

# Noojee News

New edition 1

Your Community Newsletter

Summer 2019

## Two great family events in November

### CFA Open Day



CFA Open Day is a chance for you to meet your local CFA brigade and find out more about what we do.

**When:** Sunday 3 November, 2019  
10am - 2pm

**Where:** Noojee Fire Station  
380 Mt Baw Baw Tourist Road, Noojee

**What:** You can ask us questions including:

Can I burn off?  
Camp fire regulations  
How safe is Noojee?  
How do I join CFA?

Is my property defensible?  
When do I get disaster relief?  
Evacuation procedures  
Vegetation reduction plans

**Come and meet your local brigade!**

**Also available  
on the day!**

DELWP  
Representatives  
Sausage Sizzle  
Face Painting

For further information please contact:  
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### Noojee CFA

Save the date - November 3rd at the Noojee Fire Station 10.00 am to 2.00 pm.

Come and meet your local CFA members and DELWP representatives. Find out more about the brigade and what they do. Ask questions, prepare yourself and your property for the upcoming fire season and... enjoy a snag or two.

### Noojee Notice Board

Noojee resident Jessica Edmondson, has set up a Facebook page titled 'Noojee Noticeboard', where locals and visitors can communicate and connect. It has become a valuable community forum that now has 200 members.

### New community market

The new quarterly 'Noojee Bush Market' is all about 'Fresh local produce, unique hand-made or upcycled and recycled goods, distinctive arts and craft and great entertainment'.

The first market will be held on Sunday, November 24, between 10.00 am and 2.00 pm in and around the Noojee Hall, making it the perfect time and place for early Christmas shopping.

Visitors to the area will enjoy the town's surrounding serene, scenic environment and its outstanding natural and heritage attractions. Many will also enjoy spending a pleasant late afternoon in one of the town's three great, food venues.

The Noojee Bush Market will be held on the last Sunday of November, February, May and August. It will be a quality produce, arts, craft, repurposed and recycled goods market designed to encourage more tourism to the area and enable local producers and artists to showcase and sell their wares.

The market is managed by Noojee Community, Business and Tourism Incorporated and sponsored by the Baw Baw Shire for the benefit of the town and surrounding areas, and for visitors who come to the area to experience the wonderful things it has to offer. All enquiries phone: 0491 600 556 or email: [noojeebushmarket@gmail.com](mailto:noojeebushmarket@gmail.com)



## From the Editor

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## Noojee community website

The community website is managed by the Noojee Community, Business and Tourism group for the benefit of the town and surrounding areas. It provides information, the town's history, listings and community news.

Listings on the site are free with the offer of a single link eg., Facebook or a website. Advertising on the site is \$50 to \$100 per year. Designs are to be supplied per specifications or a fee of \$80 is charged to have the designs created. Donations or sponsorship have a logo or name with a single link on the landing page. Funds raised from the website pay for the sites maintenance. The website address is: [www.noojee.net.au](http://www.noojee.net.au)

All enquiries phone Wendy Morriss on 0419530042

## The Targa Florio comes to Noojee



Saturday November 16, from 1.00 pm to 3.00 pm

Hosted by the Noojee and District Heritage Society.

Approximately 100 classic cars will drive through the town, slowing down in front of the Noojee Heritage Centre. School Road will be closed from 1.00pm to 3.00pm to allow for the vehicles to travel through.

### About the event

First run in 1906, the Targa Florio has grown to become one of the great names in motor sport. The Targa Florio is an event that brings together the beauty of classic cars and the fascination of the great race to a passionate audience from across the globe. The Targa Florio extends well beyond a car rally and is a major tourism draw for Sicily in Italy with many thousands of spectators lining the route and attending the associated events that occur in parallel with the classic event. Targa Florio Australia has signed an agreement with the Sicily event to bring the event to Australia for the next five years. The Victoria event in 2017 was the first time the event has been allowed to be run outside Italy. The categories are Classics pre 1976, Ferraris and Supercars and they are expecting 100 cars this year.



