

WALKS AND SOCIAL PROGRAM

JANUARY — JUNE 2020

Important Notice

BBC members and visitors participating in club activities are advised that they should have some form of ambulance insurance in case of an accident requiring evacuation by emergency services.

Book now for these upcoming trips away

Full descriptions of these are in date order in the pages that follow

Mon 3 Feb – Thu 6 Feb – DEPOT BEACH FOUR DAY CAMP.

Leader: Janet janet.nd58@gmail.com

Tue 18 Feb – Thu 20 Feb – SNOWY MOUNTAINS PACK WALK.

Leader: Jillian (62863766).

Sun 23 – Thu 27 Feb – MEDIUM DAY WALKS FROM GUTHEGA, STAYING AT TIOBUNGA LODGE.

Leader: John danaro@bigpond.net.au

Tue 3 – Thu 5 March — MOUNT BIMBERI THE (COMPARATIVELY) EASY WAY.

Leader: John E jfe@grapevine.net.au

Sun 22 Mar – Wed 8 Apr – WALKING IN THE NORTH ISLAND OF NEW ZEALAND - Easy and Medium Walks.

Leader: John C j.clune@bigpond.com

Thu 18 Jun – Fri 10 Jul — MONGOLIA TREKKING.

The Canberra Bushwalking Club is offering Brindabella Bushwalking Club members a place on next year's trek to Mongolia with Mongolia Expeditions.

Leader: Terrylea terryleainwashington@hotmail.com

Thu 15 – Thu 22 and Thu 22 – Thu 29 Oct — WILSONS PROMONTORY AREA, VICTORIA - lower medium walks.

Leaders: Peter W (62885985), Peter F (6161 2470, pford@pcug.org.au).

Sat 4 Jan – TIDBINBILLA – 8 km Easy (6)

Leader: Leigh (62311485, 0417 147260). A selection of short walks in Tidbinbilla Nature Reserve, such as the Bushland Meander, Church Rock Heritage Loop, and Cascades and Lyrebird trails. We will start early to avoid the heat and expect to finish before lunch. Morning tea snacks will be provided. Climb: 150 m max. Cars: 70 km (\$8). Map: Tidbinbilla. **Meet at K at 8am ***.**

Sun 5 Jan – PINE ISLAND TO POINT HUT AND RETURN SWIM, WALK – 7 km Easy (5)

Leader: Bob (62310856). We start this walk at the southern parking area at Pine Island (closest to Point Hut) and follow the track to Point Hut and cross the road to the swimming spot and morning tea. We return to Pine Island for another swim and lunch. Total climb about 60 m. Maps: Tuggeranong and Williamsdale. Cars: Meet at southern parking area at Pine Island (closest to Point Hut) GR 872775 so that you can swim/party at Pine Island after lunch for as long as you want. Start 9 am – early start to avoid the heat and expect to finish before lunch. Climb: 150 m max. Cars: 70 km (\$8). Map: Tidbinbilla. **Meet at K at 8am ***.**

Sun 5 Jan – Fri 10 Jan - WALK KOSCIUSZKO /GUTHEGA AREA, STAYING IN SMIGGINS

Leader : Janet janet.nd58@gmail.com

Bookings have closed for this walk.

Wed 8 Jan – EASY/MEDIUM WEDNESDAY WALK (CBC) – Walks graded at the upper level of ‘Easy’ or the lower level of ‘Medium’. Coordinator: John (62543814).

Wed 8 Jan – MEDIUM/HARD WEDNESDAY WALK (CBC) – Medium to Hard graded walks. Coordinator: John (62543814).

Sat 11 Jan – VANITYS CROSSING – 12 km Easy (7)

Leader: John C (62627504). The walk will start at the locked gate below Hardy Trig, and finish at the old picnic area on Vanitys Crossing track. All on forest roads and tracks, except for crossing the Cotter River, where we will get wet feet. A car will be left at the picnic area and the remainder will go to Pipeline Road. The last 50 m of the dirt road to the start point is steep though not difficult, but some people might decide to go in larger cars. It is not a 4-wheel drive road. Two crossings of the Cotter River, firstly just after Pipeline Road, and later near the end of the walk. Bring sandshoes for the crossings and swimwear may be useful. We do not have to climb up the steep hill because of the car shuffle, and the shortcut is now possible. Lunch will be at the river. Climb: 200 m. Cars: 50 km (\$6). Map: Cotter Dam. **Meet at W.**

Sun 12 Jan – HELLS HOLE-GOOGONG DAM - 15 km Medium (9)

Leader: Bob (62310856). We start on Bradleys Creek Walk from Googong Dam and continue to Queanbeyan River Fire Trail. About 3 km along this trail we come to an unnamed track to the right leading to Hells Hole. We lunch at the ford near Hells Hole and return the same way. Climb: 640 m. Cars: 26 km (\$3). Map: Hoskinstown. **Meet at Q.**

Wed 15 Jan – EASY/MEDIUM WEDNESDAY WALK (BBC) – Walks graded at the upper level of ‘Easy’ or the lower level of ‘Medium’.

Leader: Peter F (0437110001).

Wed 15 Jan – MEDIUM/HARD WEDNESDAY WALK (BBC) – Medium to Hard graded walks.
Leader: Peter W (62885985).

Sat 18 Jan – BREAKFAST AT LEGOLAND – Easy /Short

Leader: Janet janet.nd58@gmail.com (0423213679) (texts preferred)

A short Dawn Walk to beat the possible heat. Meet at Kambah by 6.00 am, where we will pool transport, drive past Honeysuckle campground and onto and up a dirt road for about 5 kms. Park cars here and start walking on a well-trodden bush path for about 30- 40 mins to the Legoland Boulders. We will eat breakfast on a huge ledge admiring the view of the Orroral Valley below. Please bring yummy tasty food to share. I will bring a frypan and cook pancakes - can someone please bring yogurt, jams, fruit or whatever you would like to have on your pancakes? Other food suggestions...bacon, sausages, eggs, cheeses... If others wish to cook pancakes please bring a stove and a frying pan. Everyone bring a plate, bowl, cup and cutlery plus thermos for your coffee or tea. It should be a lovely relaxing social time. After breakfast we start exploring all the different areas of Legoland by crawling through narrow gaps, squeezing through huge rocks, gazing and walking around the gigantic cavern and walking up sloping boulders. Return to the cars about 11.00 am. NOTE: If there is a fire ban NO stoves are to be brought, so please bring either cooked food or cereal.

