

## **CHURCH CAMP KEY INFORMATION**

# **Day Visitors**

- On Sunday there will be trips out and bushwalks, starting from 8:00am.
- We will be holding a service in the outdoor Chapel at 4:00pm.
- Members of the congregation, who are unable to stay overnight, are encouraged to join us on the Sunday, especially for the afternoon service. The drive from Springfield is about 1 ½ hours.
- The camp is self-catered, so please remember to bring food for the duration of your visit.

#### Address:

Pointro Campsite

532 Burnett Creek Road, Maroon, Qld

If you need to contact us at the campsite, please call:

Helen Irwin 0455 502 243

Bill Toolan (on-site manager) 0491 446 271

## Catering

- The camp is self-catering, with the exception of the dinner on Saturday night, and the BBQ on Sunday night.
- For those staying in the bunkhouse, there is a fridge/freezer and a cold room for food storage. The cold room will also be available for campers.
- There is a kitchen in the bunkhouse, with cooker, crockery, cutlery and utensils. You may also wish to bring a cooking pot and a few utensils, just in case there is a shortage.
- Cooking areas for open fires are dotted around the campsite. Please note that you will need to have your own firewood. If you can assist by bringing some firewood to the camp please let us know as soon as possible.
- The BBQ will be available for anyone to use (with the exception of Sunday night).
- The water in the bunkhouse and camper's toilet block is drinkable. It comes through a massive sand filter from the dam.

# Sleeping

- Campers are responsible for their own sleeping arrangements.
- There are mattresses in the bunkhouse, but you will need to bring your own:
  - Single sheet
  - o Duvet
  - o Pillow
- Bunkhouse rooms have been allocated in a way that will provide the maximum privacy. If
  you wish to change rooms, please check with Rev Charlie, who will ensure that all parties
  are agreeable to the room change.

#### **Facilities**

- Showers and toilets in the bunkhouse and a shower/toilet block for campers.
- Covered area with table and benches near the toilet block.
- Maroon Dam is currently at 100% capacity and is stocked with Bass, Yellow Belly and Red Claw. It is ideal for fishing and all types of water sports.
- Boat ramp.
- Outdoor Chapel.
- The church will set up gazebos in the centre of the campground as a communal area for campers.

# Fishing

- Fishing in Maroon Dam requires a permit, which costs \$12.72 and can be purchased <a href="here">here</a>.
- The best bait is live prawns, but worms also work well. Worms can be purchased on the way through Boonah at <u>Far Outdoors</u>, 7 Church Street, Boonah (open from 9:00am 12:30pm).

## **Health and Safety**

- Children PARENTS ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR THEIR CHILDREN AT ALL TIMES
- Closest Hospital:

Boonah

11-17 Leonard Street, Boonah, Qld, 4310 Tele: (07) 5463 3300 or 000 in an Emergency

Emergency Call: 000 or 112

- Emergency Plus: This app can be downloaded and will pinpoint your location to within a metre. If you have to make an emergency call, it is important to know exactly where you are, especially when bushwalking. It is recommended that you download this app.
- Phone Reception: Reception at Pointro and on the bushwalks can be patchy. Telstra generally has the best coverage.
- Travel: The roads to Pointro are sealed, apart from the last 200m. This section can get muddy and rutted, however, the site is accessible by 2-wheel drive vehicles. Please drive slowly and avoid deep ruts by driving around them.
- Emergency Evacuation: A 4x4 vehicle will be available to transport a person to hospital if needed. This will be parked close to the entrance. Note it will not be available when groups are out on bushwalks.

#### **Risk Assessments**

Please read the Risk Assessments and take note of all safety precautions:

- Bushwalking
- Fires | Kitchen | Cooking
- Water Activities