**Fritz Mylius** Painter and Decorator  
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# The sustainable development of Noojee

The NCBT community group are continually working with the Baw Baw Shire regarding capital works and more infrastructure in the town for locals, and to manage visitors coming into the area.

Needs that have been identified are more footpaths to get pedestrians off the roads with connections to walking, cycling and riding tracks that people enjoy and more parking. Also a site each end of the town with sufficient toilets, gas or electric barbeque facilities to discourage people from lighting fires, drinking taps to refill water bottles and picnic tables. All new or upgraded works are to be in keeping with the town's natural native character.

So far, a better management outcome of the town's public rubbish has been achieved and a new half basketball court has been installed alongside the tennis court.

Currently on the agenda, is an upgrade to the reserve with two more toilets pans replacing the showers in the amenity and two more barbeques. Plans are being discussed for the establishment of another reserve on the other side of the town with parking, toilets, barbeques, water taps and picnic tables to catch the traffic coming from the mountain.

There will be more footpaths with the first section being installed from the hotel and along School Road past the heritage centre. We hope to eventually have footpaths around the town and out to the trout farm.

*The objective of Noojee Community, Business and Tourism Incorporated is to continuously work to maintain and enhance the social, economic and natural amenities in Noojee and the surrounding area for the benefit of residents, businesses and visitors to the community. New members are always welcome. Membership forms are available at the Post Office or Email: noojeebushmarket@gmail.com*

## Noojee Bush Market

**Recycle.** A focus on local produce & niche stalls in the heart of Noojee's beautiful scenic town

**Upcycle.**

**Make it.**

**Bake it.**

**Grow it.**

**FARM FRESH PRODUCTS**

Last Sunday of the month.  
Nov. Feb. May. August. 10am-2pm.

**At the Noojee town hall!**

Phone: 0491 600 556 | Email: noojeebushmarket@gmail.com  
Managed by Noojee Community, Business and Tourism Inc.



## Christmas family barbeque

A barbeque picnic for residents of Noojee and their families will be held by the NCBT. Provided will be cooked sausages and onions with fresh shredded salad or coleslaw in bread or rolls with a choice of condiments. There will be games for the kids and Father Christmas will throw a lolly scramble. It is BYO drinks and volunteers are asked to bring a plate of finger food dessert to share. The activity is free however, an RSVP at the post office is required to know how many to cater for.



## NOOJEE COMMUNITY FAMILY BARBEQUE

At the reserve

Sunday December 15th at 3 pm

BYO drinks

RSVP at the post office by Dec 5th

*Fun activities for the kids and a visit from Father Christmas!*



## Multifix Property Maintenance

### Handyman Services

Jevan Hogben

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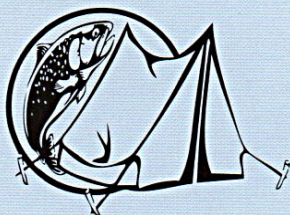
Icy Creek,  
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Warragul,  
Drouin



## NOOJEE BUSH GOODS

- Snow Chain Hire
- Camping Gear
- Bait & Tackle
- Firewood

Open: Thu-Sun, 6am-4pm  
11 Henty St Noojee 3833



**Phone 0488 451 850**

## The Parrots' Nest

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## Little Red Duck Cafe

Phone: 56289613

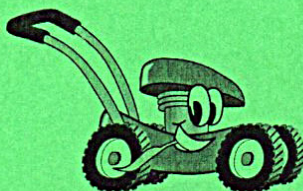
1 Bennett Street, Noojee

Open 7 days a week 8 am - 4 pm



## NOOJEE GARDEN MAINTENANCE

- Mowing
- Ride on mowing
- Brush Cutting
- Spraying
- Weeding



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"We invite you to join us and  
experience the natural beauty and  
serenity of Noojee at its best!"

Michelle and David Peterson

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## NOOJEE HOTEL

The perfect place for drinks with friends  
balcony lunch, family dinner or function!



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