Need to Book? Yes! BBC members use the CBC website and after your name click on 'guest' unless you are a CBC member.

Booking Deadline: 2:00 pm Thu 16 Jan. Map: Corin Dam. Transport: \$9

Sun 19 Jan – PINE ISLAND TO KAMBAH POOL AND RETURN – 16 km Easy (6)

Leader: Bob (62310856). From Pine Island North car park (top of hill) we follow the track to Kambah Pool for Lunch and swim at Kambah Pool. Return via same route, with another opportunity for a swim. All on track. Climb: less than 100 m. Map: Tuggeranong. **Meet at Pine Island North car park (top of hill) GR 864778.*****

Wed 22 Jan – EASY/MEDIUM WEDNESDAY WALK (CBC) – Walks graded at the upper level of 'Easy' or the lower level of 'Medium'. Coordinator: John (62543814).

Wed 22 Jan – MEDIUM/HARD WEDNESDAY WALK (NPA) – Medium to Hard graded walks. Coordinator: Mike (62862984).

Sat 25 Jan – MURRUMBIDGEE CORRIDOR FROM COTTER – 14 km – Easy (6)

Leader: John C (62627504). Starting from the Cotter pumping station we walk along the Murrumbidgee River for about 6 km and lunch. Return along same route. Swimming, rock-hopping and wading probable. Cars: 15 km (\$2). Map: Cotter. **Meet at W**

Sun 26 Jan – CUUMBEUN NATURE RESERVE – 12 km Medium (8)

Leader: Bob (62310856). A short drive from Queanbeyan to a point 1 km along Captains Flat Road. We head off on foot along a fire trail until we get to a creek which will lead us to a lovely gorge. We follow this gorge for several kilometres for views over Queanbeyan. Climb: 300 m. Cars: 20 km (\$3). Map: Bungendore. **Meet at Q.**

Wed 29 Jan – EASY/MEDIUM WEDNESDAY WALK (CBC) – Walks graded at the upper level of 'Easy' or the lower level of 'Medium'. Coordinator: John (62543814).

Wed 29 Jan – MEDIUM/HARD WEDNESDAY WALK (NPA) – Medium to Hard graded walks. Coordinator: Mike (62862984).

Sat 1 Feb - EASY WALK – Details TBA by email closer to the date.

Leader: Elaine (62883557).

Sun 2 Feb - SOME WALKS IN SOUTHERN NAMADGI – 12 km Easy/Medium (7/8)

Leader: David (62861573). This walk is all on footpad and will take in three short tracks in the southern part of Namadgi. We'll start with the Rendezvous Creek track heading into the Rendezvous Creek Valley with great views of the former Gudgenby grazing property and Yankee Hat. Next will be the Yerrabi track to Boboyan Trig where we'll have lunch on the rock slabs with spectacular views of the Brindabella Range. The last track of the day will be to Shanahans Mountain. If the weather is hot the walk will be varied to suit the conditions of the day. Cars: 120 km (\$14). Maps: Yaouk and Colinton. **Meet at K.**

Mon 3 – Thu 6 Feb – DEPOT BEACH FOUR DAY CAMP – Easy

Leader: Janet janet.nd58@gmail.com.au. Camp, stay in cabins or your own van for three nights/four days enjoying Depot Beach and nearby environs. Lazy activities include on Monday afternoon, after arriving, walking around the wave-cut platform, past Point Upright (sighted by Capt Cook), swimming at the beach and then energetically climbing the hill back to our camp. Later we will be walking on the beach and reefs to Pebbly Beach where we swim, snorkel, surf or energetically walk to the next beach where we can also swim. Delight in walks through the rainforest or possibly a walk around the Lake. Overall, we will just enjoy being at the beach. We usually have all meals under a shelter, each camper self-catering, bringing food for three breakfasts, three dinners and four lunches, plus snacks. There is a bbq available, good water and pleasant campsites. The cabins are nestled between trees. I have reserved and paid for two campsites, so please do not book a campsite until I ask you to do so. If you wish to have a powered site or a cabin please book this yourself. Three nights: tent cost \$37. Cabin for four people \$660. Powered site \$104. National Park Pass \$8 per day or Seniors Annual pass \$50. Transport: return from Canberra \$70. BBC members please book on the CBC web site using “guest”.

Wed 5 Feb – SHORT WEDNESDAY WALK – Easy

Contact: Robyn (62880449) or Colleen (62883153) or email ewwcontact@brindabellabushwalking.org.au

Wed 5 Feb – EASY/MEDIUM WEDNESDAY WALK (BBC) – Walks graded at the upper level of ‘Easy’ or the lower level of ‘Medium’. Leader: Robin (0417238652).

Wed 5 Feb – MEDIUM/HARD WEDNESDAY WALK (BBC) – Medium to Hard graded walks. Leader: Peter W (62885985)

Fri 7 Feb – MT AINSLIE SUNSET WALK – 3 km Easy (5)

Coordinator: Elaine (62883557). This is a social event offering drinks and nibbles at the top of Mt Ainslie, timed so that you can enjoy the sunset over the Brindabellas while chatting with friends.

Climb: 200 m. **Bring a drink receptacle and a torch** for the descent at dusk - everything else is provided. The event will be cancelled if extreme weather is threatening at 6 pm. **Meet at the base of the Mt Ainslie walking track behind the War Memorial at 6.30 pm.*****

**Sat 8 Feb – A MORNING WALK EXPLORING THE QUARRIES OF MT AINSLIE
7 km Easy.**

Leader: Lana (0401178120). This walk has short steepish uphill sections. Walking is on paths, fire trails and rough tracks taking in Mt Ainslie's west and east quarries. Surprisingly beautiful rock exposed by quarrying and panoramic views from top of east quarry. Sticks recommended for descents. Opportunity for coffee after walk at Poppy's. **Meet at Australian War Memorial carpark (opp Campbell High School) at 8 am. *****

Sun 9 Feb – Leader: Peter W (62885985) – Medium

A walk appropriate to the weather will be advised by email.

