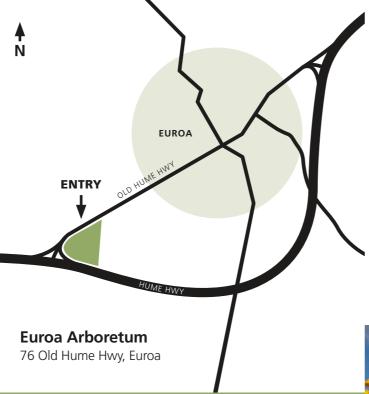


On the edge of Euroa, the Arboretum nestles in the foothills of the majestic Strathbogie Ranges. To the north, the outlook stretches to the riverine plains. After active regeneration the grounds celebrate these local habitats gifting everyone the opportunity to see and experience its natural beauty and learn about some large-scale, industry-leading ecological restoration techniques.

For over twenty years the alliance of effort from dedicated groups including part time project managers, the Committee of Management, a Friends group and regular volunteers means the Euroa Arboretum has now emerged as a wondrous place to relax and commune with plants, to fish or have a picnic. Amenities include a picnic shelter with drinking water, public toilets, car parking, well-marked walking trails and a large dam for fishing and canoeing. The installation of large thought provoking and inspiring metal sculptures adds a special artistic perspective of nature and place. Plus entry is free and the gate is open 7 days a week!

FREE ADMISSION | GATES OPEN 24/7



All visitors are welcome. Limited mobility access.

#### Nursery Opening Hours: See website for details.

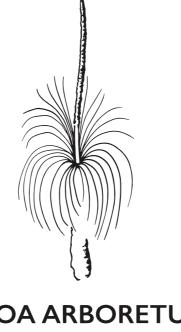
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Dogs are welcome but must remain on a lead.

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Spanning 27 hectares, the Euroa Arboretum offers a unique experience to spend time in the natural environment of northeastern Victoria. Established in 1990 the Euroa Arboretum has become a beloved destination for visitors wanting an outdoor experience as well as being a leading service provider of ecological restoration supplies and information.

Originally the depot site for the freeway work to by-pass Euroa, the land was handed over by VicRoads to the local community. A volunteer Committee of Management was forged and transformed it to a beautiful park of woodland and wetland environments, walking tracks, picnic areas and an indigenous plant nursery.



# **The Nursery**

The plant nursery at the Euroa Arboretum produces and sells approximately 60,000 indigenous plants for revegetation projects throughout the region. There are also a small section of Australian natives for gardens and sale at markets. The nursery employs a coordinator and has a dedicated group of volunteers who work every week to ensure orders are met and customers are satisfied.



### **Wetlands and Walks**

There are many options for a wide variety of visitors. You can take a long stroll around the whole site, or go on a shorter walk around the wetland areas, or just sit and contemplate! Longer walks take you through the various woodland environments with the freedom to enjoy an extensive wildflower and native grass restoration area. Threatened woodland animals call the Euroa Arboretum their home, and the created wetlands can deafen you with frog calls in the right season. Bring your fishing rod, your dog and your binoculars. There are discoveries awaiting you.





## **Seed Production**

Adventurous visitors might encounter fenced off areas within the Euroa Arboretum. Inside are low rolling mounds with plants growing on top. These are the Intensive Seed Production areas. Plants here 'pop' their seed and are swept up on the black plastic and collected in bulk. The Euroa Arboretum has led the way in the revegetation industry with this design. Wildflowers are also grown in custom-designed boxes in the nursery area for seed collection purposes.



### **Education**

From 5 year olds to centenarians, the Euroa Arboretum is especially keen on educating communities and individuals about the values of the environment and the stewardship actions needed to protect it. Bush Kinder happens regularly (you might well spy a cubby house or two), primary school visits take place and field days happen regularly. We strive to encourage a greater connection to the natural environment and to showcase what a unique part of the world we live in.