



eNews Direct To Members

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The latest news from Four Wheel Drive Victoria

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2023 Seasonal Closures

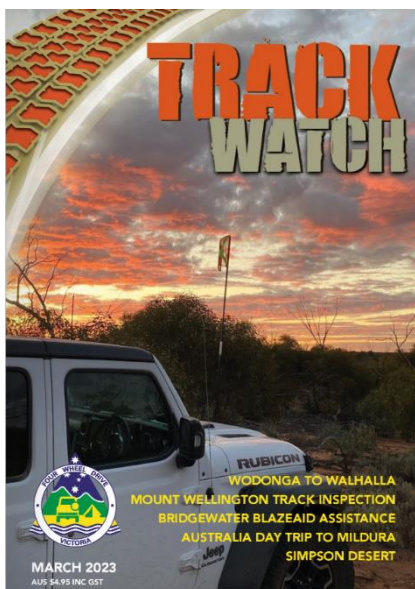
The DEECA and Parks Victoria seasonal closure have come into effect for 2023! Seasonal Closures will run until the 2/11/23 for most tracks. Some tracks will have an extended closure period. Please have a good look over this list when preparing and planning for a trip and find alternate routes if you intend to drive any of these tracks. Seasonal Closures are implemented to help protect the environment where extra help is required to look after the tracks in the wetter months. DEECA Seasonal Closures: www.ffm.vic.gov.au/closures-of-parks-and-forests



Parks Vic Seasonal Closures: www.parks.vic.gov.au/seasonal-road-closures

Mildura Great Outdoors Show

The Mildura Great Outdoors Expo is the next show up! The event is to be held at the Mildura Racecourse over the 30th of June to 2nd of July 2023 and with plenty of big name stall holders it will make for a terrific event. Be sure to get down to check it all out!



Trackwatch Articles Needed

We need interesting articles and high-resolution photos about your club for Trackwatch magazine. Trackwatch is distributed far beyond our clubs and is seen by many organizations as well as Government agencies and politicians, so it is a terrific way to show your club to the world. Please email your articles and photos to projects@fwdvictoria.org.au

If you don't want to receive a hard copy of Trackwatch and would rather read it electronically, send an email to the Four Wheel Drive Victoria office, office@fwdvictoria.org.au. The latest 4 issues of Trackwatch are always available to read on the Four Wheel Drive Victoria website. www.fwdvictoria.org.au



Do you know someone? Could this be you?

Four Wheel Drive Victoria is currently seeking an Administration and Training Coordinator to join our team.

Role Overview:

This is a 5 day per week, office-based position reporting to the FWDV CEO. The successful person will be responsible for providing administrative support to the CEO, Projects & Events Officer, Accounts Officer and RTO Compliance Officer and have experience in administration, email and Microsoft Office. Experience in the use of Xero accounting package and VETtrak, our student management system is preferable however training can also be provided. You will need to have excellent customer service skills with the ability to communicate effectively whilst working independently and in a team environment. An interest in four wheel driving, camping and Victoria's great outdoors would be a great advantage. To apply for this position, please send your resume and a cover letter addressing the key selection criteria outlined above to the CEO at Four Wheel Drive Victoria. office@fwdvictoria.org.au
Applications close on 30/06/2023.



Special General Meeting

Please note that a Special General Meeting has been called for the 21st of June 2023 for Four Wheel Drive Victoria's proposed affiliation fees for the 23/24 financial year. Club executives please keep an eye on your emails, correspondence has already sent out regarding this matter and more will be sent shortly.

Chainsaw Course Locations

Four Wheel Drive Victoria is constantly on the lookout for locations to run accredited chainsaw courses. If you or anyone you know has property with plenty of felled trees to be able to fill two days of chainsaw work, please let us know in the office. This will give us the opportunity to schedule and conduct more chainsaw courses.

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National Show Club Stands

The National 4x4 Show is on again at the Melbourne Showgrounds over the 18th to the 20th of August 2023. Four Wheel Drive Victoria would like to invite clubs to take up a stand at the show free of charge. It is a tremendous opportunity that we hope many clubs will take up. With record crowds through the show last year it will present a large base of potential members to promote your club to.

If your club is interested in this massive opportunity, free of charge, please email projects@fwdvictoria.org.au. We will get additional passes allocated for your club.

Mt Skene Permit System 2023

The Mt Skene permit system is now fully online. From June 1st the system will be open to members. You will be required to login the Four Wheel Drive Victoria website. If you have any difficulty logging in, please contact the Four Wheel Drive Victoria office. The Mt Skene permit will be located under Member Resources on the left hand side after logging in. The same rules and limits still apply (2 permits max per club per day, each day must be a separate permit, maximum of 80 cars on the mountain per day). Permits will be emailed through the website and must still be printed out and carried with the trip leader. Detailed instructions have been sent to club executives to distribute within your club. They can also be viewed on the permit application page.



Clean up the Bush

Four Wheel Drive Victoria are in talks with both DEECA and Parks Victoria to locate an area to run another Clean up the Bush event in the near future. Previous cleanups have been a great success. Four Wheel Drive Victoria have been scouting locations for the next Clean up the Bush with DEECA and Parks Victoria and recently we inspected the Mt Disappointment area. Sadly there is plenty of rubbish out there. At this stage Four Wheel Drive Victoria are looking to hold a smaller clean up in the region using trailers and we are planning a bigger clean up once warmer weather arrives. If you or anyone you know owns a large trailer and would like to give a hand please contact the office to let us know.

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President's Day Recap

The President's and Delegate's Meeting was held recently on the 3rd of June at the Manningham Hotel. A good number of clubs were represented with matters discussed ranging from the Toolangi Training Centre, FWDV property acquisition, funding and the big task of finding a suitable replacement for Alison McLaughlin as she leaves Four Wheel Drive Victoria to enjoy her well-earned retirement. Please read above if you would like more details on this.

The meeting recording and President's presentation are available on the Four Wheel Drive Victoria website.



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