Wed 12 Feb – EASY/MEDIUM WEDNESDAY WALK (CBC) – Walks graded at the upper level of 'Easy' or the lower level of 'Medium'. Coordinator: John (62543814)

Wed 12 Feb – MEDIUM/HARD WEDNESDAY WALK (CBC) – Medium to Hard graded walks. Coordinator: John (62543814).

Fri 14 Feb - Last day to book for Easy pack walk in the Snowy Mountains, Tue 18 – Thu 20 Feb. Contact: Jillian (62863766 or 0433588252).

Sat 15 Feb – A DAY IN THE BRINDABELLAS – 8km Easy (7)

Leader: David (62861573). A morning climb of Mt Franklin with sightings of the old ski runs and tow equipment followed by a walk up Mt Aggie with views over to the west. The afternoon will be spent wandering through the Bendora Arboretum. Climb: 200 m. Cars: 130 km (\$16). Map: Tidbinbilla. **Meet at W.**

Sun 16 Feb – ROCKS ABOVE NURSERY SWAMP – 13 km Medium (9)

Leader: Prue (62861573, 0487388959). From the Nursery Swamp car park, we climb the track to the saddle and then walk along the track till it ends at Nursery Swamp. After crossing the swamp, we climb off-track approximately north up through scrub to a rock slab for lunch with lovely views across to Nursery Hill and beyond. We descend steeply from the south-eastern end of the slab to return to the swamp and follow the track back to the cars. The off-track section is less than 2 km but you will need long pants/sleeves, gloves and sunglasses. Newbies to off-track walking are welcome - contact the leader for more details. Total climb: 400 m. Cars: 85 km (\$10). Map: Rendezvous Creek. **Meet at K.**

Tue 18 – Thu 20 Feb - EASY PACK WALK IN THE SNOWY MOUNTAINS

Leader: Jillian (62863766 or 0433588252). The details will be decided closer to the departure time.

Wed 19 Feb – SHORT WEDNESDAY WALK – Easy

Contact: Robyn (62880449) or Colleen (62883153) or email ewwcontact@brindabellabushwalking.org.au

Wed 19 Feb – EASY/MEDIUM WEDNESDAY WALK (BBC) – Walks graded at the upper level of 'Easy' or the lower level of 'Medium'. Leader: Graham (62498663).

Wed 19 Feb – MEDIUM/HARD WEDNESDAY WALK (BBC) – Medium to Hard graded walks. Leader: Peter W (62885985).

Thu 20 Feb: Last day to book for Mt Bimberri trip for Tue 3 -Thu 5 Mar. Contact: John E jfe@grapevine.net.au or 62412658

Sat 22 Feb – MORNING WALK ON GOSSAN HILL AND BRUCE RIDGE - 9 km Easy (6)
Leader: Lana (0401 178120). Starting in Aranda we cross Belconnen Way via the footbridge onto Gossan Hill. We follow a trail to the top of Gossan Hill for good views. Cross Haydon Drive into Bruce Ridge. Return on similar trails including veteran memorial walk near Calvary Hospital. Climb: 200 m. Opportunity for coffee after walk at Two Before Ten, Aranda. **Meet at Banaga Place, Aranda at 8 am *****

Sun 23 Feb – Leader: Peter W (62885985) – Medium
 A walk appropriate to the weather will be advised by email

Sun 23 – Thu 27 Feb – MEDIUM DAY WALKS FROM GUTHEGA, STAYING AT TIOBUNGA LODGE

Leader: John (danaro@bigpond.net.au) or 62543814)

A number of day walks from Guthega, including Mt Tate returning Tate East Ridge, and/or the Rolling Ground, Mt Twynam/Little Twynam, from Guthega, Mount Sentinel/Watson's Crags from Charlottes Pass. Other options possible including some easier half day walk on the first and last days, e.g Blue Cow Mt or Porcupine Rocks. Tiobunga Lodge has recently been rebuilt with all rooms having an ensuite, and a large commercial kitchen. People can opt for either shared meals (which worked out well last time) or do your own. Some pantry items available in the lodge. Guthega is a quaint and quiet little village (with no through traffic) and has remained relatively unchanged in over 50 years, with good views over Guthega Pondage, Guthega River and mountains Tate and Twynam. Map: Mount Kosciusko 1:50,000. Transport: around \$160 per car, plus park entrance fees. Accommodation costs: \$32-34 pp per night, with most, if not all people having their own room. Limit: 12. Joint activity with CBC.

Wed 26 Feb – EASY/MEDIUM WEDNESDAY WALK (CBC) – Walks graded at the upper level of 'Easy' or the lower level of 'Medium'. Coordinator: John (62543814).

Wed 26 Feb – MEDIUM/HARD WEDNESDAY WALK (NPA) – Medium to Hard graded walks. Coordinator: Mike (62862984).

Sat 29 Feb – PROGRESSIVE DINNER

Coordinators: Elaine (62883557, 0410154133, elainem.atkinson@gmail.com) and Janet Duncan (janet.nd58@gmail.com) Within the Weston Creek area. More details later.

Sun 1 Mar – CANBERRA CENTENARY TRAIL – MACARTHUR TO MUGGA LANE – 12 km Easy (7)

Leader: Jenni (0408 429214). Walk through horse paddocks past Wanniasa Hills, through Long Gully pine plantation, and up Mt Sheaffe for morning tea and sweeping views. Then steeply down to follow the reserve on the edge of Isaacs and into the valley between Isaacs Ridge and Mt Mugga Mugga. We have lunch near Mugga quarry, then skirt Mt Mugga through bushland back to the cars. Details in Section 15 of *Walking & Cycling Canberra's Centenary Trail* are a guide, although parts of this section are already out of date. Climb: 300 m. Cars 20 km (\$2) – a car shuffle is required. Map: Canberra. **Meet on Mugga Lane under a row of large trees, near Hindmarsh Drive traffic lights, Symonston. *****

Tue 3 Mar to Thu 5 Mar – MT BIMBERI THE (RELATIVELY) EASY WAY – 22 km (10)
Leader: John E (jfe@grapevine.net.au or 62412658). This walk, to climb the highest peak in the ACT, will be spread over three days so as to make it possible in a comparatively gentle and physically moderate way. We will leave Canberra mid-morning on the Tuesday, stop for brief refreshments in Cooma or Adaminaby and then drive via Tantangara and Pockets Saddle Road to the locked gate at Gurrangorambla Creek. From here it is about a 4 km walk, with packs to Oldfields Hut where we camp the night. The next day we walk, with day packs only, along Murrays Gap to the start of the foot pad to the top of Mt Bimberi, a total of about 7 kms. Return to Oldfields Hut the same way where we camp the night. The next morning, we return to the cars the same way that we came. The walking pace will not be fast and rests taken when needed - the aim is to enjoy the experience and not make it hugely demanding physically. Total height gained over three days will be around 1000 metres. Map: Rendezvous Creek. Transport: \$40

Wed 4 Mar – SHORT WEDNESDAY WALK – Easy
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ewwcontact@brindabellabushwalking.org.au

Wed 4 Mar – EASY/MEDIUM WEDNESDAY WALK (BBC) – Walks graded at the upper level of ‘Easy’ or the lower level of ‘Medium’. Leader: John K (0400581303).

