

## Raising Funds for Emily

Coal Creek Community Park and Museum will provide the venue for a fundraiser for local eight year old Emily.

Emily has a rare tumour in her main saliva gland, which requires surgery at a cost of \$15,000. She is in urgent need as the tumour has now grown over her lymph node and is rapidly spreading in her main facial nerve system.

Plenty of activities have been planned for the fundraiser including a scavenger hunt, gum boot toss, jumping castle, auction, State Emergency Service demonstration and food trucks.

The event is also being supported by the Shepherd Motorbike Club who will be completing a ride to Coal Creek on the day to help raise funding.

Coal Creek Community Park and Museum's Acting Coordinator Emma Fellows-Cooke was pleased that Coal Creek could contribute towards the event.

"Coal Creek is proud to be the venue for Emily's fundraiser and we are expecting to have a very successful day.

"We hope to see everyone come down to support such an important event that will assist Emily and her family," said Ms Fellows-Cooke.

The fundraiser will be held on Saturday 6 January 2018 from 10.00am to 4.00pm at Coal Creek.

Entry to the event is \$10 for adults, \$5 for children or \$30 for families (two adults and four children).

All proceeds from the event will be contributed towards Emily's operation. Those who are unable to attend can still donate at [www.gofundme.com/emilys-tumour-removal](http://www.gofundme.com/emilys-tumour-removal)

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