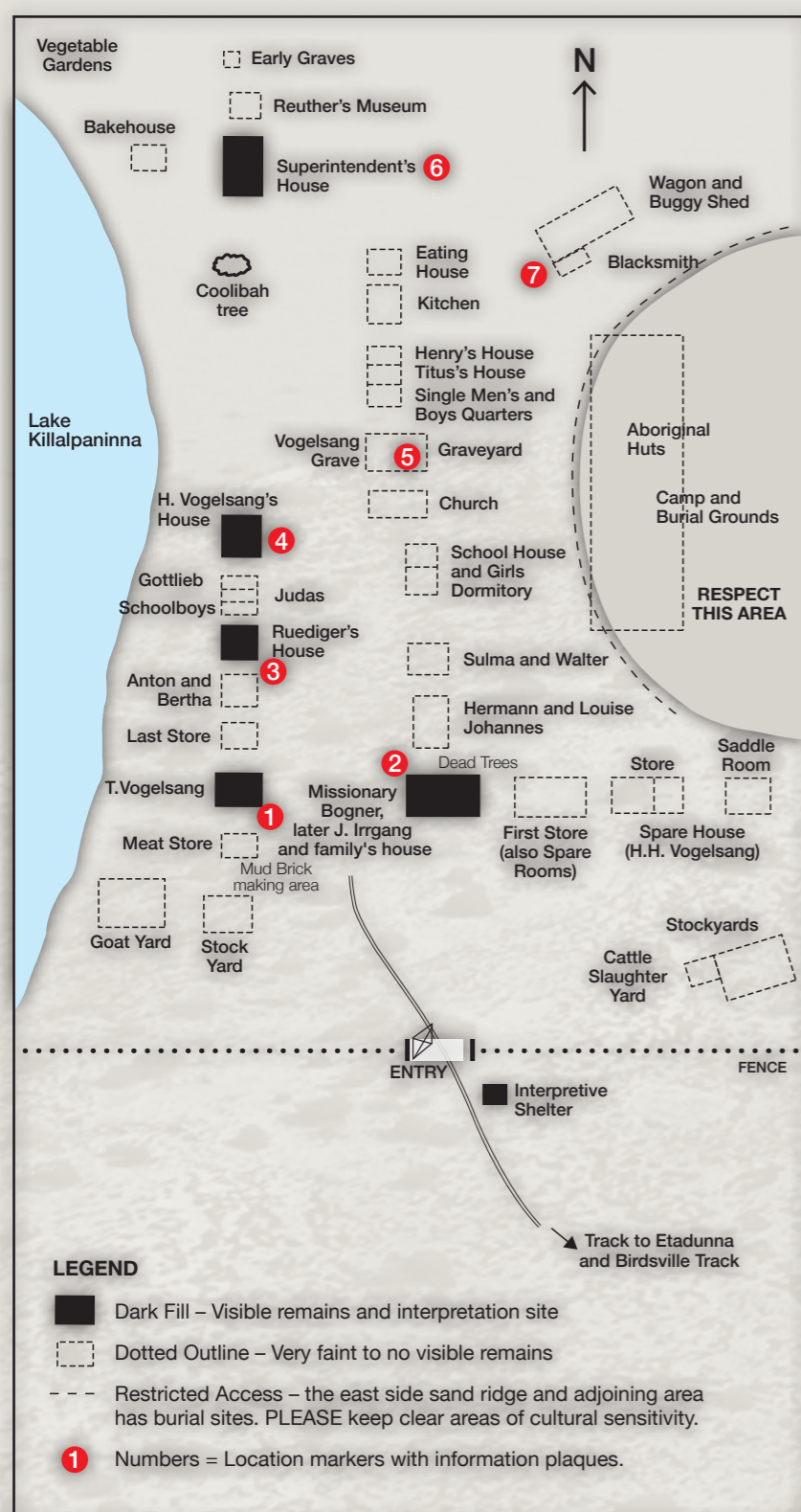
# Etadunna Station - Historic Bethesda Mission Site Lake Killalpaninna, Cooper Creek

*You are on a Pastoral Lease*

*Etadunna (pronounced 'Etha-dinna') is a working cattle property.*

*PLEASE respect our privacy and follow directions.*

**WELCOME TO COUNTRY** Wardaru yini (How are you?) This is Dieri Country and we ask you to respect the land and our culture. We welcome you to share this part of our history.



## SITE PROTOCOLS

- This is an important, very fragile historic and cultural site. It was a substantial village of over 22 buildings. Many of the buildings were constructed of mud brick and all the structural elements have gradually disappeared over the last 100 years. A key feature was a Bavarian-style church with a 42-foot bell tower built out of locally made mud bricks.
- A number of interpretive plaques and panels explain various aspects of the site.
- The remains of the buildings are very indistinct; only faint outlines of foundations remain.
- Please be guided by the map and keep to the track. **DO NOT** walk over the building remains – only view from the path.
- **DO NOT** pick up any artefacts, regardless of where they are – they must be left on site.

## BUSH CAMPING PROTOCOLS

- Camping on station properties and near important cultural sites is a privilege. Please respect and care for the country so that you have minimal impact and the site is protected for others to enjoy.
- Trees are important to Dieri people and must not be damaged or destroyed.

## SOME BASIC RULES

- Overnight camping only at Dead Man's Hole by the mission site.
- Keep to the designated tracks and campsites.
- Do not damage or remove any vegetation, including trees.
- Keep fires small; all firewood must be brought in.
- Bury toilet waste and burn the paper.
- Take out what you bring in.



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