Wed 4 Mar – MEDIUM/HARD WEDNESDAY WALK (BBC) – Medium to Hard graded walks. Leader: Peter D (0414363255).

Sat 7 Mar – MT TAYLOR RAMBLE – 7 km Easy (7)
Leader: Jillian (62863766). Bring your own lunch, tea and coffee provided. Swim at my place, 67 Parkhill St, Pearce. Climb: 200 m. **Meet at my house at 8.00am. *****

Sun 8 Mar – COTTER GAP – 18 km Medium (10)
Leader: Bill (0419240468). Walk from the Orroral Tracking Station car park along the Cotter Hut Road and Australian Alps Walking Track to Cotter Gap. Lunch at Cotter Gap, with views of Split Rock. Return via the same route, except we'll walk the last bit along the grass in Orroral Valley. Climb: 700 m. Cars: 85 km (\$10). Maps: Rendezvous Creek, Corin Dam. **Meet at K.**

Wed 11 Mar – EASY/MEDIUM WEDNESDAY WALK (CBC) – Walks graded at the upper level of ‘Easy’ or the lower level of ‘Medium’. Coordinator: John (62543814).

Wed 11 Mar – MEDIUM/HARD WEDNESDAY WALK (CBC) – Medium to Hard graded walks. Coordinator: John (62543814).

Sat 14 Mar – HUME AND HOVELL TRACK ALONG MICALONG CREEK — 13 km Easy (7)

Leader: Jillian (62863766). From the picnic grounds near the Brindabella Road we follow the Hume and Hovell Track downstream to Micalong Creek. Enroute we admire cascades and waterfalls and are accompanied by many kinds of birds. We have lunch at the lovely Micalong Creek campground. Bring a container, as there might be blackberries. Climb: 300 m. Cars: 120 km (\$14). Maps: Bobbys Plains, Couragago. **Meet at W to leave at 8:00 am.*****

Sun 15 Mar – THE PINNACLE TO MT PAINTER LOOP – 15 km Medium (8)

Leader: Robyn G (0409891187). We'll do a westwards loop around the Pinnacle Reserve, then follow the Equestrian Trail to Mt Painter Reserve. After climbing Mt Painter we'll loop back to the Pinnacle to return to the cars. All walking on tracks or across open grass. Climb: 350 m. Cars: Nil. **Meet at the water tanks on Springvale Drive at 9.00 am. *****

Wed 18 Mar – SHORT WEDNESDAY WALK – Easy

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Wed 18 Mar – EASY/MEDIUM WEDNESDAY WALK (BBC) – Walks graded at the upper level of ‘Easy’ or the lower level of ‘Medium’. Leader: Kathy (62383596).

Wed 18 Mar – MEDIUM/HARD WEDNESDAY WALK (BBC) – Medium to Hard graded walks. Leader: Peter W (62885985)

Sat 21 Mar – BOOROOMBA ROCKS AND GORILLA ROCK – 11 km Medium (10)

Leader: Peter D (0414363255). Commences from the Honeysuckle Creek Campground and then along the Australian Alps Walking Track (AAWT) to Booroomba Rocks car park for morning tea. We then go up the short, but steep, track to the lookout and across to the large south-western Booroomba slab for lunch. After lunch we head westerly through scrub for about 2 km to Gorilla Rock. We'll be exploring a new route for this section. It is then around 1 km south to the AAWT, through lighter bush, before heading back to Honeysuckle campground. Long pants, gaiters and gloves are strongly recommended. Climb: 630 m. Cars: 70 km (\$8). Map: Corin Dam. **Meet at K, leaving at 8.30 am ***.**

Sun 22 Mar – RED HILL RAMBLE AND SWIM AT LEADER'S HOUSE – EASY

Leader: Jillian (62863766). Those interested in this activity will be notified by email closer to the walk/swim.

Sun 22 Mar to Wed 8 Apr – WALKING IN THE NORTH ISLAND OF NEW ZEALAND - Easy and Medium walks.

Leader: John C (j.clune@bigpond.com). We will be five days in the Bay of Islands at Kirikiri, possibly at the Avalon Resort, then five more days just south of Auckland in the Hunua Ranges, possibly in the Country Inn Ramarairi at Pukekohe and finally five days at Mt Egmont at Hurworth near New Plymouth, in Ratanui Villas. We will be hiring cars and will need some drivers. **Please contact j.clune@bigpond.com if you are interested.**

Wed 25 Mar – EASY/MEDIUM WEDNESDAY WALK (CBC) – Walks graded at the upper level of ‘Easy’ or the lower level of ‘Medium’. Coordinator: John (62543814).

Wed 25 Mar – MEDIUM/HARD WEDNESDAY WALK (NPA) – Medium to Hard graded walks. Coordinator: Mike (62862984).

