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BRISBANE BUSHWALKERS MONTHLY NEWS



BRISBANE BUSHWALKERS CLUB INC (EST. 1948)
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MEETINGS: The Brisbane Bushwalkers Club meets every 2nd & 4th Wednesday of the month at 7.30pm at the Newmarket Memorial Hall, cnr Enoggera Rd. & Ashgrove Ave., Newmarket. Except for December when the only meeting is on the 2nd Wednesday. All welcome.

COMMITTEE MEETINGS: The next committee meeting to be held at 7.30pm on **Wednesday 6th June** is at Tom Cowlshaw's at 47 Samford Road, Alderley. Ph: 3856 4050. All members are welcome to attend.

MAGAZINE: Pre-trip descriptions are submitted via the leaders page on the web site. Any articles from members, especially post-trip reports, are welcome. The editor reserves the right to edit articles to fit available space. The preferred method for article submission is email; for other methods please discuss with editor.

Deadline for the July magazine is the Open Meeting on Wednesday 13th June.

BBW WEB SITE & EMAIL

BBW web site: **www.bbw.org.au**
 email **editor@bbw.org.au**
outings@bbw.org.au

BBW is an affiliated member of Bushwalking Qld whose website is: **www.bushwalkingqueensland.org.au**

FIRST AID CERTIFICATES

To encourage members to maintain a current First Aid certificate, the Club will organise courses for Full members (not Probationary members) for half price for those who attend.

Cover Photograph

Hair Management Issues on Lake Te Anau (Milford Track, N.Z.) Photo: Mary Comer

EQUIPMENT HIRE

The following equipment is available **for club activities**. The charge *between meetings* per item is:

Foam mat\$2.00
 Self inflating mat\$5.00
 Stove\$5.00
 Tent or Pack\$10.00

There is a \$20 per item deposit. Refundable upon return of equipment in good condition.

All equipment may be booked for hire by phoning the Equipment Officer. Pre-booking will ensure availability.

PLB: The Club has several PLBs which Leaders may borrow, at no cost, for approved club activities only. Extended loan periods will need to be arranged with the Equipment Officer.

LIBRARY

Available on the library table at all meetings:

- For sale: Long sleeve shirts \$25, Short sleeve shirts \$20, Fleece Jackets \$35, Fleece Vests \$30, Hats \$13, Caps \$10. These articles have the club logo embroidered on them.
- Car stickers and cloth badges: all \$3.00
- Long, wide bandages to be used in the unlikely event of a snake bite \$10.00
- Maps and Rasters: free loan to leaders
- Free loan to members:- Books, Magazines, DVDs and CDs. Come and browse the selection.

MEMBERSHIP FEES

Fees include magazine subscription.

Full Members: Singles \$40 per annum
 Couples \$60 per annum

Annual membership falls due 31st January.

Probationary Members:
 Singles \$25 per 6month
 Couples \$40 per 6 month

Club Officials

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	or Tom Hulse	3351 2190

ABBREVIATIONS & GRADING

DISTANCE	Short	— Under 10 km per day
	Medium	— 10 to 15 km per day
	Long	— 15 to 20 km per day
	EXtra Long	— Over 20 km per day

ACTIVITY **AB**Seil; **B**ase Camp; **D**ay Walk; **T**hrough Walk; **E**asy Through Walk; **N**ight Walk; **S**OCial Activity; **KaYaK**; **CY**Cle; **S**afety & Training; **F**ederation Mountain **R**escue; **RO**Gaine.

FAMILY Family — Family Group conditions; contact Leader

Example — **FSDW-3B**
Family (**F**)
Short Day Walk (**SDW**)
Graded track with obstacles (**3**)
Easy (**B**)

Note for Leaders when grading a walk: *The brief descriptions below are to help members match their ability to an activity. Do not use for grading as errors can result. To grade your walk consult the Standard List of Graded Walks.*

TERRAIN GRADING — 1 to 9

- 1 Path with smooth surface and low gradient.
- 2 Well-formed path or graded track with some minor obstacles.
- 3 Graded track, with obstacles such as rock or root intrusions or minor creek crossings.
- 4 Rough, unformed track or open terrain, with obstacles such as rock or root intrusions or minor creek crossings.
- 5 Rough or rocky terrain that may require use of hands, and/or creek crossings.
- 6 Steep, rough or rocky terrain requiring use of hands, and/or major creek crossings.
- 7 Climb or descend steep rock, using hand or foot holds. May be some exposure. Good upper body strength required.
- 8 Climb or descend near vertical rock with exposure, using widely spaced or small hand or foot holds. Climbing skills may be required. Good upper body strength required.
- 9 Sustained climbing or descent of vertical or near vertical rock with exposure, using widely spaced or small hand or foot holds. Advanced climbing skills may be required. Good upper body strength required.

FITNESS & ENDURANCE GRADING — A to E (Note: Walking times do not include breaks.)

- A** Basic — Generally suitable for new bushwalkers. Up to four hours of walking and possibly minor hills.
- B** Easy — About five hours of walking and up to 300m of elevation gain/loss per day.
- C** Moderate — About six hours of walking and up to 600m of elevation gain/loss per day. Agility required.
- D** High — High fitness, endurance and agility required. Up to eight hours of walking and about 1000m of elevation gain/loss per day.
- E** Challenging — Very high fitness, endurance and agility required. Up to or more than twelve hours of walking and greater than 1000m of elevation gain/loss per day.

INFORMATION FOR WALKERS

The Members Handbook has a complete list of Club Guidelines (also available from the library or download from the BBW website)

- Nominate for an activity via the club website, or by phoning or emailing the leader. (Some leaders only accept phone or email nominations.) Walkers must be financial at the time of nominating.
- Walkers are responsible for ensuring they are capable of doing the activity for which they nominate. Read the Grading descriptions on this page. If you are uncertain, consult the walk leader.
- If you are unable to attend the activity you must contact the leader to cancel so that others on the waiting list may go.
- Concerned relatives can ring the Contact Officer for information if the activity is exceptionally late.

TRANSPORT COSTS: Passengers are asked to pay a contribution to the driver for their share of car expenses. Each passenger should expect to contribute 10-15 cents per km. Large cars and 4WDs obviously cost more to run than small cars. If there are 3 or more passengers then 10c/km is probably a reasonable contribution. If you are unhappy with the contribution amount, you are always free to take your own vehicle.

CAMPING FEES: National Park or State Forest camping fees are \$5.30 per person per night. (The leader will provide details.) NSW National Parks also charge \$7 per vehicle per day.

ALWAYS TAKE: Membership Card; lunch, snacks, spare food; water (at least 2 or 3 litres); first aid kit; hat & sunscreen; torch; whistle; pencil & paper; warm clothing (fleecy jacket minimum, thermals if you have them); raincoat. Don't forget a change of clothing & shoes for after the walk and money for car pooling & coffee.

PROGRAM

ALWAYS TAKE YOUR MEMBERSHIP CARD WITH YOU

Refer to Page 3 for a list of the minimum items required to take on a Day Walk

May

21	SNW-2A	Toohey Forest Monday night walk	Graham Olive	32775279
22	MDW-6C	Spicers Peak - Main Range National Park	John Hinz	3846 1432 H/W
23	Meeting	What Knot? Learning the ropes - Hilton Kane		
24	SNW 3B	Mt Coot-tha weekly night walk	Graham Olive, Ken Rubie	32775279
25-27	W 'N' W	Mt Glorious Base Camp [QPWS Volunteers only]	John Shields	32646565
26	S83S&T	Kangaroo Point Nursery Cliffs	John Granat	3274 2777 wk.
	SDW-5C	Mt Greville	Wendy Spiry	
	SOCIAL	Car Boot Sale, Swap Meet and BBQ - Bellbird Grove	Cheryl & Gary Curtis	3801 1311
26-27	LTW-4B	Moreton Island	Elaine Beller	0450 614300
27	S83S&T	Kangaroo Point Nursery Cliffs	John Granat	3274 2777 wk.
	MDW - 5C	Barney/Ballow - Paddys Peak Circuit	Jim Lydon, Barry Collins	04 3191 3264
	MDW 4C	Iron Bark Gully	Dennis Fishlock	32840551 0419577360
	LDW-7D	Mt Barney - SE Ridge	Tom Bishton	
28	SNW-2A	Toohey Forest Monday night walk	Graham Olive	32775279
29	SNW2C	West End Hills	Joan Davey	0415 139 646
31	SNW 3B	Mt Coot-tha weekly night walk	Graham olive, Ken Rubie	32775279

