

IRAAK NANGILOC COLIGNAN



Connected by Kulkynne Way, united by Community

Committee update...

Welcome to the new year!

We hope everyone has had an amazing Christmas and New Year break and is feeling refreshed as we head into a new year together.

Our Community Christmas Party was once again a real highlight, with many community members coming together to enjoy a meal, share some Christmas cheer and catch up with friends and neighbours.

A big thank you to the Nangiloc CFA for attending and bringing along Santa, which was a wonderful treat for the kids and families.

We'd also like to sincerely thank the CFA members for their tireless efforts during the recent fires in Colignan and Hattah.

While the fires are currently contained, they are still burning, and we remind everyone to remain vigilant, stay informed and follow advice from emergency services.

Our CFA volunteers are continuing to work hard, not only locally but also supporting communities across Victoria and we are incredibly grateful for everything they do.

As the year begins, we'd like to wish all our kiddos a happy return to school for another year of learning, growth and new friendships – and a big cheer to parents and carers as routines settle back in.

The Nangiloc Colignan District Community Association Annual General Meeting will be held Tuesday 17th February, 6pm at the Nangiloc Hall. New members are encouraged and welcome. If you would like to join our proactive and dynamic group please come along.

Looking ahead, there are lots of projects and events planned for 2026, so keep an eye out for updates.

Bring on 2026 – our little community will shine!



BACK TO SCHOOL



Wednesday January 28th



NANGILOC COLIGNAN DISTRICT
COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION

NCDCA AGM TUES 17TH FEB 6PM NANGILOC HALL



ROSE'S FAMILY DAYCARE

*Looking for a nurturing, reliable child care option?
In partnership with Holistic approach FDC | Rose's
Family Daycare | Limited Places available*

At Rose's Family Daycare, children are welcomed into a warm, home-based environment where play, learning, and imagination come alive. In small groups, little ones enjoy outdoor adventures, hands-on activities, and the comfort of a family-style setting — all while receiving personalised care that helps them feel safe, supported, and right at home.

- Child care subsidy (CCS) approved child care
- Experienced Early Childhood Teacher
- Full-day care for preschool aged children (0–5yrs)

- Kindy care with drop-off and pick-up
- Before and after school care, school drop-off & pick-up
- School holiday care for kindy and primary aged children

0408 475 322 | Rosesfdc.nangiloc@gmail.com | <https://www.holisticapproachfdc.com>

Around the bend...

Local fun fact (or fiction)...



MAJOR RAFFLE
(\$2.50 per ticket or 3 for \$6)

1st Prize: Boat, motor, and trailer package valued at over \$14,000 – Baldwin Boats
2nd Prize: \$2,500 Gift Voucher – Just Doon It
3rd Prize: \$1,000 Gift Voucher – Mallee 4x4

*Winners drawn Friday the 6th of March 2026 at the Nangiloc Tavern at 8:00pm.
(Winners do not need to be present and will be contacted on the following day)*

LONG WEEKEND
MARCH 6TH, 7TH & 8TH 2026

**FOR MORE INFORMATION
PLEASE CONTACT
BRAEDEN LAMPARD 0432 656 835**

*Which came first, the chicken
or the egg??*

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Our two neighbouring communities share a long history, with the name believed to date back to the early 1900s when settlements and services were being established along the river.

Rather than choosing a completely new name, the connection between the communities was reflected by simply reversing the spelling.

So...which do you think came first — Colignan or Nangiloc? Email us and let us know!



ROSE MCKAY - ROSE'S FAMILY DAYCARE

How long have you called our community home?

We moved to Nangiloc, three and a bit years ago.

What's the best thing about living here?

Having room to breathe, away from the hustle and bustle of the city and traffic, and being part of a friendly, welcoming community.

What do you love most about being part of the community?

Always feeling welcome, seeing friendly faces and waves as you drive past, and having plenty of chances to get involved in community events. It's why I'm so excited to soon open my Family Day Care and support local families.

Do you have a favourite memory or moment from your time here?

Our wedding. We'd planned to have the ceremony by the river, but when the weather had other ideas, we moved it to the Nangi Tavern with only days' notice—thank goodness we did, those fans were a lifesaver!

If you had to describe our community in just three words, what would they be?

Warm, welcoming, thriving.



Around the bend...

NANGILOC & DISTRICT KINDERGARTEN

Our kindergarten has been buzzing with learning and discovery as children explore hands-on activities inspired by the natural world. The classroom has been transformed into a beautiful Australian animal and nature display, encouraging curiosity, storytelling and imaginative play while supporting early literacy and environmental awareness.

Children have also enjoyed time outdoors, practising road safety and community awareness during local walks. Wearing high-visibility vests and gumboots, they proudly represented our kindergarten while learning about safety, teamwork and their place in the community.

These experiences support learning through play and help build confidence, independence and a love of learning.

Gayle Collett
Early Childhood Teacher

Kindergarten staff will be on site from 27 January and are available if families need to get in touch.

Interview Day will be held on 29 January





FRIDAY 6TH FEB BBQ DINNER

**Bowls Victoria in partnership with
Bowl For Your Lives**

**\$10 per person plus a gold coin donation
RAFFLE and GAMES**

**Please put your name on
the sheet at the club,
contact the NDBC
Facebook page or
Kelly Groves 0406 597 944
to confirm numbers by
Tues 3rd Feb**

*The green will still be under
maintenance and not playable*

NANGILOC DISTRICT BOWLS CLUB

Bowl for your lives...

Nangiloc Bowls Club is proud to be one of 60 clubs across Victoria taking part in the state-wide Bowls for Your Lives initiative.