Sat 28 Mar – KAMBAH POOL TOWARDS CASUARINA SANDS AND BACK – 16 km - Medium (10)

Leader: Peter D (0414 363255). A pleasant walk along a sometimes-overgrown track, high above the Murrumbidgee. There are some steep-ish undulations in the track during the first and last 90 minutes. Climb: 520 m. Cars: Nil. Map: Tuggeranong. **Meet just outside the top entrance gate at Kambah Pool at 8.30 am.*****

Sun 29 Mar – CANBERRA CENTENARY TRAIL – AINSLIE CIRCUIT – 10 km Easy (7)
Leader: Jenni (0408429214). Walk up Mt Ainslie on the sealed Centenary Trail via short detours to the Aboriginal memorial and to a small quarry. We admire sweeping views across Canberra from the summit, then descend through the Centenary Gateway into casuarina woodland. Morning tea is among snow gums before we head down to the lower Centenary Trail which we follow around the western slopes of Mt Ainslie to complete the circuit. Find more details in section 2 of *Walking & cycling Canberra's Centenary Trail*. **Meet at Remembrance Park at the rear of the War Memorial, Treloar St, Campbell.*****

Wed 1 Apr – SHORT WEDNESDAY WALK – Easy
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Wed 1 Apr – EASY/MEDIUM WEDNESDAY WALK (BBC) – Walks graded at the upper level of ‘Easy’ or the lower level of ‘Medium’. Leader: Leigh (62311485).

Wed 1 Apr – MEDIUM/HARD WEDNESDAY WALK (BBC) – Medium to Hard graded walks. Leader: Prue (62861573).

Sat 4 Apr – ROCKS NEAR BILLY BILLY ROCKS – 6 km Medium (10)

Leader: Prue (62861573, 0487388959). This walk is good fun with lots of rocks to climb and explore. We park alongside Corin Dam Road near Billy Billy Creek and climb steeply on a track towards Billy Billy Rocks. After morning tea on a rock platform, we head off track roughly south-west and up along a ridge with various rocky outcrops. Lunch at the top where there are massive boulders with overhangs and passages. We then descend to the creek, climb up to Billy Billy Rocks and return to the cars on the track. Gaiters, long pants, gloves and eye protection recommended. Climb: 400 m. Cars: 70 km (\$8). Map: Corin Dam. **Meet at K.**

Sun 5 Apr – SQUARE ROCK FROM SMOKERS GAP - 9 km Easy (6)

Leader: Diana (0421851212). An easy walk on track to Square Rock via the Orroral Valley lookout. Good views from both the lookout and Square Rock. Lunch at Square Rock. The climb is a gradual 270 m. Cars: 70 km (\$8). Map: Corin Dam. **Meet at K at 9.30 am.*****

Wed 8 Apr – EASY/MEDIUM WEDNESDAY WALK (CBC) – Walks graded at the upper level of ‘Easy’ or the lower level of ‘Medium’. Coordinator: John (62543814).

Wed 8 Apr – MEDIUM/HARD WEDNESDAY WALK (CBC) – Medium to Hard graded walks. Coordinator: John (62543814).

Sat 11 Apr – A leader has not volunteered for this walk. If you are able to lead a walk, please advise the Walks Officer asap at walks@brindabella_bushwalking.org.au or phone 62412658.

Sun 12 Apr – CANBERRA CENTENARY TRAIL – MULLIGAN’S FLAT CIRCUIT – 13 km Easy (7)

Leader: Jenni (0408429214). Meander gently through undulating bushland inside the woodland sanctuary, with the possibility of spotting marsupials and birds. We leave the Centenary Trail to cross a grassland, then we leave the sanctuary to follow the ACT border which includes some high vantage points with views into Mulligans Flat and out to farmland. At the NW corner, we cross the very busy Mulligans Flat road and rejoin the Centenary Trail into Little Mulligans, following the ACT border along the ridgeline with west and north views. Find more details in sections 4 and 5 of *Walking & Cycling Canberra’s Centenary Trail*. All on track. Climb: 270 m. **Meet at 9.00 am at Mulligan’s Flat Woodland Sanctuary carpark, Amy Ackman St, Forde.*****

Wed 15 Apr – SHORT WEDNESDAY WALK – Easy

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Wed 15 Apr – EASY/MEDIUM WEDNESDAY WALK (BBC) – Walks graded at the upper level of ‘Easy’ or the lower level of ‘Medium’. Leader: Peter F (0437110001).

Wed 15 Apr – MEDIUM/HARD WEDNESDAY WALK (BBC) – Medium to Hard graded walks. Leader: Prue (62861573).

Sat 18 Apr – AUTUMN FAMILY PICNIC - SHORT WALK PLUS A MEDIUM WALK AND LUNCH AT URIARRA CROSSING. Coordinator: Elaine (6288 3557 or 0410154 133). Autumn is a beautiful time in Canberra and a wonderful opportunity for club members to get together for a walk and lunch. This is a BYO event including chairs. **Meet at the Uriarra East picnic area at 10.00 am.** To get there, turn left off Uriarra Road at the sign to Uriarra East picnic area, about 1 km before Uriarra Crossing. ***

Sun 19 Apr – HERITAGE, HISTORY AND SHADY STREETS – 9 km Easy (5)

Leader: Lyn (62815883 or 0417 418837). A morning walk in some of Canberra’s older northside suburbs through the heritage areas of Reid and the leafy streets of Campbell. Bring morning tea. Map: Canberra UBD. Cars: Nil. **Meet at Reid Oval car parking area under trees, Euree Street near intersection with Elimatta Street, at 9.00 am. *****

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Wed 22 Apr – MEDIUM/HARD WEDNESDAY WALK (NPA) – Medium to Hard graded walks. Coordinator: Mike (62862984).

Sat 25 Apr – NURSERY HILL – 15 km Medium (11)

Leader: Phillip H (0405916004). The walk will follow the Nursery Swamp track to the saddle between the Orroral and Nursery Swamp valleys (climb of some 200 m), thence to the end of the signed track. Then follow an intermittent footpad to the creek below Nursery Hill through undulating ground and tussock grasses along the edge of Nursery Swamp before climbing directly to the ridge and traversing to the summit tor (climb of some 320 m). There is scrub on the climb up Nursery Hill from Nursery Swamp. Climb: 550 m. Map: Rendezvous Creek. Cars \$8. **Meet at K.**

Sun 26 Apr – GIBRALTAR ROCKS & THE SANCTUARY – 10 km Easy (7)

Leader: Diana (0421 851212). In the morning we will park at the Dalsetta car park and walk slowly to Gibraltar Rocks via the Mt Eliza saddle. Enjoy the views while having morning tea on the Rocks. Return via the same route. We will then find a nice spot in Tidbinbilla for lunch. In the afternoon we will drive to the Sanctuary and walk around the loop looking at the wildlife and hopefully see a platypus in one of the ponds. All on tracks. Climb: 300 m. Map: Tidbinbilla. **Meet at K.**

Wed 29 Apr – SHORT WEDNESDAY WALK – Easy

Contact: Robyn (62880449) or Colleen (62883153) or email ewwcontact@brindabellabushwalking.org.au

Wed 29 Apr – EASY/MEDIUM WEDNESDAY WALK (CBC) – Walks graded at the upper level of ‘Easy’ or the lower level of ‘Medium’. Coordinator: John (62543814).

