

Wednesday 23 November 2011

Bright and Loud Music Festival in Myrtleford

This Saturday, the Bright and Loud family music event will take place at the Myrtleford showgrounds from 1pm – 11pm. This event has been organised by a group of young people from across Indigo and Alpine shires as part of the Youth Bushfire Response Gift.

The event is for all ages and will feature all styles of music and include an acoustic chill zone, rock stage and hip hop dance party. Groups will include Muph and Plutonic, Red Ink, Beas Window, Pete Jones, I am the Riot, Jovian, Richard Perso, Forbidden Burning and many others. There will also be the acoustic music of Clementine, Bella Johnston, Jess Gay, Oliver smith and My Middle Name is William. There will also be a wide variety of food and carnival rides.

Sarah Robinson of Beechworth has been involved in the organisation of the event. "It has been such a great outcome of a really bad situation with the fires," Sarah said.

Charlotte Bodenhammer from Porepunkah said that learning event management skills and meeting new people had been amazing.

Free buses are running to the event from Indigo and Alpine communities. For more information please contact Annette Walton, Youth Development Officer at Indigo Shire Council, on 0418 163 699, or view updates on the Facebook event page.

This project is funded by the Bushfire Youth Recovery Gift, a partnership between Indigo and Alpine Shire Councils as part of the Victorian Bushfire Appeal to provide support services and community capacity building opportunities to young people of Bushfire affected communities. The project began in December 2009 and will conclude in December 2011.

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