



AUSTRALIAN RAILWAY
HISTORICAL SOCIETY

MELBOURNE BRANCH

Noojee Railway Station Precinct, via Powelltown & the Noojee Trestle Bridge.

Saturday 13th of April

ARHS Melbourne Luncheon Outing Group will be holding their April outing on **Saturday** 13th of April to Noojee. We will be traveling on a special chartered coach from the Blackburn railway Station owing to the total shut down of the line east of Blackburn for track work. From Blackburn we will travel to the old Timber Milling Town of Powelltown. After a quick stop we will travel to Noojee, stopping at the old trestle bridge for photos and a chance to walk across the bridge. We will rejoin the coach and travel to the Noojee Hotel for lunch. After Lunch you can walk or catch the Coach to the Railway Station Precinct and Heritage centre. After the visit to the Heritage Centre, we will rejoin the coach at 3:00 pm and travel back to the Blackburn railway station, where the outing will end at approximately 4:45 pm.

We will meet on the Concourse at the Flinders Street Station at 8:40 am to catch the 9:06 am Lilydale service to Blackburn, traveling in the second car from the front. Members traveling from the east of Blackburn can meet us outside the exit at the Blackburn Station at 9:47 am but please let us know when booking where you will be joining us.

All travel for the day from Blackburn and return will be on a special Heritage Coach from the Bus and Coach Society of Victoria at a special discount rate.

You will need your Myki card for travel to Blackburn, but it will be free for seniors on Saturday but touch on and off.

The cost per person is \$30.00 for the bus charter payable to Geoff, on an outing prior to Noojee (preferable) or on the day. There will be a \$5.00 charge for notes, payable on the day. The total cost for the outing is \$35.00 which is quite good as we have exclusive use of the coach all day.

Lunch and Drinks at the Noojee Hotel are at your expense and admission to the Heritage centre is free but a small donation while visiting would be appreciated by their committee.

For bookings and enquiries please contact John Ruddock 0418 384 718 between 7:30 pm and 9:00 pm or email johnesma@outlook.com

Bookings close Monday 8th of April.

If you must contact John or Geoff on the day of travel only, John 0418 384 718, Geoff 0412 056 033.

NOTE: This is a Saturday outing due to availability of the Coach from the Bus and Coach Society.

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