

WAIREWA CRC GRAPEVINE

Wairewa What's On:

Community Get Together
Friday 18 November 5:30pm
onwards
Wairewa Hall

Wairewa CRC Meeting
23 November 1pm
Afternoon tea provided.
Wairewa Hall

Wairewa Public Hall
Committee of Management
AGM
30 November 7:00pm.
Light supper provided
Wairewa Hall

Orbost Fire EXPO
3 December:
Lochiel Park Orbost

Landcare Dung Beetle Day
7 December: 1:30pm
Wairewa Hall

Christmas Gathering
SANTA! JUMPING CASTLE!
MUSIC! KIDS
ENTERTAINER!
Saturday 10 December 6pm
Wairewa Hall
RSVP by 5 December

Nowa Nowa Christmas
Function
15 December: 6pm
Community Centre

Contribution deadline 5 days
before end of the month:
wairewacrc@gmail.com



Community Get Together Tonight

18 November 2022 5:30pm at Wairewa Hall

Nibbles, tea, coffee provided. BYO other drinks

**Held every month (except Jan) third Friday from
5:30pm—drop in on the way home from work!**



WAIREWA CHRISTMAS PARTY

10 December 6pm — SANTA'S COMING!!

Live music, Jumping castle, Roving acrobat entertainer

Wairewa Trestle Bridge Reserve Landcare Working Bee

8th October a very well attended working bee was held at O'Grady's Bridge to take out small trees and bushes, weed under the bridge, grind back sharp projections on the beams and plant native species to enhance the picnic area. Thanks to all who attended.



Unfortunately on the Melbourne Cup long weekend, probably on the rainy Monday night, someone stole two of the iron I-beams used to enclose the picnic area. This is a disgusting act. Police believe that a tilt truck was brought in and two I-beams were lashed together and then skull dragged onto the tray. The truck, which had to have the capacity to load and tow 1.5 tonnes of steel, then drove out via the highway. If you saw anything please contact Bairnsdale Police 5150 2600 or Crimestoppers 13 14 44.



Bill Creek Roadworks and culvert upgrade to
commence January 2023 - weather permitting.





Recovery Funding and Projects: Wairewa Hall & O'Grady's Bridge

East Gippsland Community Foundation has awarded \$10,000 funding to Wairewa CRC for youth programs to be run by EGSC. If you want to register to participate or have any suggestions please contact Rachel Eastman, EGSC Place Manager for Wairewa on 51543 9500.

Another huge thank you to East Gippsland Community Foundation for their ongoing support.

If you have a community group or event you would like to see supported call Julie Saunders on 0435 079 020.

Wairewa Hall Upgrades:

New kitchen cabinets, stone benchtops and splash backs have been installed by Bairnsdale Cabinets and the kitchen looks a treat!

- The industrial dishwasher has also been delivered and installed.
- There are new stainless steel catering pots, pans and oven trays replacing the old aluminum.
- The BBQ shelter concrete and pathway on the south side of the hall are finally poured despite all the rain and a bogged pump truck! The BBQ area is enormous and provides a covered outdoor public space in Wairewa.
- The hall has been completely repainted inside including the kitchen and small meeting room.
- The small meeting room cabinets are complete and the purpose built mobile cabinet for the model of O'Grady's Bridge fits perfectly in the new storage cabinet to be locked away.
- A sound bar, projector and conference microphone are available for meetings or movies.
- The small meeting room is now a 'remote office hub' for the use of community members. There is a computer, printer, laminator and free WiFi connection. Book via Hall CoM.
- New vinyl flooring was installed in the kitchen 15 October to complete kitchen upgrade
- A new glass front door has been installed, this allows access for all community members.
- Ember proofing works by EGSC on the exterior of the hall will commence late November.



Thanks to our wonderful donors and supporters who made these Hall upgrades possible: ConnectWell and FRRR, Lions Club Lakes Entrance and Bendigo Adelaide Bank CEF, GIVIT and RACV, BRV and East Gippsland Community Foundation, PHN and Freemasons.

Free fruit trees and cuttings are available (apple and pear) for all community members. Please contact John Appleby on 0439 177 775 if you are interested and he will refer you to the grower.