

LANDCARE TOUR

Like to learn about Indigenous Cultural Heritage?



**The North Central Catchment Management Authority (CMA)
and the Kerang Indigenous Wetland Enhancement Crew invite
you to a tour on Sunday 27th June 2010.**

10.30am

- Meet at the Kerang Fire Station, Fitzroy Street, for morning tea.

Mark Pietzsch, North Central CMA Indigenous facilitator, will present a Cultural Heritage Induction and an introduction to Aboriginal Heritage legislation and its relevance to Landcare projects – essential knowledge for successful grant applications!!

11.45am

- Meet at Reedy Lake Ibis Rookery Car park, Pratt Road, off Murray Valley Highway, Kerang.

A representative from the Barapa Barapa Nation will conduct a Welcome to Country and smoking ceremony.

Lunch provided (toilets available)

1.00pm – 2.30pm

- Meet at Lake Bael Bael, (cnr Fairley Road and McDonald Road, off Murray Valley Highway)

The Kerang Indigenous Wetland Enhancement Crew will show us the results of their hard work and give a rare insight into some of the Indigenous heritage sites, showcasing the significance of the area to the Barapa Barapa ancestors.

Transport is available via bus (see map overleaf):

- Departing from the Kyabram office of Campaspe Shire, Lake Road at 8.30am and travelling along the Murray Valley Highway with a pick up in Echuca at the Tourist Information Centre at 9.15am.
- Departing from the Capital Theatre Car park, View Street Bendigo at 8.30am and travelling along the Loddon Valley Highway with a pick up at Durham Ox (sign) at 9.30am.
- Other pick ups along the Loddon Valley and Murray Valley Highways by arrangement.

Feel free to join us for all or part of the day. Please wear sturdy footwear and bring wet weather gear if necessary.

RSVP necessary (and any dietary requirements) by Tuesday 22 June 2010 to the North Central CMA on telephone 5448 7124 or info@nccma.vic.gov.au

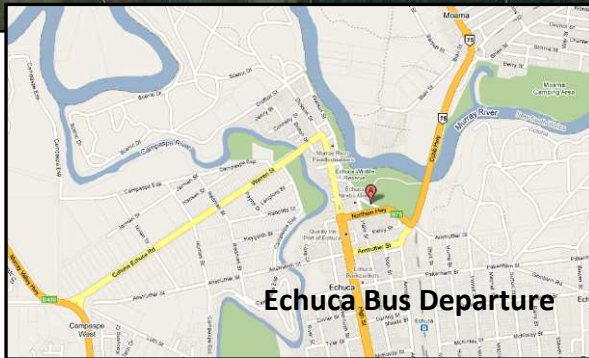
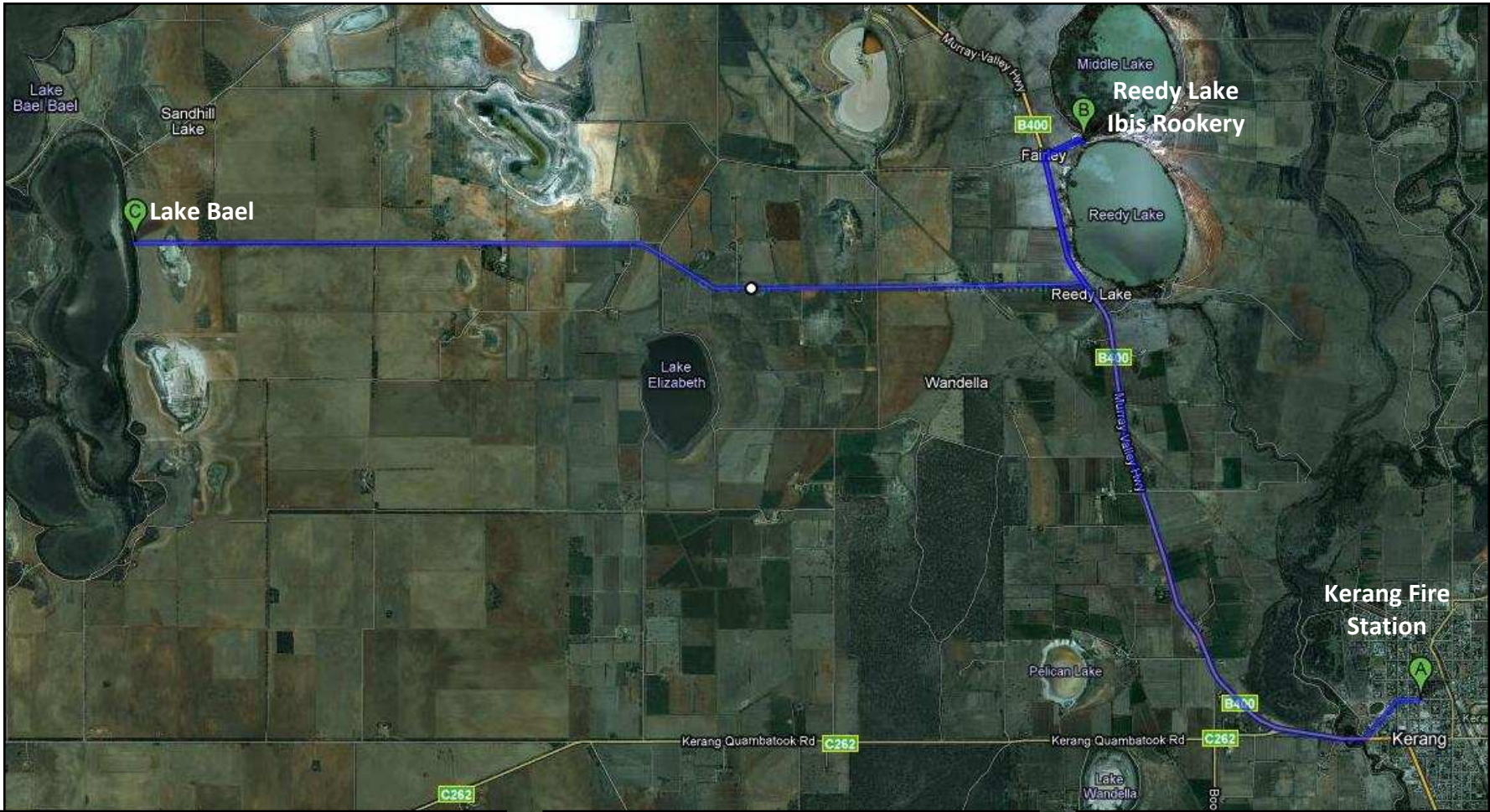
Families welcome. Look forward to seeing you there!



