

# Trip Reports:

Unfortunately, the trip to Yackandandah was cancelled due to lack of numbers. Thankyou Rob Holden for putting in the time to plan this trip for us.

## Wangaratta 4WD Club Baddaginnie Reserve Cleanup 17 May 2009

Stan organised a trip to Baddaginnie Reserve to assist the Ranger with cleanup of rubbish dumped in this area.

### BEFORE



Fridge, Stove, tyres



Barbed wire



Engine



**RUBBISH COLLECTED**



Tyres building materials, fencing



Tyres, scrap, building materials

Barbed wire  
fencing



Car body

Two tandems, two  
6x6s and the ute loads to the tip



- Participants:**  
Stan & Bethne Williams  
Bryn and Molly  
Noel Ham  
Craig Cheetham  
David Blore  
David Jackson  
Bruce Gooday



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Editor: omitted from last newsletter – oops!

Yep another community service cheerfully provided by our community minded club Sunday May 17 after only a few days notice six members turned up at about 0830 hrs at Hides Bakery in Benalla for coffee prior to starting work. Someone should talk these guys into being club sponsors; it's a great meeting place for trips and the brekkies are great. The task for the day was to clean up a small reserve between Benalla and Baddaginnie. People have been using this area as a dumping place especially in the two large holes near the rail way line. Craig Cheetham, David Jackson, and Stan with small trailers in tow headed off with Bruce Gooday following up with his large tandem trailer. David Blore in his Land Cruiser with out a trailer became the tow vehicle, perfect for dragging heavy items out of the big holes. Noel Ham, Bethne, Molly and Bryn arrived soon after to help out. After nearly three hours work we delivered three small trailer loads, one tandem trailer and one Ute load to the Benalla tip. Large items included a Toyota engine, fridge, stove, several tyres, miles of barb wire and one car body. The discovery of, and subsequent recovery of the car body attracted great interest and typical 4WDer's enthusiasm, which soon had it lifted and winched onto Bruce's sturdy trailer. Thanks for all those who came to help; the task was completed by lunch time, incident free (read no fines) and no damage to equipment.

See you on a track soon  
Stan