June

1-3	MTW 5C	Little Flaggy Creek Falls source	Chris Hall	0498051811
2	LDW-3B	Toolona Creek Circuit	Marge Henry	
	MDW-4C	Mt D'Agular and Phantom Creek	Kelvin Taylor	32693726
	MINIMAX 3B	Iron Bark Gully	Dennis Fishlock	32840551 0419577360
2-3	MTW-6D	Mt Barney, West & East Peaks	Lou & Marion Darveniza	3378 4031
3	ABS-M5C	Redcliffs Abseil	Anne Kemp, Hilton Kane	3371 2707
	SDW3A/4C	Mt Matheson Trail, Spicers Gap	Ken Rubie	
	MDW4C	Glasshouse Mtns [mt Cooee/ Mt Tibtogargen/ Mt Tibrowocum]	John Shields	32646565
	XLDW-3C	Mt Mitchell & Bare Rock - Cunningham's Gap	Bernie Ryan	33255616 [not on walk day]
4	SNW-2A	Toohey Forest Monday night walk	Graham Olive	32775279
5	SOCIAL	Peasant Dinner & Movie Night	Deniz Clarke	0401725726
7	SNW 3B	Mt Coot-tha weekly night walk	Graham Olive, Ken Rubie	32775279
8-11	STW-8E	Tenth Annual Barney Four Day Classic	John Hinz	3846 1432 H/W
9	MDW -- 5C	Neglected Mountain	Cath Carkeet	3357 5607
	MDW-6C	Mt Byron via Byron Gorge	Kelvin Taylor	32693726
9-11	MBC3C	Kwiambal National Park Base Camp	Ken Rubie	
9-12	M TW 3C	Fraser Island. Southern Lakes and Eurong. + Update.	Greg Kuss.	0408 806310
10	MDW - 5C	Bangalora - Double Slabby	Jim Lydon	04 3191 3264
	MDW-6D	Mt. Maroon - Wednesday Creek	Tom Bishton	
	MDW5B	South Pine River	John Shields	07-32646565
11	SDW3B	Mt Cootha	Wendy Spiry	
13	Meeting	BBW Abseil Adventures - Chrissy Dott		
14	SDW - 4B	Springbrook - Warringa Pool Track	Jim Lydon	04 3191 3264
	SNW 3B	Mt Coot-tha weekly night walk	Graham Olive, Ken Rubie	32775279
16	MINIMAXS4A	White Rock for New Members	Lou & Marion Darveniza	3378 4031
	SURVEY-7D	Mt. Barney East Peak via North Peak	Tom Bishton	
17	MDW 4C	Mc Afees Lookout Walk	Dennis Fishlock	32840551 0419577360
	MDW-6C	Mt Maroon - Cave Route	Lou & Marion Darveniza	3378 4031
	SURVEY	Mt Joyce Escape Recreation Park Stage 2 SURVEY	Bernie Ryan	33255616 [not on walk day]
18	SNW-2A	Toohey Forest Monday night walk	Graham Olive	32775279

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19	SNW2C	West End Hills	Joan Davey	0415 139 646
21	SDW7BPHOTO	Tibrogargan Solstice Sunrise	Hilton Kane	
	SNW 3B	Mt Coot-tha weekly night walk	Graham Olive, Ken Rubie	32775279
22-24	MBC-5C	Rimfall Base Camp	Ray and Dawn Glancy	3343 8854
	BC3/5C	Mt Glorious Base Camp	John Shields, Geoff Hinds	32646565
23	MDW-5C	Stinson Wreck & Point Lookout	Tom Bishton	
	LDW3C	Ships Stern, Binna Burra	Deniz Clarke	0401725726
24	MDW - 5C	May/Maroon - Paddys Perambulation	Jim Lydon	04 3191 3264
	MDW 3B	Somerset Trail	Dennis Fishlock 32840551	0419577360
25	SNW-2A	Toohey Forest Monday night walk	Graham Olive	32775279
28	SNW 3B	Mt Coot-tha weekly night walk	Graham Olive, Ken Rubie	32775279
29-1	LBC-7D	Mt Barney for Old Timers Weekend	Lynsey Moore	3366 6135
30	X LDW 8E	Barney Skyline..eagles Ridge	Paul Horwath	0429509334
	S83S&T	Kangaroo Point Nursery Cliffs	John Granat	3274 2777 wk.
	MDW 2B	Dave's Creek Circuit	Marge Henry	
30-1	STW-8D	Logans Ridge, Mt Barney Through Walk	Lou & Marion Darveniza	3378 4031

July

1	S83S&T	Kangaroo Point Nursery Cliffs	John Granat	3274 2777 wk.
	LD CYCLE	Brisbane Valley Rail Trail - Moore to Blackbutt	Ken Rubie	
	SURVEY	Mt Joyce Escape Recreation Park Stage 3 SURVEY	Bernie Ryan 33255616 [not on walk day]	
3	SOCIAL	Kookaburra Cafe Dinner Night	Bernie Ryan	33255616
6-8	MTW 6D	Goomburra to Glen Rock (Pt Pure Cross Over)	Annette Miller	
7	MINIMAX 3B	Iron Bark Gully	Dennis Fishlock 32840551	0419577360
7-8	MTW-5D	Glen Rock to Goomburra (Point Pure Cross Over)	John Stevens	
8	SDW - 5D	Barney/Ballow - Four Summits	Jim Lydon	04 3191 3264
13-15	MBC-3C	Byron Bay Base Camp	Bernie Ryan 33255616 [not on walk day]	
	PHOTO+FAM	Photographic Base Camp - Iluka	Gary & Cheryl Curtis	3801 1311
15	MDW 5C	Mt Archer Trig Point	Dennis Fishlock 32840551	0419577360
20-22	SOCIAL	Xmas in July: Dairy Flats	Burney	0422386080
21	S83S&T	Kangaroo Point Nursery Cliffs	John Granat	3274 2777 wk.
22	S83S&T	Kangaroo Point Nursery Cliffs	John Granat	3274 2777 wk.
	MDW - 5D	Barney/Ballow - Seven Summits Circuit	Jim Lydon	04 3191 3264
	MDW-6C	Wilson's Peak cross over	Nick Brooking	3262 5244
	MDW-6D	Wilson's Peak cross over	John Stevens	
27-29	W 'N' W	Mt Glorious Base Camp [QPWS Volunteers only]	John Shields	32646565
28-29	MTW-3C	Albert River Through Walk	Deniz Clarke	0401725726
29	MDW 3C	Mylett Track Walk	Dennis Fishlock 32840551	0419577360

Advance Notice

7-9	Sept	Navigation and Leader Training Base Camp Mt Glorious Barracks	Hilton Kane	
7-9	Sept	2012 Pilgrimage	Redland Bushwalkers	
7-12	Sept	Yuraygir Coastal Walk	Greg Kuss.	0408 806310
8-9	Sept	St John Ambulance Apply First Aid Course & Recertification	Hilton Kane	
29 Sept - 7 Oct		FAMILY Snow 2012	Picnic Pete	3351 1184

DEPARTURE TIME

Walkers, please be at the meeting point 10-15 mins before the departure time so that car pooling can be organised. Actual departure will be EXACTLY at the stated departure time.



.....Coming Trips.....

TOOHEY FOREST MONDAY NIGHT WALK

Night Walk Mon 21 May
LEADER: Graham Olive 32775279
EMAIL: gol91084@bigpond.net.au
GRADE: SNW-2A
LIMIT: 10+
BRING: Page 3 items Torch, water.
DEPART: 6:30pm Car park behind
McDONALDS Salisbury. Cnr Toohey
Rd, Orange Grove Rd & Evans Rd
MAP: BCC Toohey Forest track map

Toohey Forest is located just 10km south of Brisbane's CBD. There are extensive walking tracks through open eucalypt forest and heath. We start this two hour night exercise walk from the car park behind the McDonalds restaurant in Salisbury. This walk will be on both sealed and dirt tracks with some short hills. There are lots of tracks so a different route each time. If we are lucky we might see an owl or two. Bookings will not be taken for these walks so people intending to walk need to arrive at the start point in sufficient time, to register their name for the walk commencement at 6.30 sharp. By the way, these walks don't count toward full membership.

SPICERS PEAK - MAIN RANGE NATIONAL PARK

Day Walk Tue 22 May
LEADER: John Hinz 3846 1432 H/W
EMAIL: johnhinz@optusnet.com.au
GRADE: MDW-6C
LIMIT: 10 including leader
BRING: Day walk gear, adequate drinking water + please refer below
DEPART: 6am Fairfield Gardens
MAP: Cunninghams Gap 1:25000

We will start our walk from the Governor's Chair, a popular tourist viewing spot at the end of vehicular access on the Spicers Gap road, which was the original way that the main range was crossed before the road over Cunningham's Gap was built. Any tourists will rapidly disappear into the distance as we make our way up the steep and exposed north-east ridge of Spicers Peak (1222m). After reaching the summit and admiring the views we will travel westwards through a rain-forested saddle to the west peak. A steady descent will bring us back to the road, followed by an uphill road walk back to the cars. Walkers will enjoy classic main range scenery on this walk, however they will require a good level of fitness and not be afraid of exposure. All attendees on

this walk must have sufficient suitable clothing and equipment to safely spend a night in the open in the event of unforeseen adverse circumstances. Please talk to me if you require further advice or information on this topic. Can any walkers who I do not know please provide details of upper level walks they have done recently in the club, so I can approve their nomination.

MT COOT-THA WEEKLY NIGHT WALK

Short Night Walk Thu 24 May
LEADER: Graham Olive, Ken Rubie 32775279
MOBILE: Ken 0448448598
EMAIL: gol91084@bigpond.net.au
GRADE: SNW 3B
LIMIT: 20+
BRING: page 3 plus torch and water
DEPART: 6:30pm carpark west of Kuta Cafe Mt Coot-tha
MAP: BCC Mt Coot-tha track map
MUST: Read trip description

The Mt Coot-tha Thursday night walks are exercise walks to assist people with improving their bushwalking fitness and to learn techniques for night-time walking. The walks will commence at 6.30pm from the 1st carpark you enter on the western side of the lookout on Mt Coot-tha. The walks will be approximately 2 hours in duration, on fire trails and marked tracks, with obstacles such as rock or root intrusions, fallen debris, and some, usually dry, creek crossings on some of the tracks. The walks will also involve the descent and ascent of the mountain at a reasonable walking pace with up to 520 metres gained and lost over the length of the walk. In places the terrain of the walk will involve walking on loose surfaces with moderate and in some places, steep inclines. Participants will need a moderate level of fitness suitable for hill walking. Participants will need the Page 3 items as well as the appropriate hiking footwear, torch and drinking water. Bookings will not be taken for these walks so people intending to walk need to arrive at the start point in sufficient time to register their name for the walk commencement at 6.30 sharp. For further information please contact the walk leaders. By the way, these walks don't count toward full membership.

