

Roustabouts RV Club Inc.

Blackbutt Showground Muster

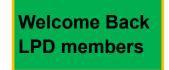
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11 to 13 October 2019 (core days)









Fees

Rig Fee: \$5

Sizzle: \$5 per person

Site Fees: \$10 per person per night

General Information

Blackbutt is situated on the D'Aguilar Highway just 4km from its sister town, Benarkin. The Blackbutt-Benarkin region is the southern entrance to the South Burnett and a popular spot for bushwalkers, campers, wildlife enthusiasts and horse riders. The region is known for its thriving hoop pine plantations and avocado orchards. The township of Blackbutt is named after the Blackbutt tree (Eucalyptus Piluris), native to the area. Often referred to as the 'Timber Town', Blackbutt is surrounded by native forests and beautiful scenery. The rich timber industry of the region dates back to the 19th century when European settlers first arrived here and continue to thrive even today.

The local Radnor Hotel is available to us. The town's Woodfire Bakery is arguably the best places in Australia to grab a bite to eat and is well-known throughout the region for its award-winning pies.

In the middle of the main street, you'll find the beautifully restored Bunyanut café. Renowned for its excellent meals and friendly service, the café is the perfect place for a lunchtime meal if you're after more than just a snack.

The 'Butt Art' gallery is also a must-see, showcasing a variety of artists from South East Queensland and giving visitors the opportunity to taste local liqueurs and shop for unique gifts.

If you're more of a history buff you'll enjoy the famous Roy Emerson museum, also known as Nukka Nook. Old photos and stories from Blackbutt and surrounding districts are proudly displayed and give visitors a unique view of the local history.

The quaint community of Benarkin is located just down the road from Blackbutt. The historic Benarkin general store is the perfect place to fill and up and get some general supplies before heading off to the Benarkin State Forest.

The Forest is a great spot to picnic, fish, spot platypus or ride on the many forest trails. The unsealed 16-kilometre scenic forest drive leads through the rainforest, hoop pine plantations and eucalypt forests containing blackbutt, tallowwood, white mahogany, gums and ironbarks to small flats beside the inviting waters of Emu Creek.