Wed 29 Apr – MEDIUM/HARD WEDNESDAY WALK (NPA) – Medium to Hard graded walks. Coordinator: Mike (62862984).

Sat 2 May – PIPELINE ROAD TO THE COTTER RIVER – 14 km Easy (6)

Leader: John C (62627504). From the locked gate at Pierces Creek Forest we follow the Pipeline Road for 7 km to the Cotter River, where we have lunch. Return by the same route. Climb on return is 170 m. A brisk walk for a cool day. Cars: 50 km (\$5). Maps: Cotter Dam, Tidbinbilla. **Meet at W.**

Tue 5 May – WALKS PROGRAM MEETING at 2.00 pm. Please RSVP on 62412658 or walks@brindabellabushwalking.org.au if you wish to attend to discuss the Jul-Dec program.

Sat 2 May – Sat 9 May – A WEEK OF LOWER MEDIUM WALKS BASED IN TUMUT

Leader: Peter W (62885985) We will be based in Ribbonwood Cottages Tumut, and doing day walks, mainly along sections of the Hume and HovelL track.

This walk is now fully subscribed.

Sun 3 May – RENDEZVOUS CREEK AREA – 14 km Medium (8)

Leader: Leigh (62311485, 0417 147260). From the Rendezvous Creek car park (northern side of Gudgenby River) we will follow the track to Rowleys Hut site where we will probably have morning tea. From there we head in a north-westerly direction to an area of interest about 1.5 km from Rowleys Hut site. The last 300 metres or so is through bush but it is not particularly scrubby. We will return much the same way. The walk is through gently undulating country except for a minor climb of less than 100 metres to the lunch spot. Climb: 150 m max. Map: Rendezvous Creek. **Meet at K.**

Wed 6 May – SHORT WEDNESDAY WALK – Easy

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Wed 6 May – EASY/MEDIUM WEDNESDAY WALK (BBC) – Walks graded at the upper level of ‘Easy’ or the lower level of ‘Medium’. Leader: John E (62412658).

Wed 6 May – MEDIUM/HARD WEDNESDAY WALK (BBC) – Medium to Hard graded walks. Leader: Prue (62861573).

Sat 9 May – FADDEN AND FARRER RAMBLE – 10 km Easy (7)

Leader: Peter B (0413 378684). From the meeting place we follow parts of the Centenary Trail, passing under Long Gully Road before heading west to Farrer Ridge. From there we loop back under Erindale Drive to Mt Wanniasa returning to the cars via the Karralika Fire Trail. Plenty of views on this walk. Total climb: 360 m. Map(s): Tuggeranong. **Meet at the parking area on the northern side of Jackie Howe Crescent (just past the turn into Goldsbrough Close) at 9 am.**

Sun 10 May – URAMBI HILLS AND RED ROCK GORGE – 16 km Medium (8)

Leader: Leigh (62311485 or 0417 147260). This is a figure 8 shaped walk starting at the Pine Island picnic ground. From here we head north, taking the Bicentennial Trail to the Dry Stone Wall. Crossing Tuggeranong creek, we reach the Urambi Hills ridgeline, stopping for morning tea to enjoy 360° views across Tuggeranong and to Bullen Range. Continuing north-west we leave Urambi Hills Nature Reserve and enter Bullen Range Nature Reserve, dropping down to the Murrumbidgee near the Red Rocks Gorge Lookout. We then return to the cars on the Murrumbidgee Discovery Trail (here is also the Centenary Trail), having lunch along the way. Terrain includes foot tracks, open land and fire trail, with some fences and gates to negotiate. Map: Tuggeranong. Climb: 300 m. **Meet 9.00am at the car park at the northern end of Pine Island Reserve.** ***

Wed 13 May – EASY/MEDIUM WEDNESDAY WALK (CBC) – Walks graded at the upper level of ‘Easy’ or the lower level of ‘Medium’. Coordinator: John (62543814).

Wed 13 May – MEDIUM/HARD WEDNESDAY WALK (CBC) – Medium to Hard graded walks. Coordinator: John (62543814).

Sat 16 May – THE SETTLERS TRACK – 11 km Easy (6)

Leader: David (62861573). We will walk the Settlers Track, which has been established in the southern part of the Namadgi National Park linking Brayshaws Homestead, Waterhole Hut and Westermans Homestead. A well-marked track links the remnants of early European settlement in the area. Climb: 100 m. Cars: 120 km (\$14). Map: Yaouk. **Meet at K.**

Sun 17 May – BOBOYAN FOREST – HOSPITAL CREEK – 14 km Medium (8)

Leader: Lyn (62815883). A pleasant walk, mostly on track, through Boboyan Forest, taking a side trip to Hospital Creek cascades, then on to Hospital Hut for lunch. The return walk is partly off track, roughly parallel to the creek, then along the Old Boboyan Road back to the starting point at Yankee Hat car park. Total climb: 240 m. Cars: 100 km (\$12). Map: Yaouk. **Meet at K.**

Wed 20 May – SHORT WEDNESDAY WALK – Easy

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Wed 20 May – EASY/MEDIUM WEDNESDAY WALK (BBC) – Walks graded at the upper level of ‘Easy’ or the lower level of ‘Medium’.

Leader: David (62861573).

Wed 20 May – MEDIUM/HARD WEDNESDAY WALK (BBC) – Medium to Hard graded walks. Leader: Peter D (0414363255).

Fri 22 May – POTLUCK DINNER

Coordinator: Elaine (62883557 or 0410154133). All members are welcome to share a great meal of food contributed by participants and enjoy a social time together. There will be a guest speaker – details TBA. To enable all interested people to come we will again use the venue at St Margaret's Uniting Church Hall at Hackett on the corner of Antill Street and Phillip Avenue. The grounds are shared with Holy Cross Anglican Church and the entrance to parking is on Antill Street. Meet at 6.30 pm for pre-dinner drinks and nibbles followed by dinner at 7.00 pm. **Please phone Elaine by Tue 19 May** to book a place and discuss a contribution.