MI GLORIOUS BASE CAMP [QPWS VOLUNTEERS ONLY]

Base Camp Fri 25 - Sun 27 May
LEADER: John Shields 07-32646565
MOBILE: 0447824988 Walkday only
EMAIL: johnashields@bigpond.com
GRADE: W 'N' W

BRING: Working clothes, gloves tools etc optional day walk pack
COST: \$13camp fee [2 nights]
Our normal maintenance work along Western Walk with the optional day walk on Sunday if desired. Basic tools supplied by QPWS. Lantana regrowth check.

KANGAROO POINT NURSERY CLIFFS

Abseil Training For Beginners Sat 26 May
LEADER: John Granat 3274 2777 wk.
This activity is full.

MT GREVILLE

Day Walk Sat 26 May
LEADER: Wendy Spiry
MOBILE: 0409 055 000
GRADE: SDW-5C
LIMIT: 12
BRING: Usual Day Walk gear and 2lts of Water (Min)
DEPART: 7am Fairfield Gdns
CAR KMS: 210Kms

Mt Greville is an isolated peak near Aratula. It has open eucalypt forest, heath, cliffs, great views and a couple of gorges with palms to keep us cool. We'll go up Waterfall Gorge, which is quite steep, have morning tea at the top of the gorge and continue up the south-east ridge to the summit. Then we descend by the same route for 200m and head left under the cliffs to a superb lookout over the north face for lunch. Then down Palm Gorge and back to the cars. Off to Aratula for coffee. It will not be a long day. This is a good introduction to off track walking for new members, but you must have reasonable fitness to get up (and down) a 770m mountain.

CAR BOOT SALE, SWAP MEET AND BBQ - BELLBIRD GROVE

Social Sat 26 May
LEADER: Cheryl & Gary Curtis 3801 1311
MOBILE: 04 1466 1499
EMAIL: cherylacurtus@gmail.com
GRADE: SOCIAL
LIMIT: None
BRING: BYO BBQ and stuff to sell
COST: None, unless you buy
DEPART: 9:00am Bellbird Grove

We are organising a Car Boot Sale and/or Swap Meet for all manner of bushwalking equipment. This will be followed by a BBQ (BYO EVERYTHING!!) at the same venue. As an aside, there will also be a display of single skin tents (eg Tarp Tent, Six Moons), which can only be bought online from the USA. Feel free to bring along anything you may like to "show and tell" at the GEAR-FEST!!. The event will commence at 9:00am and

continue through to the BBQ lunch. No doubt some will stay and chat for hours around the picnic table. We have found a suitable venue: Bellbird Grove in D'Aguilar NP (aka Brisbane Forest Park). Look for the "Rose Gum picnic area" sign. This area has...1) plenty of parking in a single carpark, 2) BBQs, tables and shelters, within walking distance of the cars, 3) enough space to spread out and put up tents for display. The turn-off to Bellbird Grove is about 5km past the BFP Visitors Centre. Nominations would be helpful so that we have some idea of numbers attending.

MORETON ISLAND

Through Walk Sat 26 - Sun 27 May
LEADER: Elaine Beller 0450 614300
This activity is full.

KANGAROO POINT NURSERY CLIFFS

Abseil Training Sun 27 May
LEADER: John Granat 3274 2777 wk.
This activity is full.

BARNEY/BALLOW - PADDYS PEAK CIRCUIT

Day Walk Sun 27 May
LEADER: Jim Lydon, Barry Collins 04 3191 3264
This activity is full.

IRON BARK GULLY

Day Walk Sun 27 May
LEADER: Dennis Fishlock 32840551
0419577360
EMAIL: fyshies@bigpond.com.au
GRADE: MDW 4C
LIMIT: 15
BRING: Day Pack as per Page 3/3ltr water
DEPART: 7:45am Alderley
CAR KMS: 80 kms
MAP: Brisbane Forest Park
NOMINATION LIST: Self Serve Online/Email Leader

This walk is located in the Samford State Forest, the start of the walk commences from Iron Bark Gully Picnic Grounds which is off Samford road. This is a easy off track walk not exceeding 300m elevation, the vegetation is Australian native scrub and also the home of the Powerful Owl. We will start on a less than visible pad then go off track crossing some fire trails and working up and down ridge's and gully's as we work to the furthest point in the park for morning tea. We will then continue to work cross country to the highest point for lunch, then work our way back to cars via Lomandra Picnic grounds and back to our cars and head off to Samford Barkery for afternoon tea. THIS WALK IS ALSO SUITABLE FOR NEWER MEMBERS WITH A REASONABLE

LEVEL OF FITNESS AND READY TO VENTURE INTO OFF TRACK WALKING.

MT BARNEY - SE RIDGE

Day Walk Sun 27 May

LEADER: Tom Bishton

This activity is full.

TOOHEY FOREST MONDAY NIGHT WALK

Night Walk Mon 28 May

See the activity description for Mon 21 May

MT COOT-THA WEEKLY NIGHT WALK

Short Night Walk Thu 31 May

See the activity description for Thu 24 May

LITTLE FLAGGY CREEK FALLS SOURCE

Through Walk Fri 1 - Sun 3 Jun

LEADER: Chris Hall 0498051811

EMAIL: chrishallat@hotmail.com

GRADE: MTW 5C

LIMIT: 8

BRING: Page 3 and Through pack

COST: \$25 Petrol \$5.30 Camp site

DEPART: 7am Camp at Casuarina, Glen Rock
NP on Fri PM

CAR KMS: 245km return

MAP: Glen Rock 1:25000

Part of the Glen Rock Regional Park and Main Range National Parks, adjacent to the Mistake Mountains region, this walk begins south west of Gatton at Casuarina day use area. This walk explores the upper reaches of a tributary of Flaggy Creek, particularly this waterfall which has a major catchment area. The waterfall is visible from the south easterly ridge leading to Point Pure. There is a spectacular view from the top of the falls. Applicants will need to be fit as the lead in walk is across multiple creek crossings and the fire trail has overgrown grass as we head up to the ascending ridge.

TOOLONA CREEK CIRCUIT

Day Walk Sat 2 Jun

LEADER: Marge Henry

MOBILE: 0413 337 530

EMAIL: margewalk@gmail.com

GRADE: LDW-3B

LIMIT: 12

BRING: Page 3 requirements

COST: \$22 fuel contribution

DEPART: 7am Fairfield Gardens

CAR KMS: 220km

Toolona Creek Circuit is a wonderful graded track walk out of Green Mountain (O'Reilly's) in Lamington National Park. The walk is about 18 km and a great introduction to sub-tropical rainforest. Suitable for walkers new to the club, and guaran-

teed to get you hooked. Initially we drop down to West Canungra Creek, passing majestic brush box, hoop pine and booyong along the way. The track then picks up the Toolona Creek branch passing numerous waterfalls via several creek crossings. Depending on how much rain there has been in the preceding weeks, you may get your feet wet. We will gradually ascend through changing vegetation, including king ferns and ancient antarctic beech. We may be lucky enough to encounter a snappy Lamington crayfish or even a lyrebird along the way. We will finally emerge on the rim of the Mt Warning caldera near Wanun-gara Lookout with spectacular views into the Tweed valley & across to Mt Warning itself a great spot for lunch. The return is via the Border track past more amazing antarctic beech along the rim to Bithongabel and then the side of the ridge back to the carpark.

MT D'AGULAR AND PHANTOM CREEK

Day walk Sat 2 Jun

LEADER: Kelvin Taylor 32693726

EMAIL: kelvin.taylor@bigpond.com

GRADE: MDW-4C

LIMIT: 12

BRING: Page 3 stuff

COST: \$10 to driver

DEPART: 7am Alderley

CAR KMS: 80

The walk starts at Tennison Woods just north of Mt Glorious. We follow the Mt D'Aguilar track out to The Trig Point, then go off track dropping down into Phantom Creek. We follow this upstream over the saddle between D'Aguilar and The Knoll and up. Onto a ridge and up to the eastern peak of Mt D'Aguilar. We traverse the Mt D'Aguilar ridge and back down into Phantom Creek further downstream than our previous entry. This is one of my favourite areas. A gently undulating palm grove with Phantom Creek meandering through it. At a point before Phantom Creek starts it's steep descent, we ascend a ridge to the west, turning north and follow it back to the Trig Point and back to the cars. This is mainly an off track walk and not being too difficult would be good for newer members or those wanting a relatively easy day with an early finish, around 2 pm. You will still need to be fit, so EMAIL ME FIRST IF I DONT KNOW YOU. Walk distance 10 kms. Elevation gain 330 m. Time 4-5 hours

IRON BARK GULLY

Training Day Sat 2 Jun

LEADER: Dennis Fishlock 32840551

0419577360

EMAIL: fyshies@bigpond.com.au

GRADE: MINIMAX 3B

LIMIT: 15
BRING: Day Pack as per Page 3/3ltr water
DEPART: 8am Iron Bark Gully Picnic Grounds
UBD MAP 117 F17

NOMINATION LIST: Self Serve Online/Email
Leader

MEETING POINT ARRIVAL: Minimum 15 Minutes
before Departure Time

This walk is intended to introduce new members to bush walking and to the BBW club in particular. The MinimaxS is a good option for your first walk, we will be mainly walking on a track and stopping at regular intervals to discuss a number of topics such as Clothing, Equipment, Safety and First Aid and Environmental Impact to name a few. There will be a sample of OFF TRACK to get an appreciation of the clubs walk grading system, bring your day pack, morning tea and lunch, please bring what ever gear you would take on a day walk, also bring a change of cloths to change into at the end of the walk. Register directly on the web site or at the club meetings on the registration boards with the New Membership Officer.

