

Marysville - The rebuild after 1 year

Updated monthly

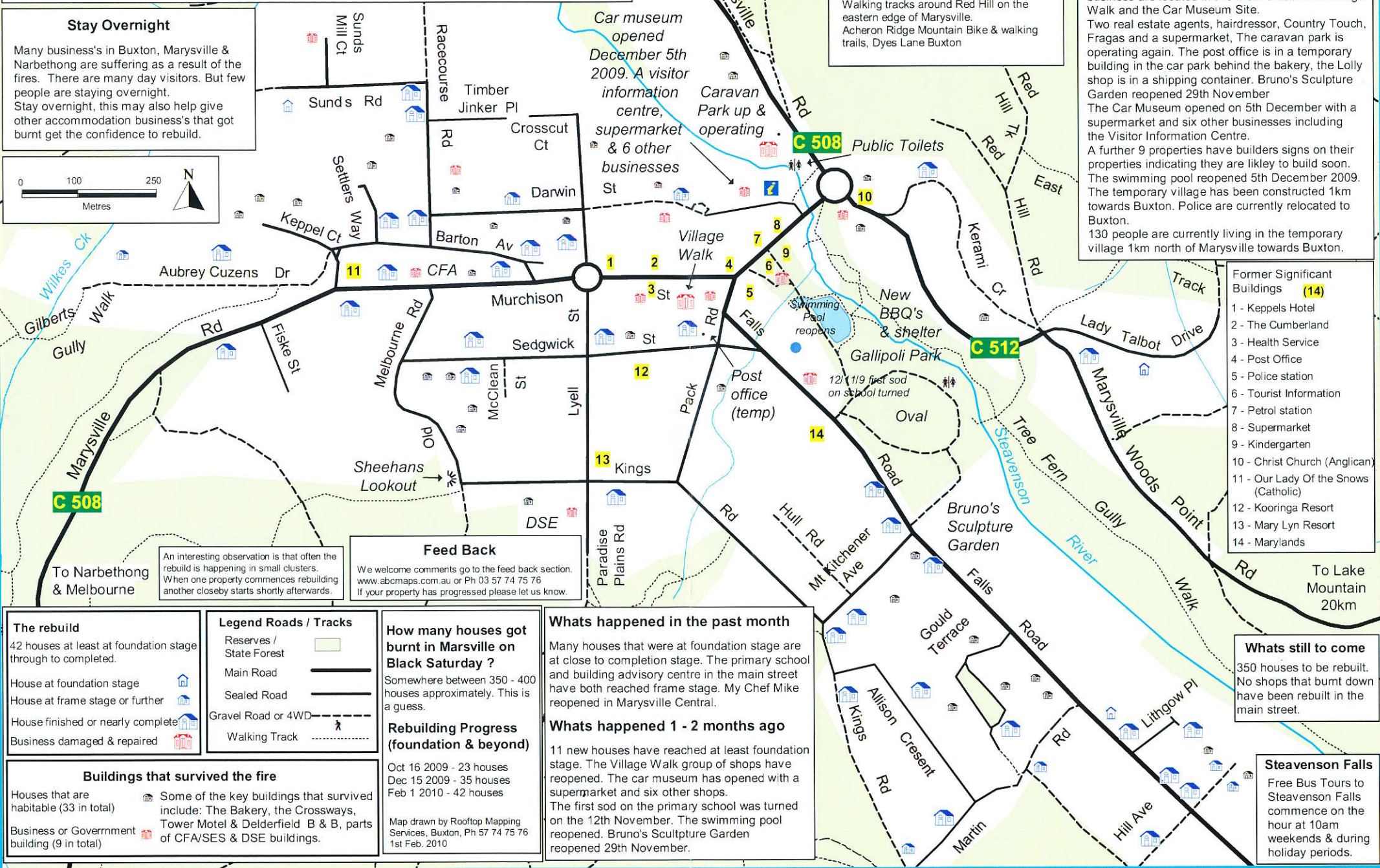
Stay Overnight

Many business's in Buxton, Marysville & Narbethong are suffering as a result of the fires. There are many day visitors. But few people are staying overnight. Stay overnight, this may also help give other accommodation business's that got burnt get the confidence to rebuild.



Heights Bistro, cycling & walking tracks at Lake Mountain.
Walks at Cumberland Scenic Reserve: to Cumberland Falls & Cora Lyn Falls.
Walking tracks around Red Hill on the eastern edge of Marysville.
Acheron Ridge Mountain Bike & walking trails, Dyes Lane Buxton

Last mapping of buildings occurred 1st February 2010. 42 houses have reached at least foundation stage. Keppels Hut has been rebuilt. About 15 retail businesses are back up and functioning. The business are located in two main areas. The Village Walk and the Car Museum Site.
Two real estate agents, hairdresser, Country Touch, Fragas and a supermarket, The caravan park is operating again. The post office is in a temporary building in the car park behind the bakery, the Lolly shop is in a shipping container. Bruno's Sculpture Garden reopened 29th November
The Car Museum opened on 5th December with a supermarket and six other businesses including the Visitor Information Centre.
A further 9 properties have builders signs on their properties indicating they are likely to build soon. The swimming pool reopened 5th December 2009. The temporary village has been constructed 1km towards Buxton. Police are currently relocated to Buxton.
130 people are currently living in the temporary village 1km north of Marysville towards Buxton.



- Former Significant Buildings (14)**
- 1 - Keppels Hotel
 - 2 - The Cumberland
 - 3 - Health Service
 - 4 - Post Office
 - 5 - Police station
 - 6 - Tourist Information
 - 7 - Petrol station
 - 8 - Supermarket
 - 9 - Kindergarten
 - 10 - Christ Church (Anglican)
 - 11 - Our Lady Of the Snows (Catholic)
 - 12 - Koorunga Resort
 - 13 - Mary Lyn Resort
 - 14 - Marylands

An interesting observation is that often the rebuild is happening in small clusters. When one property commences rebuilding another closely starts shortly afterwards.

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The rebuild
42 houses at least at foundation stage through to completed.
House at foundation stage
House at frame stage or further
House finished or nearly complete
Business damaged & repaired

Legend Roads / Tracks
Reserves / State Forest
Main Road
Sealed Road
Gravel Road or 4WD
Walking Track

How many houses got burnt in Marsville on Black Saturday ?
Somewhere between 350 - 400 houses approximately. This is a guess.
Rebuilding Progress (foundation & beyond)
Oct 16 2009 - 23 houses
Dec 15 2009 - 35 houses
Feb 1 2010 - 42 houses

Whats happened in the past month
Many houses that were at foundation stage are at close to completion stage. The primary school and building advisory centre in the main street have both reached frame stage. My Chef Mike have both reached frame stage. My Chef Mike reopened in Marysville Central.
Whats happened 1 - 2 months ago
11 new houses have reached at least foundation stage. The Village Walk group of shops have reopened. The car museum has opened with a supermarket and six other shops. The first sod on the primary school was turned on the 12th November. The swimming pool reopened. Bruno's Sculpture Garden reopened 29th November.

Buildings that survived the fire
Houses that are habitable (33 in total)
Business or Government building (9 in total)
Some of the key buildings that survived include: The Bakery, the Crossways, Tower Motel & Delderfield B & B, parts of CFA/SES & DSE buildings.

Whats still to come
350 houses to be rebuilt. No shops that burnt down have been rebuilt in the main street.

Stevenson Falls
Free Bus Tours to Stevenson Falls commence on the hour at 10am weekends & during holiday periods.

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