

Benaraby

People and Population



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Benaraby is situated on the southern entrance to Gladstone and is well known to anglers who fish on the Boyne River or the nearby natural beauty spot of Lake Awoonga.

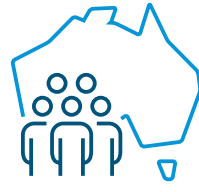
Benaraby is situated along the Bruce Highway and caters to the passing travellers with fuel stations, food outlets and accommodation offerings.

Benaraby is home to the community led Benaraby Raceway.



1,166

people in 2021
a decrease of 53 since 2016



86.4%

of the population was born in Australia

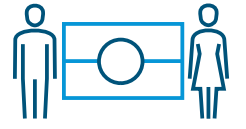


52.3% Male
47.7% Female



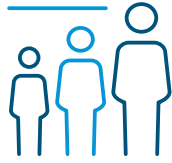
4.1%

of people require assistance with core activities



54

First Nations people (4.6% of the population)



The highest proportion of the population is aged between **25 and 59 years**

21.9%
0-14 years

14%
15-24 years

47.5%
25-59 years

20%
60+ years



The top five religions identified include:

- 1 No religion
- 2 Catholic
- 3 Anglican
- 4 Presbyterian and Reformed
- 5 Not stated

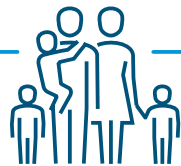


The top two long term health conditions are:

- 1 Arthritis
- 2 Mental Health (including anxiety and depression)

Top two languages spoken other than English include:

- 1 Afrikaans
- 2 Hungarian



49%

families with children



45.5%

families without children



7.6%

single parent families



0%

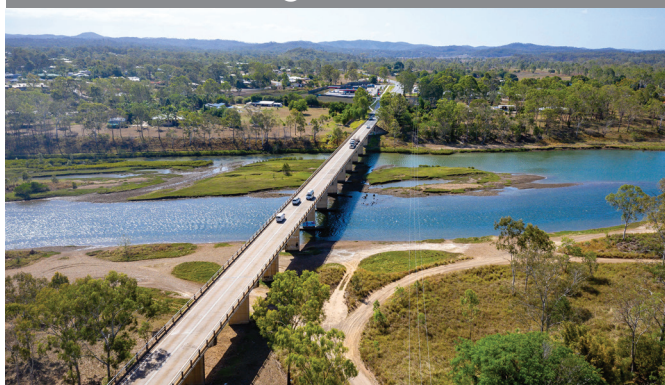
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Community



1

schools/education centres



0

childcare centres including outside hours school care



3

community groups



4

sporting groups



16.8%

Community members volunteer



3

large community-led events

- 1 Benaraby State School Fair
- 2 Lake Awoonga Adventure Race
- 3 Drags - CQDRA Champions

Places and Spaces



368

households



85.5%

total occupied dwellings



14.2%

unoccupied private dwellings



33.2%

of residents fully own their home

56.1%

of residents have a mortgage over their home

8.2%

are renting

Earning and Learning



\$2,435

the median weekly household income



\$2,000

is the median monthly mortgage repayment for households



\$300

is the median weekly rental payment



The working population most commonly work in following occupations:

- 1 Technicians and Trade Operators
- 2 Professionals
- 3 Machinery Operators and Drivers
- 4 Manager
- 5 Clerical and Administrative Workers

The working population most commonly work in the following Industry:

- 1 Aluminium Smelting
- 2 Alumina Production
- 3 Primary Education
- 4 Other Heavy and Civil Engineering Construction
- 5 Supermarket and Grocery Stores

*Information provided is based on Australian Bureau of Statistics (ABS) 2021 Census data conducted on 10 August 2021. While care has been taken to ensure all content is complete and accurate, Gladstone Regional Council provides no guarantee that this report is without error.