MT BARNEY, WEST & EAST PEAKS

Throughwalk Sat 2 - Sun 3 Jun

LEADER: Lou & Marion Darveniza 3378 4031

MOBILE: 0438 481 186 on day of walk only

EMAIL: louandmarion@gmail.com

GRADE: MTW-6D

LIMIT: 8

BRING: Through walking gear, pre-dinner nibbles and a small, light, daypack

COST: Car pooling, \$5.30 camping fees

DEPART: 6am TBA

CAR KMS: 210km

MAP: Mt Lindsay 1:25000

A chance to spend the night on Barney plus climb the often neglected highest peak (West). The route up will be the South Ridge track with camping in Rum Jungle. After pitching tents, we will go up West Peak in the afternoon. Sunday will be up to East peak, return to pick up packs and then head back down South Ridge. The route up to Rum Jungle via South ridge is Terrain 5, (the pack carrying bit), but the ascent of West peak needs scrambling ability. (Terrain 6) Nominate by email or phone.

REDCLIFFS ABSEIL

Day Walk Abseil Sun 3 Jun

LEADER: Anne Kemp, Hilton Kane 3371 2707

MOBILE: 0411327704

EMAIL: anneikemp@hotmail.com

GRADE: ABS-M5C

LIMIT: 8

BRING: Abseil equipment and usual DW gear

COST: \$10 rope hire, \$10 harness and hard-

wear hire if required. Petrol.

DEPART: 6:30am Fairfield Gardens

MAP: Murphys Creek 1:25000

WALK LIST: No list at meetings. Please phone or email leader.

This is an abseil primarily for people who have completed the April or May two day BBW abseil training at Kangaroo Point and want to practice their new skills. Redcliffs is a short section of magnificent sandstone cliffs in the Helidon Hills (north west of Gatton) which offers an extensive range of opportunities to try much longer drops or experience a range of overhangs. The walk in is short so we'll have plenty of time to try different routes. Please let me know if you need to hire club equipment or need more information.

MT MATHESON TRAIL, SPICERS GAP

Day Walk Sun 3 Jun

LEADER: Ken Rubie

MOBILE: 0448448598

GRADE: SDW3A/4C

LIMIT: 15

BRING: Usual day walk gear, + 2lt water.

Lunch can be left in cars

COST: \$20

DEPART: 8:00am Fairfield Gardens

CAR KMS: 170kms

We will car pool from Fairfield Gardens to the Pioneer Graves picnic area at Spicers Gap where we start our walk. The track overlooks the Cunningham Highway as it climbs between Mt Cordeaux and Mt Mitchell. There is a loose rocky area that we will climb for about 100m where gloves may be useful to protect your hands. A small section of rainforest gives great examples of the Strangler Fig. The walk then continues as the Heritage Trail with examples of the road building techniques used by the pioneers who carted wool over the range at this point in the 19th Century. We will admire the fantastic view from the Governor's Chair Lookout, which overlooks the Fassifern Valley and Lake Moogerah. We then return to cars at the picnic site for lunch. Those who have the afternoon free can head back to Aratula for cake and coffee at their leisure. Access to Spicers Gap is via an excellent dry weather gravel road. This road will closed in wet weather. There is an alternative walk if road is closed. This is a relatively easy walk but in places follows a well worn but not graded track and has a short area of exposed surface that requires a higher rating. This should not deter new walkers with a reasonable level of fitness.

GLASSHOUSE MTNS [MT COOEE/ MT TIBROGARGEN/ MT TIBROWOCCUM]

Day Walk Sun 3 Jun

LEADER: John Shields 07-32646565
This activity is full.

MT MITCHELL & BARE ROCK - CUNNINGHAM'S GAP

Day Walk Sun 3 Jun
LEADER: Bernie Ryan33255616 [not on walk day please]
This activity is full.

TOOHEY FOREST MONDAY NIGHT WALK
Night Walk Mon 4 Jun
See the activity description for Mon 21 May

MT COOT-THA WEEKLY NIGHT WALK
Short Night Walk Thu 7 Jun
See the activity description for Thu 24 May

TENTH ANNUAL BARNEY FOUR DAY CLASSIC

Through Walk Fri 8 - Mon 11 Jun
LEADER: John Hinz 3846 1432 H/W
EMAIL: johnhinz@optusnet.com.au
GRADE: STW-8E
LIMIT: 5 including leader
COST: \$15.90 pp camping fees + car expenses
DEPART: 5:30pm Highgate Hill on Thursday night
MAP: Maroon, Mt Lindesay and Mt Clunie 1:25000

This is the tenth year that a hardy band of BBW walkers will be venturing into the Mt Barney area for a four-day scenic tour. To celebrate the tenth anniversary we will follow the same route as covered on the first walk in 2003. After meeting in Brisbane on Thursday night we will have dinner in Boonah before camping at a convenient location. An early start on Friday will see us starting our walk at Cleared Ridge, then walk by easy tracks to Barney Gorge camp ground on Barney Creek. Barney Gorge will be our ascent route to our camp at the Rum Jungle in Barney Saddle. This is one of the easiest ways to climb Barney with through packs, and it is also in my opinion one of the most beautiful creeks in SE Queensland. On Saturday morning we will climb West Peak, and then follow the top of Savages Ridge past Savages Point and Burrajum Peak, before turning to start to follow Barney Spur towards the border. Camp tonight will be at a saddle in the rainforest with water available after about a 100 metre descent. Day three will see us descend to the headwaters of Barney Creek, before heading downstream to the T Junction. We then start climbing again up a ridge heading towards the Ballow Range. We plan to camp in the rainforest again at a saddle not far from we hit the shoulder of Not-

hofagus Mountain. Our last day will see us heading along the Ballow Range towards Cleared Ridge. Along the way we will summit Mt Ballow (Junction Peak), Double Peak, Durramlee Peak and Mowburra Peak. The views from Double Peak are some of the best I have seen in SE Queensland, being almost 360 degrees, and looking towards the Main Range as well as Mt Barney and Mt Maroon. A final steep descent down grassy slopes to Graces Hut, and one more short up will have us back at the car, at the end of a very memorable walk. Come along if you're looking for a challenge, want to visit locales very rarely visited, and are an experienced and fit through walker. It is essential that all participants strive to keep the weight of their packs as low as possible. All walkers interested in nominating for this walk must talk to me before doing so.

NEGLECTED MOUNTAIN

Day Walk Sat 9 Jun
LEADER: Cath Carkeet 3357 5607
EMAIL: cmcarkeet@gmail.com
GRADE: MDW -- 5C
LIMIT: 12
BRING: Usual daywalk gear, 3 lt water
DEPART: 7am Fairfield Gardens
CAR KMS: 230
MAP: Lamington 1:25000

Neglected Mountain is a 739 m peak in Lamington National Park, which we access from Christmas Creek Road via Beaudesert and Laravale. We leave cars at Stinson Memorial Park and approach the mountain from the south-west. A walk along Gap Creek Road leads to the main ridge, with open forest, grass trees and some loose rocks underfoot. There is an undulating climb to the summit with a few rocky outcrops to negotiate for good views along the way of the peaks of the scenic rim. There is a bit of a razorback approaching the summit, but nothing too daunting. Lunch on top then we retrace our route back to the cars. Reasonable fitness is required for the ups on this walk. Suitable for fit newer members who've comfortably completed some long track walks and are ready to launch into peaks and views walking.

MT BYRON VIA BYRON GORGE

Day walk Sat 9 Jun
LEADER: Kelvin Taylor 32693726
EMAIL: kelvin.taylor@bigpond.com
GRADE: MDW-6C
LIMIT: 12
COST: \$15 to driver
DEPART: 7am Alderley
CAR KMS: 140

The walk starts from the Gantry at Mt Mee. We

walk down a forestry road to an unnamed creek and follow this creek downstream to what must be the biggest and best falls in this area. Seldom visited, and well worth a little detour. We continue downstream, past Steven's Creek coming in from the right and on down to Byron Gorge. We cover most of Byron Gorge on the way up before heading up a ridge towards the Mt Byron Range. Coming out at a cliff top with great views looking down over the valley below. We walk along the cliff top for a while still with the views to the left and pick up an old track which will take us to The Somerset Trail and back to the cars. Email me with a BBW history before nominating if I don't know you. Walk distance 15 kms. Elevation gains 400m. Walk time 6 hrs

KWIAMBAL NATIONAL PARK BASE CAMP

Base Camp Sat 9 - Mon 11 Jun
LEADER: Ken Rubie
This activity is full.

FRASER ISLAND. SOUTHERN LAKES AND EURONG. + UPDATE.

Through Walk Sat 9 - Tue 12 Jun
LEADER: Greg Kuss. 0408 806310
This activity is full.

BANGALORA - DOUBLE SLABBY

Day Walk Sun 10 Jun
LEADER: Jim Lydon 04 3191 3264
This activity is full.

MT. MAROON - WEDNESDAY CREEK

Day Walk Sun 10 Jun
LEADER: Tom Bishton
MOBILE: 0404025150
EMAIL: tbishton23@hotmail.com
GRADE: MDW-6D
LIMIT: 10
BRING: pg3 Gear, 2-3litres water
DEPART: 6am Fairfield Gardens
CAR KMS: 210km
MAP: Maroon 1:25 000

We'll park the cars at the Drynan's hut and begin by crossing a creek. We then follow a trail for approx. 30 minutes before heading off track and up the SSW Slope of Mt. Maroon. On route we come to Maroon waterfall, which we shall look at on a return journey. Part the way up the SSW slope we shall drop into Wednesday creek and continue up the creek scrambling up some rocky slopes and slabs. Incidentally this creek is not officially named Wednesday Creek on maps, but was given this name by another BBW group who were supposed to have first explored it on a Wednesday but were beaten back by rain. At the head of the creek we shall head over to a promi-

nent knoll and negotiate this bit of rock. The knoll is slightly exposed and once on top we'll head straight for the summit. There is an option to pass an easier way around the knoll if preferred. We shall admire the views from the top and have lunch. Our descent will be down the slopes to the West of Maroon creek. The slope is again very rocky but takes us into Maroon Creek further down and to Paddy's Plain campsite. We shall then pick up the trail and cross the creek once more and head for the cars. This walk is a long day and will require some rock scrambling skills. You should have a lot of stamina and be fit to do this walk.

