Marysville - *The rebuild after 17 months*

Rooftop's **As at 13th July 2010**

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.

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Attractions - Outside Marysville Township now open

Heights Bistro, cycling & walking tracks at Lake Mountain. Lady Talbot Drive to Keppel Falls & Phantom Falls. Walks at Cumberland Scenic Reserve: to Cumberland Falls & Cora Lyn Falls. Walking tracks around Red Hill on the north eastern edge of Marysville. Buxton Mountain Bike Park, Dyes Lane Buxton.

General Notes - The Rebuild

Last mapping of buildings occurred on July 13th 2010. 79 houses have reached at least foundation stage.

The new primary school opened for classes on April 12.

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 (Marysville Central). Two real estate agents, hairdressor, Country Touch, Fragas, a supermarket, My Chef Mike, The Bendigo Bank,The caravan park is operating, the Lolly shop is in a shipping container.
Bruno's Sculpture Garden is open. Police are relocated to Buxton.
106 people are living in the temporary village 1km north of Marysville towards Buxton. There is about 80 people living in Marysville town permanently now.

Snow Season

Three ski hires are operating in Marysville, all are in temporary buildings on the south side of Murchison St. There is also a ski hire in Narbethong.

Former Significant Buildings - example: (14)

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

Temporary Village 1km & Buxton 9km

Marysville Trestle Walking Track (open)

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Marysville State Forest

Sund's Mill Ct

Sunds Rd

Racecourse Rd

Timber Crosscut Ct

Jinker Pl

Darwin St

Settlers Way

Keppel Ct

Barton Av

Aubrey Cuzens Dr

Wilkes Ck

Gilberts Gully Walk

Fiske St

Large garages

Melbourne Rd

Old Marysville Rd

McClean St

Lyell St

Sedgwick St

Murchison St

Shops repaired

Village Walk (shops)

CFA

Public Toilets

Caravan Park

Marysville Central opened December 5th 2009. A visitor information centre, supermarket & six other businesses.

Building advisory centre (part built)

Swimming Pool reopen

School opend for classes April 12 2010

New BBQ's & shelter

Post office (temp)

Pack Rd

Falls Rd

Gallipoli Park Oval

Walking tracks reopened but becoming overgrown.

Red Hill Tk

Red Hill East Rd

Kerami Ct

Marysville Track

Wishing Well

Lady Talbot Drive

Woods Point Rd

Tree Fern Gully Walk

To Lake Mountain 20km

Bruno's Sculpture Garden

Walking track still closed

Steavenson River

Hull Rd

Mt Kitchener Rd

Gould Terrace

Falls Road

Kings Rd

Allison Cresent

Lithgow Pl

Log cabins

Martin Hill Ave

Sheehans Lookout

DSE

Paradise Plains Rd

Kings

To Narbethong & Melbourne

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Feed Back

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An interesting observation is that often the rebuild is happening in small clusters. When one property commences rebuilding another closeby starts shortly afterwards Falls & Racecourse Roads are examples.

Most houses in a street

After the fires the Marysville (Buxton) Rd had the most houses in any street in Marysville just four. Now Falls Road has a total of fourteen houses completed or nearing completion.

Streets with no houses in them

Hull Rd, Crosscut Ct, Red Hill Rd, Timber Jinker Pl & Sunds Mill Ct.

The rebuild

75 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 ?

Somewhere between 350 - 400 houses approximately. This is a guess.

Rebuilding Progress (foundation & beyond)

June 2 2009	- 6 houses
Oct 16 2009	- 23 houses
Dec 15 2009	- 35 houses
Feb 1 2010	- 42 houses
March 7 2010	- 56 houses
April 20 2010	- 62 houses
May 15 2010	- 68 houses
June 15 2010	- 69 houses
July 13 2010	- 79 houses

Whats happened in the past month or so

Marysville Post Office now has a roof. This the first of the original buildings to commence being rebuilt in the main street.
On the 4th of July Prime Minister Julia Gillard & The Premier John Brumby opened the new SES builiding at the top end of town.
Another three shops in The Village Walk are being refurbished.
The Marysville Rebuilding Advisory & Community Services Centre will have some governement services operating out of here from 19th July.
Vic Oak Picnic Area (3km towards Buxton) has been rebuilt with new picnic tables, this is a pretty spot to visit at the junction of the Steavensons & Taggerty Rivers.

Buildings that survived the fire

Houses that are habitable (34 in total)

Business or Goverrnment 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

300 houses to be rebuilt. No shops that burnt down have been completly rebuilt in the main street. Some have been repaired.

Steavenson Falls

Is currently closed more walking tracks may open after winter.

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