



Located at the west end of Leckie Park on Paynes Ave and beside the (UT Creek).

While not the original structure on the site, Dove cottage is none-the-less based strongly upon the early miners huts that were built throughout the district during the 1800s and into the early 1900s. It's small and simple construction made for easy building and maintenance, while adequately meeting the miners needs at the time.

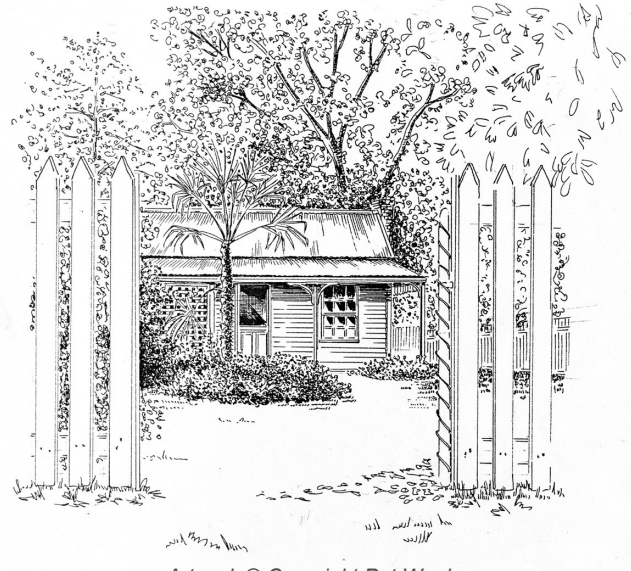
While the cottage is currently vacant, it has for the most part been occupied by local people, including Sarah Dove who lost her previous home in the 1939 Black Friday fires that ravished the state. She remained the occupant up until the early 1980's.

In 2009 the local history organisation Murrindindi Historic Register (now Alexandra Historical Society) applied to use the historic cottage as their place of business. Federal Government funding of \$75,000 in 2010 saw the cottage fully renovated by November 2010.

Today the structure is open on select days.



## DOVE COTTAGE



Did you know that Dove Cottage is located just west of the Alexandra Bowling Club where a large gold crushers once operated 24 hours a day.

### ARTWORKZ TOURISM WEBSITE

[www.esplash.me](http://www.esplash.me)

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# ALEXANDRA

## DOVE COTTAGE



*Shadowed by over 30 Mountains and  
on the banks of the beautiful Goulburn River  
and Lake Eildon. This is our playground!*



In 2017 the Alexandra Rotary Club erected exercise equipment at numerous positions around Leckie Park. These can be freely used. Please respect other users.



Leckie Park is home to the War Memorial and Soldier's Memorial. There's also historic sites such as the site of the first gold crusher and the remains of the Band Stand Rotunda.

# LECKIE PARK



Alexandra's only drinking fountain can be found at the public toilet block below. There is also a community shower in each of the two unisex toilets.

**GREAT VICTORIAN RAIL TRAIL**

Alexandra Timber Tramway & Museum

To Golf Course & Speedway

# ROTARY PARK