SOUTH PINE RIVER

Day Walk Sun 10 Jun
LEADER: John Shields 07-32646565
This activity is full.

MT COOTHA

Morning Walk Mon 11 Jun
LEADER: Wendy Spiry
MOBILE: 0409 055 000
EMAIL: Wendy Spiry
GRADE: SDW3B
LIMIT: 12
BRING: Morning tea and usual
DEPART: 7am Car park, just after the round-about, just before the kiosk

This will be a very pleasant way to enjoy the Queen's official birthday. We'll meet at the top of the mountain at the car park just after the round-about and before the kiosk. We should be walking for about 4 hours with some reasonable ups for our fitness. The plan is to go down the Summit Track, up the Pinnacle Track, across the road and down the Honeyeater, then up, then along, back to the cars. Afterwards we can have coffee or whatever at the kiosk.

SPRINGBROOK - WARRINGA POOL TRACK

Day Walk Thu 14 Jun
LEADER: Jim Lydon 04 3191 3264
EMAIL: j.lydon@uq.net.au
GRADE: SDW - 4B
LIMIT: 16 + Reserves
BRING: P3 Kit + 2L Water
COST: \$25 Carpool suggested
DEPART: 7am Fairfield Gardens
MAP: GC Hinterland Great Walk, 1:25,000 Topographic

Length = 7 km. Up = 270 m. Down = 230 m. This route follows portion of the Gold Coast Hinterland Great Walk. Viz. Apple Tree Park - Down to Little Nerang Creek (West Branch) - Up the creek to Warringa Pool - Up to the foot of Purlingbrook Falls - Up either leg of the Purling Brook Circuit ,

following the graded track to the top of Purlingbrook Falls - to emerge at the Gwongorella Picnic Area, and our shuttle car. The track crossings of Little Nerang Creek and its tributaries, require short rock hops in most seasons. DERM describes the final section of the walk in the following terms. "The track continues on the other side of the creek to Purling Brook Falls, where a massive cliff of cream coloured rhyolite, 100 metres high, looms up to tower over a deep gorge. After passing behind the falls, a steady climb brings you back to the top of the plateau, past open eucalypt forest. Walking behind the base of the falls is a special feature of this walk, where one looks out at the view, through a curtain of falling water.

MT COOT-THA WEEKLY NIGHT WALK

Short Night Walk Thu 14 Jun
See the activity description for Thu 24 May

WHITE ROCK FOR NEW MEMBERS

Minimaxs Sat 16 Jun
LEADER: Lou & Marion Darveniza3378 4031
MOBILE: 0438 481 186 on day of walk only
EMAIL: louandmarion@gmail.com
GRADE: MINIMAXS4A
LIMIT: 15
BRING: Usual day walk gear, 2L water
DEPART: 7am Fairfield Gardens
CAR KMS: 65km
MAP: Bundamba 1:25000

White Rock Conservation Park is very close to Redbank Plains - see UBD p255. White Rock and the surrounding cliffs are of sandstone, riddled with small caves. Being a MINIMAXS, we will be discussing, safety, clothing, club protocol, minimal environmental impact, first aid, gradings etc. This is a fairly short walk with very little elevation gain - we will probably deviate off the track to explore some cliffs, but mostly we will be on a track of some sort. Bring morning tea, lunch and the "always take" items on page 3 of the magazine. Hopefully we will have lunch in the picnic shelter by the cars and finish early afternoon. We will be bringing a gas stove to boil up in the picnic shelter for tea or coffee, so bring a cup - we will provide the tea, coffee, milk & sugar.

MT. BARNEY EAST PEAK VIA NORTH PEAK

Day Walk Sat 16 Jun
LEADER: Tom Bishton
MOBILE: 0404025150
EMAIL: tbishton23@hotmail.com
GRADE: SURVEY-7D
LIMIT: 8
BRING: 3lt water (min.), Page 3
DEPART: 5am Fairfield Gardens

CAR KMS: 200km

MAP: Mt. Lindesay

We will park outside Mt. Barney Lodge, cross the road and follow the route up Logans Ridge. After about 1 hour we hang a right, cross Rocky Creek and onto North Ridge. After a further hour we will stop for morning tea, taking in the magnificent views. From North Ridge we reach North Peak and then turn South and climb up to the East Peak of Mt. Barney. This section of the walk will be a bit of a survey. We shall have lunch on the top of East Peak and descend via the South East Ridge. This walk will be long and will require good fitness, stamina and scrambling skills. Torches are a must on this walk as it possible that we may return in the dark.

MC AFEE'S LOOKOUT WALK

Day Walk Sun 17 Jun
LEADER: Dennis Fishlock 32840551
0419577360
EMAIL: fyshies@bigpond.com.au
GRADE: MDW 4C
LIMIT: 15
BRING: Day Pack as per Page 3/3ltr water
COST: Car Cost \$12 Per Person
DEPART: 7:30am Alderley
CAR KMS: 80Kms
MAP: Brisbane Forest Park
NOMINATION LIST: Self Serve Online/Email
Leader

This walk is in the Brisbane Forest Park on the Mt Nebo road at the look out, we will start the walk on a fire trail and head south where we will meet up with Enoggera creek, which we will enter and walk along in the creek, stopping at some point for morning tea. We will then leave the creek and re-enter a fire trail for a little way to the HP 277 at this stage we will go off track and work our way across some ridges and gully's and climb up to the fire tower on the western side. The vegetation is a mix of medium dense eucalypts and native scrub with lantana thrown in at various points, the ridges are reasonably steep with some scrambling, we will aim to have lunch at the fire tower. From lunch we will follow a fire trail back to the cars at the look out, and head off for afternoon tea at the Gap. THIS WALK IS SUITABLE ALSO FOR NEW MEMBERS WITH A GOOD LEVEL OF FITNESS AND SOME OFF TRACK EXPERIENCE.

MT MAROON - CAVE ROUTE

Day Walk Sun 17 Jun
LEADER: Lou & Marion Darveniza3378 4031
This activity is full.

MT JOYCE ESCAPE RECREATION PARK

STAGE 2 SURVEY

Survey Sun 18 Jun
LEADER: Bernie Ryan33255616 [not on walk
day please]
This activity is full.

TOOHEY FOREST MONDAY NIGHT WALK

Night Walk Mon 18 Jun
See the activity description for Mon 21 May

TIBROGARGAN SOLSTICE SUNRISE

Short Day Walk Thu 21 Jun
LEADER: Hilton Kane
MOBILE: 0447397743
EMAIL: hilton.kane@gmail.com
GRADE: SDW7BPHOTO
LIMIT: 6
BRING: Everything you need, nothing you
don't
DEPART: 4:30am Barrs Rd carpark, Tibrogar-
gan

This is a pre-dawn scramble up Mt Tibrogargan to view the sunrise on Winter Solstice. Participants must be good scramblers with confidence on steep rocky terrain with some exposure. We will keep kit to a minimum but headlamps are essential, and you will probably want to bring your camera along. Dawn twilight commences about 0557 with sunrise at 0638. Because of our small group size and very early start, each participant is responsible for their own transport to and from the Barrs Rd carpark. Of course, carpooling is preferable, if possible. Nominations by EMAIL only. If you haven't been up a hill with me before, you will need to convince me that you are capable of scrambling up and down Grade 7 terrain.

MT COOT-THA WEEKLY NIGHT WALK

Short Night Walk Thu 21 Jun
See the activity description for Thu 24 May

RIMFALL BASE CAMP

Base Camp Fri 22 - Sun 24 Jun
LEADER: Ray and Dawn Glancy 3343 8854
MOBILE: 0418 778 369 Dawn
EMAIL: rayanddawnlancy@yahoo.com.au
GRADE: MBC-5C
LIMIT: 18
BRING: Linen, food, daywalk gear, pre-
arranged pooled dinner Saturday
night
COST: \$45 per person for 2 nights accom-
modation PAYABLE ON NOMINAT-
ING + vehicle contribution (if car pool-
ing)
CAR KMS: approx 220 kms
MAP: Lamington
MEMBERSHIP CARD: A current Membership

Card must be carried on this activity
This base camp is on a 1200 ha cattle property next to Lamington NP. We stay in 3 cottages which have fully equipped kitchens (fridge, stove, also a microwaves). On Saturday, walkers will walk to Larapinta Falls or maybe Running Creek Falls (depending on whether it is doable). A dinner will be pre-organised for Saturday night so let me know your specialty (nibblies, main course, dessert). Sunday we will do another walk or stroll around the property, or up a creek near the cottages or do some bird watching, or just stroll around, laze around, or read a book, whatever takes your fancy. Sunday lunch will be leftovers from Saturday night, and then a quick clean up of the cottages and head off home. This will be a very relaxing weekend with plenty of time for socialising. As this base camp is very popular, EARLY PAYMENT WILL SECURE YOUR PLACE.

