

Riverglade Caravan Park – Tumut River

Anywhere within the park along the banks of the Tumut River – please be mindful of children around you.

Gilmore Creek Junction – Tumut River

2kms downstream from the caravan park is the last public fishing spot for about 35Km. Here the water is warmer and undesirable species (carp) can be a problem. Other fish to be found include Redfin.



Note: All Anglers must have a current and valid NSW Recreational Fishing Licence prior to wetting a line.

(\$7 for 3 days and \$14 for 1 month).

Licences are available from:

The Visitor Information Centre, 69 47 7025

Tumut Fishing Camping & Outdoor Store

69 47 1100

Trowel's Take-away & Tackle Shop 69 47 1965

The size limit for Trout is 25cm.

The daily bag limit is 5 and the possession limit is 10 for general trout streams and dams or a bag limit of 2 and possession limit of 4 in fly and lure waters.

Murray Crayfish (White-Clawed Yabbies) are totally protected in the river



Open early every day of the year

We have in store:

A huge range of hot and cold foods:

- Trowels own bacon & egg rolls, our famous wraps, rolls and sandwiches
- toasted sandwiches and huge Booster burgers
- morning 'wake up' Big Brekkie & truckie feeds
- freshly ground Grinders coffee
- pizza squares ready to go
- fresh salad and meats in bowls for on the run

And for those wanting to wet a line we do fishing licences, fishing starter packs and 3 different types of worms.

Looking to step it up a level?

We stock brand names like Rapala, Mepps, Tassie Devils, Stumpjumpers, King Cobra's, Scotty's Cod Lollies, Insanity Tackle, Ballista LED's, Oargee and Jazz Lures to name a few.

We have heaps of other stuff in store so come on up and see us, we are just up from **Riverglade Caravan Park** next to Caltex service station, 46 Adelong Road

ph: 02 69 47 1965



FISHING IN THE TUMUT REGION



Whether you prefer fishing streams, river or lakes, Tumut has it all.

The Tumut Valley lies approximately halfway between Sydney and Melbourne, just half an hour's drive off the Hume Highway at Gundagai.

Bait, Lure or Fly fishing - Before you start, make sure you are aware of the rules and regulations covering fishing.

There is a bag limit of 5 fish per day in the rivers.

Bag limits remain at 5 for Dams.

The size limit is 25cm for Trout (tip of snout to tail). Further

info: www.dip.nsw.gov.au/fishing/recreational/fishing-rules

Tumut is a holiday haven.

Both Brown and Rainbow Trout can be caught in the streams around the Shire.

In the dams Cod, Yellow Belly, Redfin, Brown Trout, Rainbow Trout.

The streams and dams are stocked regularly by the Tumut Acclimatisation Society ensuring good fishing all year round.

Trout were introduced into Australia about 1860 and nowhere have they adapted to their new home better than in the Tumut Valley where they have thrived.

There are many rewarding fishing spots around the Tumut Valley with its many waterways, creeks, streams and dams.

The best lures for the dam would be Tassie devils for trout and yabby like creatures while the best flies would most likely be streamers and ones with yabby patterns or small fish patterns.

The best bait would probably be yabbies and wood grubs. deep diving lure for natives – use lures such as flatfish, mudbug.

The dams available for fishing are:

Dams:

Blowering Dam

About 15kms from Tumut it has been heavily stocked with native fish such as Murray Cod, Golden Perch and Silver Perch, as well as the introduced species such as Trout.

Commonly caught are Redfin, a beautiful tasting fish.

You can fish from the foreshore at almost any location around the dam or from a boat

Jounama Dam

This pondage is a small dam on the Tumut side of Talbingo and due to the frequent rise and fall of the water level it is hard to anticipate when the fish will bite. However, some fantastic catches have been reported, especially Trout.

Best time is at dusk or first light in the mornings

Talbingo Dam

This is a very deep impoundment about 5Km from Talbingo up in the mountain country. It has been stocked as well as having natural breeding potential, carrying plenty of trout. It fishes well all seasons but caution should be taken due to rapidly changing weather conditions which can catch some people off guard – can be a high wind area.

Along the rivers there are a number of good fishing spots. It must be anticipated that some landholders in the district do not want fishermen on their properties.

It is best to stick to areas which are open to the public for fishing or get owner's permission.

Rivers:

Tumut Pioneer Bridge – Tumut River

Some good catches with lures, as the water runs at a reasonable pace

Goobarragandra River

Fast flowing Trout stream.

Fishing spots include:

The Junction on Tumut Plains Road,
The crossing up Little River at Kells Lane
Thomas Boyd Trackhead&Rock Flat

Jones Bridge Picnic Area – Tumut River

About 2kms downstream from the trout farm

Jounama Creek

Turn left at the intersection that turns off towards the Talbingo township. Runs into Jounama Pondage