Sat 23 May – THE ROCKY OUTCROPS BETWEEN SQUARE ROCK CAR PARK AND THE OLD SMOKERS TRAIL CAR PARK 7 km - Medium (10).

Leader: Peter D (0414363255). We park at the Square Rock car park beside Corin Road and follow Smokers Loop Trail for about 1 km. Next, we walk south to the first major rocky outcrop, where we'll have morning tea. We then zig-zag a bit, visiting various interesting rock formations along the way. After lunch, there is 1.6 km of descent through the bush until we reach the Square Rock track, which we follow back to the car park. The off-track portion is only about 4 km in total, but the regrowth, fallen trees and rocky sections keep the pace down to an average of 1 kph in the bush. Some of the rocky outcrops are magnificent and the battle to reach them is worth it. Long pants, gaiters and gloves are highly recommended. Climb: 350 m. Cars: 70 km (\$8). Map: Corin Dam. **Meet at K, leaving at 8.30 am.*****

Sun 24 May – RENDEZVOUS CREEK TO YANKEE HAT ROCK ART – 11 km Easy (7)

Leader: John C (62627504). This walk is all in open, undulating, short grass country, with a couple of short sections on tracks. We follow the track on the south side of Rendezvous Creek for about 1 km, then strike due west along a low ridge for 2 km, looping around to cross Middle Creek and head south to the Yankee Hat rock art. We return via the Yankee Hat walking track to Bogong Creek, and follow the creek to cross Middle Creek where the two creeks meet. We return to the cars via a series of low hills. Climb: 300 m. Cars: 104 km (\$12). Maps: Rendezvous Creek, Yaouk. **Meet at K.**

Wed 27 May – EASY/MEDIUM WEDNESDAY WALK (CBC) – Walks graded at the upper level of 'Easy' or the lower level of 'Medium'. Coordinator: John (62543814).

Wed 27 May – MEDIUM/HARD WEDNESDAY WALK (NPA) – Medium to Hard graded walks. Coordinator: Mike (62862984).

Sat 30 May – THREE RESERVES – 12 km Easy (7)

Leader: Elaine (62883557). This is a circuit walk traversing Isaacs Ridge, Wanniasa Hills and Farrer Ridge. From Shepherdson Place, Isaacs, we follow the Canberra Centenary Trail through Isaacs pine forest to a lone gate at the foot of Mt Sheaffe. From here we climb up through the hills to Isaacs Ridge trig and then follow fire trails along the top of the ridge and down to an underpass into Wanniasa Hills. We complete our circuit back to Isaacs via various trails on Farrer Ridge. This is a pleasant walk through forest, open grassland and bush, with spectacular views of Woden and Tuggeranong along the way. Climb: 250 m. Cars: Nil. Maps: Canberra, Tuggeranong. **Meet at the southern end of Shepherdson Place, Isaacs (off the southern end of Julia Flynn Avenue) at 9.00 am. *****

Sun 31 May – Leader: Peter W (62885985) – Medium

A walk appropriate to the weather will be advised by email.

Wed 3 Jun – SHORT WEDNESDAY WALK – Easy

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Wed 3 Jun – EASY/MEDIUM WEDNESDAY WALK (BBC) – Walks graded at the upper level of ‘Easy’ or the lower level of ‘Medium’. Leader: Kathy (62383596).

Wed 3 Jun – MEDIUM/HARD WEDNESDAY WALK (BBC) – Medium to Hard graded walks. Leader: Peter D (0414363255).

Sat 6 Jun – MIDDLE CREEK AND YANKEE HAT NORTH - 13 km Medium (11)

Leader: Phillip H (0405916004). We walk across to the cascades in Middle Creek, initially on the track. Then we parallel the creek up for a while and break left so that we can approach Yankee Hat North from the north. After climbing through the rocks to the high point, where we’ll have lunch, we’ll descend steeply via the eastern slope to the valley. After visiting the art we’ll head across to the walking track to return to the cars. There’ll be the usual scratchy scrub on the hill and a steep descent through the rocks. Climb: 650 m. Long pants, gaiters and gloves are strongly recommended. Maps: Rendezvous Creek, Yaouk. Cars: \$12. **Meet at K, leaving at 8.30 am.*****

Sun 7 Jun – BRANDY FLAT HUT – 11 km Easy (7)

Leader: Ken (0417247065). From Glendale Crossing we follow the fire trail to the hut at picturesque Brandy Flat where we will have lunch. We return by the same route. Possibility of seeing many kangaroos and small birds, such as wrens and flame robins. Climb: 300 m. Cars: 85 km (\$10). Map: Michelago. **Meet at K.**

Wed 10 Jun – EASY/MEDIUM WEDNESDAY WALK (CBC) – Walks graded at the upper level of ‘Easy’ or the lower level of ‘Medium’. Coordinator: John (62543814).

Wed 10 Jun – MEDIUM/HARD WEDNESDAY WALK (CBC) – Medium to Hard graded walks. Coordinator: John (62543814).

Sat 13 Jun – MT TENNENT FROM THE VISITOR CENTRE – 14 km Medium (9)

Leader: Jillian (62863766). We walk from the Namadgi National Park Visitor Centre up the Australian Alps Walking Track to the fire tower at the top of Mt Tennent for lunch. Nice views from the summit. Return the same way. All on track. Climb: 750 m. Cars: 40 km (\$5). Map: Williamsdale. **Meet at K.**

Sun 14 Jun – PARLIAMENTARY TRIANGLE – 13 km Easy (6)

Leader: John C (62627504). Starts at the Japanese gardens behind the Hyatt, go up to the gardens around Parliament House, down to the Old Parliament House Gardens, across Kings Avenue bridge to Duntroon and Mount Pleasant, and then back to the start via Commonwealth or Kings Avenue Bridge. About 13 km, all on track. Will be a nice winter walk. Climb: 80 m. Map: Canberra. **Meet at the car park at Lennox Gardens in Flynn Drive, at 9.30 am.*****

Wed 17 Jun – SHORT WEDNESDAY WALK – Easy

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Wed 17 Jun – EASY/MEDIUM WEDNESDAY WALK (BBC) – Walks graded at the upper level of ‘Easy’ or the lower level of ‘Medium’. Leader: John K (0400581303).