MT GLORIOUS BASE CAMP

Base Camp Fri 22 - Sun 24 Jun
LEADER: John Shields, Geoff [Bushy] Hinds
07-32646565
MOBILE: 0447824988 Walkday only
EMAIL: johnashields@bigpond.com
GRADE: BC3/5C
LIMIT: 20
BRING: base camping gear/ day walk gear
COST: \$13camp fee[2 nights]
MAP: BFP

This base camp is aimed at the newer and older club members to experience camping, meet fellow club members and do a variety of walks. The walks vary from 3B to 5C. The level of walks will be decided after group discussion and we try to keep within your comfort zone. We camp in the D'Aguilar National Park and use the old Forestry Barracks and its facilities which are away from the public situated in a grassy clearing surrounded by rainforest. The emphasis is on camping although there are a few beds in the Barracks for those walkers who so desire or you could bring a camp stretcher and camp in the truck shed. Discuss with leader before the camp as to availability. This is upmarket camping with hot shower, septic toilet, well equipped kitchen and open fire. Please bring firewood if you can. Plenty of grassy campsites and camper trailers are welcome. The water supply is tank water so if this is a problem then bring your own drinking water. We arrive Friday afternoon/night and most are there by 9p.m. and usually hit the sack early to be up, breakfasted and ready to walk by 8a.m. with smoko and lunch in their day pack. Planning to get back mid to late afternoon at the latest. Happy hour around the campfire - bring nibblies and the beverage of your

choice. HOW TO GET THERE. Brisbane Forest Park is conveniently close to Brisbane and you head for Mt Glorious via Samford or The Gap. Pass through the village to Maijala Park to a Pine Rivers display board on the left. Travel a further 700metres and past Western Window Lookout is a closed National Park gate on the left with a BBW sign. This gate is to be kept closed at all times except when driving through. Travel 200metres through the rainforest and you arrive at the barracks. A shorter walk is conducted on SUNDAY morning to bring us back just after lunch with tents dry and ready to pack up and leave mid afternoon. --ONLINE BOOKINGS OR EMAIL OR PHONE LEADER.

SHIPS STERN, BINNA BURRA

Day Walk Sat 23 Jun
LEADER: Deniz Clarke 0401725726
EMAIL: denizclarke@gmail.com
GRADE: LDW3C
LIMIT: 12
BRING: Page 3 items
COST: \$20
DEPART: 6:30am Fairfield Gardens
CAR KMS: 220 kms
MAP: Lamington NP

This is a track walk of just over 20km in the Binna Burra region of Lamington NP. It is a mixture of open forest and rain forest with some interesting plants to be enjoyed. As we leave Binna Burra and make our way down into the valley, great views of Egg Rock, Turtle Rock and the Numinbah Valley can be enjoyed. A short side trip to Lower Ballanjui Falls is worthwhile. Then through rain forest as we make our way along Nixon Creek for a short distance before you will have the option of taking a short side track up steps to Charraboonba Rock where there are great views. We then continue ascending to Ships Stern for lunch and more great views. The afternoon has us completing the circuit through open forest and rainforest along the Ships Stern Range. This walk is suitable for all if you are happy with 20kms.

MAY/MAROON - PADDYS PERAMBULATION

Daywalk Sun 24 Jun
LEADER: Jim Lydon 04 3191 3264
This activity is full.

SOMERSET TRAIL

Day Walk Sun 24 Jun
LEADER: Dennis Fishlock 32840551
0419577360
EMAIL: fyshies@bigpond.com.au
GRADE: MDW 3B
LIMIT: 15

BRING: Day Pack as per Page 3/3ltr water
COST: Car Cost \$15 Per Person
DEPART: 7:00am Albany Creek Shopping Centre [Westpac Sign] UBD 108 F16
CAR KMS: 200kms return
MAP: Woodford/Wamuran
NOMINATION LIST: Self Serve Online/Email Leader

Mt Mee is our destination, we will travel through Daybora and out to the Gantry which is on Sellin road, the Gantry is in a large picnic ground and the remnants of a large saw mill. The first part of the walk is on a small circuit which is in a grove of piccabeen palms. from here we will start onto the Somerset trail which is all track. The vegetation is a mix of Australian Natives, grevillea's banksia's grass trees and euaclypts, we will stop along the trail for morning tea and then move onto the Somerset Lookout for lunch, from here we will return on the circuit back to our cars and head off for afternoon tea back at Daybora Bakery, THIS WALK IS SUITABLE ALSO FOR NEW MEMBERS WITH A REASONABLE LEVEL OF FITNESS.

TOOHEY FOREST MONDAY NIGHT WALK

Night Walk Mon 25 Jun
See the activity description for Mon 21 May

MT COOT-THA WEEKLY NIGHT WALK

Short Night Walk Thu 28 Jun
See the activity description for Thu 24 May

MT BARNEY FOR OLD TIMERS WEEKEND

Day Walk/ Social Weekend Fri 29 Jun - Sun 1 Jul
LEADER: Lynsey Moore 3366 6135
This activity is full.

BARNEY SKYLINE..EAGLES RIDGE

Day Walk Sat 30 Jun
LEADER: Paul Horwath 0429509334
MOBILE: 0429509334
EMAIL: paulpaulpaulpaul@live.com.au
GRADE: X LDW 8E
LIMIT: 6
BRING: page 3 and xtra water
COST: \$6.60 camp fee/night
DEPART: 4am Lower Portals Carpark
CAR KMS: 220
MAP: Mt Barney
CAMPING: Camp at Mt Barney Fri & Sat - see text for details

TRANSPORT: Prearranged
It's Barney. It's Eagle's. We will depart the lower portals car park at 4am Saturday. We will camp at Mt Barney flanagans on Friday night for an early start on Saturday - and Saturday Night because

we can; and to avoid Brisbane for as long as possible. Camping is optional both nights, but certainly highly recommended Friday night if you think you are going to get to the start on time. I will be camping both nights. Ascent via Eagle's, descent via south east ridge. Eagles is a loooooong day, much longer than Logan's or Mezzanine, so a high level of fitness is essential. There is serious rock scrambling to be done, so ability and experience in that area is also essential. This promises to be a spectacular walk so please come along and enjoy. Please nominate direct to leader via email supplying: hm phone, mob phone, email, car, passengers, suburb, m'ship & camping requirements. Transport will be pre-arranged. ps this is normally done as over night through walk, but i have done this as a long day walk before . there is rock scrambling involved and we will use tape in some spots. pss this will be the hardest walk you will ever do,

KANGAROO POINT NURSERY CLIFFS

Abseil Training For Beginners Sat 30 Jun
LEADER: John Granat 3274 2777 wk.
This activity is full.

DAVE'S CREEK CIRCUIT

Day Walk Sat 30 Jun
LEADER: Marge Henry
MOBILE: 0413 337 530
EMAIL: margewalk@gmail.com
GRADE: MDW 2B
LIMIT: 15
BRING: Page 3 gear, 2 litres water
COST: vehicle contribution \$22
DEPART: 7am Fairfield Gardens
CAR KMS: 220 kms
MAP: Beechmont

Daves Creek Circuit is a walk of approximately 12 kilometres passing through rainforest, montane heathland and eucalypt forest thereby giving a good example of the vegetation types in the Binna Burra area. The walk has no serious ups or downs and smoko at Surprise Rock and Lunch at the caves area in the heathland both normally provide extensive views (depending on the weather). The walk is suitable for new members looking to assess their fitness.

LOGANS RIDGE, MT BARNEY THROUGH WALK

Throughwalk Sat 30 Jun - Sun 1 Jul
LEADER: Lou & Marion Darveniza3378 4031
This activity is full.

BRISBANE VALLEY RAIL TRAIL - MOORE TO BLACKBUTT

Cycle Sun 1 Jul

LEADER: Ken Rubie
MOBILE: 0448448598
EMAIL: kenrubie@hotmail.com
GRADE: LD CYCLE
LIMIT: 8
DEPART: 8am Stanley Gates Park - Moore
CAR KMS: 250
MAP: BVRT

This ride is suitable for hybrid and mountain bikes only. The ride commences from the trail head at Moore located opposite the Moore Memorial Hall in Stanley Gates Park. This is located in the Moore township on Eskdale St. Moore is just under two hours drive from Brisbane (via the Bruce and D'Aguilar Highways or the Warrego, Brisbane Valley and D'Aguilar Highways). It is the next town from Kilcoy heading towards Blackbutt. The top end of the trail is located on top of Australia's Great Dividing Range. The Moore to Blackbutt section of the trail includes Linville and Benarkin and is located in the scenic upper reaches of the Brisbane River valley and crosses the rugged and picturesque Blackbutt Range. The trail surface between Moore and Linville is compact gravel with concrete causeways. The section from Linville to Benarkin is rough gravel with some rocky sections. Cyclists need to be reasonably fit to enjoy the trail between Linville and Blackbutt. It takes around 2-3 hours to ride a bike downhill from Blackbutt to Linville, slightly longer traveling up the range from Linville to Blackbutt. As we are starting at the bottom (Moore) and riding to the top of the trail at Blackbutt and return the ride will be around 6 hours in duration including stops. The ride speed will not be fast and as we are traveling on an old rail line the incline is only slight. In all the riding distance covered will be approximately 66 km. There are a number of crossings at Boundary, Greenhide and Blackbutt creeks that are moderately steep (up to 30 per cent) with slopes up to 40 metres in length. There are gradually rising grades up the range to Blackbutt. You will need to make sure that your bike is in good working order and carry a spare tube and suitable method to pump it up with you. Also you will need the page three items as well as morning tea, lunch and afternoon tea. There is no water on the trail so you will need to bring your requirements with you. We will depart the Stanley Gates Park, Eskdale St in Moore at 8am. Please Google the start address to locate it on a map. If you would like to follow me to travel to Moore please contact prior to the ride to make arrangements.



An Exercise In Cooperation

Though my walking days are well and truly in the past, I continue to take an interest in the Club's activities. For it is this which provides an indication as to the direction bush walking is currently taking. Though in its purist form, bush walking is easy enough to define, it's the contemporary needs and aspirations of the membership which tends to define current trends. And that's fine, so long as the true reason for the Club's existence is not overlooked in the clamour to pander to what may be fleeting trends. Maybe a topic in its own right, though not the reason for putting pen to paper on this occasion.