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SCHEDULE

Time	Item	Where	Who – let me know if not OK	Requirements	
8.30am	Bus 1 leave Kyabram and pick up at 9.15am at Echuca Tourist Centre		Robyn?	Staff to have attendance sheet with phone numbers	
8.30am	Bus 2 leave Bendigo and pick up at 9.30am at Durham Ox		Jodie?	Staff to have attendance sheet with phone numbers	
10am	Collect key for Fire Station	Kerang Fire Station	Trent/Carl		Organise
10am	Set up tables and chairs, tea, coffee, cups and projector and laptop for presentation. Pick up lunch food from Chinos Cafe	Kerang Fire Station	Trent/Carl	Instant hot water, Esky for Rolls, Tea, coffee, milk and sugar – Robyn to get	Organise
10.30am	Morning tea	Kerang Fire Station	Robyn - Kerang SES	Get delivered and set up	
10.45am	Cultural Heritage Induction – How to identify cultural heritage – how do you determine scar trees, tools or other sites What to do if you find something you think is cultural heritage Overview of planning tool Aboriginal Heritage legislation – what is it and what do you need to do to comply during Landcare projects – how to show its been considered when applying for grants Boundaries for traditional owners groups Robyn to introduce Peachy, Peachy to introduce Wayne, Wayne to introduce John John to introduce the Wetland Enhancement Crew	Kerang Fire Station	Peachy/Wayne/John	Projector and laptop Extension materials provided by Peachy and Wayne	

11.30am	Leave for Reedy Lake - participants back on buses and locals travel via own transport. Will probably be room on the buses for the Works Crew – need to when numbers are known			Staff member to check attendance	
11.45am	Welcome to Country and Smoking ceremony Wayne to refer to Cultural Heritage walk for people who might want to come back Howie – Who can speak on behalf of country (not anyone), and why its important to check with the traditional owners before doing things ie interpretive signage at Reedy Lake that’s not appropriate	Reedy Lake Ibis Rookery Picnic area	Wayne/Howie		
12.15pm	Lunch - Salad rolls	Reedy Lake Ibis Rookery Picnic area	Robyn – Chinos Cafe	List of dietary requirements	
12.45pm	Leave for Lake Bael Bael on buses or in individual cars			If wet or boggy for buses will do Cultural Heritage trail at Reedy Lake instead. Day will be postponed the day before if very predictions very wet or wild weather	
1.00-2.30pm	View works undertaken by crew and look at heritage sites Which sites should be shown? Possum tree, scar tree, scatters? Background to the works being done and history of the crew – maps to show density of sites and difficulties Albury – significance of cultural heritage and why looking after it is important Break participants into smaller groups each with two crew members, or Wayne and Peachy to walk to sites - explain complexities of the works being undertaken, problems (rabbits/boxthorns), significance of each of the cultural heritage sites and future works.	Lake Bael Bael	Wetland enhancement crew/Wayne/Peachy Trent - maps	Maps	

2.30pm	Depart Lake Bael Bael on buses or in individual cars				
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