Wed 17 Jun – MEDIUM/HARD WEDNESDAY WALK (BBC) – Medium to Hard graded walks. Leader: Peter D (0414363255).

Thu 18 Jun – Fri 10 Jul – MONGOLIA TREKKING

CBC is offering BBC members a place on next year's trek to Mongolia with Mongolia Expeditions (<http://www.mongolia-expeditions.com/>).

The trip consists of two treks, the first to the Kharkhiraa Turgen Peaks area in north west Mongolia, eight days actual walking beside lakes and rushing rivers and among snow-capped peaks. Maximum walking elevation 2900 m, maximum camping elevation 2700 m, and the second is the Altai Mountains, Western Mongolia, eight days actual walking mostly in the 2000 to 3000 m range, with an optional side trip to climb snow-covered Malchin Peak 4051 m. The route is mostly on tracks but some sections are rocky. There are some interesting creek crossings where you may get wet and cold. The Leader is Terrylea Reynolds.

More details can be found at:

<https://canberrabushwalkingclub.org/ci/activity/view/943/1?refere=https://canberrabushwalkingclub.org/ci/activity>

Participants require experience at rough grade, good general fitness, ability to walk up to 25 k per day, good balance for scree slopes and a track record of getting along well with others on extended trips. Costs approx USD\$3100 to USD\$3400 per person depending on number of participants. Cost includes flights within Mongolia and other transfers, accommodation in hotels and tents, and all meals while walking. You only need to carry day packs. Itinerary includes rest days and some cultural visits. The actual itineraries for both treks can also be viewed at:

<http://www.mongolia-expeditions.com/trekking-tours/4/kharkhiraa-turgen-peaks-trekking-tour/>
AND <http://www.mongolia-expeditions.com/trekking-tours/30/Altai+Mountain+Trek/>

There are still four places available. To be considered you can submit a booking request by going to the CBC website:

> Current Activities > Scroll down to find the trip OR use the Show Filter facility to find the trip. Request a booking (at the bottom of the page).

Or, you can contact Terrylea direct via email on terryleainwashington@hotmail.com or by telephone 0408715218.

Sat 20 Jun – OAKY HILL TO THE CITY – 15 km Easy (7)

Leader: Peter B (0413 378684). We start from the car park at the entrance to the Illoura Horse Paddocks and walk through the equestrian park to the Arboretum. We will have morning tea at the cork plantation and walk through the Black Mountain reserve before heading into the Botanic Gardens, where there's a good chance we will have coffee with our lunch. From Barry Drive we will **take an Action bus** to the Phillip Pool and walk back to the cars. Total climb: 200 m. Map(s): Canberra. **Meet at the car park outside the gate to the Illoura Horse Paddocks (across the road from the ACTEW substation) on the corner of Devonport and Heysen Sts, Lyons at 9 am. *****

Sun 21 Jun – APOLLO ROAD, BUSHFOLD FLATS, MT TENNENT - 15 km Medium (9)

Leader: Jillian (62863766). We park cars on Apollo Road and follow the fire trail to Bushfold Hut for morning tea. We will then join the Alpine Walking Track to ascend to the saddle below Mt Tennent. After lunch we return to the cars along the Mt Tennent Fire Trail. Climb: 660 m. Cars: 60 km (\$7). Maps: Corin Dam, Williamsdale. **Meet at K.**

Wed 24 Jun – EASY/MEDIUM WEDNESDAY WALK (CBC) – Walks graded at the upper level of ‘Easy’ or the lower level of ‘Medium’. Coordinator: John (62543814).

Wed 24 Jun – MEDIUM/HARD WEDNESDAY WALK (NPA) – Medium to Hard graded walks. Coordinator: Mike (62862984).

Sat 27 Jun – MT McDONALD FROM URIARRA VILLAGE – 16 km Medium (8)

Leader: Robyn G (0409 891187). The walk starts where Bullock Paddock Road joins Brindabella Road, passes Uriarra village and climbs Mt McDonald. The loop continues down the other side of Mt McDonald and follows the Cotter Dam foreshore for several kilometres. After lunch we climb back up away from the dam and return to the cars. Climb: 300 m. Cars: 50 km (\$6): Map: Cotter Dam. **Meet at W**

Sun 28 Jun – HONEYSUCKLE CAMPGROUND TO BOOROOMBA ROCKS – 10 km Easy (6)

Leader: Ken (0417247065). We park the cars at Honeysuckle Creek campground and walk along the Australian Alps Walking Track to Booroomba Rocks. Stunning views from the top. Return via the same route. Climb: 300 m. Cars: 70 km (\$8). Map: Corin Dam. **Meet at K.**

Advance Notices

Thu 15 - Thu 22 and Thu 22-Thu 29 Oct 2020 — WILSONS PROMONTORY AREA, VICTORIA - lower Medium walks

Leaders: Peter W (6288 5985), Peter F (6161 2470, pford@pcug.org.au). Two parties will go to the area, the first week led by Peter Wellman and the second week by Peter Ford. The walking groups will stay near Yanakie just north of Wilsons Promontory and for 6 days will go on lower medium grade walks. The main accommodation will be in three cabins, with four people in each, at a cost of about \$63.75 per person per night (Buln Buln Holiday Cabins www.bulnbuln.com). Others may stay at other local accommodation/motor camps (there is at least Telstra phone coverage). The walks will be mainly Wilsons Promontory NP, with one in the Strzelecki Ranges and another in Cape Liptrap Coastal Park. This is the main flowering time. The distance from Canberra to the accommodation via Cann River Valley is about 665 km, supposedly 7 h 40 min driving, but with stops it takes about 9 h 10 m. The cabin accommodation needs to be held by a deposit, so you will have to pay soon a deposit of \$171. Interested walkers should contact Peter Wellman by email: wellmanp@iinet.net.au.

May 2021 – Walking in Austria, Stubai and Zillertal Alps - Easy and Medium walks.

Leader: John C. One week at Mayrhofen in the Zillertal Alps, possibly staying in Hotel Garni Hubertus. These towns are south of Innsbruck. It is likely that we fly into Munich and take a train or bus to our accommodation. Both towns are in valleys near Innsbruck and are at the end of train lines. **Contact John at j.clune@bigpond.com if you are interested in going.**