Having noted that the Mt. Byron area is listed on the outings program, something rang a bell in the deep (some might even say dark) recesses of my mind. A few Kodachromes, carefully filed and still in excellent condition, opened the mental file even further. If the creek which cascades down Byron Gorge is followed to where it joins Byron Creek, a little further downstream one will come upon Diana's Bath. Of course none of this would be news to the experienced walker. While on my map (which is almost as old as me - never throw away a map) this creek is unnamed, the locals refer to it as 'Blue Creek', and in its calmer more horizontal state of flow it is easy to see why. The water is a delightful shade of blue and since it arrives in reasonable volume it also imparts this colour to Diana's Bath.

First visited in May 1951 by a party of five Club members, essentially to survey the area including Mt. Byron and the Gorge, we spent four days camped beside Diana's Bath. We were already aware of the mythology and legends which surround the site, one or two involving indigenous people of the area. However the 'tale' which captivated our imagination the most, simply because it could easily have been proven one way or the other, suggested this body of water was bottomless. Now, don't run away with the idea that we, back in those dim dark days, were a naïve lot who believed implicitly in such things - but when a large body of water which is clearly much deeper than the rest of the creek system - the word bottomless might come to mean anything, particularly if the precise depth is not known.

It was another four years before Diana's Bath found its way on to the outing program. At this time (1955) there was a well organised and equally well respected group of enthusiasts who were members of the Underwater Research Group. These were the early days of SCUBA diving when the equipment was both basic and not always reliable. But being an adventurous lot and always looking to improve their knowledge and diving skills, a word to this group about the mystery concerning the depth of Diana's Bath brought an immediate and positive response. Fresh water diving would offer new challenges and present new problems not encountered on a regular dive. There for the weekend we met six members of this group at the car drop off point on the Sunday morning, our main role being to assist them with their heavy gear and guide them to the site. An easy walk for us but a whole new experience for them.

Well, to cut a long worm in half, it didn't take more than a few minutes to debunk the bottomless myth. None the less everyone was still surprised when in the deepest part the water was found to be twenty-one feet deep. In reasonable visibility the divers then spent some time surveying the bottom for anything unusual, but found nothing of any significance. We laid on a well-deserved lunch for our new-found friends and spent the next couple of hours swapping yarns before finally packing up and heading back to the cars.

In retrospect this little exercise wasn't just about science triumphing over myth and legend, but more about gaining new skills and a better understanding of the environment. That two poles apart groups were able to cooperate in such a friendly and meaningful way for what might be said to have been 'just for the hell of it' says much about the people and of the period. We were all on a steep learning curve.

It is that magic time of day, the transition period between light and dark. It's a time for reflection and a time when our mind can be more open to those things around us which go unseen throughout the hurly-burly of the day's activities. On the one hand, nature is scurrying off into the night as if only too pleased to see the end of day and on the other, desperately hanging on to the last vestiges of light as

if reluctant to bow to the inevitable. The last of the dragon flies flits from rock to rock, maybe absorbing some of the warmth which remains, to see it through the night. There is a crispness in the now still air which heralds the onset of winter. A mist is rising from the water to hang in a layer as if suspended just above the surface. The last rays of a quickly dying sun glint off the vertical rock face high above, its base, though now unseen, rising out of the water opposite. The crackling of a just-lit cooking fire somewhere in the background the only sound which disturbs the otherwise eerie silence.

Sitting on one of the rock slabs close to the water's edge, winding down after a day of hard walking - it is the very nature of the place itself which encourages a vivid and imaginative mind to run wild. And so it must have been for countless generations of indigenous people in the past. Though nothing now remains to give us a clue that Diana's Bath was tightly woven into their dreaming, a few days spent in its vicinity sampling the almost mystical qualities of the place would suggest that, even to the least knowledgeable about such things, it could not have been otherwise. We are fortunate indeed to still have such places that we may continue to enjoy.

Graham Jurott
Hon. Life Member

NEW MEMBERS

Welcome to the following New Members who joined during the last month:

Wayne Bartlett	Caleb Bichard	Michelle Chung	Alana Danne
Craig Dudfield	David Ellington	Emma Ewart	Tim Faber
Aaron Fielder	Edwin Flinders	Sharon Fox	Kim Gussy
Diane Hackwood	Sue Jeffery	Julie Johnson	Shey Lemcke
Alison Ling	Joanne Luke	Laura Lynch	Nic MacBean
Wayne Martin	Sue Mason	Andrew Mason	Terry McDonald
Cathy Milevskiy	Paul Milevskiy	Dallas Riddle	Kevin Saddler
Neil Short	Andrea Tamas	Elena Williams	Joshua Wilson
Peter Zund			

Congratulations to the following who have been granted Full Membership:

Maura Carroll	Gus Karam	Grant Saunders
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Engagement



Club members Kay Byrne and Alan Pryor have announced their engagement with a wedding to take place in July.

Congratulations to both Kay and Alan.



10 Years Ago

LADIES THROUGH WALK - April 20-21

LEADER ANNETTE MILLER

Thank you Annette for yet another great Ladies Walk. Friday night at Girraween was clear and mild and set the tone for the weekend - glorious, mild weather with magnificent night skies. Faced with the closure of the intended walking route our trusty leader made quick changes to the itinerary and after the necessary car shuffle, had us walking south of the border in what was new territory for me.

That wonderful granite country is such a joy no matter where we walk and yes we did find fresh, running water in Bald Flock Creek. Annette and Julie helped some of us with navigation practice and I must say Jenny M. did a great job of not getting us lost. Saturday night camp site was ideally situated near rocky slabs and surrounded by gigantic rock formations. The stoves came out and the partying went on for hours. There never seems to be an end to the anecdotes and experiences to share. Early Sunday morning some of us walked up the nearby granite rocks to appreciate the colours, sounds and smells of the new day. Breakfast became a marathon of food and camaraderie which does wonders for the digestion. The walk out was interspersed with detours up beckoning boulders for the views and for the inevitable snacks. Our group of 11 walkers included 3 Jennys and 2 Wendys, one new member and a visitor. Again, thank you Annette and Julie for giving such a disparate group the benefit of your experience and gentle encouragement. The company was great - thanks girls.

Betty
from June 2002

Mt Mitchell Night Walk

The day/night it didn't rain.

Good Friday the 29th of March was the date of a night walk I'd planned to coincide with the full moon at a venue that I thought would be appropriate as it was an easy track walk to a high point with pretty good views. At 9:00am on the Friday it was pouring rain in Brisbane (and probably out at Cunningham's Gap the location of Mt Mitchell). I took several phone calls from concerned walkers regarding this weather pattern and told all that the walk was still on and if it was not raining we would go ahead with the outing. I'd even indicated to a few that the clouds could give us interesting effects with the setting sun/rising moon. At 2:20pm at the Newmarket hotel carpark I was putting on sunscreen as I waited for my group to arrive. Seven of us set off for Aratula just after 2:30pm and we collected another 2 walkers on the way. Ultimately 10 of us (one arrived late having driven solo from Brisbane) made it to the top of Mt Mitchell in mixed weather conditions (some mist and big clouds but no rain!). I think all who attended enjoyed not only what we saw but the wonderful array of food consumed on top of the mountain, sweet and savoury. All I'll say is we did see some good effects of the sunset, and (surprise surprise!) we did have moonlight for some distance as we descended the mountain, but really you just had to be there. Thanks to all those who came along.

Jon
From May 2002

RALPH TURNS 70

I would like to thank all the wonderful people who joined me on my Mt Bamey walk. Eddie, Bill, Betty, Tad, Tom, Dion and Peter. Jon Beer's group who came up North Ridge and met up with us on top. Anne, Tom, Barry, Jeanette, Peter and Andrew. Peter James' group who climbed Mt Lindsay and flashed their message across the mountains to us with a small mirror.

Thank you one and all for a wonderful birthday I will remember always.

Ralph
from June 2002

Crossing in Style

Most people get their boots wet when crossing a creek. However, this clever BBW member claimed she had a minor shin injury that needed to be kept dry. Its a line worth remembering for future walks.

Fortunately Cheryl took this photo sequence so that a proper post-activity review could be conducted. As one walker recounted: "It was a very delicate operation. Funny, I remember the water being up to my chest, flowing like a torrent with crocodiles threatening from all sides but looks like it was a little easier than that."



Land Search Training Day - 22 Apr 2012

Bushwalking clubs from BWQ (Bushwalking Queensland) were recently involved in a Land Search Training Day that was coordinated by the State Emergency Service. Many other groups were involved including Federation of Mountain Rescue (FMR), Local Rural Fire Brigade and QPS. The aim of the exercise was to train the Incident Management Team and QPS in coordinating a large scale missing person land search using multiple agencies. As BWQ clubs have a lot of local experience and knowledge of the walking tracks within the Scenic Rim they were invited to participate. The search area chosen was the Spicers Gap area and the search base was located at the Camping Grounds on Spicers Gap Road.

Initially this was meant to be a training event, but it actually was changed to a real search in order to assist police by searching rugged terrain on a case for a missing woman they had been working on since January.

Nine BBW members attended and also quite a few bushwalkers from other clubs and a small group of climbers. They were dispersed into various search groups, of which the rest were made up of SES volunteers. The BBW attendees were Chrissy Dott, Anne Kemp, Tom Bishton, Phil Wright, Steve Cockburn, Joan Davey, Hilton Kane, Chris Hall and Doris Schwarz.

All up, the organisers were very happy in regards to the turnout of bushwalkers (especially due to the thick lantana filled terrain) and also to the climbers who assisted in the vertical rescue component. They again advised that they are very keen to work with FMR in future events and in building the network of multi club relationships up again.

