

Marysville Ideas from Community Planning: consolidated and sorted

IDEAS	EXTRA NOTES	NAMES: WHO MIGHT BE INTERESTED?
COMMUNITY AND PEOPLE COMMUNITY GROUPS AND BUSINESS		
COMMUNITY IDENTITY – needs to be fostered	Community events that aren't necessarily about tourism? More communication – advertise in Triangle?	
FAMILY EVENTS – annual fete, weekend activities, International Day	Find out from families what they want!	
MORE ARTS - concerts, movies, more public art, writers' festival, singing group, art classes for kids and adults	Have fun!	TAG, MCC, Triangle Steel Pans, Book Nest, local performing arts group
FLOWERS - mass bulb-planting and/or encouraging beautification of gardens	Community fundraiser and working bee? Form a committee?	School? Open gardens people? Council gardens?
MARKETS: twilight market and/or more stalls at Sunday market (advocating to remove restrictions)		
SCHOOL OVAL – better drainage	Community desires stronger links with school community	School Parents and Friends Committee
WASTE REDUCTION PROJECT – reducing single-use plastics especially by visitors	?Involve Yarra Valley Estate to become more sustainable	
COLLECTIVE VOICE – and better communication between groups	Websites, Facebook, UGFM, Triangle	

COMMUNITY DIRECTORY – for community groups	Useful for MiRa to be able to direct enquiries Maintain list we have?	
FREE WIFI - and advocating for better internet access 5G	MiRa has already. Extend or publicise more?	
NEW BUSINSS LIAISON GROUP to work with Shire to create environment to encourage new businesses	Ideas for new businesses include: artisan bakery, bike shop, more cafes, laundromat/dry-cleaner, Thai/Chinese takeaway, dog accommodation, new pub with pokies, proper service station,	MTBT and Shire
GRANTS GROUP – to locate and write-up grant applications	Skills based – need to build skills in this. Megan Buntine?	
LIAISON between local groups and government including Council.	Could be a “go to” person at Council for Marysville? Could Shire have an “open day” twice per year (eg.) in Marysville?	
VOLUNTEERS: acknowledge, recruit new, burnout, finding younger volunteers	Marysville Progress group? MiRa? Welcome events – and showcase local groups and activities Youth group	
DOG OFF-LEAD PARK - converting the horse arena so it can be used more		Saddle Tramps
YOUTH SPACE – support to complete		

ASSETS		
COMMUNITY HOUSE	Collaborate with CEACA/Alexandra Hub? (Be an outstation) Community Centre? MiRa?	
MINI-GOLF: free, in the empty space at Gallipoli Park	Men's shed – they could have a portable one that appears from time to time? Golf club might collaborate on this?	Men's Shed Golf Club
OUTDOOR GYM – around the lake		Local doctors Alexandra District Health Gym users Bushwalkers
INDOOR HEATED POOL	Vibe? YMCA	
STREET LIGHTING – replace blown globes		
RV-FRIENDLY TOWN – advocate to become accredited	Accreditation brings tourists! Understand what this means first – rubbish scattered, bins full, community paying for cleaning up, rates going up, needing more bins.	Talk to Shire
MARYSVILLE BRAND – needs to be marketed	'Marysville and surrounds?' See what Boston Consulting Group advise on this	Marysville Tourism
GYM – advocate for it to be open more		Gallipoli Park COM Alex District Health
OUTDOOR STAGE – connect the power		
MiRa STORAGE – need more!		

COMMUNITY CENTRE – utilise it more		Gallipoli Park COM
GALLIPOLI PARK – mapping and signs, from Pack Rd to Bruno's	Visitors do request this	Shire and DSE Lions -
THE BEATLES TOILETS – advocacy to clean them up! Tell the story – memorial.		
STREETSCAPE – advocacy for better maintenance		
GOULD TERRACE PLAYGROUND – advocacy to improve it		
MORE PARKING and better signage for parking (advocacy)		Shire
ROUNDAABOUT at Bakery corner	Confirm if really required. Police?	
BLACK SPUR - fix the road or another road out (advocacy)	Driver education also important Community meeting already happening	
MORE FOOTPATHS - Pack Rd to Men's Shed - Falls Rd - and beautification there - other roads - more kerbing	Maintain those we have?	Shire
OUTDOOR TENNIS COURTS - nets need repair		Gallipoli Park COM
UPGRADE BMX TRACK – next to skate park		
BASKETBALL COURT - have half-size but children want full-size	Or use Community Centre court?	

GOLF AND BOWLS - more people utilising	Golf club restaurant operator to get more community in? Golf club without permanent course that visits others	Marysville Golf Club
EXPAND FOODWORKS		
DEVELOP EMPTY SPACE – beyond Racecourse Road		
POOL IMPROVEMENTS: - use it for an all-ages swimming carnival And advocacy for: - add a slide - add a spa - add a diving board - lane ropes - needs a cover - extended hours - heat it - upgrade floor of toilets and showers (it's too rough on bare feet)		Shire Lions Club Swimming Club
ACCESS TO SERVICES		
WASTE - hard rubbish - green waste (advocating for)	'Go to' council person? Council needs to research better services Extra costs – rates must cover	
HEALTH SERVICES - need more! (advocating for)		Medical services, Local GPs,NDIS, ADH Physio Nutritionist
LIBRARY - extend the opening hours so children can access it comfortably after school (advocacy)	Locals donate books? Advocacy to Primary School to start taking children again	

PUBLIC TRANSPORT - promote and use what we have, and advocate for more, including around Triangle and Shire	Regular page in Triangle – times and routes Community bus? Advocate to VicRoads	
NATURAL ENVIRONMENT AND HERITAGE		
INDIGENOUS HISTORY - truth-telling and reconciliation	Buxton Primary language program	TL&WC
INDIGENOUS HISTORY RESEARCH	MiRa website needs indigenous content – what is the story of the Marysville area from an indigenous perspe	TL&WC
GOULD MEMORIAL DRIVE - tidy and maintain - advocate for car parking	Community working bee? Some trees need to be removed Do a simple mow to see what's there Section 95 or 96 – would help with ownership. Issues around volunteer insurance for working bee	Lions and VicRoads
BEECHES WALK OPEN (advocacy) ? and other fire-damaged trees?	Visitors always comment on this not being open	MTBT, MiRa, Parks Victoria & DELWP
TRAILS - mountain-bike, cycling, walking and horse - Marysville, Buxton, Narbethong (advocacy)	Cycling the Triangle Is there planning about better use and maintenance of the existing trails? Let's make them amazing! Visitors are requesting these activities.	OEG – Camp Marysville
HISTORY - recording and preserving - getting \$ to display what we have		Marysville Historical Society (doing this already)
NIGHT BUSHWALKS	Visitors requesting guided walks	OEG

LIGHT UP THE TREES – solar	Follow up with Bruno – coordinate with a Switch On event? Small committee already working on this. (Christine took Project Idea Template to them)	
CLEAN-UP RIVER – remove rubbish	More awareness of the river. Generally respect the river more for wildlife value/ecosystem	
COD IN RIVER – for fishing		