

## **Inquiry into the Use of School Buses in Rural and Regional Victoria**

Mr Ross Jones

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Ross Jones

My name is Ross Jones and I am a resident of Creswick, Vic. I am writing to you concerning the school bus from Creswick to Daylesford Secondary College. My daughter is in grade 9 and we recently moved her from a Ballarat school to Daylesford as all her primary schooling was carried out here in the small country environs of Creswick and she was not feeling comfortable with the larger schools and more urban environs of Ballarat. I fully realise that Daylesford is not a designated school for the town of Creswick, but I think this is an issue that should be looked at as we have historical ties to Daylesford and are both in the same shire.

The major problem is the bus will not come into Creswick at the end of the day so our children can alight, the bus will only drop them at Springmount which is 4.5 km up the hill from the town, this affects over 30 families within the township of Creswick. Causing logistical problems more traffic on the roads and enormous amounts of inconvenience.

I am not asking for anything free. I am still willing to pay the exorbitant amount of money for the bus service over \$700 per annum, I would just like a service that reflects the amount of money we pay and to make it safer and fairer for all concerned. Kind regards Ross W Jones.