The event proudly supports the Black Dog Institute, contributing to mental health research, education, and suicide prevention programs for Australians experiencing depression, anxiety, and psychological distress.

Saturday 31st January is the state's dedicated Pennant Day for Bowls for Your Lives, and our club will be marking the occasion by wearing special Bowls for Your Lives shirts and going green around the club to help spark conversation and awareness.

Our fundraising BBQ has been moved to Friday 6th February.

Please contact our Facebook page or Kelly Groves on 0406 597 944 by Tuesday 3rd February to register names for catering.

This event is a reminder to check in on your family, colleagues, club mates, and friends. Ask how they're really doing and keep checking in. Bottling things up isn't "tough". Having a conversation can make all the difference and reminds us we're not alone.

If you or someone you know needs support, Lifeline is available 24/7 on 13 11 14.

Unscramble the tiles to reveal a message

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Each tile is used only once

Use spacing, punctuation and common words to find adjacent tiles
Some words may be split in two lines



More information
nangiloc.vic.au

A WEEKEND
OF FAMILY
FUN

• 2026 •

GARMIN NANGILOC STRESS LESS *Fishing-Classic*

MARCH LONG WEEKEND 2026 (6TH, 7TH & 8TH)

The Nangiloc Fishing Club Stress Less Fishing Classic is all about “being better outdoors”, enjoying being in nature with family and friends. The calm experience that fishing brings can reduce stress levels, lower anxiety, boost your mood and improve sleep. Every moment spent fishing gives us a chance to pause, reflect or simply take a breath of fresh air. Whether you’re a keen angler or simply enjoy the scenery, take the time to celebrate yourself in the best way you know how! Let’s hit the water and enjoy the outdoors together!

Fishing Zone:

The fishing zone is from Nangiloc (above Chalka Creek boat ramp) to Bruces Bend boat ramp (old Mildura Marina)

Competition Details:

Boat and lure fishing | Boat and bank fishing

Entry Fee:

Adults (17 & over) \$60 | Sub Juniors (under 11) \$20 | Juniors (11–17) \$30 | Family Pack (2 adults & 2 juniors) \$150

Competition Times:

Friday 6th – Opening Dinner and Tweens: Sign on: 2:30pm to 6:30pm (BBQ sign-on begins 5:30pm)

Live Auction: 7:30pm to 9:30pm. Evening finishes: 10:00pm

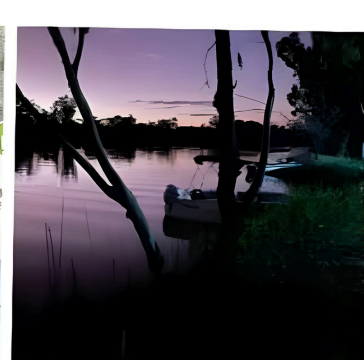
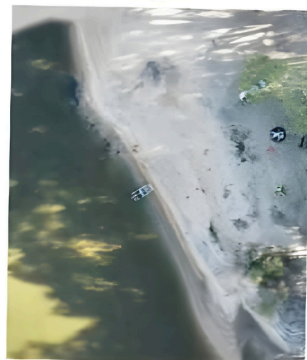
Saturday:

Fishing: 6:00am to 8:00pm (Drop plotes between 6pm to 8:30pm)

Sunday:

Fishing: 6:00am to 12:00pm (Drop plotes between 12pm and 1:30pm) | Presentation: 2:30pm

All category winners must be present for the \$500 mystery prize | Fishing competition closes 6pm Tuesday



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Nangiloc Colignan District Community Association AGM
Tuesday February 17th Nangiloc Hall 6pm

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IRRIGATION & TECHNICAL WATER SESSION

Presented by: Ralph Aruzza – Technical Manager, Watercare at Redox

Interactive session with fellow growers. Learn how to manage challenging water conditions and protect your irrigation systems with practical, hands-on guidance.

Location: Nangiloc Ag Supplies

Date: Thursday, February 5th

Presentation: 10:00 am – 11:00 am

BBQ Lunch: To follow presentation

Topics Covered

- Water treatment options
- Irrigation system cleaning & maintenance
- Managing poor water quality

RSVP by January 30th to Braydon Long – 0459 974 005

Recipe of the month...



FUN BUBBLE BARS

taste.com.au - mum_of_three

A smooth, creamy treat that melts in your mouth!

Ingredients:

- ☐ 75g butter, chopped
- ☐ 250g white marshmallows
- ☐ 6 cups rice bubbles
- ☐ 1/2 cup mini M&Ms
- ☐ 1 tbsp hundreds & thousands

Instructions:

1. Grease and line the base and sides of a 20 x 30cm lamington pan, allowing the 2 long sides to overhang.
2. Combine the butter and marshmallows in a medium saucepan over medium-low heat. Cook, stirring, for 5 minutes or until butter and marshmallows melt and mixture is smooth.
3. Combine the rice bubbles and M&M's in a large bowl. Pour over the marshmallow mixture and quickly stir to combine. Spoon mixture into the prepared pan, use the back of a spoon to smooth the surface. Place in the fridge for 2 hours to set. Cut into 3 x 10cm bars to serve.

NOTICE

The Nangiloc Colignan District Community Association warmly invites all interested community members to attend our Annual General Meeting.

As per our constitution, all committee positions will be declared vacant at the AGM.

This is a great opportunity for anyone who would like to be involved, have a say or help support and strengthen our community.

Whether you're interested in nominating for a position or just want to come along, listen and learn more – everyone is welcome.

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