Thanks to the BBW Members who spent the day battling lantana, thickets, lantana, the odd leech and tick, lantana, bitey jumping ants, lantana.....did I mention lantana? I think it's safe to say that it'll be a while before we jump back into lantana overgrown areas.



Chrissy Dott



Committee News

President's Report

The Committee is currently seeking expressions of interest from members for the positions of New Membership Officer and Social Co-ordinator. Having passed the half way mark for the club year, I would ask members to consider nominating for a position on the committee at the AGM, October 24th. All committee positions are declared vacant at this time. There is plenty of time to explore job descriptions, responsibilities etc, so please give it some thought.

Recent Committee business/deliberations/decisions include the imminent purchase of 10 new PLB's for the club, GME MT410G. The Committee extends an opportunity to members wishing to purchase a PLB as part of a bulk buy. Anticipated cost is \$360.

Discussion on club meetings has the committee considering retaining formalities at the second meeting of the month and making the first meeting of the month a more informal chat/get together session. The second meeting of the month would run as usual with a guest speaker. The first meeting of the month would be informal, no guest speaker or chair for the meeting. Access to the Library, club Equipment and Web Admin would be available.

I welcome discussion/comment ideas. What do you want from club meetings?

In closing, I am happy to report that after seven years with the club I continue to enjoy great variety and scope in my walking, having just finished a superb long weekend TW, Spicer's to Teviot. The club is in good shape, the club program has a lot to offer. The usual lament is alive and well :-) "not enough walks, not enough leaders", I suspect this will always be the case.

Cheryl Curtis

Guest Speakers

Wednesday 23 May What Knot? Learning the ropes - Hilton Kane

Most of us know some simple knots for tying ropes together or tying a rope to a solid object, and these simple knots are fine for domestic use. However, any knot in a rope weakens it to some degree and some knots can even loosen under load, so using the wrong knot when supporting a person by rope can be very dangerous. Similarly, the type of rope or tape is critical when people start dangling from them. Even if we never go abseiling, there are times on BBW walks when use of rope or tape is necessary or desirable for walkers' safety and some leaders carry them as a backup. Hilton will talk about the characteristics that make for a safe length of rope/tape, and abseilers' knots such as the Tape Knot, the Alpine Butterfly, the Figure of Eight, Double Fisherman's Knot, Prusic Knot and the Bowline. Hands on knot tying will be demonstrated and all attendees encouraged to join in.

Wednesday 13 June BBW Abseil Adventures - Chrissy Dott

Chrissy Dott has been a member of BBW for 4.5 years and has abseiled off and on for most of those years, including assisting with the BBW abseil training at Kangaroo Pt Cliffs. As a lover of photography, abseiling has enabled her to capture the essence of the fun & adventures experienced in some amazing areas, whilst hanging off ropes. So if you want to see how the adventurous people of BBW play, then come along for a pictorial guide to some of the places that BBW visits.

Upcoming Rogaine Events

Bushwalkers who would like to practice or improve their navigation skills might like to try out some of the rogain events offered by the Queensland Rogaine Association.

- Sat 2 June 8/15/24 hr Rogaine (Eskdale)
- Sat 30 June Rainforest Ramble Cyclegaine (Mapleton)

For further information and more event dates visit the QRA web site at www.qldrogaine.asn.au

For Sale

BBW tried having another annual Auction Night recently but, as only about 20 items were nominated by BBW members, the auction was cancelled. Some of these items are listed below.

For any members who would like to sell their second-hand bushwalking equipment, don't forget you are always welcome to place a For Sale notice in this magazine. Just email a brief description of the item to the editor's mailbox (editor@bbw.org.au) and include a price, phone no. and/or email address. If you can't get to a club meeting to meet up with a prospective purchaser then maybe include your suburb so a purchaser can decide whether meeting up at some other time is viable.

Trevor McKell 0419 006 163 (Annerley). Email: trevor.mckell@yahoo.com.au
I attend most BBW meetings so can arrange to meet there.

- **Stove:** "Honey Bird" folding burner with 3 legs & on/off screw knob + Bag + Butane/Propane gas bottle (screw) 400ml – Ideal for through walks.. Very good condition. \$10
- **Gas Lamp:** "Jackeroo" Single mantle LP gas lantern – 300CP – adjustable light intensity - hanging handle + 1.25L gas cylinder – for base camping. Good condition (in original boxes). \$10
- **Day Pack:** "Karrimor Epic 35" (35L) – orange & blue. Good condition. RRP: \$60. Asking \$10
- **Pump:** "Carrabee" two-way double handle pump – continuous stream 300LPM (66 gals) at 60 strokes - nozzles fit various airbeds.. Good condition. \$5
- **Thermos:** Stainless steel 3 cup + case. New - unused. \$5

Annette Miller (Tarragindi). Email: Annette.C.Miller@marsh.com
I only get to meetings infrequently.

- **Sleeping bag:** Fairydown Everest, rated to minus 25 on the old scale. Very good condition, very warm bag suitable for above the snow line and general winter use. Compression sack included, \$250.
- **Sleeping bag:** Macpac Pinnacle 3 season, all down on top with sleeve underneath for insertion of sleeping mat, rated to approx. plus 5. Excellent condition, recently professionally cleaned, stuff sack included, \$250.
- **Sleeping bag:** Torre, rated to approx. minus 5, general winter use below the snow line, or on snow if you are a warm sleeper. One small repair otherwise very good condition, \$200.
- **Spray Jacket:** Cigana brand, size L, grey and blue patterned fabric, half zip and zipped front pocket, never used, \$50.
- **Bladder:** Camelbak 2 litre, with small fitted day pack, suitable for bike riding etc, several pockets, excellent condition, \$50.

Bill Gale 33556023 or 0409613905 (Everton Park) Email: fregata@bigpond.net.au
I attend all BBW meetings so can arrange to meet there.

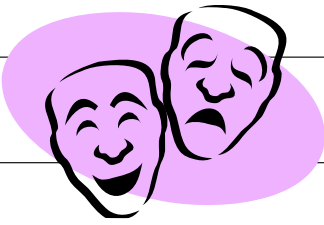
These two items have been donated to the club:

- **Zipoff pants:** Macpac, Men's Large \$40
- **Spirit stove:** Optimus (Sweden), with integral saucepan and extra billy \$40.

plus the following two items of mine:

- **Boots:** Hi Tec V-Lite Mach3, Ion Mask waterproofing, size US12 Eur 45 UK 11, as new, \$90
- **Stove:** MSR Dragonfly Liquid Fuel stove, as new \$120





Out & About

DINNER & MOVIE NIGHT PEASANT RESTAURANT

Tue 5 Jun

LEADER: Deniz Clarke 0401725726
EMAIL: denizclarke@gmail.com
WHEN: 6:30pm, No 4 The Barracks,
61 Petrie Terrace Brisbane

Peasant is the hippest new tapas restaurant in Brisbane, serving Spanish, Portugese and south American wines and imported Spanish produce. Conveniently located at The Barracks, Petrie Terrace near the Palace Cinemas. In the Spanish tradition, Peasant serves a multitude of shared plates of delicious treats and jugs of sangria to wash it all down with - daily menu specials are worth trying! More details including the menu are available on the website: www.peasant.com.au Nominations are required and will be confirmed one week prior for the 'BBW' table booking. Nominations will be closed on at midday on 4 June to ensure table booking is correct.

Deniz

KOOKABURRA CAFE DINNER NIGHT

Tue 3 Jul

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LEADER: Bernie Ryan
MOBILE: 0432 907275
EMAIL: cino1410@optusnet.com.au
GRADE: SOCIAL
LIMIT: 15
WHEN: 6:30pm
280 Given Terrace, Paddington

The Kookaburra Cafe is a Brisbane landmark, and very popular with locals and tourists alike. Situated in the inner Brisbane suburb of Paddington, it combines good food and value with ambience and architecture from a past era. The Kookaburra Cafe is the home of the 50-piece pizza, supposedly Australia's biggest. The menu consists of pizza and pasta dishes as well as various meat, fish and salad dishes. The restaurant is also fully licensed. Prices: Entrees; \$4-\$14, Mains; \$11-\$28 and Desserts; \$6-\$9. For further information and the full menu visit: www.kookaburra-cafe.com.au

Bernie

Xmas in July - Dairy Flats

Social / Base Camp Fri 20 - Sun 22 Jul
LEADER: Burney 0422386080
EMAIL: burnicestarky@hotmail.com
LIMIT: 10
BRING: Walking gear, tennis racket, share meal
COST: \$66



We're heading back to Dairy Flats, again. Nestled under Mt Lindsey, the scenery is spectacular!

I have just booked the Homestead for the Weekend of Fri July 20-22nd. \$660 for the weekend. This sleeps 10/11 people with 5 bedrooms and 2 ensuites. For those who remember, a log fire warms the lounge room where a 1920's pianola provides entertainment.

I'm interested in having a bird walk. Other walks are possible depending on Walkers/Leaders and of course "a game of Tennis, anyone?" We'll put together a Xmas in July spread to get us cosy. Wear Xmas gear.

First 10/11 people who have paid are in the Homestead house. If there are sufficient extra people wishing to join in I can book another cottage as well. Please confirm your place by putting \$66 per person for the weekend into my account. I'm required to pay 50% up front as a deposit: Members Equity Bank BSB: 944 300 Account 010834109. Please nominate on-line after paying cost. Then email me so I can match the deposits with a name.

Burney

Magazine Collating

Magazine collating is at Tom Cowlshaw's office at 47 Samford Road, Alderley on Thursday 21st June, 6:30pm. There is only about 1 1/2 hours work required. If you would like to help and enjoy an easy social night with take-away pizza please come along. Phone 3856 4050 if you need further details.



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ALWAYS TELL SOMEONE...
WALK WITH A CLUB.



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Shirley Peadon - email: registrar@bbw.org.au or phone: 07 3892 4641

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